

A dramatic scene from a cave looking out at a sunlit olive grove. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a strong lens flare and illuminating the scene with a warm, golden light. The cave's interior is dark, with the light from the opening highlighting the rough, textured rock walls and the silhouettes of the trees outside. The ground is covered with large, smooth boulders and patches of green grass and small white flowers. The overall mood is one of hope and renewal.

HE HAS BEEN RAISED  
FROM THE  
DEAD

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Liturgies  For The Week

**Monday, April 6**

*Nothing Scheduled*

**Tuesday, April 7**

*Nothing Scheduled*

**Wednesday, April 8**

8:30 am Donald Davis (1 year)

**Thursday, April 9**

8:30 am Jim Spieles

**Friday, April 10**

8:30 am John Borck (1 month)

**Saturday, April 11**

5 pm Mart & Ed Conway

**Sunday, April 12 – Divine Mercy**

8 am for St. Caspar parishioners

10:30 am Raul Arredondo (1 year)

1 pm for the sick & shut-ins



**Saturday, April 11– 5 pm**

Musicians: Chris Bott & Bert Dieringer  
 Proclaimer: Ann Berry  
 Servers:  
 Comm. Ministers: Barb Sekula, Teresa Schultz  
 Ushers: Jean LaFountain, Paul Murphy, Steve Sekula, Manley Fernandes, Mike Yoder

**Sunday, April 12 – 8 am**

Greeters: Tom & Cindy Savage  
 Musicians: Chris Bott & Kathy Augustyniak  
 Videographer: Gunner White  
 Proclaimer: Sally Kovar  
 Servers: Carter & Vicente Delgado  
 Comm. Ministers: Steve Roth, Al Scheopner  
 Ushers: Mel Case, Larry Restivo, Mel Augustyniak, Louis Buckenmeyer, Mike Ott

**Sunday, April 12 – 10:30 am**

Greeters: Jon & Suzy Osborne  
 Musicians: Chris Bott & Jeremiah Hartman  
 Proclaimer: Sara Brown  
 Servers: Cruz Avina, Lane Schindler, Jesus Arroyo, Morgan Raymo  
 Comm. Minister: Aaron Barajas, Ann Flory, Jake Grime  
 Ushers: Rich Flory, Jim Miller, Mike Vasquez, Tracy Elson

Fulton Manor/Ayden Healthcare-Doug Clark  
 Church cleaning this week – Terry Riggs  
 Clean Linens – Ruthann Fry

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**Sunday, April 5**

5 pm – Spanish Rosary – South Wing

**Tuesday, April 7**

6 pm – Fitness & Fellowship – PLC

**Wednesday, April 8**

5:30 pm – O CIA – Abram Room

7 pm – Men's Group – Pope John Room

**Thursday, April 9**

*Parish Office will be Closed*

10:30 am – Bible Study – South Wing

**Friday, April 10**

6 pm – Spanish Prayer Group – Pope John Room

**Sunday, April 12**

10:30 am – Confirmation Mass

5 pm – Spanish Rosary – South Wing

**Office Information**

Church Phone: 419-337-2322  
 Fr. Todd's Phone: 419-335-3656  
 Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.,  
 1:30-4:30 p.m.  
 Church Website: [www.stcaspar.org](http://www.stcaspar.org)



**Would You Like To Be On Our Prayer Chain List?**

Contact Sue Davis at 419-266-6956 or [dsdavis1965@gmail.com](mailto:dsdavis1965@gmail.com). Please give her your name and email address and she

will add you on the Prayer Chain!



**CHURCH SUPPORT**

<u>Average weekly collection needed</u>	\$7,975.00
<u>Collection for March 29</u>	\$6,590.76
116 Sunday envelopes	\$4,598.00
Loose cash	1,327.76
Electronic giving for wk.	665.00

### 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.



**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.



### Is God Nudging You to Use Your Talent/Gift?



Our parish is desperately short of guitarists and vocalists for weekend Masses. Some of our musicians have been serving our parish for over 40+ and 26+ years. Although they enjoy serving their parish, they'd like to cut back a little.

Please pray about whether God wants you to use the musical gift he's given you for your parish. Your helping at just one Mass a month would be deeply appreciated. Practice is just prior to the Mass.

If you'd like to know more, please contact Sue Dieringer (419-335-1601) or Leon Smith (419-445-2885). Thank you for considering this need.



### Download Our Parish App!

Our St. Caspar app is available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more.

Help foster a stronger parish life at St. Caspar and better engage the New Evangelization.

Download our app today at [myparishapp.com](http://myparishapp.com) or search your phone's app store for myparish.

### 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal

Goal: \$24,113.09

So Far: \$4,849.06

Still Need: \$19,264.03

### The Jelly Bean Prayer

**RED** is for the blood He gave.

**GREEN** is for the grass He made.

**YELLOW** is for the sun so bright.

**ORANGE** is for the edge of night.

**BLUE** is for the sins we made.

**WHITE** is for the grace He gave.

**PURPLE** is for His hour of sorrow.

**PINK** is for our new tomorrow.

A bag full of jelly beans colorful and sweet, is a prayer, is a promise, is a special treat.

### A Thank You from St. Therese Circle

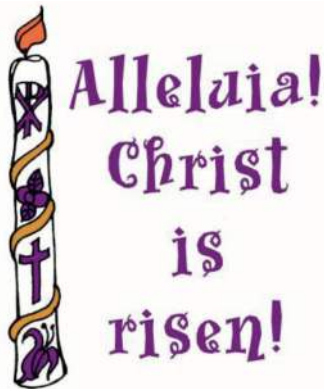
Thank you for making the St. Therese Spring Fundraiser such a wonderful success. We are truly grateful for the generous donations to both our jewelry sale and basket sale.

We also extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who attended and supported the event. Your kindness and participation make a meaningful difference.

Because of you, we are able to continue our mission of beautification of the grounds surrounding St. Caspar's Shrine and Prayer Garden.

~St. Therese Circle Members~

The Parish Office Will Be Closed on Thursday, April 9.



**Rest in Peace**

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



Lee Shields  
1/25/1933 – 3/25/2026

**Learning To Trust God**

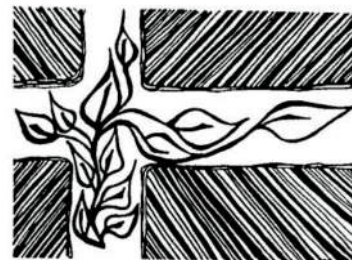
There is one lesson in particular which I learn over and over again. It is the truth that I cannot control the difficulties of my life all by myself. Usually my anxiety level has to reach an intense level before I admit to this reality. Each time I relearn how necessary it is to throw myself into the arms of God, I promise myself that I won't forget again. But somehow I always do. I guess it's part of being human.

Easter is a wonderful reminder that we cannot get out of our troubles and our tombs all by ourselves. Even Jesus did not overcome his great obstacles alone. Jesus did not just rise up from the tomb by his own efforts. "God raised this Jesus" to new life, The Acts of the Apostles tells us. It was the surrender of Jesus, heard so poignantly on the cross, that went with him into the tomb.

The Easter story assures us that we need God's guidance and strength and we need to let go of our own efforts to try to control life by ourselves. Let us place our hand in God's hand, and trust that God can raise us from our dead places just as Jesus was raised to new life.

**Winter Cemetery Decorations**

Any winter decorations at the cemetery need to be removed by April 11.



**The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen**

Let no one think he can be totally indifferent to God in this life and suddenly develop a capacity for Him at the moment of death.

**Serving Others**

"Nothing seems tiresome or painful when you are working for a Master who pays well; who rewards even a cup of cold water given for love of Him."

[St. Dominic Savio]



**Legend of the Easter Egg**

One tells that Simon of Cyrene, who carried Christ's cross, was an egg merchant. When he returned from

Calvary to his basket of produce, which he had left by the roadside, he found all the eggs miraculously colored and adorned.

**Song of Easter**

Easter lilies! Can you hear? What they whisper, low and clear? In dewy fragrance they unfold their splendor sweet, their snow and gold. Every beauty-breathing bell, news of heaven has to tell. Listen to their mystic voice, hear, O mortal, and rejoice! Hark, their soft and heavenly chime! Christ is risen for all time!



## **Diocese of Toledo Announces Three New Initiatives to Restore and Enhance Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral**

Following upon the success of the diocesan-wide *Living Christ* capital campaign and the extraordinary generosity of so many donors, the Diocese of Toledo is excited to announce three new initiatives to restore and enhance the mother church of the Catholic diocese, Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral, located on Collingwood Blvd in Toledo. Work is now able to begin on three major projects that, while complementary, are unique in themselves, each planned to come to fruition in the near future.

The first project is the addition of the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary, to be depicted on the five vaults of the ceiling of the Cathedral Narthex (vestibule). The addition of the five Luminous Mysteries, given to the Church by Pope John Paul II in 2002, completes the depiction of all 20 of the Mysteries of the Rosary at Rosary Cathedral, including the already existing Joyful, Sorrowful, and Glorious Mysteries.

The second project concentrates on the interior of the Cathedral, restoring its theological, artistic and architectural integrity. This will include the rearrangement of several integral elements including restoring the baptismal font to its original location in the baptistry; restoring the current free-standing altar to its original location under the baldacchino; restoring the tabernacle to its original location under the baldacchino; introducing a new free-standing altar in front of the baldacchino; refurbishing and restoring the original Cathedra to its original position; and, enhancing the lighting throughout the Cathedral.

According to Reverend Nathan Bockrath, the Cathedral's rector, "There are multiple motivations for these changes with the overall goal of maintaining and enhancing our Cathedral as a worthy space to celebrate the Sacraments, to lift minds and hearts in prayer and to offer fitting worship to our Lord."

The third project is to install air conditioning throughout the Cathedral which has long been a hoped-for addition. It is important to maintain a controlled temperature and environment to preserve the art and the recently restored historic Skinner organ, and to provide for the comfort of worshippers.

Thanks to the great generosity of the faithful, all of these projects together will ensure that the Cathedral continue to serve our local church far into the future, continue to be a beacon of beauty and light for the community, and continue to inspire faith, hope and charity.




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*You are in our hearts always.*

Michael Potter & Carolyn Meiring  
*Miss you both.*

Judy Miller  
*Love you all*

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