

June 22, 2025, Corpus Christi Sunday



SAINT GASPAR

FAMILY OF PARISHES

Our Vision Statement

We will be a vibrant, worshipping, sacrificial Catholic family who loves God and sees dignity in all humanity.
As we are fed by the Eucharist and strengthened by the Holy Spirit, we will grow in our relationship with Jesus and serve those in our community.

Emmanuel

149 Franklin Street
Dayton, OH 45402
937.228.2013

Holy Trinity

272 Bainbridge Street
Dayton, OH 45402
937.228.1223

Precious Blood

4961 Salem Avenue
Dayton, OH 45416
937.276.5954

Saint Joseph

411 East Second Street
Dayton, OH 45402
937.228.9272

Saint Paul

1000 W. Wenger Road
Englewood, OH 45322
937.836.7535

Saint Rita

5401 N. Main Street
Dayton, OH 45415
937.278.5815





St. Gaspar Family of Parishes

Served by the Missionaries of the Precious Blood

Pastor, Fr. Anthony Fortman, C.P.P.S., Parochial Vicar, Fr. Seraphine Lesiriam, C.P.P.S.,
Parochial Vicar Fr. Jim "Santiago" Gaynor, C.P.P.S.

Staff Reflection

Living our Eucharistic Unity in Faith

By Matt Ruttle

"We, though many, are one Body in Christ and Individually parts of one another."

(St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 12:5)

On this Corpus Christi Sunday, our Encounter, Unity, Faith Formation, and Communication Implementation Teams wish to offer a united and fervent witness to the "source and summit of our Catholic Faith" – the Holy Eucharist. Together as the united St. Gaspar Family of Parishes, we joyfully proclaim our belief in the Real Presence of the Sacred Body and Blood of our beloved Lord, Jesus Christ at all of our celebrations of the Mass. We believe – and so we act – as Christians. We become what we consume in the Holy Eucharist. Credo. Yes, we truly believe! Alleluia! Alleluia!

But, in light of our ongoing joining together as one Parish Family, we propose a more vivid, intense, and spiritually deeper appreciation and understanding of the Holy Eucharist.

To paraphrase St. Paul's quote at the beginning of this article, we are ONE Body in Christ – and as individual Christian believers parts of one another.

We are truly Christ's Body, united in communion with the Holy Eucharist. If one member suffers – all suffer with them. If one member rejoices – all rejoice with them. No person, no group in our Parish Family is left out or sent away. For we believe that Christ lovingly embraces us all – in His One Body. The Holy Spirit nudges us to unite with one another in love, gentleness, mercy, forgiveness, and blessing. Our Risen Lord, Jesus, joyfully and persistently calls us to this Unity and Peace, as His One Body. We respond to His call and follow!

Come, O Holy Spirit, come --- open our hearts, our souls and our minds to this glorious and joy-filled vision of our St. Gaspar Family of Parishes—together walking toward "the new and heavenly City of Jerusalem"! Amen! Amen!

Matt Ruttle

Director of Love in Action

Welcome

Newly Registered

@St. Joseph

Welcome to our newly registered members:
Colin Fricker & Emily Huff

May you feel at home here and find in this community a place of peace, friendship, and spiritual renewal. Welcome home, and may God bless you always.



Photo of the Week

Deacon Rusty Baldwin is pictured with students bringing up the gifts at the closing Mass for Vacation Bible School at Emmanuel. Scan the QR code to view the photos.



Mass Times & Intentions

Monday, June 23, 2025

7:30 am **Holy Trinity** Celebrant's Intention
 8:30 am **Precious Blood** †Renee Nussman
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Ruth Hohne

Tuesday, June 24, 2025

7:30 am **Holy Trinity** Celebrant's Intention
 8:30 am **St. Rita** Liv/Dec members of the Ridenour Family
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** Fr. Angelo's Ordination Anniversary

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

7:30 am **Emmanuel** †Matilda Smargiassi
 8:30 am **St. Paul** †Kin Wan
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Fran Franchina

Thursday, June 26, 2025

7:30 am **Emmanuel** Intentions of Adam Demeter
 8:30 am **St. Paul** †Gene Carver
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** Jim & Kathy Pettit's Wedding Anniversary

Friday, June 27, 2025

7:30 am **Emmanuel** For the return to the faith for our prodigal children
 8:30 am **Precious Blood** †Dec. members of the R.E. Keaney Family
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** Liv/Dec Members of the James & Evelyn McCarthy family

Saturday, June 28, 2025

7:30 am **Emmanuel** †Mary Ann Robinson
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** Davidson Family
 4:30 pm **St. Joseph** †David Wahle
 4:30 pm **St. Paul** †Tom & Juanita Schlorman
 5:00 pm **Emmanuel** For our Parishioners

Sunday, June 29, 2025

8:30 am **Holy Trinity** †Winifred Ferguson
 8:30 am **Precious Blood** †Rhonda Back
 8:30 am **St. Rita** For our Parishioners
 10:30 am **Emmanuel** Int. of Sr. John Magdalene
 10:30 am **St. Joseph** For our Parishioners
 10:30 am **St. Paul** For our Parishioners

Confession Schedule

Monday Saturday

11:30-11:50 am | St. Joseph

Saturday

4:00-4:45 pm | Emmanuel

4:00-4:20 pm | St. Joseph

3:30-4:20 pm | St. Paul

Sunday

8:00-8:25 am | Holy Trinity

Requesting a Mass to be offered

A Mass Intention can be requested for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Mass intentions for 2025 can be scheduled by calling your parish office.



Scripture Readings

For the Week of June 22, 2025

Monday	Gen 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22; Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday	Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
Wednesday	Gen 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 7:15-20
Thursday	Gen 16:1-12, 15-16 or Gen 16:6b-12, 15-16; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 7:21-29
Friday	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
Saturday	Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Gen 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55; Mt 8:5-17
Sunday	The Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19 Mass during the Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Pray For Our Men and Women in the Military

Yves Benihana	Nicholas Kern
Michael Borgert	Morgan Konsdorf
Nicholas Butler	Connor "Bakir" Magill
John Carner	Greg Marcus
Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles	Brittany Maurer
Jon Chachula	Zachary McIntyre
Laura Chachula	David Musgrove
Eric Justin Dino	Diane Nyirasimbi
Eric Raymond Dino	Anthony Pelfrey
Caleb Fowler	Gage Plasenthal
Jacob Gutwein	Matt Shulten
Christopher Harman	Luis Torres
George Hinton	Susan Varmuza
Ryan Hulsman	Justin Williams

Parish Calendar

Monday, June 23, 2025

God's Garden Work Day

7:00-8:30 pm · St. Paul/Garden

Tuesday, June 24, 2025

No public events

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

Lunch with the Lord (join at any time)

11:45 am-1:00 pm · Holy Trinity/Rectory

Senior Program and Lunch

Noon -2:00 pm · St. Paul/Mtg. Room

Thursday, June 26, 2025

God's Garden Work Day

9:00-10:30 am · St. Paul/Garden

Friday, June 27, 2025

Friday Hour

9:00-11:00 am · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

Saturday, June 28, 2025

No Public Events

Sunday, June 29, 2025

No Public Events

Holiday Hours

Friday, July 4

Parish offices will be closed on Friday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day.

Coming Up

Missionary Coop Appeal

August 2 & 3, 2025

Glenmary Sisters

Precious Blood · St. Paul · St. Rita

August 23 & 24, 2025

Diocese of Tanga

Emmanuel · Holy Trinity · St. Joseph

Family of Parishes Picnic

Sunday, August 10

Family of Parishes Ministry Fair

Sunday, August 24

St. Joseph Street Party

Sunday, September 28

Coming Up



Peter's Pence Collection June 29

Throughout centuries of history, Catholics have supported the Church's mission of evangelization and charity by giving to the annual Peter's Pence Collection. This collection, which began as a way for Catholics around the world to express their unity with the Pope, continues to the present day.

This tangible expression of unity with Pope Francis has a dual purpose as set by the Holy See: "(1) To support the Holy Father's mission, which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, and brotherhood among peoples: thanks also to the many activities of service carried out by the dicasteries, bodies and organs of the Holy See that assist him every day; and (2) To support the numerous charitable works in aid of people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development." For more information on Peter's Pence, please visit the Vatican's Peter's Pence website:

www.obolodisanpietro.valen.html.



Fr. Angelo Anthony Celebrates His Ordination Anniversary

Tuesday, June 24

On the anniversary of your ordination, we give thanks for your faithful service, your compassionate heart, and your dedication to God's people.

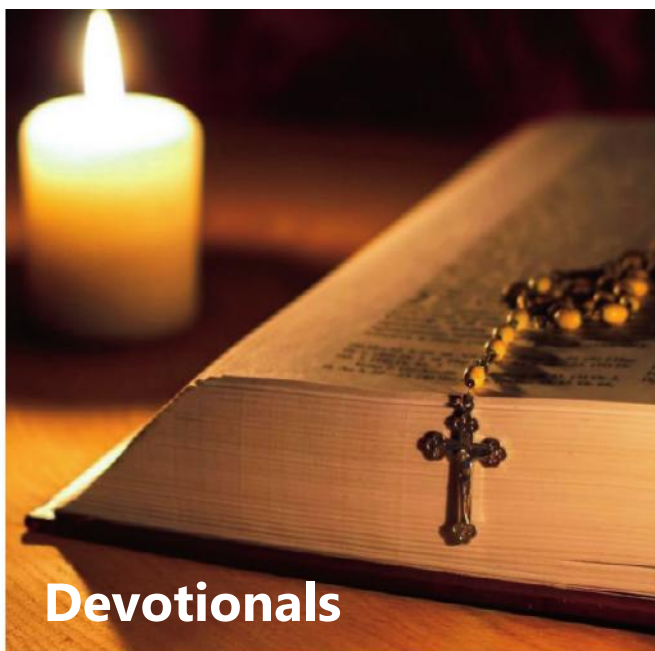
Church Spotlight

New High Altar Approved and Nearing Arrival

@St. Paul

We are overjoyed to share a meaningful milestone in our ongoing journey to renew and uplift our sacred space at St. Paul. The new high altar—graciously made possible through a heartfelt and generous gift—has now received official approval from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. With the final artistic touches completed, the altar is nearly ready to begin its journey home to St. Paul. As part of this blessed endeavor, we are honored to announce that the tabernacle will be reverently returned to the center of the sanctuary. This restoration will once again place the Eucharist at the heart of our worship, reaffirming the sacred traditions that guide our faith. We extend our deepest gratitude to all who have offered their prayers, encouragement, and support throughout this project. Your generosity and spiritual commitment are what make these transformations possible.

There will be continued opportunities to support the beautification and renewal of our worship space. If you feel called to contribute to this sacred work, please don't hesitate to contact the parish office at 937-836-7535.



Devotionals

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday

11:30 am -12:30 pm · St. Rita

Tuesday

7:00-8:00 pm · Emmanuel | *Doors open at 6:00 pm*

Benediction and Adoration

First Thursday of the Month

6:00-7:30 pm · St. Paul

Third Sunday of the Month

9:45 am · Holy Trinity

Pray the Rosary

Monday-Saturday

12:45 pm · St. Joseph (after the Noon Mass)

Saturday

4:30 pm · Emmanuel (before 5:00 pm Mass)

Sunday

7:55 am · St. Rita (before 8:30 am Mass)

8:00 am · Precious Blood (before 8:30 am Mass)

10:00 am · Emmanuel (before 10:30 am Mass)

10:00 am · St. Joseph (before 10:30 am Mass)

10:00 am · St. Paul (before 10:30 am Mass)

The Knights of Columbus will lead the rosary before Mass at Holy Trinity on the first Sunday of the month at 8:00 am.



Stories of Service from El Salvador With Fr. Jim Gaynor and Tom Sorna

@St. Paul, Sunday, June 29 | after 10:30 am Mass

Come One, Come All — Experience the Heart of El Salvador!

Join us at St. Paul on Sunday, June 29, right after the 10:30 am Mass, for a heartfelt gathering with Father Santiago and Tom Sorna, who recently returned from a powerful two-week mission in Teotepeque, El Salvador.

They served the Catholic community at Saint Peter the Apostle parish, which includes 23 churches spread across a vast region. From celebrating three Masses a day to fixing plumbing and electrical issues in homes and churches, their journey was one of deep service and connection.

Now, they'd love to share their stories, photos, and reflections — and thank the many generous supporters from our wider St. Gaspar Family of Parishes and beyond. Enjoy a taste of El Salvador, meet new friends, and be inspired by what faith in action truly looks like.

All are welcome — from every parish and every corner of the city. All are welcome to join us for a glimpse into the joy and resilience of the Salvadoran people.

Guests are invited to bring a dessert or side dish to share, we will provide fried chicken, potato salad and drinks.



You don't need to attend the 10:30 am Mass at St. Paul to join us — just bring your curiosity, appetite, and love for community! The presentation will begin around 12:00 pm, allowing travel time if you are coming from another parish.



Trinity Sunday

Thank you

We gathered in faith

Holy Trinity Church would like to thank everyone who helped, contributed and attended this year's Trinity Sunday Celebration! It looked a little different than in the past, but was a great success. The weather cooperated, the food and beverages were wonderful and the games and music were all a hit.

Raffle Winners

We'd like to also congratulate Gerald Braun, the Grand Prize winner as well as Rick Iannarino, the 2nd Prize winner!

Looking Ahead

We look forward next year's St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Unity Event - Holy Trinity Sunday Celebration on May 31, 2026. Hope to see you then!

Our next Unity Event is our All Family Parish Picnic at St. Paul on August 10. Look for opportunities to volunteer and get involved in the near future. More information can be found on page 8.





The Dayton Area Harp Ensemble Returns to Precious Blood Church

Sunday, July 20, 3:00 pm

We are thrilled to welcome back the Dayton Area Harp Ensemble (DAHE) to Precious Blood Church as they celebrate an incredible 45th Anniversary!

DAHE is the oldest and largest harp ensemble in the region, delighting audiences across the Miami Valley and beyond. Their performances blend the rich sounds of Celtic and pedal harps with violin, flute, viola, cello, and percussion, creating an unforgettable musical experience.

Founded by the late Joan Seymour and now led by professional harpist Bobbie Strobhar, DAHE continues to honor Joan's legacy through hundreds of performances ranging from classical and pop to sacred and Celtic traditions.

- Experience the rare beauty of a full harp ensemble with a rich blend of instruments and musical styles.
- Celebrate a milestone 45th Anniversary with a group that has touched hearts for decades.
- Enjoy an evening of uplifting, soul-stirring music in a beautiful setting.

Whether you're a long-time fan or a first-time guest, this is a concert that promises inspiration, reflection, and joy.

Come celebrate the legacy. Experience the music. Feel the harmony.

We can't wait to see you there!



Notes from Emmanuel's Choir Loft

From Music Director Michelle Carner

Today's offertory hymn, "Come, Risen Lord, and Deign to Be Our Guest," is of relatively recent origin. The music was composed by an American, Alfred M. Smith (1879-1971), an Episcopal priest who served as an Army chaplain in WWI. The name of this tune is "Sursum Corda," Latin for "lift up your hearts," which exhortation we hear at every Mass—a fitting tune for the lovely text asking our Lord to come and unite us "in communion blest...with all thy saints on earth and saints at rest."

SAINT GASPAR
FAMILY OF PARISHES

**FIRST ANNUAL
SUMMER
PICNIC**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10 | NOON

FOOD, MUSIC, GAMES, BINGO

St. Paul's Catholic Church
1000 Wenger Road
Englewood 45322

For more info:
Sue Seibert: 937-836-7535
sseibert@preciousbloodchurch.org

SEE YOU THERE!

Fire Relief Fund for St. John the Baptist

Special Collection July 6, 2025

As you are aware St. John the Baptist Church in Maria Stein suffered a devastating fire on Thursday, May 29. Many people have inquired as to how they can contribute to assist the community moving forward. To that end, St. Gaspar Family of Parishes will take up a second collection the weekend of July 5/6, 2025.

June Personal Care Item Drive

For NW Dayton SVDP Food Pantry

The Northwest Dayton St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry is conducting a Personal Care Items drive this month. These taxable items are not available for purchase with our *Simply Give* Food Only Gift Cards from Meijer.

Serving 25 to 30 client families weekly puts a high demand on our dwindling supply of the following:

- **Laundry Pods**
- **Toilet Paper**
- **Bar Soap**
- **Shampoo**
- **Conditioner**
- **Toothpaste**

Your donations of these items allow us to include these essential items to our pantry clients .

Consider a new way of shopping

If you are an Amazon shopper, select any item(s) above to purchase and have it/them shipped directly to the Pantry.

If you are a Kroger Boost member, place your order for the item(s) above and have it/ them delivered directly to the Pantry for free. (Minimum \$35 order is free.) Address: 1000 W. Wenger Rd., Englewood, OH 45322. Items can be dropped off and placed in St. Vincent de Paul collection bins at St. Rita, Precious Blood, or St. Paul Churches. Thank you for supporting this drive, helping us to help others.



St. Vincent de Paul

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School Supply Drive

Northmont Community Table

Donations due July 17

This is an annual school supply drive that is sponsored by Northmont Community Table, an organization in NW Dayton. Northmont Community Table frequently collaborates with the St. Vincent De Paul NW Dayton Conference to assist families in need. If you would like to donate there are drop off locations listed below.

The Back to School Fair is August 3. Questions can be directed to Northmont FISH at 937-836-4807. Supply lists from the school are very specific, please donate only items listed. Items in boldface type are especially needed.

Backpacks

Composition books – all colors – wide and college ruled

Crayons – 24 count - Crayola Preferred

Dry erase markers – Low odor, all colors

Highlighters

Loose leaf notebook paper - wide and college ruled

Large Pencil boxes and zippered pencil pouches

Pink Erasers

Paper Pocket folders – all colors, with and without prongs

Plastic Pocket folders – all colors, with and without prongs

Pencils - #2, Especially Ticonderoga brand

Glue Sticks – large

3 ring binders – 1" & 1 1/2:" with clear plastic covers

Index cards - lined

School Scissors – large pointed

Sketch Pads (tablet style)

Spiral notebooks -1 subject college rule

Donations can be dropped of at church or parish offices.

The following are additional drop off locations:

- Clayton City Offices
- Englewood City Offices (Old Library Entrance)
- Northmont FISH
- Salem Church of God

Thank you for supporting Northmont Students!

Do You Know a Family in Need?

If you know any family with children in the Northmont City Schools with financial need they can scan the QR code to sign up.



Senior Program and Lunch

Wednesday, June 25

@St. Paul, Noon to 2:00 pm

Lunch is provided by Brookdale

"Perennials-Flowers that come back every year"

presented by Precious Blood parishioner, Helen Sloan.

Please make reservations by Monday, June 23, by calling St. Paul at 937-836-7535.

Friday Hour Scripture Study

@Precious Blood, Fridays after 8:30 am Mass

What is it?

Friday hour is a small discussion group that uses a variety of topics to increase our knowledge and faith in our Catholic church.

When do they meet?

We meet on Friday's in the Hospitality Room at Precious Blood Church at 9:30 am and usually disband by 10:30-10:45 am.

All are welcome and will be warmly received.

We all have a voice in the selection of topics we discuss. We usually use a book or video to guide our discussions, but we are very open to suggestions.

Please join us.



MARRIAGE UNCORKED

UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS

Dare To Date!

Dare to date! Marriage Uncorked invites you and your spouse/ fiancé to our summer series.

July 17: Kayaking

Join us for a romantic adventure as we kayak with Taiter's Kayak Solutions at Riverscape! Float on the river with your spouse or fiancé and enjoy the summer evening. Rental is \$15/hour per person. Staff will provide a safety tutorial and a waiver must be signed by all before participating.

August 16: Wine Tasting

We invite you for an evening of friendship and good conversation as we enjoy delicious wines from Caesar Creek Vineyard in Xenia. We'll be joining the marriage ministry at St. Brigid for this event! Please bring a snack to share and a lawn chair just in case.

Address

962 Long Rd.
Xenia, Ohio .

Please RSVP to Rachel Bond @ marriageuncorked@gmail.com
There is no childcare available for these events.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO A PANCAKE BREAKFAST



SUNDAY, JULY 20
9AM - 1PM
EMMANUEL CHURCH
DONATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED
FOR TEENS GOING TO CATHOLIC
SUMMER CAMPS



P . R . A . Y .
B I N G O

Pray Bingo Cards are Available in Church!

Runs through September 1, 2025

Join St. Gaspar Family of Parishes for P.R.A.Y. Bingo this summer. Any bingo of 4 down, 4 across, 4 diagonally, or 4 corners will get your name mentioned in the bulletin. A coverall will win you a prize. Runs June 1-September 1, 2025.

For bulletin shout outs or coverall prizes, email
Matt.mruttle@preciousbloodchurch.org or
Michele.michelestoltz34@gmail.com.



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Donations Needed

We are in the process of setting up an Atrium for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd at Emmanuel. We hope to have it up and running this fall.

We are in need of small bookcases, child-sized chairs and tables, lamps, rugs, and small vases.

If you would like to donate any of these items or if you would like to help in some other way, please contact Tanya Lee at (937) 228-2013.

June Saints: Peter and Paul

Feast Day June 29

Why Do We Celebrate the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul on the Same Day? St. Peter and St. Paul are two of the most well-known saints and are often spoken of as the two men most responsible for spreading the Christian message in the days of the early church. Learn more about these two saints by scanning the QR code.





St. Philomena Mother/Daughter Retreat

Grow closer to Christ and one another while exploring God's gift of femininity! Based on biblical wisdom, Catholic teaching, and St. Pope JPII's Theology of the Body, the retreat offers talks and activities geared towards girls ages 11-14* and plenty of one-on-one mother daughter time. Participants will reflect on the gift of their female identity, the gift of friendship, the gifts of marital intimacy and holy chastity, the gift of the Holy Spirit and most importantly the precious gifts they are created to be. **mature 10 year olds upon request*

Dates: Aug. 8-10, 2025 (Fri. 6PM-Sun.12PM)

Location: The Spiritual Center of Maria Stein
2365 St. Johns Road
Maria Stein, OH 45860

Cost: \$415 per mother/daughter pair
Includes 2 nights lodging, 4 meals and all retreat materials

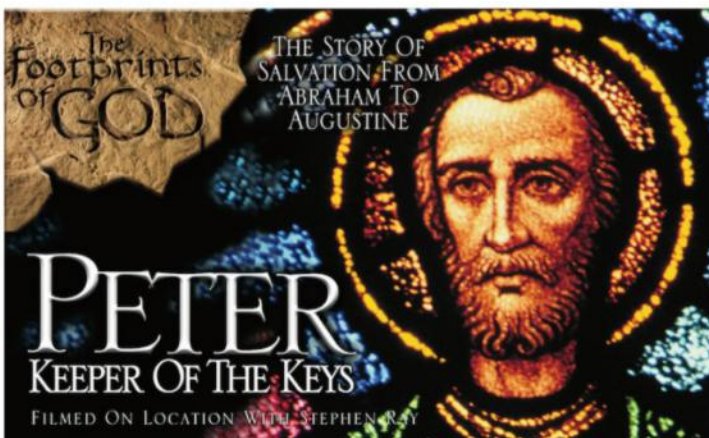
Registration: philomenaretreat.org

Information or questions:
Email us at: admin@philomenaretreat.org



St. Philomena, powerful with God, pray for us!





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Peter: Keeper of the Keys

He is called the Rock, the Fisher of Men, and the Head of the Church. But how did Peter, a rustic fisherman, come to deserve such honor and authority? Join Stephen Ray as he follows Peter from Galilee to Jerusalem to Rome.

Our FORMED subscription can be found by searching St. Gaspar.

Our parish has a Formed subscription. Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish. Scan the QR code to download the Formed app to your phone.



An offering from the  AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

Our Stewardship

Emmanuel, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$6,474

SVDP Tithe.....\$647

Holy Trinity, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$3,411

Precious Blood, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$3,341

St. Vincent De Paul\$365

Saint Paul, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$3,641

St. Vincent de Paul\$45

Saint Joseph, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$8,769

Charity\$184

Pipe Organ to Date\$189,970

Saint Rita, June 8, 2025

Sunday Collection.....\$4,396

St. Vincent De Paul\$160



Holy Trinity

[holyltrinitydayton.org/
online-giving/](https://holyltrinitydayton.org/online-giving/)



Precious Blood, St. Paul and St. Rita

[northwestdaytoncatholic.or
g/donations/](https://northwestdaytoncatholic.org/donations/)



St. Joseph

[members.myeoffering.com/
#/landing](https://members.myeoffering.com/#/landing)



Emmanuel

[osvhub.com/
emmanuelchurch/giving/
funds](https://osvhub.com/emmanuelchurch/giving/funds)

CMA Update



Thank you to all who have responded to the annual Catholic Ministries Appeal. Together with parishioners across the Archdiocese, we are ensuring that the corporal works of mercy are being practiced in the 19 counties of our Archdiocese. 50% of all pledges in excess of our parish goal will stay in our parish. For more information or to donate online, please visit <https://catholicaoc.org/CMA>

Parish	Goal	Paid to date
Emmanuel	16,800	25,313
Holy Trinity	16,200	8,811
Precious Blood	34,500	25,570
St. Joseph	22,500	19,751
St. Paul	16,300	16,784
St. Rita	12,500	13,018

Guidebook

New Guidebook in the Works

The church is working to complete the yearly Family Ministry Guide Book for 2025, it will be distributed to all parishioner households. It will provide information about the parish. It will also be given to all new parishioners who join the church throughout the year and families new to the area. Guide Book Publishing will develop, publish, and mail to the church members at NO COST. Local businesses are solicited to advertise in the book to cover the costs. Lillian Kane will be the account manager contacting businesses to see if they want to participate. If you own a business and would like to participate, you can reach Lillian Kane at kanel@uindy.edu or cell is 513-702-9638.

Unplanned Pregnancy?



Get Help Now: 1-800-712-4357

optionline.org

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Directory & Parish Information

Parish Information

Baptisms

Call your parish office to schedule. If this is your first child or if you have never attended a baptism class, please call your parish office to register for a baptismal preparation class.

Baptismal Preparation Class

You may attend class at any of our Family of Parishes. Registration is required. To register contact your parish office.

Communion for the Homebound

Parishioners, who are confined to their homes and wish to receive Communion, please call your Parish Office.

Marriage

Please call your Parish Office at least six months in advance to begin required pre-nuptial preparation.

OCIA

For those adults wishing to enter the Catholic Church. St. Gaspar Family of Parishes has two programs: Contact Lynda Middleton for more information: 937-228-1223 or via email: lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com.

Live Stream Mass

Precious Blood Church, Sunday, 8:30 am

Visit: <https://northwestdaytoncatholic.org/livestream/>

St. Joseph Church, Sunday, 10:30 am

<https://www.facebook.com/DaytonCatholic>

Hearing Aid Receivers

Hearing Aid Receivers available at St. Joseph. Are you having difficulty hearing the Mass? If so, we have hearing aid receivers available for your use. Just ask an usher and they will get you one. You can keep the hearing aid receiver to use each week. When you no longer need to use it just return it to an usher.

Feedback Form

We want to hear from you!

Scan the QR code to provide feedback.



Staff Directory

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Bulletin Deadline

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Our six parishes have combined their prayer lists into one, symbolizing our unity and shared faith.
Names in bold represent new additions.

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Prayer List as of 6/16/25

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Persons Homeless & Alone
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Patty Schlorman
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