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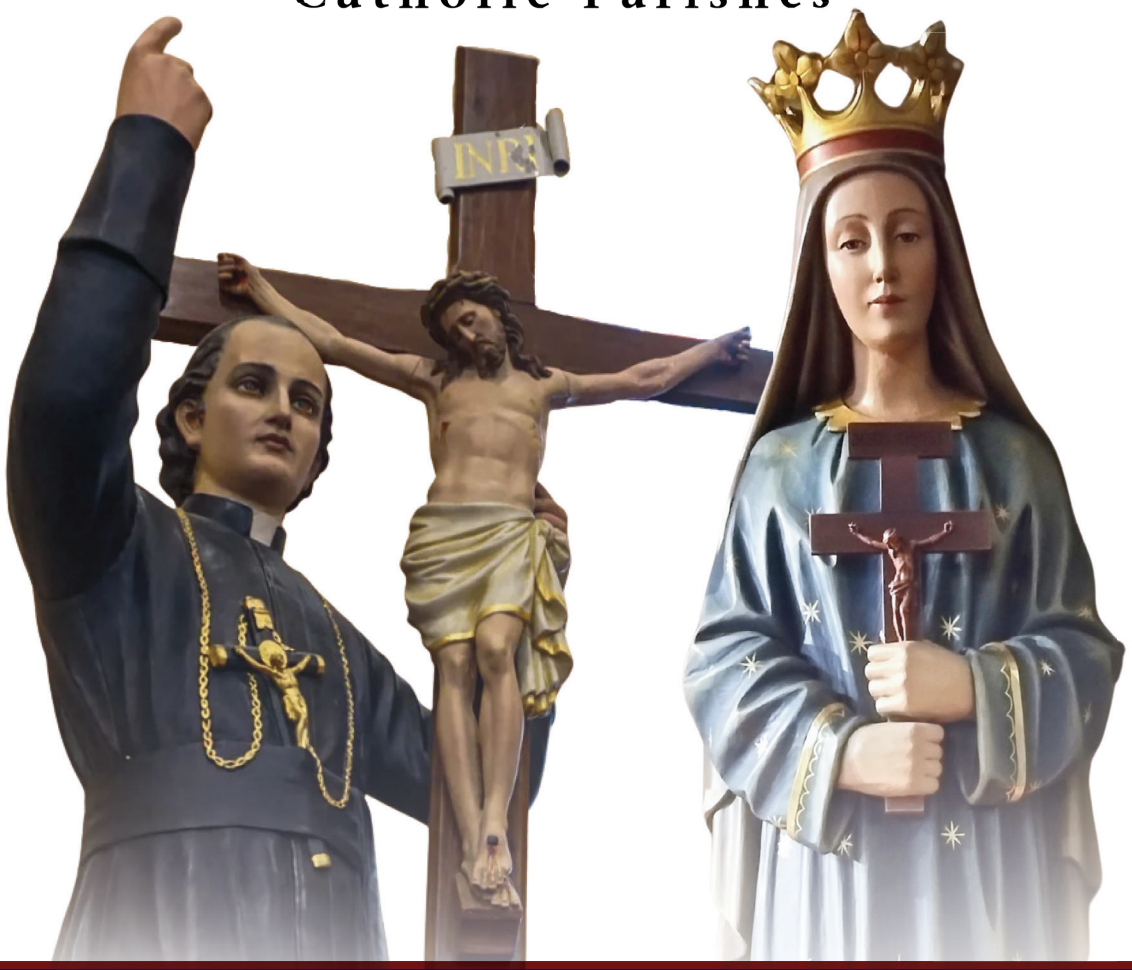

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## WEEKEND MASSES:

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|---|---|---|
| Saturday | 4:00 p.m. | At Our Lady of Hope (May thru October)<br>At St. Gaspar (November thru April) |
| Sunday: | 8:00 a.m. | At St. Gaspar |
| | 10:00 a.m. | At Our Lady of Hope |

## RECONCILIATION:

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| Saturday: | 3:00 p.m. | At Our Lady of Hope (May thru October)<br>At St. Gaspar (November thru April) |

Or by appointment

## DAILY MASSES:

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|---|---|---|
| Tuesday: | 5:30 p.m. | At St. Gaspar |
| Wednesday: | 8:00 a.m. | At Our Lady of Hope |
| Thursday: | 8:00 a.m. | At Our Lady of Hope |
| Friday: | 8:00 a.m. | At St. Gaspar |
| Saturday: | 8:00 a.m. | At Our Lady of Hope (1st Saturday only) |

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**Office Hours**
**OLH –** Monday, Wednesday, Friday
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
**St. Gaspar –** Tuesday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

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**Bulletin Deadline: Monday at Noon**

# A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

Fr. Ron Schock will be celebrating this week's weekday Masses at Our Lady of Hope and St. Gaspar. Thank you Fr. Ron!

Also, please see the following letter from Dave Vacheresse of Annunciation Radio, regarding their Fall Sharathon next week. Thank you for your incredible generosity and support to keep Catholic Radio on the airwaves, proclaiming the gospel to all.

Yours in Christ
Fr. Joseph

**Mark Your Calendars for Annunciation Radio's Fall Sharathon!**

Annunciation Radio's upcoming Fall Sharathon runs from Tuesday, November 17 through Friday, November 20. Guided by our theme, "Anchored in Faith. Set free through Forgiveness," this vital event helps us raise the operating support we need to cover expenses for the next six months.

Throughout the week, we are blessed to welcome over 30 of our pastors, who will join us on the air for engaging conversation and help with our fundraising efforts. We are also honored to have our own Bishop Daniel E. Thomas join us on the air.

I am excited to share that Fr. Joseph will join us live on the air on Wednesday, November 18, from 2:30-3:00 p.m.!

During Father's time on the air, he will thank the 82 of you who filled out pledge cards during my weekend visit, totaling a very generous $7,310.00! Add the $5,000.00 matching pledge, and your overall parish gift to Annunciation Radio's Sharathon totals an incredible $12,310.00!!!

Thank you, thank you, thank you!

God bless,
Dave Vacheresse, President

Diocese of Toledo Featured Seminarian of the Week

## DECLAN REIMER



Mount Saint Mary's Seminary Pastoral Internship Year

**Favorite Scripture:** Galatians 2:20

**How I Relax:** Basketball, drinking Waterloos

**Favorite Food:** Steak, Burgers, Breakfast Food

**Favorite Saint:** St. Pio of Pietrelcina because of his dedication to the confessional and willingness to suffer for others.

**Please pray for our Seminarians and more priestly Vocations!**

**A Prayer for Seminarians**

*Father, thank You for the generosity of our seminarians. Safeguard them as they prepare for the priesthood. Keep all evil far from them, so they may become strong Christian men who are faithful to prayer, diligent in their studies, open to spiritual direction, and docile to all aspects of seminary formation. Above all, enflame their hearts with love so they will be ardent and gentle shepherds for Your Church. We make this prayer through the great High Priest, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. St. Charles Borromeo, patron of seminarians, pray for us.*

## Votive Light by Our Lady – November 8-14, 2026

| St. Gaspar | Our Lady of Hope |
|---|---|
| **Rest in Peace James Krause.** | **For the parents of those considering a priestly vocation.** |

**Sunday Breakfast** November 8, 8:00-11:00 a.m. at Bismark Senior/ Community Center, 5582 Bismark Road, Bellevue. Menu: ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, home fries, sausage gravy & biscuits, pancakes, waffles, drinks, desserts. There will also be a 50/50 drawing and donations for the food bank will be accepted.







**Our Lady of Hope Sunday Social**
November's Social will be hosted by our catechists. Everyone is invited to the Social Hall following the 10:00 a.m. Mass on November 15 for good food and fellowship with family, friends and fellow parishioners.

**Youth Worship Night**
Sunday, November 15, approximately 7:20-9:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 104 W. Broadway Street, Maumee. For youth in Grades 7-12. The evening will include Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, a reflection from Fr. Chris Turner, Praise & Worship led by Liam Brown, Prayer ministry with the Charity on Fire missionaries, and Fr. Ken McKenna from Camp DeSales will also be joining us!

**Let God Inspire You to Live a Life of No Regrets**
Monday, November 16, 6:30-8:00 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Church, 414 Madison Street, Port Clinton. In 2003, Robert Rogers experienced a tragedy of Biblical proportions that completely changed his life. Through his immediate trust in God, Robert has risen above adversity and is now an accomplished worship leader, pianist, songwriter, and author who inspires others to live a life of no regrets!

**Baked Steak Dinner**
Sunday, November 22, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. (or sold out) at Attica K of C Hall, 111 Heyman Drive. Dinners are $13.00 and will include Baked Steak with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Dinner Roll and Dessert. Dine-in and Drive-thru available. Sponsored by Seven Saints K of C.

**Bloomville Community Blood Drive**
Thursday, December 3 at the Bloomville Community Center. Sponsored by the Bloomville Lions Club.

**Seven Saints K of C November Youth Drawing Winners**
Shawna Eisenhart, Mike Stockmaster, Barb Miller, Jenny Adelsperger, Pat Scherley

**The Attica Community Food Pantry** is extremely grateful for the thoughtful donations from the parish and community, allowing us to serve families in the area. Throughout November, items that are extraordinarily helpful include spaghetti sauce (cans only), boxed stuffing, sweet potatoes/ yams, cereal, and ketchup. Monetary donations may be sent to Attica Food Pantry, C/O Roxie Bates, P.O. Box 282, Attica. If you have any questions, please contact us at 567-224-6867 or email, atticafoodpantry@gmail.com. Many thanks for your support.

OUR LADY of HOPE Catholic Parish
# OCTOBER Fest

**A Big Thank-You** goes out to all volunteers and donors. What a great group of people we have in our parish, community and surrounding areas. Thank you all!

**Please Support** the following businesses and organizations who donated to this year's Octoberfest: Ballreich's, Carousel Creations, Choice Lawn Care, Enders' Maple Treats, Haven Beauty Co, Healing Touch Massage & Wellness, Lindsey-Shook Funeral Home, Seneca East Cross Country, Stella Rose Beauty Salon, Sweet Smitty's, The Hub, Tiffin Hampton Inn, Uncle Dudley's Restaurant, Wendy's, and Wise Siding.

**Octoberfest Success**
When the Octoberfest expanded to the outdoors, one of the goals was for children and adults of our parish and communities to come together and enjoy fellowship and fun with each other at Our Lady of Hope. The Lord blessed us with acceptable weather and with 885 game tickets redeemed, many came and had fun. This year, attendees also had the opportunity to Plunge the Pastor and Dunk the Deacon. In addition to much participation in all the games and activities, there were over 400 meals served from the social hall kitchen as well as lots of delicious food outside. Great job to everyone (organizers, workers and those who donated items) who helped make this happen.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

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|---|---|---|
| Monday, November 9 | *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica* | Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22 |
| Tuesday, November 10 | *Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church* | Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Lk 17:7-10 |
| **5:30 p.m.** | **Mass – Virginia & Herman Missler; Agnes Depinet (St. G)** | |
| Wednesday, November 11 | *Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop* | Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19 |
| **8:00 a.m.** | **Mass – Living & Deceased Members of the Art Hosang Family and Dave Hafner (OLH)** | |
| Thursday, November 12 | *Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr* | Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25 |
| **8:00 a.m.** | **Mass – Living & Deceased Members of the Raymond & Joan Miller Family (OLH)** | |
| Friday, November 13 | *Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin* | 2 Jn 4-9; Lk 17:26-37 |
| **8:00 a.m.** | **Mass – Gregg A. Miller (St. G)** | |
| Saturday, November 14 | *Weekday* | 3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8 |
| | *Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time* | Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 |
| **4:00 p.m.** | **Mass – Barb & Leroy Miller Family, Ken Lutz (St. G)** | |
| Sunday, November 15 | *Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time* | Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 |
| **8:00 a.m.** | **Mass – Allen Missler; August Stacklin (St. G)** | |
| **10:00 a.m.** | **Mass – Marvin Bumb (OLH)** | |
| | *Children's Liturgy for children through 2nd grade during the 10:00 a.m. Mass* | |

**PSR NEWS**

**St. Gaspar –** Wednesday, November 11, 6:15 p.m. – Class

**Our Lady of Hope –** Wednesday, November 11, 6:15 p.m. – Class

**Online Giving** is available at St. Gaspar Parish and Our Lady of Hope Parish. Here are the simple steps to follow:

1. Go to either stgaspar.com or ourladyofhopeattica.com
2. Scroll down and select your parish's yellow button **Donate St. Gaspar** or **Donate Our Lady of Hope**
3. Follow the steps shown there to make your one-time or recurring donation.

## OUR LADY OF HOPE OCTOBERFEST REPORT

| Activity | 2026 Net | 2025 Net | 2024 Net | 2023 Net | 2022 Net | 2021 Net |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Raffle | 2,446.00 | 2,843.00 | 2,751.00 | 2,521.00 | 3,519.88 | 3,813.40 |
| Dinner | 4,476.82 | 4,560.53 | 4,009.69 | 4,756.78 | 4,573.56 | 4,281.78 |
| Bake Sale | 434.00 | 419.00 | 431.00 | 506.00 | 338.00 | 345.00 |
| 50/50 | 190.00 | 172.00 | 181.00 | 172.00 | 197.00 | 164.00 |
| Food Stand | 550.02 | 619.01 | 638.31 | 743.76 | 525.07 | 476.38 |
| Games & Activities | 468.77 | 514.50 | 576.55 | 482.00 | 610.00 | 584.00 |
| Silent Auction/Super Raffle* | 2,531.00 | 1,582.50 | 2,352.00 | 1,347.00 | 2,651.00 | 1,766.00 |
| Cash Donations | 420.00 | 70.00 | 150.00 | 674.00 | 0.00 | 110.ww50 |
| Misc/Rental/Electrical | -100.00 | -100.00 | 0.00 | -34.51 | -37.28 | -107.74 |
| Totals | **11,416.61** | **10,680.54** | **11,089.55** | **11,168.03** | **12,377.23** | **11,433.32** |

*Super Raffle 2023




**Welcome to any guests or family members who may be visiting our parish family this weekend! May your visit be blessed!**

## ST. GASPAR Catholic Parish

### Ministry Schedule

**Saturday, November 14, 4:00 p.m.**

**Greeters:** Brett & Hunter Martin

**Minister of the Word:** Steve Dendinger

**Extraordinary Ministers:** Tammy Daniel, Amy Ferres, Brett Martin

**Servers:** Jayden Johnson, Oliver & Logan Reed

**Ushers:** Brett & Hunter Martin, Tammy Daniel, Kathi Miller

**Sunday, November 15, 8:00 a.m.**

**Greeters:** Holly, Jon & Mason Weichel

**Minister of the Word:** Dawn Reichert

**Extraordinary Ministers:** Joanne & Dick Bernard, Cory Mull

**Servers:** Jackson & Olivia Schoen, Charlotte Miller

**Ushers:** Holly, Jon & Mason Weichel, Joe Daniel

## St. Gaspar Parish Support

**November 1, 2026**

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|---|---|---|
| OFFERTORY | $ | 8,065.00 |
| WEEKLY BUDGET | $ | 2,750.00 |
| OVER (UNDER) | $ | 5,315.00 |
| YEAR-TO-DATE OVER (UNDER) | $ | 7,000.00 |
| MAINTENANCE | $ | 1,360.00 |
| CHILDREN | $ | 5.00 |
| ONLINE GIVING – ALL FUNDS | $ | 375.00 |

**Fish & Loaves Food Pantry** is requesting donations of Canned Soups for the month of November. Always needed are personal items.

**Pass It On Clothing Closet** accepts fall/winter clothing September 1-April 1 and spring/summer clothing April 1-September 1. Their wish list for the month of November is Children's Socks.

*The box for both organizations is located in the St. Gaspar Church entrance year-round.*

**St. Gaspar Rosary Altar Meeting**

Monday, November 9, at 6:00 p.m. in the parish office.
Ladies, please join us and help finalize plans for our Feather Party!




May the gentle and merciful heart of Jesus grant eternal rest to James A. Krause. May his family and friends find comfort and peace with God's healing grace.



***Welcome to the Newly Baptized***

**Beverly Joanne Bernard**

daughter of Ryan & Sarah Bowerman



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## OUR LADY of HOPE Catholic Parish

### Ministry Schedule

**Monday, November 9, 9:00 a.m.**

Geri Bordner, Judy Daniel

**Sunday, November 15, 10:00 a.m.**

**Hospitality:** Craig & Kris Hahler

**Minister of the Word:** Megan Diehm

**Extraordinary Ministers:** Ashley Mackowiak, Jake Bowerman, Deb Briggs, Kay Fox, Craig Hahler

**Servers:** Anderson Mennel, Kelsey Miller, Alex Shenefield

**Children's Liturgy:** Doris Lambert, Alsatia Mennel

## Our Lady of Hope Parish Support

**November 1, 2026**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| OFFERTORY | $ | 3,456.00 |
| WEEKLY BUDGET | $ | 2,750.00 |
| OVER (UNDER) | $ | 706.00 |
| YEAR-TO-DATE OVER (UNDER) | $ | 5,317.00 |
| MAINTENANCE | $ | 445.00 |
| CHILDREN | $ | 85.00 |
| ONLINE GIVING – ALL FUNDS | $ | 443.00 |

**Our Lady of Hope Ladies**

Please mark your calendar. Pumpkin Roll baking dates:
Mondays – November 9, 16 at 4:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 12 at 9:00 a.m.
All ladies of the parish are invited to join on any or all the dates!

**Our Lady of Hope Rosary Altar Meeting**

Monday, November 9, at 7:00 p.m.
All ladies are invited to attend.

**OCIA**

Thursday, November 12, 6:00 p.m. in the Our Lady of Hope Rectory Basement. Topic: Scripture with presenter Steve Miller.

**Cemetery Clean Up**



If you haven't already, it is time to clear all summer and fall decorations. Please help keep our cemeteries looking nice by removing old decorations from your loved one's gravesite. Winter decorations can be applied November 10.

**It's Pumpkin Roll Time!**

Our Lady of Hope Rosary Altar Society will be selling delicious homemade pumpkin rolls. The cost is $15.00 for a whole roll or $8.00 for half. Nothing tastes better than homemade!! You may sign up in Our Lady of Hope vestibule or call the parish office at 419-426-3043 to place your order by November 13. Pickup will be on November 22. Early pickup is available upon request. Thank you for your support!!

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