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For I know the *plans* I have for you,
declares the *Lord*,
plans to give you *hope and a future.*

— JEREMIAH 29:11 —

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

<u>Sacrament of Baptism</u> 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. <u>Is anyone sick/admitted in the hospital?</u> If anyone is sick or admitted in the hospital, please let Pastor know or call the office. <u>Sacrament of Penance</u> Sacrament of Penance is administered every Saturday at 3:00 pm or by appointment at St. Sebastian Church.	<u>Rite of Christian initiation of adults and children (RCIA):</u> 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. <u>Sacrament of Marriage</u> 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.
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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@outlook.com

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.

TWENTY EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME



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.

<u>STAFF & CONTACTS</u> Pastor: Rev. Fr. Chrispin Oneko Pastor email: chrispin.oneko@pastoral.org Cell Phone: 270-484-0532, Office: 270-273-3185 Email: stsebch@outlook.com Website: www.stsebastianandstcharles.com Secretary/Bookkeeper: Kimberly Cooper 270-499-8960 Music Minister: Tracie Feldpausch: 270-314-0158	<u>Church Office Hours</u> Church Office will be closed from October 12-16. <u>OCIA Schedule</u> <u>Location:</u> St. Sebastian – 6-7:30PM - Oct. 11 “Who is Jesus?” - Oct. 18 “The Cross and Resurrection” - Oct. 28 “The Catholic Church” St. Charles – 6-7:30PM - Oct. 21 “The Holy Spirit” Every 3rd Sunday at St. Sebastian the youth in our church will be participating in the ministries, such as, lectors, gift bearers, and hospitality. <u>Family Faith Formation</u> Oct. 25 – Family Meeting 3:00-4:30PM <u>Safe Environment</u> The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities (270-338-2240); local law enforcement (270-273-3276); or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (1-877-597-2331). To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church, call Louanne Payne, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator(English) (270-852-8380), or Susan Montalvo-Gesser/Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinators(Spanish) (270-880-8360). The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available on the diocesan website (owensborodiocese.org/safe-environment-policies/). To make a report of sexual abuse of a minor and related misconduct go to ReportBishopAbuse.org
<u>ST. SEBASTIAN</u> Parish Council: Cathy Burden 270-316-4488 Finance Committee: Tony Searcy 270-993-1775 Rel Education Coord.: Lindsay Searcy & Laura Fritz Youth Group: Kevin & Laura Fritz St. Vincent de Paul: 270-499-2309 Knights of Columbus Council 15484: Meet every 3rd Monday at 6pm/St. Sebastian Neil Scott 270-499-0955 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	
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.	
<u>ST. CHARLES</u> Parish Council: Christina Hudson 270- 871-6644 Finance Committee: Derek Miller 270-314-2007 Bereavement Committee: Carol Rhodes 270-278-2759	
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 Christ,

Both the prophet Isaiah and Jesus in today’s Gospel describe God’s coming kingdom using the image of a feast or banquet. Isaiah says that on the mountain of Zion – a symbol of the heavenly Jerusalem – the Lord will provide a feast of the finest foods and choice wines for all peoples. Tears will be wiped away and death will be destroyed. Those who have looked to the Lord to save them will rejoice and be glad.

In today’s Gospel reading, Jesus uses a similar image by comparing the kingdom of heaven to a king hosting a wedding feast for his son. The invitations have been sent, the feast has been prepared, and everything is ready. All that is needed are the guests, but those who receive the invitation either ignore it or do violence to the king’s messengers.

What the king does next – destroying the murderers and their city – may seem shocking to our modern sensibilities. However, this response to an attack on the king’s honor would have been expected in his first-century Mediterranean context. What would have shocked Matthew’s original readers is the king’s second response, when he instructs his servants to go out to the main roads and invite anyone they can find to the feast. In Jesus’ time, eating together signified shared values and social status. The further the servants traveled on the main road away from the city center, the poorer the people they found would have been. Therefore, this round of invited guests would have entailed an intermingling of the poor and the elite.

Both the good and the bad are invited to the feast. The only one who is thrown out is the one not wearing a wedding garment. There are two aspects of the kingdom that we can discern from this passage. First, the kingdom of heaven is a present reality. We are invited here and now to attend the heavenly banquet. Second, the fullness of God’s kingdom will arrive in the future, and only those who are prepared will be allowed entrance. Having received our spotless garment at baptism, we have been instructed to keep it clean until the time when we will meet Jesus, our king and bridegroom, at his second coming.

At each Eucharist, we receive a foretaste of this heavenly feast. Let us prepare ourselves to accept the invitation to this heavenly banquet, clothing ourselves in the appropriate attire of repentance and good deeds. **Amen.**

Young Adult Ultimate Frisbee - OBKY Catholic

Join us for Ultimate Frisbee on Sundays at 3:30 p.m., September 13–October 11, at Yellow Creek Park. Open to young adults ages 18–39. No experience is necessary—just bring your own water and come ready to play!

Focus on Faith

Focus on Faith book study led by Sister Ann from Mt. Saint Joseph is held the 2nd Thursday monthly in St. Charles Church Hall at 10 a.m. Sister Ann is so knowledgeable and leads us in quite interesting discussions.

Acts 2:42 Study Group

Excited to start our 3rd. year of Acts 2:42 group study. Our monthly meeting will be the 2nd. Sunday at 9 a.m. in St. Charles Church Hall with Rolling Pin Donuts and faith sharing.

Owensboro Diocese Youth Conference – ODYC 2026

Students in grades 6–12 are invited to join us for the Owensboro Diocese Youth Conference (ODYC) on November 20–21, 2026 at the Owensboro Convention Center. This year’s theme is “All Things New / Todo Lo Hago Nuevo.” The conference will feature dynamic speakers Julia Eckrich and Michael Merchand, along with music by Clint Campbell. ODYC is held every other year to give our youth a vibrant experience of the larger Church and prepare them for NCYC. Please contact Lindsay Searcy or Laura Fritz if your child is interested in attending.

“A Pastoral Church in the Modern World”

The Diocese of Owensboro is pleased to welcome Bill Huebsch for a presentation on “A Pastoral Church in the Modern World: How Vatican II Prepares us to Renew the Church Today”. This presentation is free and open to all in the Diocese of Owensboro. It will take place at the Duffy Auditorium at Brescia University located inside the C.E. Field Center for Professional Studies (located on the corner of 9th & Frederica in Owensboro) from 7:00pm-8:30pm on November 9. Please RSVP @ <https://owensborodiocese.org/event/bill-huebsch-a-pastoral-church-in-the-modern-world/>

Thank you for your contributions to both our churches.

Financial Report – October 4, 2026

St. Charles - Amount Needed: \$1,608.00 weekly.
Collection \$2,165.00 (+557.00)

Financial Report – October 4, 2026

St. Sebastian- Amount Needed: \$3,588.00 weekly.
Collection \$3,670.00 (+82.00)

Mass Schedule
October 11 – October 18

Sunday – Twenty- Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian - *Mary Francis Payne*
-10:30am - Mass at St. Charles - *Randy Joe Marcum*

Monday – No Mass

Tuesday – Twenty-Eight Week in Ordinary Time

-8:30am – Mass St. Sebastian – *Donald Weaver*

Wednesday – Twenty-Eight Week in Ordinary Time

-5:30pm - Mass at St. Charles
Youth in our parish community

Thursday – St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church (Memorial)

-8:30am – Mass St. Sebastian
Family of Alvin & Betty Bickett

Friday – Twenty-Eight Week in Ordinary Time

-8:30am – Mass St. Sebastian – *Jerry Abney*

Saturday- Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Vigil

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

Sunday – Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian – *Beverly Gossett*
-10:30am – Mass at St. Charles – *Joe Marum*

Upcoming Meetings

St. Sebastian:
Finance Committee - Mon., Oct. 26 at 6PM.
Parish Council – Tues., Oct. 27 at 6PM.

St. Charles: Parish Council/Finance Committee
Wednesday, Oct. 28 at 6PM.
All church members are welcome to attend.

Please Pray for our Military

1st Sgt. James (J.P.) Dye, John Randall Zaremba, 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 Joseph Kyle Ward (US Air Force).

Prayer List for Members of our Community

Bernadine Edwards, Charles May, Bob Guenthner, Jimmy & Gail Clayton, Ethan Settle, Blakley Owens, Tasha Miller, Theresa Rust, Mark Logsdon, Mike Logsdon, Rony Humphrey, Wesley Robinson, Jimmy Tichenor, Jason Evans, Brenda Cooper, Darrell Henderson, Sharon Anderson, Janine Goatee, Kevin Fee, Kristin Bucio, John Pinkston, Jillian Phillips, , Joan Dant, Carol Rhodes, Pat Martinez, , Cindy Miller, Sonny Renfrow

Happy Anniversary – St. Charles



Mike & Stephanie Logsdon – Oct. 16 20 yrs

Happy Birthday – St. Charles



Patricia Hardison – Oct. 13

“What value is there in faith without works? And what are they worth if they are not united to the merits of Jesus Christ, our only good?”
-St. Tersea of Jesus

Happy Anniversary – St. Sebastian



Charlie & Faye May – Oct. 15 60yrs

Happy Birthday - St. Sebastian



Michael Cooper – Oct. 14
Henry Hayden – Oct. 14
Annette Dant – Oct. 16
Debra Hamilton – Oct. 16
Kyle Ayer – Oct. 17
Benjamin Hayden – Oct. 17

Ministry Schedule
Saturday, October 17, 2026

St. Sebastian Euch. Min: Susan Lebold
Lectors: Jim Lebold

Ministry Schedule
Sunday, October 18, 2026

St. Sebastian Euch. Min: Marc Searcy
Cindy Schwartz
Cathy Burden
Lectors: Drew McCarty
Donna Dant
Gift Bearers: Mr. & Mrs. Lance Green
Altar Servers: Joesph Fritz
Ella Sexton
Money Counters: Cathy Burden
Susie Alexander
Donuts: Mickey & Lynne Scott

St. Charles Euch. Min: Scott Staples
Marsha Logsdon
Lectors: Anna Miller
George Rhodes
Gift Bearers: Sherry Logsdon & Marylyne Miller
Money Counters: Sherry Logsdon
Darrell Bishop