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 <p>See Derek Miller • 278-2376</p>	<p>KESSINGER Body Shop & Wrecker Service 4644 Ky 81 N. Calhoun, KY 42327 270-785-9003 24-hour wrecker service Gary Kessinger</p>	<p>Muster Funeral Homes Funeral Directors Since 1855 www.musterfuneralhomes.com</p>
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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST **JUNE 2, 2024**



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.

STAFF & CONTACTS

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Special Collection

For the next few weeks, there will be a second collection to benefit the May 26th tornado victims. There were 14 counties affected, 11 of which were in the Owensboro Diocese. Many homes were severely damaged or completely lost. Please keep all of those who have been affected in your thoughts and prayers as they try to rebuild their lives.

ST. SEBASTIAN

Parish Council: Marc Searcy 270-993-8161
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:
Neil Scott 270-993-7370
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

Gasper River Youth Camp

If you are interested in sending your kids to camp, now is the time to register, spots are filling up fast. After you have registered, please inform the church office.

Focus on Faith

The Focus on Faith group led by Sister Ann from Mount St. Joseph will meet on June 13th at 10:30 AM in St. Charles Church Hall. We will begin our reading and discussion of "The Fourth Cup" book by Scott Hahn to coincide with Year 3 of the Eucharistic Renewal.

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.

"Let us trust in Him who has placed this burden upon us. What we ourselves cannot bear let us bear with the help of Christ. For He is all-powerful, and He tells us: "My yoke is easy, and my burden light." -St. Bonafice

ST. CHARLES

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.

Job Listing

St. Sebastian Preschool has an opening for a Teachers Aid, Monday – Thursday 7:30-11:30 am. If you or someone you know is interested contact Nancy Dant at 270-313-5647 or Kimberly Cooper at 270-273-3185.

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.

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.

Is anyone sick/admitted in the hospital?
If anyone is sick or admitted in the hospital, please let Pastor know or call the office.

Sacrament of Penance
Sacrament of Penance is administered every Saturday at 3:00 pm or by appointment at St. Sebastian Church.

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.

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.

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.

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,

This past weekend we celebrated one of the greatest mysteries of our faith, the solemnity of the Holy Trinity, three persons in one God. Today we celebrate the solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ/*Corpus Christi*. The celebration of *Corpus Christi* is three feasts in one: the feast of the Eucharistic sacrifice, the feast of the Sacrament of the Eucharist and the feast of the Real Presence of Jesus. Thus, this celebration invites us to be a person of sacrifice like Jesus, a person of sacrament of grace like Jesus and finally be a faithful friend like Jesus.

Believe it or not, we, Catholics are the most beautiful and the most blessed people in the world, because we have received and enjoy three gifts from heaven; but sadly, many people do not care for it. The first gift from Heaven is a Heavenly Father, who loves and cares for everyone equally. The second gift is a beautiful prayer from Heaven, the Our Father who art in Heaven...and the third gift is the Bread from Heaven and that is the Holy Eucharist, through which we enjoy the unending presence of Jesus with us. Remember the promise that Jesus had given to the disciples in the past weekend- *“And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.”* This promise of Jesus is fulfilled through the institution of this beautiful sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. Yes, Jesus is truly and really present in the Holy Eucharist because we believe that nothing is impossible with God. We explain the real presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist by the word, “transubstantiation” which means that the **substance** of the consecrated bread and wine is changed to the **substance** of the risen Jesus’ glorified Body and Blood by the action of the Holy Spirit, and everything else like color, shape, taste etc., remain the same.

As we celebrate *Corpus Christi* today, our first and second reading talks about covenant, sacrifice, and blood. The first reading describes how the old covenant was sealed by Moses between the people and Yahweh, by sprinkling the blood of a sacrificed animal on the altar and on the people. In the second reading, St. Paul affirms that the new covenant was sealed with the blood of Christ, thereby putting an end to animal sacrifices. The first covenant never guaranteed eternal life, whereas the new covenant guarantees eternal life because it was sealed with costly blood through a perfect sacrifice offered once and for all. In the Gospel we see, how Jesus converted this ancient ritual into a Sacrament and sacrifice. Instead of the lamb’s blood, Jesus offered His own Divine/human Body and Blood, and instead of sprinkling us with blood, Jesus put It into our hands as food and drink: *“Take ... eat ... this IS my Body which will be given up for you”* (He did

not say *“This represents my body”*), and *“Take ... drink ...This IS ... my Blood, the Blood of the new and eternal Covenant, which will be poured out for many* (nor did He say, *“This represents my blood...”*) **for the forgiveness of sins”**.

Today, we find a striking similarity between the old and new covenant. The Old Testament assured the liberation of the people of Israel from the bondage of Egypt, whereas the New Testament assures the liberation of the world from sin and death. As Catholics we are the members of the new covenant, but how much faith and care do we have and show for this covenant of the Eucharist? It is also time to evaluate our own Eucharistic Life. With baptism we have become the partakers of Jesus’ Body and Blood, but how much value do we give to the Eucharist in our lives? The problem with most of us is that, though God has given us the most powerful weapon against all kinds of evil in this world, many do not realize the power of this weapon: The Holy Eucharist. Please remember, *if you take your master Jesus seriously, He will take you seriously*. It says that there is an uninterrupted celebration of the Holy Eucharist going on around the world and that is the reason the world still exists. Just imagine, how can we pass an exam if we have not prepared well in advance to take the exam? The same way, a certain kind of preparation is very much needed to experience the real and true presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. One of the preparations Jesus says, *“Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar, and there recall that your brother has anything against you, leave your gift there at the altar, go first and be reconciled with your brother, and then come and offer your gift.”* (Matt 5: 23-24) Dear friends, let us approach and accept this sacrament with a little more respect and seriousness. **God Bless you all.**

St. Martin VBS

Bible adventure will take place at St. Martin Parish on July 8-11(Monday – Thursday), 4 nights, from 6:00-8:15 p.m. This will be the first Vacation Bible experience at St. Martin in many years! All children are welcome to attend, at no charge. Check out the flyer on the bulletin board. Please register asap. You can find the registration forms on the table. For more information contact Debi Hopkins, DRE at 270-685-0339 or debihopkins7@hotmail.com

Thank you for your contributions.

Financial Report – May 26, 2024

St. Sebastian- Amount Needed: \$3,035.00 weekly.	
Regular Collection	\$ 1,515.00
Emergency Fund	\$ 280.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 30.00

Financial Report – May 26, 2024

St. Charles - Amount Needed: \$1,228.00 weekly.	
Regular Collection	\$ 455.00

**Mass Schedule
June 2 – June 9**

Sunday – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian - *JoAnn Hayden*
-10:30am - Mass at St. Charles - *Justin Lambert*

Monday – St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs (Memorial)

-8:30am – Mass at St. Sebastian – *Malcolm Neel*

Tuesday – Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian - *Laure Schadler*

Wednesday – St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr (Memorial)

-8:30am – Mass at St. Sebastian – *Serena Cooper*
-5:30pm – Mass at St. Charles
Bud & Martha Campbell

Thursday – Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

-8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian – *Rosie Shade*

Friday – No Mass

Saturday – The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial)

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

Sunday – Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30am - Mass at St. Sebastian – *Clarita Mayfield*
-10:30am – Mass at St. Charles – *Howard Campbell*

“It is not Death that will come to fetch me, it is the good God. Death is no phantom, no horrible specter, as presented in pictures. In the catechism it is stated that death is the separation of soul and body, that is all! Well, I am not afraid of a separation which will unite me to the good God forever.”
-St. Therese of Lisieux

Please Pray for our Military

SSgt. 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 Corpsman Aly Franklin.

Prayer List for Members of our Community

Sean, Serena & Marion Cooper, Cindy Miller, Bernadine Edwards, Charles May, Jerry Abney, Tori Hayden, John Pinkston, Bob Guenther, Helen Kraus, Jimmy Clayton, Ethan Settle, Louis Dant, Sharon Anderson, Blakley Owens, Tasha Miller, Ben Dunn, Allison Pinkston, Theresa Rust, Cassie Alexander, Jeanie Wedding, Hannah Bercegeay, Mark Logsdon, Mike Logsdon, Mark Vollman, Chuck Green and Rondy Humphrey.

In connection with GRADD

Military personnel will offer vision, dental, sports physicals, nutritional and basic medical and veterinary services AT NO COST. Patients will be treated on a first come, first served basis.
June 15th - June 25th, 2024, at South Middle School, 800 South Alves Street, Henderson KY

Happy Birthday - St. Sebastian



Theresa Lancaster – June 3
Serena Cooper – June 5
Clay Durbin – June 7
Judy Sallee – June 8

Happy Anniversary – St. Sebastian



John & April Vicars – June 6
Richard Devins & Donna Dant – June 7



Happy Birthday - St. Charles



Jim Dale – June 5
Mitch Dotson – June 8

**Ministry Schedule
Saturday, June 8, 2024**

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

**Ministry Schedule
Sunday, June 9, 2024**

St. Sebastian Euch. Min: Mike Vollman
Kimberly Cooper
Susie Alexander
Lectors: Drew McCarty
Gail Clayton
Gift Bearers: Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Scott
Altar Servers: Jude Cooper
Henry Fritz
Money Counters: Gates Tichenor
Kellie Watkins
Donuts: Paul & Theresa Lancaster

St. Charles Euch: Min: Jackie Lee
Lee Edwards
Lectors: Anna Miller
George Rhodes
Gift Bearers: Mr. & Mrs. Rondy Humphrey
Money Counters: Lee Edwards
Candace Miller