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ST. CASPAR
CATHOLIC CHURCH

175TH ANNIVERSARY

"Faith Working Through Love"



Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5 pm

Sundays: 8 am, 10:30 am, 1 pm
(Spanish)

Confessions: Saturdays 4-4:45 pm

Wifi Password: WhatPassword?

Address: 1205 N. Shoop Ave.
Wauseon, OH 43567

Office Hours

Monday-Friday

8:30 am-12:30 pm & 1:30-4:30 pm

Parish Phone Number: 419-337-2322

Father's Phone Number: 419-335-3656

Church Website: stcaspar.org

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 10 am

Diocese of Toledo Prayer

Heavenly Father, with the redeeming cross of Christ Jesus your Son, and the gifts of your Holy Spirit, renew and strengthen us, so that by our prayer, fasting, and almsgiving we may foster Holy Disciples, Holy Families and Holy Vocations, so as to become a more Holy Diocese of Toledo. We turn to Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, for her intercession and never failing prayers. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hail Mary

Hail, Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst
women and blessed is the
fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of
God, pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of
our death. Amen.

St. Caspar's Mission Statement

St. Caspar Catholic Church is dedicated to the embodiment of a Christ-centered approach in both our sacramental and service endeavors. We are committed to Christian formation for all our parishioners through education, community involvement, cooperation, and wide-ranging charitable outreach.

**Mass
Intentions
Of The Week**



Monday, September 1

Nothing Scheduled

Tuesday, September 2

8:30 a.m. for teachers

Wednesday, September 3 – St. Gregory the Great

8:30 a.m. Janice Noe

Thursday, September 4

8:30 a.m. for souls in purgatory

Friday, September 5 – St. Teresa of Calcutta

8:30 a.m. for priests & deacons

Saturday, September 6

5 p.m. Bob & Connie Leis

Sunday, September 7 – Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 a.m. for St. Caspar parishioners
10:30 a.m. Kent Walker
1 p.m. Angela Simona Galvan

Saturday, September 6 – 5 p.m.

Greeter: Deb Redlawski
Musicians:
Proclaimer: Alice Allen
Servers:
Comm. Ministers: Judy Mielke, Horst Wudi, Kevin O'Neil
Ushers: Jean LaFountain, Paul Murphy, Steve Sekula, Manley Fernandes

Sunday, September 7 – 8 a.m.

Greeters: Steve & Lisa Pursel
Musicians:
Videographer: Gunner White
Proclaimer: Sue Restivo
Servers:
Comm. Ministers: Sue Creps, Annette Flores, Allison Simon
Ushers: Mel Case, Larry Restivo, Mel Augustyniak, Louis Buckenmeyer, Mike Ott

Sunday, September 7 – 10:30 a.m.

Musicians:
Proclaimer: Ann Flory
Servers: Morgan Raymo
Comm. Minister: Leah Cole, Mike Vasquez
Ushers: Rich Flory, Jim Miller, Mike Vasquez, Tracy Elson

Fulton Manor/Ayden Healthcare-Grace Sanders
Church cleaning this week – Cheryl Kohls
Clean Linens – Ruthann Fry

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Sunday, August 31

10:30 a.m. – Baptism – Church
11:30 a.m. – Baptism – Church
5 p.m. – Spanish Rosary – South Wing

Monday, September 1

Parish Office will be Closed

Thursday, September 4

10:30 a.m. – Bible Study – Abram Room

Friday, September 5

9 a.m.-7 p.m. – Eucharist Adoration – Church
6 p.m. – Spanish Prayer Group – Pope John Room

Sunday, September 7

Religious Education Classes Begin
(Pre-K thru 4th Grade)

4 p.m. – Guadalupe Society – North Wing
5 p.m. – Spanish Rosary – South Wing



**St. Caspar
175 Years**



Average weekly collection needed	\$6,975.00
Collection for August 24	\$7,608.59
94 Sunday envelopes	\$4,450.00
Loose cash	1,013.59
Electronic giving for wk.	2,145.00



Dear St. Caspar Family,

The 175th Anniversary book is at the printer! This updated edition of the St. Caspar Parish history is a significant expansion of past history books. Believe it or not, there are 204 pages and 158 footnotes. Have you ever wondered how the Catholic Church started in the United States? Have you ever wondered about some of the priests who served St. Caspar Parish? These and many more items of history are included in the new edition of our parish history.

Please know, I am looking for special donations/gifts to cover the cost of printing 300 copies of the history book at cost of a little over \$4,900. I would like to offer them for free to all. Special donations/ gifts for this history book will enable us to offer the history book for free. We also have ordered enough copies to have some on-hand for the next 20-25 years when the next history will be written.

Please contact me if you have any questions. The story of St. Caspar Parish is special because we have so much history recorded thanks to past pastors and past Parish Historian Dolores Spieles. Believe me, you will enjoy reading about the story of St. Caspar Parish on the occasion of our 175th Anniversary.

Thank you for your continued generosity in all important,

~Fr. Todd~

P.S. It's nice to not have to ask you for donations for a broken air-conditioner!



Observe First Friday, on September 5 by stopping in for Eucharistic Adoration from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. If you would like to do an hour of prayer, the sign-up sheet is on the table in the vestibule.

A Look In The Past 175 Years In Our Parish

Over the years, the religious education program was handled by our pastors with assistance from laypeople (often including Dolores Spieles) and the Notre Dame Sisters from Napoleon, the Franciscan Sisters of Tiffin, the Dominican Sisters of Adrian, and the Victory Noll Sisters of Huntington, Indiana before transitioning to lay persons as religious education directors.

The Parish Office will be Closed on Monday, September 1 due to Labor Day.

Religious Education Classes Are Starting Soon

This Summer flew by and we are so excited to start another amazing year with our youth!! This year classes will start on Sunday, September 7 (Pre-K thru 4th Grade), and Wednesday, September 10 (5th Grade thru High School). Letters have been mailed with more details.

Gaza Humanitarian Relief Collection

The Most Rev. Timothy P. Broglio, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), has asked for a special collection to provide humanitarian relief to those struggling to survive in Gaza and surrounding areas of the Middle East.

Bishop Daniel E. Thomas invites you to join in helping our brothers and sisters in need. Lifesaving emergency assistance is needed—food, shelter, medical care—and long-term pastoral care and support to help families heal and rebuild their lives and livelihoods.

Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo is collecting and forwarding donations dollar for dollar to Catholic Relief Services (CRS) for this international humanitarian relief effort. You may donate on our secure website:

www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org noting **Gaza Humanitarian Relief** as your donation designation. Or make checks out to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, designating **Gaza Humanitarian Relief**. Please mail checks to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604. Thank you for generously supporting those in need.

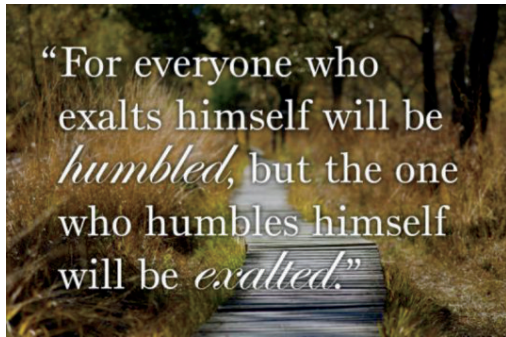


Let's Get Moving!!

The long-awaited Cardio Drumming Class is here! The weekly class is sponsored by the St. Therese Circle and it is FREE to all adults (over 18). It will be Tuesday evenings from 6-7 pm in the Parish Life Center starting on September 30th. And it will run thru May. All you need to bring is a water bottle. Any questions or to sign up, see Judy Becker or call the Parish Office.

September “Word Among Us” Have Arrived!

They are available on the tables in the back of church.



Blood Drive at St. Caspar's

You have a chance to give blood here at the church on Tuesday, September 16, in the Parish Life Center, from 12-6 p.m. To schedule an appointment, call 1-800-REDCROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit Red Cross.org and enter sponsor code: STCASPAR. Walk-ins also are welcome.

Gluten Free Hosts are available here at St. Caspar's. Before Mass, please let Father know you are Gluten Free and have a pix ready with your name on it.

Annual Catholic Appeal 2025

Goal: \$22,200.80
So Far: \$11,537.87
Still Need: \$10,662.93

Hall Coordinator for St. Caspar Church

This person is responsible to promote the use of the Parish Life Center, meet with prospective parties, and make sure that the contract is followed. Other duties include arranging for a paid hall monitor to be present for receptions and similar events in the Parish Life Center, the downstairs hall, or Youth Room. It is essential that this person be both friendly and firm and have the skills necessary to fulfill these duties. It is preferred that this person be an active member of St. Caspar Parish so that he/she is familiar with the values and standards of our parish.

For more details about this job and amount of pay, please contact Kasey at the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions

If you have Mass Intentions for 2026, you can stop by at the Parish Office and schedule. Mass Intentions are \$10 per Mass, cash or check.



Would You Like To Be On Our Prayer Chain List?

Contact Sue Davis at 419-266-6956 or dsdavis1965@gmail.com. Please give her your name and email address and she will add you on the Prayer Chain!

Courage

“The good Lord does not do things by halves; He always gives what we need. Let us then carry on bravely.” [St. Zelig Martin]

OCIA

Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic faith, thinking about joining the church? Our OCIA classes are just getting started. If you would like to join our class or would like more information please contact Barb Bonfert at the office 419-337-2322 #4.

We will be offering classes in English on Wednesday nights at 5:30 p.m. and in Spanish on Sunday mornings at 11:30 a.m. Call soon as registration will close in a few weeks.

Pilgrimage to Poland with Fr. Randy Giesige

Please consider joining Fr. Randy Giesige for a spiritually inspiring **Pilgrimage to Poland** where we will walk in the footsteps of St. John Paul II, St. Faustina Kowalska, and St. Maximilian Kolbe. Besides visiting the many beautiful churches, we will also visit the Auschwitz Concentration Camp, the Wieliczka Salt Mine, explore World War II, and get our fill of the awesome Polish culture and delicious food. The dates of the trip are **May 4, 2026 – May 15, 2026**.

If you are interested, or would like more information, or a brochure and registration form, please contact **Fr. Randy** by phone at **419-863-9555** or by email at rpgiesige@gmail.com. Spaces are limited. There is also an Information Gathering on Wednesday, Sept. 3 at 6:30 p.m. or Monday, Sept. 15 at 6:30 p.m. at Leipsic St. Mary Parish Life Center(320 State St. Leipsic). This will be an opportunity for you to get more information and ask questions. You can register without attending the Information Gatherings by letting Fr. Randy know and filling out the registration form.

St. Caspar Catholic Church presents

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 *175th Anniversary Celebration* 

DRINKS

**LIVE
MUSIC**




FOOD

09.27.2025

***Please join us for an evening full of
German food, drinks, entertainment
and fellowship.***

***St. Caspar Parish Life Center
immediately following 5 o'clock Mass***



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