

October 20, 2024, 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



# SAINT GASPAR

## FAMILY OF PARISHES

### **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 Forman, C.P.P.S., Parochial Vicar, Fr. Seraphine Lesiriam, C.P.P.S.,  
Parochial Vicar Fr. Jim "Santiago" Gaynor, C.P.P.S.

## Pastor's Desk

In today's gospel Jesus tells us, "Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."

If you come as a servant, you will never be disappointed. Even if people do not like you, they can't help but respect you. Being a servant is our calling. Having people serve us all the time is not our calling. If some of you have ever been on Carnival cruises, then you understand what it means to be served all the time. It's great at first, but then you realize it is not reality. In fact, I believe your health will go bad if other people are serving you all the time. Human beings are meant to be doing things and to be occupied by prayer. People that retire and do nothing often compromise their health.

I believe the world wants to take us in a direction opposite of Christianity. The world says that others should serve you. But Jesus says, you must serve others. The apostles James and John want other people to take notice of them. James and John want to be in distinguished positions. Not only in this life but they also want people to realize their greatness in the next life. That can only simply be attained by being a servant to all.

God bless you all,  
Fr. Tony

## Solemnity of St. Gaspar

### October 21, 2024

This weekend, the St. Gaspar Family of Parishes celebrates the Feast Day of St. Gaspar del Bufalo, founder of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. While many know the feast falls on October 21, this date wasn't always its official celebration. Initially, the Missionaries celebrated it on several different dates, including January and June. In 1962, to avoid conflicting with other feasts and holidays, the Missionaries obtained approval to observe it on October 21, which was later adopted by the Diocese of Rome in 1973.

### Why October 21?

The decision to celebrate on October 21 also had pastoral reasons. October provided more favorable weather for those attending celebrations, especially students at institutions directed by the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. Additionally, October was significant in St. Gaspar's personal life, as both his parents passed away around this time. This date became a fitting tribute to a man who dedicated his life to missionary work.

### Special Readings this Weekend

The readings for this weekend's Mass, chosen from the Solemnity of St. Gaspar, are used by the Missionaries of the Precious Blood worldwide. As the St. Gaspar Family of Parishes is ministered to by these Missionaries, this feast day holds special significance for our six parishes. Let us celebrate St. Gaspar's legacy and reflect on his devotion to Christ's Precious Blood.

## Quotable St. Gaspar

Saint Gaspar del Bufalo is known for his quote, "I would rather die or suffer any evil than take such an oath. I cannot, I will not, I must not". He said this in 1810 when he was brought before a magistrate to swear allegiance to Napoleon. Gaspar refused to betray the Pope and was exiled to a prison in Piacenza, Italy.



## 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. Rita

### Sunday

8:00-8:25 am | Holy Trinity

# Mass Times & Intentions

## Monday, October 21, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Holy Trinity** ..... †For Our Parishioners  
 8:30 am ..... **Precious Blood** ..... Humbert & Stanley Families  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... Int for Rita Hoying

## Tuesday, October 22, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Holy Trinity** ..... †For Our Parishioners  
 8:30 am ..... **St. Rita** ..... †Bruce Fader  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... †Poor Souls in Purgatory, especially Those for whom no one prays

## Wednesday, October 23, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Emmanuel** ..... †Bernhard Family  
 8:30 am ..... **St. Paul** ..... †Tom Domsitz  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... Int for Sarah Junker

## Thursday, October 24, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Emmanuel** ..... Liv/Deceased Members of The James Monnin Family  
 8:30 am ..... **St. Paul** ..... †Carlos Vega  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... Int for Jonathan Ward

## Friday, October 25, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Emmanuel** ..... †Mildred Sadauskas  
 8:30 am ..... **Precious Blood** ..... †Celebrant's Intention  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... †Sandra Brinkman

## Saturday, October 26, 2024

7:30 am ..... **Emmanuel** ..... †Niehaus Family  
 12:00 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... †Elinor Swenson  
 4:30 pm ..... **St. Joseph** ..... †Gregory Grewe Sr.  
 4:30 pm ..... **St. Rita** ..... †Fran Marapese  
 5:00 pm ..... **Emmanuel** ..... †For Our Parishioners

## Sunday, October 27, 2024

8:30 am ..... **Holy Trinity** ..... †For Our Parishioners  
 8:30 am ..... **Precious Blood** ..... Int for Karl Weingart  
 8:30 am ..... **St. Rita** ..... †For Our Parishioners  
 10:30 am ..... **St. Joseph** ..... †For Our Parishioners  
 10:30 am ..... **Emmanuel** ..... †Mary Ann Robinson  
 10:30 am ..... **St. Paul** ..... †Jim & Renee Nussman

## Sign Up for Flocknote

Visit: [StGasparFamilyDayton.flocknote.com](http://StGasparFamilyDayton.flocknote.com)

Text: GETGASPAR to 84576

If you need assistance with signing up contact Joan Macpherson at 937-276-5954.

## Mass Intentions

A Mass intention is a prayer or offering made to God during a Catholic Mass to honor or remember someone, or to apply the Mass's grace to a specific need. Mass intentions can be requested from your parish office.



## Scripture Readings For the Week of October 20, 2024

- Monday** Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5; Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday** **Memorial of Saint John Paul II, Pope**  
Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14; Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday** **Memorial of Saint John of Capistrano, Priest**  
Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday** **Memorial of Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop**  
Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
- Friday** Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday** Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday** **Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

## Pray For Our Men and Women in the Military

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|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Yves Benihana           | Morgan Konsdorf        |
| Michael Borgert         | Connor "Baktir" Magill |
| Nicholas Butler         | Greg Marcus            |
| John Carner             | Brittany Maurer        |
| Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles | Zachary McIntyre       |
| Jon Chachula            | David Musgrove         |
| Laura Chachula          | Diane Nyirasimbi       |
| Eric Justin Dino        | <b>Sarah Olszewski</b> |
| 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        |
| Nicholas Kern           |                        |
| <b>Riley Kimball</b>    |                        |



## Parish Calendar



### **Monday, October 21**

#### **Crafting Sessions for Holiday Bazaar**

4:00–7:00 pm · Holy Trinity/Mtg. Room

#### **Our Lady of the Precious Blood Group**

7:00–8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

#### **Stephen Ministers Meeting**

7:00–8:30 pm · St. Paul/Mtg. Room

### **Tuesday, October 22**

#### **Book Read | Spiritual Combat**

7:00–8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

### **Wednesday, October 23**

#### **Lunch with the Lord**

11:45 am–1:00 pm · Holy Trinity/Mtg. Room

#### **Senior Program and Lunch**

12:00–2:00 pm · St. Paul/Mtg. Room

#### **Catholic Life**

7:00–8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

### **Thursday, October 24**

#### **OCIA**

5:30–7:00 pm · Holy Trinity/Mtg. Room

#### **Book Read | Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist**

7:00–8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

### **Friday, October 25**

#### **Friday Hour**

9:30–11:00 am · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

### **Saturday, October 26**

#### **Good News! Bible Study**

9:30–11:00 am · Holy Trinity/Mtg. Room

### **Sunday, October 27**

#### **Children's Faith Formation**

9:00–10:15 am · St. Paul/Mtg. Room

#### **F.I.R.E. Family Program**

9:45–11:00 am · Holy Trinity/Mtg. Room

## Confirmation

**Confirmation in our Family of Parishes will be Celebrated on Sunday, November 3 at Precious Blood Church at 1:00 pm. Practice is Saturday, November 2 at Precious Blood Church at 2:00 pm.**

## Respect Life Month

### **“I Came So That They May Have Life”**

#### **Respect Life Reflection**

Part of the impetus for the Eucharistic Revival was a concern that some Catholics do not believe, or at least do not understand, that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist. Even though our human senses perceive bread and wine, the Eucharist is Jesus—body, blood, soul, and divinity. Similarly, many people do not realize or acknowledge the sanctity of human life when it is hidden in the womb. Both instances call for us to help others recognize these sacred gifts that may not be perceivable through our human senses. We need to help others understand that just because something may not be apparent to our eyes does not mean that it is not there or that it is not important.

We live in a society that rejects those who are weak, fragile, or vulnerable. Yet, it is precisely within these conditions that a person is most in need of our care and protection. Pope Francis reminds us that “every child who, rather than being born, is condemned unjustly to being aborted, bears the face of Jesus Christ, bears the face of the Lord, who even before he was born, and then just after birth, experienced the world's rejection.”

The U.S. bishops have affirmed that, while it is important to address all the ways in which human life is threatened, “abortion remains our pre-eminent priority as it directly attacks our most vulnerable brothers and sisters, destroying more than a million lives each year in our country alone.” [emphasis added]

As Pope St. John Paul II wrote, “we are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the ‘culture of death’ and the ‘culture of life’. ...we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life.”

In the face of challenges such as abortion and physician-assisted suicide, we may feel that we are not equal to the task of overcoming the darkness. Yet, we are not alone. Jesus tells us, “I am with you always, until the end of the age” (Matthew 28:20). The God who became man to save us still dwells among us. For Christ is “the light [that] shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it” (John 1:5). He is the one who overcame death and continually raises us to new life. He remains close to us always, seeking us out in each moment of our lives. Jesus gave his very flesh to give us the gift of eternal life and invites us to the most profound experience of this gift in our celebration of the Eucharist. When we meet Jesus in the Eucharist, this encounter has the power to change us. The Eucharist has the power to transform the depths of our hearts and the heart of our culture. United to the power of his Eucharistic Presence, may we work to ensure that each person has life—and has it in Abundance.

*Excerpted from USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities (2024, October 1).*

*I CAME SO THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE LIFE. RespectLife.org.*

<https://www.respectlife.org/that-they-might-have-life>

# St. Gaspar Family News



## All Saints' and All Souls' Day

### All Saints' Day; Friday, November 1

*Vigil Mass, Thursday, October 31*

5:15 pm Emmanuel

6:00 pm Holy Trinity

7:00 pm St. Paul

*Holiday, Friday, November 1*

7:30 am Emmanuel

8:30 am Precious Blood

Noon St. Joseph

### All Souls' Day, Saturday, November 2

7:30 am Emmanuel

8:30 am St. Rita

Noon St. Joseph (Mass of Remembrance)

## Mass of Remembrance

### Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

*In Our Family of Parishes*

St. Joseph	November 2 at the Noon Mass
Holy Trinity	November 10 at the 8:30 am Mass
St. Rita	November 10 at the 8:30 am Mass
Precious Blood	November 10 at the 8:30 am Mass
St. Paul	November 10 at the 10:30 am Mass

## Prayer Life

### Devotionals

*Miraculous Medal Novena*

**Monday**

11:30am-12:15 pm · St. Rita

**Tuesday**

7:00-8:00 pm · Emmanuel

*Benediction and Adoration*

First Thursday of the Month

6:00 pm · St. Rita

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

4:45 pm · Emmanuel (before 5:00 pm Mass)

Sunday

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

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

8:00 am · St. Rita (before 8:30 am Mass)

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

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

*Pray the Rosary for Life*

Second Sunday of the Month

8:30 am · Holy Trinity (after 8:30 am Mass)

We pray the rosary for pro-life issues.



# Featured in Our Family of Parishes

## Family Rosary & Potluck

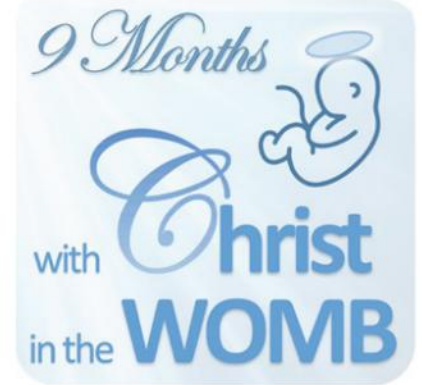
### Bring Your Prayers & Appetite

*Sunday, October 27 at St. Joseph, from 5:00-6:30 pm*

The St. Gaspar Family of Parishes offers a wonderful series of family-friendly events, including the Family Rosary and Potluck, which takes place at St. Joseph next Sunday in the church and the parish center.

This evening offers an opportunity for spiritual nourishment and community connection. Everyone in our Family of Parishes are welcome, and no RSVP is necessary. These gatherings are a perfect opportunity for families to grow in faith together and enjoy quality time with other parishioners.

*The evening begins with praying the Rosary in church, followed by a potluck meal in the parish center, where fried chicken and drinks are provided. Families are encouraged to bring casseroles, salads, or desserts to share, making it a delightful way to end the weekend with both prayer and fellowship.*



Oct 20—Week 31

With only two months left till delivery, Jesus looks just like he will on the day he is born. From this point in his development, even children born prematurely in first century Israel would have some odds of surviving outside the womb.

Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!



## All Abilities Chair Exercise Program!

### With Alice Ernst

*@St. Joseph Parish Center*

*Beginning Monday, November 4*

Chair One Fitness is a fun chair-dance exercise program set to music and suitable for all abilities.

Alice Ernst is our instructor and brings a wealth of work out experience to her classes. She teaches in other churches and fitness facilities in the greater Dayton area.

Register now for the next four week series being offered Mondays, Nov. 4, 2024 through Dec. 2, 2024 (skipping 11/11). Time is 4:00 – 4:30 pm in St. Joseph Center (across the street from the church). Cost is \$20.00 per person and a minimum of 10 registrants is needed to hold the class.

### Pre-Registration is Required

Contact Sharon Becker for more information and to register by 4:00 pm, Thursday, Oct. 31st at 937.776.2942, or by email at [sharonbecker6@gmail.com](mailto:sharonbecker6@gmail.com).

## Pray the Respect Life Month Novena

*October 22-30, 2024*

Join thousands of Catholics across the country in prayer for the protection of human life from conception to natural death. Each day of the novena features a different prayer intention, as well as a short reflection, ideas for building a culture of life, and more. Download the novena or sign up to get the daily prayers delivered by text or email.

[respectlife.org/respect-life-month-novena](https://respectlife.org/respect-life-month-novena)



Get the daily prayers by email or text message!

SIGN UP FOR EMAILS

SIGN UP FOR TEXTS



# St. Gaspar Youth Ministry

## Praisefest Update

### Date Change This Month

@St. Joseph, Friday, October 25, 7:00-10:00 pm

Praisefest is an evening of adoration, prayer, confession, and fellowship for teens ages 13 through high school seniors. This month's Praisefest is Friday, October 25th, from 7-10pm at St Joseph Catholic Church. Please contact Nicole Bartz with any questions at 937-956-8999.

## Dayton Family Rosary Rally.

October 26th at 2pm at Emmanuel Catholic Church



Join us for the Annual Dayton Family Rosary Rally

When: Oct. 26th @ 2pm

Where: Emmanuel Catholic Church  
149 Franklin St. Dayton, OH 45402

Email: [support@rosesformary.org](mailto:support@rosesformary.org)  
Cell: 330-635-5828  
[www.rosesformary.org/events](http://www.rosesformary.org/events)

**FAMILY GAME AFTERNOON**  
AT CYPRESS POINTE  
SAT. OCT 26TH  
1:30-3:00  
GAMES WITH THE RESIDENTS

FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT: ERICA  
[ERUDEMILLER.PRECIOUSBLOODCHURCH.ORG](mailto:ERUDEMILLER.PRECIOUSBLOODCHURCH.ORG)



Let's celebrate with the communion of saints.

# All Saints Day Party

Saturday, October 26  
10:30 am - 12:00 noon

Emmanuel School Building

*Please come dressed looking like your favorite saint.*

*Lunch will be provided.*

For the whole family

For more information and to RSVP: Tanya Lee

[michaelllee25mel@gmail.com](mailto:michaelllee25mel@gmail.com)

# Precious Blood, St. Paul and St. Rita



## POPE FRANCIS Fratelli Tutti



Encyclical Letter of the Holy Father Francis  
on Fraternity and Social Friendship

## Encyclical Letter Read

With Fr. Jim Gaynor, C.P.P.S.

*Fratelli Tutti (We Are All Brothers and Sisters) of the Holy Father Francis, @St. Paul, beginning Tuesday, October 29, 7:00-8:30 pm*

As we reap the harvests of 2024 and prepare, by way of Advent, for Christmas and a New Year, it is an opportune time to orient our faith and our lives by way of reading and reflecting together on ourselves as the Church in our world of today by way of this encyclical. I invite you to the St. Paul parish center Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Oct. 29, Chapter One: Dark Clouds Over a Closed World

Nov. 5, Chapter Two: A Stranger on the Road

Nov. 12, Chapter Three: Envisaging and Engendering an Open World

Nov. 19, Chapter Four: A Heart Open to the Whole World

Nov. 26, Chapter Five: A Better Kind of Politics

Dec. 3, Chapter Six: Dialogue and Friendship in Society

Dec. 10, Chapter Seven: Paths of Renewed Encounter

Dec. 17, Chapter Eight: Religions at the Service of Fraternity in Our World

*The document is available to all of us through Google. If you can find the time these 8 Tuesday evenings, please send me a message at [sgaynor2012@gmail.com](mailto:sgaynor2012@gmail.com) or send me a text at 419 852 6516.*

*If you would like a printed copy of the encyclical, let Fr. Gaynor know and he will order them.*

## Senior Program and Lunch

*@St. Paul, Wednesday, October 23*

*From Noon to 2:00 pm*

Join us for an informative program on Foods to Avoid for Brain Health, sponsored by Brookhaven. Learn valuable insights on how your diet can affect your brain health and overall well-being. A delicious lunch will be provided, so come enjoy good company, great food, and important health tips. Please be sure to make your reservation by Monday, October 21 by calling St. Paul at 937-836-7535.

*We look forward to seeing you there!*

## Fishers of Men Not Meeting This Month

Fishers of Men will not be meeting this month. Please join us next month at St. Paul on Saturday, November 30 from 7:30-9:00 am. The meeting begins with 25 minutes of group prayer, either Mass, Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet or Liturgy of the Hours. Prayer is followed by Breakfast, a 25 minute presentation and then group discussion. We end promptly at 9:00 am. Contact Curtis Kneblak for more information via email: [ckneblak@preciousbloodchurch.org](mailto:ckneblak@preciousbloodchurch.org) or by phone: 937-276-5954.







# ST. PAUL

## Holiday Bazaar

Saturday, November 2nd | 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
1000 Wenger Rd., Englewood

**40 ONE OF A KIND VENDORS!**

### BREAKFAST AND LUNCH

Enjoy breakfast and lunch, served by St. Vincent De Paul

### CHRISTMAS HEARTH PHOTO BOOTH

Create lasting memories with a photo at our Christmas Hearth

### TREE WALK

Pre decorated and undecorated trees for sale

### COOKIE WALK

Hundreds of homemade cookies to choose from

### GRANDMA'S ATTIC

Shop for treasures from Christmas past



**Come do some Christmas shopping, buy homemade goodies, have a delicious meal, enjoy fellowship and get in on all the raffles.  
Don't forget to bring the kids!!**

**Holy Trinity Church  
Old Fashioned Holiday Bazaar  
November 2, 2024  
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.  
266 Bainbridge Street – Trinity Center**

Attendance prizes – every half hour

Handmade crafts - Flea Market  
Holidaze - Bake Shoppe  
Raffles - Silent Auction  
Book Nook - U-Pick-It

*Tyke Shoppe (Our Tyke Shoppe has great gifts for the kids to purchase for parents, siblings, friends and themselves for just small change.)*

**GRAND RAFFLE PRIZES!**

**1st prize** \$1000 in Gift Cards  
**2nd prize** TCL 55" Smart TV  
with Google TV  
**3rd prize** \$100 Cash

Visits and pictures with Santa  
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
(Bring your camera)

**LOOK AT OUR MENU!!!**

Cabbage rolls – Beef Stew – Vegetarian Vegetable Soup – Macaroni and cheese  
Hot Dogs – Chips – Pretzels – Soda – Water - Coffee

Everyone is welcome. We hope to see you and your family!

All proceeds from our bazaar benefits our less fortunate brothers and sisters in the Dayton community with the necessities of life.





# Emmanuel, Holy Trinity and St. Joseph

## CPR and AED Training

### Brought to you by The Health Ministries Team

*@University of Dayton, Saturday, November 9, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm*

The Health Ministries Team is once again recruiting parishioners to be trained or re-certified in CPR and Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) use for our churches. This class provides a casual yet informative and hands-on approach to learning these life-saving techniques for both adults and children.

The training is Saturday, November 9, 2024, from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm at the University of Dayton. Registration begins at 9:30 am with light refreshments being served.

Space is limited so pre-registration is required by Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at Noon. Class fee is minimal at \$25.00 per person. Donations from attendees will be appreciated to help cover the cost. More details to follow in upcoming bulletins for exact location.

*To reserve your space or for more information, contact Kathy Ballman-Parks at [kathyb103@gmail.com](mailto:kathyb103@gmail.com).*

## Help Us Get Ready for the Holiday Bazaar

*Be sure to purchase your tickets for the Grand Raffle!*

The first prize is \$1000 in gift cards, second prize is a TCL 55" Smart TV with Google TV (\$480 value), and the third prize is \$100 in cash! Various other prizes will also be included in the raffle. They are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

*Silent Auction and U-Pick-It Donations*

You can help! We are accepting donations of new or high quality, very gently used items for the Silent Auction and U-Pick-It. Also, small new items (all ages and genders) are needed for both attendance prizes and the Tyke Shop. Have any unused gift cards? We can always make use of them for the raffle or silent auction. **All these items may be dropped off at the parish office Monday - Thursday from 8:00am – 4:00pm and Fridays 8:00am – 11:00am. NOTE: Items intended for the silent auction must be received by Oct. 28, Monday, 2024.**

*Flea Market & Holidaze donations, final drop off this Sunday*

Flea Market & Holidaze Donations needed! Gently used and new household items and ALL types of holiday or seasonal decorations may be dropped off after 8:30 Mass (9:30am-1:00pm) on the following dates: October 6, 13, 20.

Contact the Holy Trinity Parish office or go to [holytrinitydayton.org](http://holytrinitydayton.org) for more information.

## Notes from Emmanuel's Choir Loft

Continuing from last week's fun fact: The Communion Antiphon is also found in the missalette, and like the Entrance antiphon (Introit), it is so arranged as to be available for everyone to join in following the cantor. The General Instruction on the Roman Missal (GIRM) speaks beautifully about its purpose: "While the priest is receiving the Sacrament, the Communion Chant is begun, its purpose being to express the spiritual union of the communicants by means of the unity of their voices, to show gladness of heart, and to bring out more clearly the 'communitarian' character of the procession to receive the Eucharist" (86).

## Fall Clean Up Thank You

*From Holy Trinity*

A big thank you to all who came out to help with the Fall Clean Up Party to get our grounds ready for the upcoming months and helped with miscellaneous other jobs around the parish.

## I Can See You Now

*@Holy Trinity*



Do you have any old eyeglasses tucked away in a drawer?

Holy Trinity collects old eyeglasses, prescription sunglasses, reading glasses, and children's eyeglasses for the Lion's Club. The Lion's Club distributes the glasses to The Ohio State University School of Ophthalmology and to VOSH (Volunteer Optometric Services to Humanity). So, bring your stash of glasses to church and drop them in the box on the table to the right as you enter church. Let's help others have the opportunity for better vision.

## Sign Up Today to Help a Family

*@Holy Trinity*

Holy Trinity will once again partner with Miami Valley Catholic Social Services in the Holiday Help Family. At this time we do not have all the particulars but if you wish to participate, please call Judi at the parish office to get your name of this list to help make someone's Christmas a little brighter.







***Due to last Monday being a bank holiday, our totals will appear in next Sunday's bulletin.***

**Emmanuel, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 St. Vincent De Paul Tithe ..... \$

**Holy Trinity, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 Online Giving ..... \$

**Precious Blood, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 St. Vincent De Paul ..... \$

**Saint Paul, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 St. Vincent de Paul..... \$

**Saint Joseph, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 Outreach ..... \$  
 Pipe Organ to Date ..... \$

**Saint Rita, October 6**

Sunday Collection ..... \$  
 St. Vincent De Paul ..... \$

**Online Giving**

As an added convenience all of our parishes offer online giving. If you are interested in online giving, call your parish office:

- Emmanuel: 937-228-2013
- Holy Trinity: 937-228-1223
- Precious Blood: 937-276-5954
- St. Joseph: 937-228-9272
- St. Paul: 937-836-7535
- St. Rita: 937-278-5815

**Area News**

**Join Our Team**

**Mother Brunner is Hiring**

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# St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Directory & Parish Information

## Parish Information

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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.

### Upcoming Baptismal Prep dates:

**Saturday, November 2 at St. Joseph**

### 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 and Catholic Life

For those adults wishing to enter the Catholic Church. St. Gaspar Family of Parishes has two programs:

#### Wednesday Evenings at 7:00 pm

Catholic Life meets at Precious Blood Church on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm.

The program is year round and you can join at any time. Contact Curtis Kneblak for more information: 937-276-5954 ext. 2111 or via email: ckneblak@preciousbloodchurch.org.

#### Thursday Evenings at 5:30 pm

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults-OCIA), offers a welcoming pathway for individuals embarking on the journey of joining the Catholic Church.

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/live-stream/>

**St. Joseph Church, Sunday, 10:30 am**

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## Staff Directory

### Pastoral Staff

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# St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Prayer List

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 10/14/2024

Veronica Aguilar & Husband  
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Catherine Winkler

*The St. Gaspar Family Prayer List is faithfully maintained by staff member Nancy Burton. If you have any questions, or would like to add someone to the list you may contact your parish office.*

**Cards for Deacon Andy:** A funeral Mass for Lori Rammel, wife of Deacon Andy Rammel, was celebrated at St. Henry Church last Thursday. If you would like to send Deacon Andy a Sympathy Card please send it to: Deacon Andy Rammel, c/o St. Sebastian Catholic Church, 3075 US Highway 1, Sebastian, FL 32958. A memorial Mass will be celebrated locally at a later date.

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