

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



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Please have **bulletin** info. to the office by Friday of the  
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**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:**

Every Sunday at 10:30am

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

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**  
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**CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY**

Saint John Paul II reminded us that the Church “does not only celebrate the Eucharist but solemnly bears it in procession, publicly proclaiming that the sacrifice of Christ is for the salvation of the whole world.”



We rejoice in this post-Easter expression of our Eucharistic faith and devotion in order to deepen our attachment to the unique and unending Event that transforms our lives: “Out of the darkness of my life, so much frustrated, I put before you the one great thing to love on earth: the Blessed Sacrament.... There you will find romance, glory, honor, fidelity, and the true way of all your loves on earth” (J.R.R. Tolkien). As the Sequence for Corpus Christi begs: “Jesu, of Your love befriend us,/ You refresh us, you defend us,/ Your eternal goodness send us/ In the land of life to see.” ~ **The Magnificat**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, SPECIAL DINNER MEETING:**

Special Dinner Meeting of the Knights of Columbus on Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 pm **at Los Mariachis**. All members NEED to attend! Important business will be discussed! Thanks!

**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION, JUNE 7TH AT 12:30PM**

Our Corpus Christi procession on Sunday, June 7th, will take place after the 11:30 Mass at St. Helen's Church. We'd love for everyone to be here, processing around the block with the Blessed Sacrament, as we profess our Faith in Our Eucharistic Lord. Please pray for good weather.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, June 8-12, at SH Parish Center:**

Children ages 4-12 are invited to VBS on June 8-12, from 3:45pm-7pm. Registration will take place upon arrival on the 1st day. Cost is \$10 per family. Anyone age 13 or older is welcome to help. We will accept donations of food or teaching supplies or monetary donations in an envelope marked VBS and put in the collection basket. .

**OUR LADY'S AUXILIARY YARD SALE - JUNE 26, 2026:**

The last Friday of June is OLA Yard Sale at St. Helen's P.C. from 8am to 4pm. If you have any questions please contact Emily Coleman @ 270-646-6703. Donations accepted on Tues.& Wed., June 23 & 24.

**ANNIVERSARIES OF OUR PRIESTS AND DEACONS:**

Fr. Joel Rogers: June 10, 2000; Fr. Thomas Reagan: June 4, 2016; Fr. Michael French: June 4, 2022; Dcn. David Smith: Aug. 26, 2006; Dcn. Bruce Sullivan: Aug. 29, 2021; And in memory of Dcn. Lee Bidwell+: June 14, 1981. Congratulations and thank you for your selfless service to our parish! We are praying for you.

**ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT ON THE ROSARY:**

“If you say the Rosary faithfully until death, I do assure you that, in spite of the gravity of your sins you shall receive a never-fading crown of glory. Even if you are on the brink of damnation..., sooner or later you will be converted and will amend your life and will save your soul, if — and mark well what I say — if you say the Holy Rosary devoutly every day until death for the purpose of knowing the truth and obtaining contrition and pardon for your sins.”

**DAILY GOSPEL READINGS, JUNE 7-14, 2026**

Sun. Jn 6:51-58, Mon. Mt 5:1-12, Tues. Mt 5:13-16, Wed. Mt 5:17-19, Thurs. Mt 5:20-26, Fri. Mt 11:25-30, Sat. Lk 2:41-51, Sun. Mt. 9:36-10

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**ST. HELEN**

**Monday, June 8**

12:05pm All of Our Law Enforcement

**Tuesday, June 9**

8:00am Mearl Neumann+

**Wednesday, June 10**

12:05pm Chris Bastien+

**Thursday, June 11**

8:00am Lori Ann Rineholt

**Friday, June 12, Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity**

12:05pm George & Wanda Rothermel+

**Saturday, June 13, Immaculate Heart of Mary**

8:00am Our Lady's Auxiliary

4:00PM Elderly Mass (Paul Bastien+)

5:00pm Carmelita Claveria+

**Sunday, June 14**

8:00am(sp) People of the Parish

10:00am Teresa Kauffman+

11:30am Vincent Simon+

**OUR LADY OF THE CAVES**

**Wednesday, June 10**

8:00am All Deceased of the Parish

**Friday, June 12, Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity**

5:30pm Kathleen Regan

**Saturday, June 13, Immaculate Heart of Mary**

7:00pm(SP) Teodora Zaragoza Patricio+

**Sunday, June 14**

8:00am Richard Biven+

10:30am (Latin) Joe & Helga Alvey+

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

June 14, No Flowers Scheduled.

June 21, Vic & Joyce Pufahl in memory of Scott Pufahl

**CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE:**

**ST. HELEN:**

June 8-13 Meghan, Abigail & Claire Mattingly

June 15-20 Joan Osborne

**OUR LADY OF THE CAVES:**

June 8-13 Ricardo Family

June 15-20 Jane Howell

**BIRTHDAY'S THIS WEEK: June 8-14, 2026**

**June 8,** Kandice Short, Imelda Smith, David Strange, Roger Thompson,

**June 10** Gwyneth Duncan, Ana Lorenzana, Jacqueline Raque, Pamela Short, Beth Thomas,

**June 11** Mary Watters,

**June 12** Jazmin Campos, Olivia Cassman, Francis Derepentigny, Nancy Oswald, Lance Wilson,

**June 13** Gavin Bailey, Walter Bau, Karsen London, Gary Murphy, Patsy Thomas,

**June 14** Walter Hensel

**Prayer List:**

*Please pray for all the needs of our parishioners and their loved ones:*

Mary Simon	Lee Family
Cheryl Hensel	Don Joseph
John Bright	Mary Kay Bilczo
Patricia Buckler	Larry Adams
Judy Underwood	Helen Overstreet
Todd Perry, Sr.	Laura Brock Bennett
Henry Almeida	The Wise Family
Carolyn Tipton	Daniel Sallee
Lu Simpson	Jo Ann Gibson
Alexis Bowman	Jim Hale
Connie Peacock	Paula Baysinger
Shawn Peacock	Brina Nie
Jo Ann Hall	Virginia Lafferty
Jimmy C. Lyons, Jr.	Sara Ruth Strange
Nathan Jackson	Ruth Owens
Willard Thompson	Dennie Simpson
Mike Barron	Gayle Carrico
Jacob Mesi	Beverly Hogan
Doris Emberton	Chance Veals
Madeline Hale	Finn Truxillo
Mimi Stinson	Mary Davidson
Carly Leahey	Joyce Pufahl
Tim Isom	Gregory Rossi
Lee Mudd	Robert Crimmins
	Lee Ann Kirn
	Murphy DeMunbrun
	Mabel Mills
	Larry Crowley

**Deceased:**

*Please pray for all the deceased parishioners and their loved ones, friends and benefactors.*

Ashlie Hood	Scott Pufahl
Tommie Birge	Robert Glanz
Wayne Smith	Mary Gibson
Roger Miller	David Nie
Peggy Groenwald	Joseph Litera
Lisa Miller	Bill Groenwald
Charles Elmore	David Nine
Letecia Centeno	William Davis
Cade Dotson	Paul Bastien
DuWayne Gilchrist	Joseph Coleman
Connie Hunt	Bonnie Copass
Shirley Jones	Joseph Pierce
Sarah Smila	Joe & Helga Alvey
John Ulakey	Teresa Kauffman
Jeremy Birge	Kim Gibson-Lowe
Percy Stinson	Sandy Byrd
Gena Couch	James Anderson
Linda Sue Hester	Bruce Rothermel
George Lang	Annette Kunce
Arnold Emberton	Scott Szabo
Sam & Alma Basile	Joe & Jane Kehrt
Trudy Legendre	Jerry Matera
John Scalise	Michael Avery
Debra Sanders	Rick Carrico
Debi Kirsch	Carl Milay
	Richard Biven
	Paulette Bush
	Dcn. Lee Bidwell
	Norma Luke
	Don Haavisto
	Pam Packard

**And for all deceased**

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

Clay Livingston	Joshua Matheney
Andrew Buren	Sgt. Brewer
Chris Davidson	Shawn Emberton
Matthew Chenault	Cameron Brown
Kimberly Lee	Cameron Lynch LTC

<b>COLLECTIONS: 5/31/2026</b>	<b>ST. HELEN</b>	<b>OUR LADY OF CAVES</b>
<b>Sunday Collection:</b>	<b>\$4288.00</b>	<b>\$816.00</b>
<b>2nd Coll. Crusade for Children</b>	<b>\$942.00</b>	
<b>Food Pantry</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>	

Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity!

**CROSSROADS LIFE CENTER BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:**

Please support Crossroads Life Center by participating in their Baby Bottle Campaign. This is the largest fund raiser they have each year, beginning Mother's Day, **May 10th** and ending Father's Day, **June 21st**. Please return the filled baby bottles on Fathers Day. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

Dear Parish Family,

This Sunday of Corpus Christi, we celebrate the fact that Jesus Christ gave us the greatest gift He could possibly give- Himself- Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity in the Eucharist. When we receive Jesus worthily and devoutly in Holy Communion, He transforms our souls. He increases His divine life in us so that we love like Jesus loves., We are given the ability to do that impossible command- "Love one another as I have loved you." We love what Jesus loves, and we hate what Jesus hates. We begin to forgive better, we love the Church more, we become compassionate to the poor and afflicted, we long for the healing and conversion of sinners and those fallen away from the faith, and most of all we grow closer in union with the Blessed Trinity, assuring us more of our salvation. Jesus promises us that if we eat His flesh and drink His blood, He will give us life- not just any life- supernatural life in Himself.

But Jesus gave us this wonderful Sacrament, not only to consume, but to adore!! When we pray in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, we grow closer and closer to Jesus. Our Lord works miracles by the power of His divinity, but His divine power was worked through His human flesh. He cast out demons by word, He healed the blind, mute, deaf, crippled and diseased by His word and touch., He raised the dead by command of His mouth. What will He do for us who are present before His human flesh in the Blessed Sacrament?

After the 11:30am Mass today, we are having a Eucharistic Procession around the block to celebrate our love for the Blessed Sacrament! Please join us! There are many special graces given by Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament when we celebrate His love. Let us profess our Catholic faith in the Eucharist in this Procession., Please come! A blessed Corpus Christi Sunday to all of you!

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Joel

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