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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

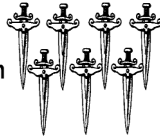
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 30, 2026



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September
Month of The Seven
Sorrows of Mary



When Peter tries to deny the Lord his Passion—"God forbid that such a thing ever happen to you!"—the Lord rebukes him. Why? Because Christ's death on the cross would fulfill the "good and pleasing and perfect" will of the Father for our salvation. In union with Jesus, we offer our bodies as a living sacrifice to God. And no matter how much our sharing in Christ's cross may make us an object of the world's laughter and mockery, the love of God is like a fire burning in our heart. This love, in all its life-giving glory, is what Christ reveals on the cross. --Magnificat

CCD CLASSES:

We will begin our Catechism Program the first Wednesday of September, with a Mass at St., Helen Church at 6pm. Registration for classes will be on August 26 at 6pm in SH Parish Center. Registration Forms will be in both churches for those who want to register early. Students will not begin classes until the week after they register.

CONTINUED ADULT FORMATION:

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, our parish "Catholic Foundations" class will begin Sunday morning, August 30th, at 9:30 am., at the youth center building, next to the main parish center. For more info contact Dcn. Bruce Sullivan @ 270-774-7472.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST, Aug. 30:

ATTENTION: The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a pancake breakfast on Sunday, August 30th, after all 3 Sunday Masses at St. Helen's Parish Center, **only**. Pancakes, eggs, sausage, juice, milk and coffee will be served. There will be no charge but **donations** will be appreciated.

NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE :

We will remember the victims of abortion and all of their family members on September 12th at 2:00pm at the memorial in front of St Helen's Parish Center.

ST. HELEN/OLC'S MISSION IS SEPTEMBER 20-24:

Mark your calendars for this upcoming Mission by Fr. Ken Geraci, of the Fathers of Mercy. You will not want to miss it! The time is not yet determined. Location is at OLC's Church.

WOMEN'S RETREAT IS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH.

Ladies please mark your calendar for this special day of retreat for women. It will begin at 10am with Mass at OLC's Church., and end with praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm. Please bring something for our potluck lunch. Lunchmeat tray provided.

THE APPARITIONS:

On August 30, 2026, at 3:00pm Yolanda Lorenzana, 270.361.1099, will be showing the movie "The Apparitions" at the Parish Center, about Our Lady of Guadalupe's apparitions to St. Juan Diego. Please come if you are interested in participating in the play.

CONSECRATION TO MARY MEETING:

On August 30, 2026. at 2:00 p.m., Yolanda, 270.361.1099, will hold the first meeting with those interested in the Consecration to Mary on December 12. Please attend this important meeting.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, THE ANNUAL WALK FOR LIFE EVENT AT CROSSROAD LIFE CENTER. The 1 mile walk around downtown Glasgow begins at 9:00am. Stick around for give-aways at conclusion of walk. Ask for sponsors. St. Helen/OLC's has **raised \$3959.** with the Baby Bottle Campaign. Thank you!!!

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. HELEN

Monday, August 31

12:05pm Vera & Floyd Emmitt+

Tuesday, September 1

8:00am Dorothy Mae Caine+

Wednesday, September 2

12:05pm Chris Bastien+

Thursday, September 3

8:00am Tommie Birge+

Friday, September 4

12:05pm In honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, September 5

8:00am Our Lady's Auxiliary

5:00pm Leon Strange+

Sunday, September 6

8:00am(sp)

10:00am Margaret & Peter Leo+

11:30am Pam Packard+

OUR LADY OF THE CAVES

Wednesday, September 2

8:00am All Deceased of the Parish

Friday, September 4

5:30pm Grace of Conversion of Barren & Hart Counties

Saturday, September 5

8:00am Benefactors

7:00pm(SP) Ashlie Hood+

Sunday, September 6

8:00am Mike Carter+ and family

10:30am (Latin) People of the Parish

ALTAR FLOWER SCHEDULE, ST. HELEN:

Sept. 6, No flowers scheduled.

Sept. 13, Normeli Cipriano for Odibel Cipriano+

Sept. 20, Normeli Cipriano for Lorenza Ramirez+

CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE:

ST. HELEN:

Aug. 30-Sept. 5 Emily Coleman

Sept. 7-12 Christina Lorenzana

OUR LADY OF THE CAVES:

Aug. 31-Sept. 5 Smith & Pena Family

Sept. 7-12 Rothman Family

BIRTHDAY'S THIS WEEK: Aug 31- Sept. 6, 2026

Aug. 31 Maria Basile, Aaron Fernandez,
Sept. 1 Claudia Ramos, Nelson Hernandez, ,
Sept. 2 Arnold Ayotte, Frances Bidwell, Melvin Doty,
Miguel Gaspar, David Smith, **Sept. 3** B.J. Crowley, Dawson
Sullivan, **Sept. 4** Andrew Lee, Blakely Richardson, Mary
Simon, **Sept. 5** Caroline Crowley, Amber Fisher, Jazmin
Gonzalez, Maxie Murray, Christian Herrera, Veronica
Turecek, **Sept. 6** Caleb Burris

DAILY GOSPEL READINGS, AUG. 30-SEPT. 6, 2026

Sun. Mt 16:21-27, Mon. Lk 4:16-30, Tues. Lk 4:31-37,

Wed. Lk 4:38-44, Thurs. Lk 5:1-11, Fri. Lk 5:33-39,

Sat. Lk 6:1-5, Sun. Mt 18:15-20

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

Ochoa Family	Don Joseph
Mary Simon	Mary Kay Bilczo
John Bright	Larry Adams
Patricia Buckler	Helen Overstreet
Judy Underwood	Laura Brock Bennett
Todd Perry, Sr.	Daniel Sallee
Henry Almeida	Jo Ann Gibson
Carolyn Tipton	Jim Hale
Lu Simpson	Paula Baysinger
Alexis Bowman	Brina Nie
Connie Peacock	Virginia Lafferty
Shawn Peacock	Sara Ruth Strange
Jo Ann Hall	Ruth Owens
Jimmy C. Lyons, Jr.	Dennie Simpson
Nathan Jackson	Gayle Carrico
Willard Thompson	Chance Veals
Mike Barron	Finn Truxillo
Jacob Mesi	Joyce Pufahl
Doris Emberton	Robert Crimmins
Madeline Hale	Murphy DeMunbrun
Mimi Stinson	Mabel Mills
Carly Leakey	Brenda Kaye Thompson
Tim Isom	Abbey Puckett
Lee Mudd	Olivia Bruton Duke
Lee Family	Kaye Taylor
	Nathaniel Wise
	Marti Naylor

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

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

COLLECTIONS: AUG. 23, 2026

ST. HELEN

OUR LADY OF CAVES

Sunday Collection:

Food Pantry

Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity!

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parish Family,

"I give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Matthew 16: 19). Here, Jesus clearly gives Peter the authority to bind and loose in matters of the Church's teaching. Whatever Peter (and his successors the popes) teaches in matters of faith and morals is the truth. Jesus also says to the apostles, "Whoever hears you hears Me; whoever rejects you rejects Me." This authority is Christ's authority, so He gives the Holy Spirit to the pope so that even in spite of himself, the pope cannot teach errors in matters of faith and morals. Why is it so important that we have Sacred Scripture, Sacred Tradition and the Magisterium? Because we need to know what Christ teaches with certainty. These are teachings that involve our eternal salvation. If left on our own to figure out Christ's teachings, we will often deceive ourselves. We have the unfortunate ability to interpret the Bible according to our own liking. We are to serve God's Word; God's Word does not serve us. Our Lord instituted His Church so that we will not be without a shepherd. It is a gift of Jesus' great mercy. May we have a great love for Jesus the Divine Word, and may we also love whom Jesus loves, His bride the Church.

Just a reminder that the catechism registration is on Wednesday, August 26 at the parish center at 6pm. There will be a Mass at St. Helen Church for our catechism students and their families and teachers on Wednesday, September 2 at 6pm. And then the classes begin on Wednesday, September 9 from 6pm till 7:30pm. May God bless all of you and your families!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Joel

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH:

Holy St. Joseph, Spouse of Mary, please guide the community of St. Helen's and bless our parish project. Watch over us and provide for our physical and spiritual needs. As the faithful guardian of God's greatest treasures, help us bring this work to a successful completion for His glory and the good of our souls. Amen.

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