

## FLOWERS OF THE RAREST

Bring flowers of the rarest  
bring blossoms the fairest,  
from garden and woodland and hillside and dale;  
our full hearts are swelling,  
our glad voices telling  
the praise of the loveliest flower of the vale!

### **Refrain:**

O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today!  
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.  
O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today,  
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.

Their lady they name thee,  
Their mistress proclaim thee,  
Ah, grant that thy children on earth be as true  
as long as the bowers  
are radiant with flowers,  
as long as the azure shall keep its bright hue

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# Holy Smokes

Irish Whiskey



**CIGARS ON THE DECK  
& HEAVY APPETIZERS**



**THURSDAY, MAY 22, 6PM  
HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK  
130 AVONDALE AVE. TOLEDO, OH 43604**



**\$40 PER PERSON**

**CALL 419-243-6452**

**RSVP LIMIT 40 GUESTS**





**Donate to Heartbeat and Help offer Hope and Support to Women, Children and Families in Need!**

The Historic Church of St. Patrick is hosting a Baby Bottle Drive to benefit Heartbeat of Toledo. Participation is easy. Baby bottles have been provided for you to take home, fill it with your spare change, cash or checks. We understand that it may be more convenient for some to give digitally, we have incorporated various electronic ways to contribute in an effort to maximize ease for those who wish to donate to this cause of Hope. With the electronic giving option there is also the opportunity to set up a recurring monthly gift to support the families we serve. Those wishing to join us by donation can do so by visiting the website at:

<https://www.heartbeattoledo.org/donate-now/> or by hovering your camera over the QR code listed below. Envelopes will also be provided for your convenience as well if you choose to give cash or check donations. Our church's campaign for Heartbeat of Toledo will begin the weekend of **May 11 and end the weekend of May 25, 2025.**

Your donation will help support hundreds of women, children and families in the coming year. Your donation will help Heartbeat continue to provide free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, and options counseling to expectant women, helping turn fear into confidence. Heartbeat also offers prenatal and parenting classes where new and expectant moms and dads can learn valuable parenting skills while earning much-needed baby items. Help with making an adoption plan is also available. For more information on Heartbeat call 419-241-9131 or visit [www.heartbeattoledo.org](http://www.heartbeattoledo.org). Your support matters!







## Events

### Firecracker 5K Run

**\$35 9:00AM EDT-10:30AM EDT** Registration ends June 10, 2025 at 11:59pm EDT

### Firecracker 5K Walk

**\$35 9:00AM EDT-10:30AM EDT** Registration ends June 10, 2025 at 11:59pm EDT

## Race Website

Additional race information can be found at <http://www.springfieldtownship.net>.

## Place

Springfield Township's Community Homecoming Park  
7807 Angola Road  
Holland, OH US 43528

## Description

The Firecracker 5K Run/Walk and Hero HUSTLE are new additions to Springfield Township's annual and wildly popular Freedom Celebration! We created this event to honor the memory of long-time Springfield Township resident Pvt. Sterling "Butch" Rahe, who left us too soon in January of 2024. The Firecracker 5K Run/Walk will offer participants the opportunity to enjoy the terrain of Community Homecoming Park including the new fitness trail, enjoy the fun, competing for top prizes and see proceeds benefit firefighter mental health and scholarship initiatives. The time frame includes:

Advance Registration	(which guarantees participants their desired shirt size)
Day-of Registration	7:45-8:45 am
Welcome and Memories	8:46 am
Warm-Up	8:55 am
Runner Start	9:00 am
Walker Start	9:05 am
Hero HUSTLE	9:35 am (yes, we've again convinced our celebrities to do inflatable dinosaur suits and race for charity!)
Awards	9:50 am



# This Week on Formed

## Week of May 11, 2025



### **The Day the Sun Danced: The True Story of Fatima**

In 1917, three children in Fatima, Portugal, saw the Blessed Mother, shared her message, and witnessed the miracle of the sun dancing in the sky. Their faith inspired the world. Experience this miracle in this great film the entire family will enjoy.



### **The 13th Day**

In a world torn apart by persecution, war, and oppression, three children in Fatima were chosen by God to offer an urgent message of hope to the world. Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, *The 13th Day* dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady, which culminated in the final prophesied miracle on October 13.



### **Our Lady of Fatima | Brother Francis and Friends**

Brother Francis and Sister Imelda tell the story of the three shepherd children from Fatima who saw visions of Mary, later to be known as Our Lady of Fatima. Learn about the courage and faith these children exhibited and how they were rewarded with an amazing miracle!

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YOUNG CATHOLIC  
PROFESSIONALS

# HOLY + SOCIAL HOUR

- Rosary
- Adoration
- Confessions

Followed by a social hour

**Date: May 13**

**Time: 7-9 p.m.**

**Location: Little Flower Parish**

**YCP is a professional networking group for those in their 20-30s.**