



**Saint Paul's Outreach**<sup>®</sup>  
CATHOLIC FAITH ALIVE ON CAMPUS

# Off to THE Ohio State University!

October 2014

I am incredibly filled with joy because the Lord is good and He always provides! The year stretches out ahead with tantalizing possibilities as we continue into the fall semester at OSU.

Already, God's hand is evident in this ministry: in the things we do -The School of the New Evangelization, Household Move-in and Retreat, Catholic-Rush Week (University Welcome Week) Events, Bible Studies, Women's Nights and personal conversations with students and staff- but mostly through the lives of students!

How incredible is God that He provides us this opportunity to work **together** to change lives and build HIS

kingdom! **THANK YOU** for your YES!!! I go forth with confidence and boldness strengthened by your support. I can't wait to share with you in this great journey!



## Frontliners

Above is our team of missionaries at OSU!  
In order from left to right...

**Back:** Patrick (Portsmouth, Ohio), Oscar (Miami, FL), Brent (Glandorf, OH), John (Dallas, TX), Andrew (Columbus, OH)

**Front:** Me, Alissa (Crystal Lake, IL), Sarah (Duluth, MN)

# Households

Households are an exciting and **POWERFUL** part of our ministry in SPO and especially here at Ohio State. This year we have **21 men** and **17 women** living in household. This means a total of 38 young people living a truly Christian life.

What does it look like to live with Christ as the center of my life and to love others? It is through households that the **art of living** is learned.

Our students commit to 2-3 weekly dinners and 4 days of Morning Prayer each week, chores, our formation program, and being present with each other and the larger community. It is through these commitments and relationships built that these young people are formed in Christian charity and filled with joy.



## Meet Amy Roshak...

Hello there! I am Amy Roshak, from North Canton, Ohio. I'm a sophomore studying biochemistry at Ohio State, and this is my first year living in an SPO Household!!

I have been beyond pumped to move in to household ever since early freshman year when I learned about it. I wanted to be a holier person, and I thought living in household would be an easy fix to that. Well, being in household definitely influences holiness, but it's not always easy!

After a few weeks of eagerly waking up PUMPED for Morning Prayer, my enthusiasm has simmered, and life together has become more real, but the Lord blesses diligence with grace. This has been truly evident in the relationships formed among us women. We all jumped head first into each other's lives and have grown exponentially closer as a result.

Fears have been driven out, walls torn down, and deep, precious bonds have been formed. What makes this even more amazing is that we are all striving after the same thing, *together*. We seek Jesus individually, *and* as a community. When we fall, we get back up *together*, and when one of us encounters Jesus in a new way, it inspires us all to chase after Him ourselves.

I am excited to continue my journey to Jesus with these awesome sisters, and I thank God for the ways He has been working in my life through SPO Household!

## New Developments

This year at OSU, in addition to 1 men's house and 2 women's houses on North Campus, we have **2 new Households** on South Campus: the Antioch Men's Outpost and our Women's apartment, Judah.

We are now in close proximity to the Student Union, 20 Residence Halls, Greek housing and the social hub of campus. There are **abundant opportunities** to be an even greater and more consistent presence in the lives of many students.



The women living in household this year at our **Household Retreat** in August at Lazy Bear Lodge in Hocking Hills, OH.

Welcome to THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY *The Buckeyes*  
*Be Catholic, Be Involved*

# CATHOLIC RUSH WEEK

EVENTS HOSTED BY

**St. Thomas More Newman Center**  
 64 W. Lane Avenue  
 BuckeyeCatholic.com

**Saint Paul's Outreach**  
 161 E. Patterson Avenue  
 spoweb.org

**August 24-31 2014**

**Sunday — MASS**  
 Newman Center: 10, noon, 6 & 9 PM

**Monday — CAPTURE THE FLAG**  
 Thompson Statue on the Oval: 7 PM

**Wednesday — OPENING DAY MASS • COOKOUT**  
 Newman Center: 5:30 PM

**Thursday — HOG ROAST**  
 161 East Patterson Ave: 6:30 PM

**Friday — EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**  
 Newman Center: noon-5 PM

**Friday — WOMEN'S SCAVENGER HUNT**  
 Thompson Statue on the Oval: 7 PM

**Friday — MEN'S POKER NIGHT**  
 45 East 13th: 8 PM

**Saturday — MASS**  
 Newman Center: 5:30 PM

**Sunday — MASS**  
 Newman Center: 10, noon, 6 & 9 PM

**Sunday — SPAGHETTI DINNER**  
 Newman Center: 7 PM

**JOIN US!**



The Welcome Week **Hog Roast** at the men's house on North Campus-Fort Zion- brought students into a strong, joyful environment.

We call it **CRUSH Week**: it's the first week students are back on campus and it's all about reaching!

## What's Happening?

**1.**

### REACH

- Oval Outreach: Missionaries and students initiating **conversations about faith** on the oval
- Women's Night
- One Gospel

**2.**

### CALL

- **27 Bible Studies** being led all over campus

**3.**

### FORM

- **65** students in formation
- **38** people living in household

**4.**

### SEND

- 50 bible study leaders
- 16 Students in Missionary Corps



Our first monthly **Women's Night**: Sweet Tooth and Photo Booth, was a success with around 40 women experiencing and discussing authentic women's environment.



Nearly 120 students came to our first **One Gospel Night**. We heard Decon Poyo speak on discipleship and spent some time in worship.

## Personal



*In September, the Bauer family gathered for a weekend in Columbus before my brother, Matt, left for South Sudan to serve with the Salesian Missionaries of John Bosco.*



*Meet the women's Apartment on South, Judah: Jillian, Kari, Kaitlyn and myself. We are training for the Columbus 1/2 Marathon on Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>!*

## Prayer Requests

- Missionary zeal in our Student Missionaries and full time Mission Leaders
- For the women living in Judah with me: Jillian, Kari and Kaitlyn
- Students going on the upcoming Awakening Retreat, October 11-13
- Our 2 Unveiled Women's groups- healing from sexual sin.

*\*Please don't hesitate to send me your prayer requests as well! Feel free to reach me by phone or email.*

**For more recent updates, check out my blog at [ejbauerspo.weebly.com](http://ejbauerspo.weebly.com)**

