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The Parishioners of The St. Sebastian & St. Charles Catholic Churches of McLean County
Thanks to all the businesses that help support our bulletin both in the past and the present.

<p>Sacrament of Baptism The Sacrament of Baptism for infants is administered upon request. Parents and Godparents must attend class on Baptism in the Catholic Church. Please contact the pastor or the office to set up an appointment for this class at least a month in advance. At least one parent must be a practicing Catholic for their child to be baptized in the Catholic Church. Godparents must be at least 16 years of age, and at least one must be a practicing Catholic.</p> <p>Is anyone sick/admitted in the hospital? If anyone is sick or admitted in the hospital, please let Pastor know or call the office.</p> <p>Sacrament of Penance Sacrament of Penance is administered every Saturday at 4:30pm or by appointment at St. Sebastian Church.</p>	<p>Rite of Christian initiation of adults and children (RCIA): Adults interested in becoming Catholic participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA). The Rite of Christian Initiation is a process of initiation into the Catholic Community of Faith. This is for persons who are seeking baptism in the Catholic Church or full communion with the Catholic tradition through the Profession of Faith, reception of Eucharist and Confirmation. If you are interested, please call the office.</p> <p>Sacrament of Marriage A couple wishing to marry must contact the priest at least six months before the desired wedding date. According to the guidelines of our diocese, you should not make absolute plans for a specific wedding date until after meeting with the pastor. The couple will be required to attend a marriage preparation course which will include at least one formal program such as an Engaged Encounter weekend of the Sponsor Couple Program.</p>
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Bulletin Information
Information for the Bulletin needs to be submitted to St. Sebastian's office by Wednesday.
270-273-3185 or stsebch@bellsouth.net

St. Sebastian & St. Charles Churches invite you to contact the church office at 270-273-3185 if you or someone you know are unable to come to church due to any type of disability. Do not let this keep you from coming to Mass. We will make every effort to come get you and take you home.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 25, 2023



St. Sebastian Church
180 Hwy 136 West
Calhoun, KY 42327

St. Charles Church
506 Hill Street
Livermore, KY 42352

We the people of the Catholic churches of McLean County come together as a loving parish family-reaching out as one, with open hearts, minds and souls to share our love for God and our neighbor centered around the Holy Eucharist.

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Thank you!
THANK YOU to all of the ladies who cooked for and celebrated with our fathers this past Sunday. A special thanks to Kim Cooper and her traveling waffle company, and to Lindsay Searcy and Laura Fritz (and several others) who led the kitchen cleanup. We are blessed to be able to count on y'all's culinary talents and spirit of generosity for our church events. Thanks from Becky and Cathy.

ST. SEBASTIAN
Parish Council: Marc Searcy 270-993-8161
Finance Committee: Tony Searcy 270-993-1775
Rel Education Coord.: Lindsay Searcy & Laura Fritz
St. Vincent de Paul: 270-499-2309
Knights of Columbus Council 15484:
Neil Scott 270-993-7370
Youth Coordinator:
Spec. Events Committee: Becky Cheatham 270-314-8290
Cathy Burden 270-316-4488
Parish Hall Rental: Church Office 270-273-3185
Cemetery: Church Office 270-273-3185
Altar Society: Brianne McCarty

Rummage Sale
Have you reserved a space for our church rummage sale? It will be held Friday, June 30th, and Saturday, July 1st. Please let Cathy Burden know if you need a 10x10 space or more — only \$20. Reservations are coming in, so don't wait too late to get your space! The Knights of Columbus will be selling pork burgers and ice cream, too!

St. Sebastian will pray the rosary every Sunday at 8:00am.
Parish breakfast First Sunday of every month after mass.
Donut breakfast all other Sundays after mass.

Eucharistic Revival Small Groups
St. Sebastian
The small groups have been condensed down to just two groups. Group-1 will be led by Paula Hayden and Marc Searcy. Group-2 will be led by Debra Hamilton and Neil Scott. Please check the list that is on the table to find out which group you are in. If you have not signed up but wish to, you can still do so. Thank you.

ST. CHARLES
Parish Council: David Albin 270-499-3950
Finance Committee: Derek Miller 270-314-2007
Bereavement Committee: Carol Rhodes 270-278-2759

Ministry List
The new ministry list is posted on the bulletin board. There are also some extra copies on the table for your convenience. As usual, if you will be absent on your scheduled day, please find a substitute. Thank you.

St. Charles prays the rosary every Sunday at 10:00am.
Parish potluck brunch First Sunday of every month after mass.

ALL ARE WELCOME - IF YOU ARE A VISITOR TO OUR CHURCH, WE WANT TO WELCOME YOU. IF YOU ARE NEW TO THE PARISHES, CALL 273-3185 OR STOP BY THE OFFICE DURING OFFICE HOURS TO REGISTER.

Dear Friends in Jesus Christ,

After sending His disciples by giving authority for a great mission of evangelization for the kingdom of God this past weekend, through the Gospel of today Jesus tries to strengthen His disciples by saying, "do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna." Though Jesus says to His disciples to, "Fear no one", the poor disciples have every reason to fear the so-called religious teachers of Jesus' time; the scribes and pharisees, because the preaching and teaching of the disciples are going to be quite contrary to the teachings and preachings of the religious teachers. Yes, it is easy to tell someone to speak the truth, but it is not an easy job.

Dear friends, it is to this difficult job of speaking the truth boldly, you and I are called and baptized. Unfortunately, "many are called, but few are chosen." (Mt.22:14) Today, the question is, 'can you be one of the chosen ones?' Remember, only when you and I become part of the chosen ones, we become part of His kingdom. So, if we are serious about entering into the Kingdom of God, we should be serious about the call that we have received too. When we are serious about our call, it is then we come to the realization that it is not the body, rather it is the soul that is important in our lives. This is the truth the Gospel of Mark 8: 36 proclaims and changed the life of Francis Xavier to become St. Francis Xavier, "what does it profit a man to gain the whole world yet forfeit his soul."

Dear friends, let us ask ourselves- am I scared to speak the truth in this world? If so, no doubt we are worried about our earthly life more than the life after. It is this fear that discourages us from preaching the good news of the Lord. Jesus Christ, who sacrificed His life for us, and who gave us the Holy Spirit to continue His mission in this world comes to us in the Gospel and assures us His special care and protection for preaching the Gospel. The reward for preaching the Gospel is invaluable that, "Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father. But whoever denies me before others, I will deny before my heavenly Father." Yes, dear friends, the future of every Christian life is not decided tomorrow, but it is decided today itself based on the faithfulness that we show to our Lord and to His mission today.

Living in this postmodern world, without any doubt I can say that people are gradually losing the sense of God or His presence in their lives and losing the sense of right and wrong in their lives. Often, we forget what we are, where we are and what we are doing. It is about this situation Pope Francis says,

"The tragedy of today's world is that people have lost the sense of sin." This is what we see in the parable of the prodigal son. The parable says, 'while coming back to his senses he thought about his father and returned home.' Coming to his senses means, thinking about the Kingdom of God. Yes, the Gospel is inviting us all to come back to our senses and give priority to our soul and its needs more than the body and the world.

As a Christian who is in his right senses acknowledges his identity as the image of God, and duty as the proclamation of Christ through his/her life. It is about the same duty Jesus says today; "Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father; but whoever denies me before others, I will deny before my father." Thus, being created in the image of God, let us live in this world as an image of God, which will be possible only by giving priority to God, who nourishes our body and soul. Let us also pray for the whole world that everyone in the world will come to their senses and that the other is my responsibility, not a burden, which Jesus says: Love of God and Love of neighbor. **God Bless.**

Ursuline Sisters' Quilt Club

It's not too late to purchase your annual Quilt Club tickets from the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph. Ten drawings remain in the coming months. For one \$25 ticket, you will get 10 chances to win a new handmade quilt! (Be sure to get your ticket by June 2 for the next drawing). Quilts are made by Ursuline Sisters, Associates and friends, and the proceeds help support the Ursuline Sisters and their ministries. A new name is drawn on the first Friday of each month at noon Central Time through March 2024. You can watch the drawings live on the Ursuline Sister's Facebook page: <http://www.facebook.com/ursulinesmsj>. Only 2,500 tickets will be sold. Call 270-229-2008



Save the Date

On April 18, 2024, St. Mary of the Woods, Blessed Mother, Immaculate, and Sts. Joseph & Paul are teaming up to bring Christopher West and the Theology of the Body Institute to Owensboro! Tickets will go on sale this fall for \$25 each.

Thank you for your contributions to both churches.

Financial Report – June 18, 2023

St. Sebastian- Amount Needed: \$3,067.00 weekly.

Regular Collection	\$ 1,955.00 – 1,112.00
Emergency Fund	\$ 260.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 210.00

Financial Report – June 18, 2023

St. Charles - Amount Needed: \$1,249.00 weekly.

Regular Collection	\$ 1,4110.00 + 162.00
Special Collections	\$ 50.00

**Mass Schedule
June 25 – July 2**

Sunday – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian
Guy & Virginia Anderson
-10:30am - Mass at St. Charles – Joe Marcum

Monday – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am – Mass at St. Sebastian - Alvin Bickett

Tuesday – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian – Joan Warren

**Wednesday – St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr
(Memorial)**

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian – Betty Caraway
-5:30pm - Mass at St. Charles
Lauretta Evans Adkins

**Thursday – Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles
(Solemnity)**

-8:30am – Mass at St. Sebastian -JoAnn Hayden

Friday- No Mass

Saturday – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-3:00pm - Confession
-4:00pm – Mass at St. Sebastian - Parishioners

Sunday –Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian
Charlotte Vance
-10:30am – Mass at St. Charles – Mary Albin

Happy Anniversary - St. Sebastian



Joseph & Judy Christian – June 30

"Since Christ Himself has said, "This is My Body" who shall dare to doubt that It is His Body?"
- St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Please Pray for our Military

MMN1 Andrew Logsdon, SSgt. James (J.P.) Dye, John Randall Zarembo, Major Jack Kaina, Major Bradley Summers, Lance Corporal Marine Joseph Ryan Hunter, Lt. Col. Michael Rezebek. A.B. Phillip Wilson, Specialist 4 Chaz McKay, Sgt. Adam Dickey, and Corpsman Aly Franklin.

Prayer List for Members of our Community

Serena Cooper, Cindy Miller, Betty Bickett, Gloria Tingle, Charles May, Jerry Abney, Tori Hayden, John Pinkston, Thomas Scott, Bob Guentner, Justus & Donnya Hayden, Helen Kraus, Jimmy Clayton, Brandon Good, Ethan Settle, Faye May, Louis Dant, Sharon Anderson and Tasha Miller

Eucharistic Revival

USCCB has called for a 3 year long Eucharistic Revival program all over the dioceses in the US. The National Eucharistic Revival is a great opportunity for all of us to share our love for the Eucharist, to teach every person encountering Jesus personally, and to foster adult faith formation in our dioceses.

As part of our local observance of the National Eucharistic Revival, Bishop Medley is inviting all in the Diocese of Owensboro to participate in listening sessions on the topic of the Holy Eucharist.

We are now in the second year of the Eucharistic Revival, and we are called to have a parish level Eucharistic Revival.

If you have not signed up for our parish level Eucharistic Revival discussion, you are kindly requested to sign up in one of the groups please.

Happy Birthday - St. Sebastian



Robin Vicars – June 24

Faith Hope Love
AND THE GREATEST OF THESE IS LOVE

Happy Birthday - St. Charles



Georgia Calhoun – June 28

**Ministry Schedule
July 1, 2023**

St. Sebastian Euch. Min: Katie Murphy
Lectors: Paula Tichenor

**Ministry Schedule
July 2, 2023**

St. Sebastian Euch. Min: Patricia Hayden
Drew McCarty
Laurie Scott
Lectors: Lindsay Searcy
Kathy Hudson
Gift Bearers: Mr. & Mrs. Quinton Sexton
Hospitality Ministers: Donald Durbin
Tony Searcy
Money Counters: Josh Searcy
Neil Scott
Donuts: Church Breakfast

St. Charles Euch: Min: Jackie Lee
Sherry Logsdon
Lectors: Derek Miller
Geneva Bishop
Gift Bearers: Mr. & Mrs. Lee Edwards
Money Counters: Derek Miller
David Albin