

# The Roman Catholic Churches of St. Helen & Our Lady of the Caves

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**Location:** 156 McGrah Ave.. **Hours:** Tuesday 9am-12pm



**Confessions** are heard for about 20 minutes before each Mass and anytime by request.  
Saturday: 4:30-4:50 pm

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Please contact the pastor one month in advance.

### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Please contact the pastor at least six months in advance.

### **Sacrament of Anointing**

Available by request. When anyone is admitted to the hospital, be certain to contact the priest.

**For after-hours EMERGENCY** requiring the sacraments, call Fr. Joel Rogers @ 270-619-1510 (English), or (Spanish) Connie Granados @ 270-361-1628.

### **Faith Formation-Why be Catholic?**

If you or anyone you know is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith please contact Fr. Joel Rogers, CPM.

**MASS TIMES:** (See weekday schedule inside bulletin)

**English Masses at St. Helen:** located @ 103 W. Brown St.

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Sunday, 10:00 AM and 11:30 AM

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Mon., Wed., Fri. at 11am-Noon  
Fri. 3-9pm (1st Fri. is 7am-9pm), Sat. 8:30-9:30am

**English Masses at Our Lady of the Caves:** located @  
1010 S. Dixie Street; Horse Cave, KY 42749

Sunday, 8:00 AM

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Friday@ 4:30-5:30pm

### **Spanish Masses:**

Saturday, 7:00 PM at Our Lady of the Caves

Sunday, 8:00 AM St. Helen

**Sp. Praise/Worship Holy Hour:** Thurs, 7-8pm  
at St. Helen Church.

### **Latin Mass at Our Lady of the Caves:**

Beginning Oct. 26th, Every Sunday at 10:30am

**Elderly Mass:** Our Lady of Fatima Chapel, Parish Center  
2nd & 4th Saturday of the month, Vigil Mass @ 4pm

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**OCTOBER 26, 2025**



## November Month of The Souls in

+AMDG+

**NATIONAL VOCATION  
AWARENESS WEEK  
BEGINS.**

### **Solemnity of All Saints**

(Not a holy day of obligation this year since it falls on Saturday.)“  
In a spirit of profound adoration of the Most Holy Trinity, we join all the saints who eternally celebrate the heavenly liturgy, to offer thanks again with them to our God for the wonders he has accomplished in the history of salvation...for having raised up in the Church a great multitude of saints, whom no one could count...not only the saints and blessed we honor during the liturgical year, but also the anonymous saints known only to him. Mothers and fathers of families, who in their daily devotion to their children made an effective contribution to the Church's growth and to the building of society; priests, sisters, and lay people who, like candles lit before the altar of the Lord, were consumed in offering material and spiritual aid to their neighbor in need; men and women missionaries, who left everything to bring the Gospel message to every part of the world” (Saint John Paul II). ~Magnificat

### **FR. JOEL'S BIBLE STUDY CLASS IS AT 7PM, OCT. 27TH**

At St. Helen's Parish Center. All are invited.

### **OUR LADY'S AUXILIARY MEETING IS OCT. 27TH AT 5PM.**

### **INTRODUCTION TO CATHOLICISM CLASS, TAUGHT BY DCN. BRUCE SULLIVAN:**

If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, an Introduction to Catholicism class is at 10:00 a.m. on Sundays, at the St. Helen's Parish Center

### **ALL SOULS DAY, NOVEMBER 2ND:**

All Souls Day is a day of remembrance of our deceased loved ones. We will have a binder in front of the statue of St. Joseph in which you can write the names of your loved ones and we will pray for them all during the month of November.

“May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.”

On Nov. 2nd we will pray the rosary at 3pm at the Glasgow Municipal Cemetery and have devotions and refreshments after in St. Helen's Parish Center at 4pm.

If you would like to have pictures of your deceased family and friends on the altar at the Parish Center for the All Souls Day devotions, please bring a picture of them to the church marked with your name and number and leave it in the basket in the vestibule.

### **CONSECRATION TO THE VIRGIN MARY AND WORK OF THE APPARITIONS OF MARY OF GUADALUPE:**

If you are interested in participating, please call Yolanda.

### **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL FOR ARCHDIOCESE OF LOU:**

This year the goal for St. Helen is \$5,500 and \$1,000 for Our Lady of the Caves. Please consider giving a gift to the CSA. If you write checks, please make them to the Archdiocese of Louisville with CSA in the memo. The address to send the checks: Pastoral Center/ 3940 Polar Level Road/ Louisville, KY. 40213-1463

### **DAILY GOSPEL READINGS, OCT. 26-NOV. 2, 2025:**

Sun. Lk 18:9-14, Mon. Lk 13:10-17, Tues. Lk 6:2-16,  
Wed. Lk 13:22-30, Thurs. Lk 13:31-35, Fri. Lk 14:1-6,  
Sat. Mt 5:1-12a, Sun. Jn 6:37-40

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **ST. HELEN**

**Monday, October 27**

12:05pm Logan Duty

**Tuesday, October 28, Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles**

8:00am Special Intention

**Wednesday, October 29**

12:05pm Greg Donniger+

**Thursday, October 30**

8:00am Dcn. Walt Jones+

**Friday, October 31**

12:05pm Therese Haavisto

**Saturday, November 1, All Saints Day, Solemnity**

8:00am Our Lady's Auxiliary

5:00pm Leon Strange+

**Sunday, November 2, All Souls Day**

8:00am(Sp) Antonio Garcia+

10:00am Brown Family, Living & Deceased

11:30am Ruth Ann+ and Dewaine Hall+

### **OUR LADY OF THE CAVES**

**Wednesday, October 29**

8:00am Ruth Ann+ and Dewaine Hall+

**Friday, October 31**

5:30pm Brandon & Jessi Jones Family

**Saturday, November 1, All Saints Day, Solemnity**

8:00am Benefactors

7:00pm (Sp) Joan Osborne

**Sunday, November 2, All Souls Day**

8:00am People of the Parish

10:30am Latin, Amparo M. Saldarriaga

### **ALTAR FLOWER SCHEDULE, ST. HELEN:**

Nov. 2, Our Lady's Auxiliary

Nov. 9, No Flowers Scheduled

Nov. 16, Mrs. Antonia Acosto by Delfina Rodriguez

### **CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE:**

**CHURCH CLEANERS ARE NEEDED FOR BOTH  
CHURCHES:** Please contact the parish office.

### **ST. HELEN:**

Oct. 27-Nov.1

Emily Coleman

Nov. 3-8

Poly Granados

### **OUR LADY OF THE CAVES:**

Oct. 27-Nov. 1

Fawn

Nov. 3-8

Susanne Ochoa

### **BIRTHDAY'S THIS WEEK: Oct. 27-Nov. 2**

**Oct. 27** Laura Avery, Harry Britt,

**Oct. 28** Giovanni Ghizzoni, Mary Catherine Puckett,

Eduardo Sandoval, David Sullivan, Molly Younkin,

**Oct. 29** Leslie Jazmin, Isaac Josue, Aurora Najera,

**Oct. 30** Delia Rodriguez,

**Oct. 31** Josue Pascual, Emily Sullivan,

**Nov. 1** Amalia Gaspar, Therese Haavisto, J.B. Logsdon,

Laura Mahung, Mateo Miranda,

**Nov. 2** Stacey Bush, Kellie Reynolds

*(Daylight savings time ends November 2nd.)*

**Prayer List:****Parishioners have asked For prayers for:**

Jane Howell  
Dcn. Lee Bidwell  
Mary Simon  
Cheryl Hensel  
Caroline Pierce  
Claudia Ramos  
John Bright  
Patricia Buckler  
Judy Underwood  
Todd Perry, Sr.  
Henry Almeida  
Carolyn Tipton  
Lu Simpson  
Alexis Bowman  
Connie Peacock  
Shawn Peacock  
Jo Ann Hall  
Jimmy C. Lyons, Jr.  
Nathan Jackson  
Willard Thompson  
Mike Barron  
Jacob Mesi  
Doris Emberton  
Terina Crowell  
Hugo & Diego Orozco  
Madeline Hale  
Erin Phillips  
Lanell Gilchrist  
Zyler Barbour  
Elaria Ramirez

Aida Hishmeh  
Alex Rodriguez  
Anthony Francis Gomes  
Ann & Tommy Ford  
Mimi Stinson  
Carly Leahey  
Tim Isom  
Lee Mudd  
Lee Family  
Don Joseph  
Mary Kay Bilcz  
Larry Adams  
Helen Overstreet  
Laura Brock Bennett  
The Wise Family  
Marvie Carroll  
Daniel Sallee  
Jo Ann Gibson  
Jim Hale  
Frances Bastien  
Paula Baysinger  
Brina Nie  
Virginia Lafferty  
Sara Ruth Strange  
Ruth Owens  
Richard Biven  
Dennie Simpson  
Rick Carrico  
Carl Milay  
Gayle Carrico  
Beverly Hogan  
Chance Veals

**Collections: Oct. 19, 2025      St. Helen      Our Lady of Caves**

Sunday Collection      \$3084.00      \$2572.00

Food Pantry

***Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity!***

**THE 2ND COLLECTION ON NOVEMBER 2, 2025:**

Is for St. Helen's Facilities Improvement Fund.

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

Dear Parish Family,

May Our Lord Jesus Christ grant you and your families many graces! During the month of November, we think about the whole community of saints—the Church triumphant in heaven, the Church suffering in purgatory, and the pilgrim Church (or Church militant) on earth. We are all members of God's Family. On November 1, we celebrate All Saints' Day; we remember those in heaven who, by Christ's grace, triumphed over sin and entered into eternal life. They see God face to face, and their souls await joyfully to be reunited with their bodies on the Last Day. They are already awarded eternally; and to use the words of St. Bernard, our honor of them is more for us than for them. We remember all the saints, not only the canonized ones, but also the unknown ones. We should make friends with the saints in heaven, because their prayers for us are powerful. **On Saturday, November 1, we are having two Masses offered for All Saints Day. They are at 8am, one at St. Helen and one at Our Lady of the Caves.** They are both Holy Day Masses, but they are not Holy Days of Obligation this year since they fall on Saturday.

**On November 2, we celebrate All Souls' Day.** On that day, each priest offers three Masses for the poor souls in purgatory. This is the Church Suffering. These holy souls have died in the state of grace, but they have not done enough penance to make atonement for their sins in this life, or they still have venial sins and too strong attachments for this earth. No one enters heaven with any stain of sin. Purgatory is a place of mercy where our remaining sins and effects of sin are purged away. The greatest pain for these holy souls is that the veil that kept them from seeing God is removed, but they cannot be with Him. Their greatest joy is that they know they will be with Him forever after their suffering. We should never forget our deceased loved ones. We are not the ultimate judge about where they are, so although we have hope that they are in heaven, we should be praying for them or having Masses for them in case they are in purgatory. So many souls in purgatory do not have anyone to pray for them because their loved ones just assume they are in heaven. Let us not forget the holy souls in purgatory; they are our brothers and sisters in the Family of God. **Sunday, November 2ND, the Masses are at the usual times as all Sundays.** There is also a rosary procession at the Glasgow Municipal Cemetery at 3pm. At 4pm, we will have an All Souls Devotion at the SH P.C., and pray for the souls of our deceased loved ones, especially for those we remember whose pictures are present there.

And finally, let us pray for one another here on earth. As it says in Sacred Scripture, the prayers of a holy person are powerful indeed. Let us strive for holiness and pray for one another, for we are all members of God's Family, the Communion of Saints! May God bless you and your loved ones!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Joel

**Please pray for deceased:**

Elayne Malone  
Kim Gibson Lowe  
Leon Copass  
Jack Irwin  
Bill Phelan  
Christopher Bastien  
Sam Alvey  
Jimmy Jones  
John Perry  
Sarah Smila  
Percy Stinson  
Jeremy Birge  
Gena Couch  
Patricia Rose Garrett  
Sharon Meadows  
Linda Sue Hester  
George Lang  
Arnold Emberton  
Sam & Alma Basile  
Scott Pufahl  
James Anthony Brown  
Tina Barron  
Brynley Richardson  
Sandy Byrd  
Annette Kuncce  
Scott Szabo  
Robert & Marie McCann  
Roger Gibson  
Bev Conyers  
Edna Schwegnan  
J. B. Logsdon  
Ronnie Birge  
Robert Glanz  
Mary Gibson  
John Ulakey  
Joseph Coleman  
Bonnie Copass  
Antionette Thompson  
Michael Nicholson  
Scott Smith

Joseph Litera  
Bill Groenwald  
David Nine  
Lois A. Lane  
Angela Torres Barrios  
Pedro Alfonso Vargas  
Vickie Korte  
Ted & Peggy Brock  
George Sibalich  
John Kernan  
Ray Hemmer  
Robert Tucker  
Ashlie Hood  
Tommie Birge  
Roger Miller  
Wayne Smith  
Peggy Groenwald  
Pat Moran  
Lisa Miller  
Charles Elmore  
Letecia Centeno  
Kip Jackson  
Cade Dotson  
DuWayne Gilchrist  
Joseph Devers, Sr.  
Connie Hunt  
Shirley Jones  
Carson Hernandez  
John Scalise  
Helga & Joe Alvey  
Joe Pierce  
Lydia Pruneski  
James Anderson  
Bruce Rothermel  
Joe & Jane Kehrt  
Jerry Matera  
Michael Avery  
Janice Alt  
Ruth & Dewaine Hall  
**And for all deceased**

**Please pray for our Military men and women who are serving overseas:**

Clay Livingston  
Andrew Buren  
Chris Davidson  
Matthew Chenault  
Kimberly Lee

Joshua Matheney  
Sgt. Brewer  
Shawn Emberton  
Cameron Brown  
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