SAINT SEBASTIAN
CATHOLIC CHURCH

OCTOBER 18, 2026 | 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

STAFF MEMBERS

ADMINISTRATOR	Very Rev. Gavin Badway
PAROCHIAL VICAR	Rev. Sabas Mallya
PAROCHIAL VICAR	Rev. Ambrose Kadambukatt
WEEKEND ASSOCIATE	Rev. Martin Fitzgerald
DEACONS	Rev. Steven Guess
	Rev. Arnie Goodman
	Rev. Bill Terneus
	Rev. John Henderson
	Rev. Paul Gialanella
OFFICE MANAGER	Sandy Sherman
FINANCE MANAGER	Linda Graham
DRE	Debbie Bova
YOUTH MINISTER	Theresa Guirola
MUSIC MINISTER	John Korczynski
LITURGICAL COORD.	Siri Barletta
SSA DIRECTOR	Kelly Bowen
OFFICE STAFF	Gabrielle Jordan
	Marilyn Wright
	Marcia McIntosh
	Cathy Bonin
PROPERTY MANAGER	Mark Jordan
MAINTENANCE	Kathy Beames

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00PM
Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM & 11:30AM
Weekdays: Monday - Saturday at 8:30AM
Reconciliation: Saturdays at 9:00AM

DEVOTIONS

Eucharistic Adoration:
Fridays at 9:00 - 10:00AM (Church)
Daily from 7:00AM - 7:00PM (Adoration Chapel)
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Fridays at 9:45 AM (Church)
Rosary (Mon-Sat) 8:00 am (Church)
Rosary Cenacle: Wednesdays & Fridays at 10:00AM
Holy Hour in Reparation: Tues. & Thurs.at 3:00 PM (Adoration Chapel)

"The Mission of Saint Sebastian Parish is to grow as a Faith-based Community being nourished by the Word of God and the Sacraments as we reach out in service with love and compassion."





INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER

For mental health ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

PARISH OFFICE

13075 US HIGHWAY 1, SEBASTIAN, FLORIDA-32958
MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00AM - 3:00PM
(772) 589-5790/5799 - Web Site: www.stsebastian.com
www.facebook.com/SebastianCatholic www.instagram.com/saintsebastiancatholic

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17th
8:30 am † Edward Cyzewski
4:00 pm † Gilbert Whitford
† Sebastian Murano
† Dylan Neubauer
† David John Agar

Sunday, October 18th
7:30 am † Roberta Welke Harrison
† Fred Tirabassi
9:30 am For all parishioners, benefactors & intentions
11:30 am † Ana Lehman
Carolynn Drulard (Birthday)

Monday, October 19th
8:30 am † Marge Repasz

Tuesday, October 20th
8:30 am † Mary Lou Hansen

Wednesday, October 21st
8:30 am † Marge Repasz
† Gary Templeton

Thursday, October 22nd
8:30 am † Ignatius Rienzo
† Tyler Jacob Conrad

Friday, October 23rd
8:30 am Marlon Korbut (Special Intention)
† Adam Mancuso

Saturday, October 24th
8:30 am † Patricia Oetting
4:00 pm † WILLIAM BEUDERT
† Peter Keirnan
† Fred Tirabassi
† Doris Lutz



The Women's Guild of St. Sebastian

cordially invites the ladies of the Parish

to our annual

LIVING ROSARY

Tuesday, October 20th, 1:00 PM, LeSage Hall

Calendar

Sunday October 18, 2026

7:30 & 9:30 AM	Coffee & Donuts	LS Hall
10:00 AM	OCIA	LS Rm E
10:00 AM	Faith Formation Classes	LS Rm A, C, D
6:00 PM	Prep I and Final Confirmation	LS Rm C,D

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

1:00 PM	Legion of Mary	LS Rm D
1:00 PM	Women's Guild	LS Hall
6:00 PM	Women's Retreat Meeting	LS Rm D
6:30 PM	Men's Retreat Meeting	LS Rm E

Wednesday, October 21, 2026

9:30 AM	Ladies of the Silverware	LS Rm A
10:00 AM	Sewing Group	LS Rm D
10:00 AM	Women of Faith Caring Hearts	LS Rm C
5:30 PM	Choir Practice	Church
6:30 PM	KC Paint & Sip	LS Hall
6:30 PM	Youth Minstry	Class 9

Thursday, October 22, 2026

7:00 AM	Meal Ministry	LS Main
9:00 AM	Craft Group	LS Rm C
1:00 PM	W.I.N.G.S.	LS Rm D
7:00 PM	AA	Class 11

Friday, October 23, 2026

10:30 AM	Scripture Coffee Hour	LS E
4:30 - 7PM	Pumpkin Patch	Grounds

Saturday October 24, 2026

9 AM - 7PM	Pumpkin Patch	Grounds

Sunday October 25, 2026

7:30 & 9:30 AM	Breakfast	LS Hall
8:30AM-5PM	Pumpkin Patch	Grounds
10:00 AM	Faith Formation Classes	LS Rm A, C, D
10:00 AM	OCIA	Rm E
3PM-5PM	Trunk or Treat	Grounds





"Follow me."

In mid-October, all parishioners will have an opportunity to offer their feedback as part of a consultation to aid Bishop Manuel de Jesús Rodríguez in his leadership of the Diocese of Palm Beach. Part of the process is the Disciple Maker Index (DMI), which will seek to give Bishop Manuel a snapshot of Catholic life here, who the parishioners are, and what is working well or needs attention in parishes. As the bishop explains in a video promoting the DMI, the survey will be available from Oct. 15 to Nov. 24, 2026.

DIOCESE OF PALM BEACH

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Meet Our Candidates for the Diaconate

Instituted as Acolytes in July of 2025

As acolytes, the men are now entrusted with the duties of attending to the altar, assisting the deacon and priest at Mass, and distributing Holy Communion as extraordinary ministers.

Jaime Sturgeon



Christine and I joined St. Sebastian in 1997 after moving from Connecticut. We met in 1991 at Saint Anselm College (New Hampshire) and married in 1995. We have two daughters, Alyssa and Taylor, both of whom have received all of their sacraments at St. Sebastian. Both girls served at the altar for almost 8 years. Christine has served as both a lector and Eucharistic Minister. I have always had a tug to serve the Lord since a young age. In 2010, Fr. John approached me about becoming a permanent deacon. However, the timing was off. When I received a call in the summer of 2022 about another class forming for the diaconate, I prayed and discerned. I then decided the time was right to enter the diaconate program. The diaconate program has been a blessing for me and my family. I am truly grateful for all the prayers and financial support that St. Sebastian is providing. God willing, I will graduate with a Masters of Arts in Theological Studies in May from St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary in Boynton Beach.

Matthew delaPaz



St. Sebastian Catholic Church has always held a special place in my heart. I grew up attending St. Sebastian, received my First Holy Communion under Father Tim, served as an altar server for many years, and received my Confirmation under Father John. After graduating from high school, I entered the United States Marine Corps, where I served until my retirement. Upon returning to Sebastian, my family and I returned to the parish that helped shape my faith. Many of you have watched my children grow up and receive their sacraments here at St. Sebastian, and many more know my lovely wife, Brandie, who serves our parish family in so many different ways. St. Sebastian has truly been a spiritual home for our family.My journey toward the permanent diaconate began after spending much time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament in our Adoration Chapel. During a meeting with Father John, he asked me, "What do you want?" My answer was simple: "I want to serve the people of St. Sebastian and the community of Sebastian as a deacon." Father John said yes, and that conversation began an incredible journey that has been such a blessing.

Prospective Ordination Date: September 11, 2027

We invite you to keep these men and their families in prayer as they continue their discernment, may their service at the altar strengthen their love for Christ and His Church.

Scripture Readings
For the Week of October 18, 2026

Sunday	**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21
Monday	Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday	Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday	**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40



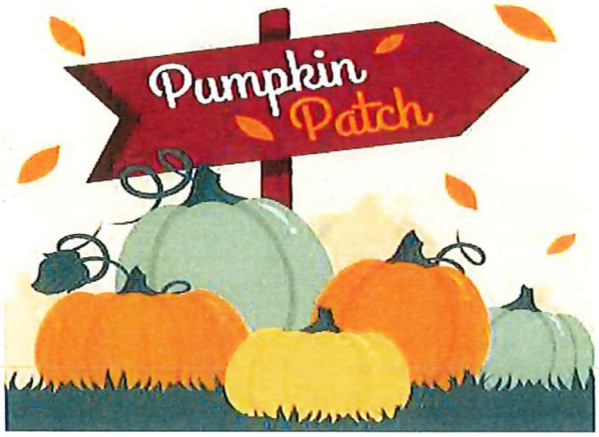
PARISH REGISTRATION: All new residents, yearly and seasonal, are warmly welcomed to our parish. We thank God you are here! We invite you to register at the Welcome Desk in the foyer of the church, in the Parish Office during the week, or on-line at stsebastian.com. Please consider getting involved in a ministry of the Church.

MARRIAGE: Marriage Preparation should begin at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Please call Sandy at the Parish Office.

BAPTISM: Parents must be registered and attend a Baptismal Preparation Class. Call Sandy at the Parish Office to register. Godparents welcome. Expectant parents are urged to attend.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: **Friday 12:30 PM** Please submit your request **two weeks before the Sunday you want them included** to **cathy@stsebastian.com.**

Come visit our annual pumpkin patch sponsored by the St. Sebastian Youth Ministry



Hours of Operation

Check out our photo booth for a family picture

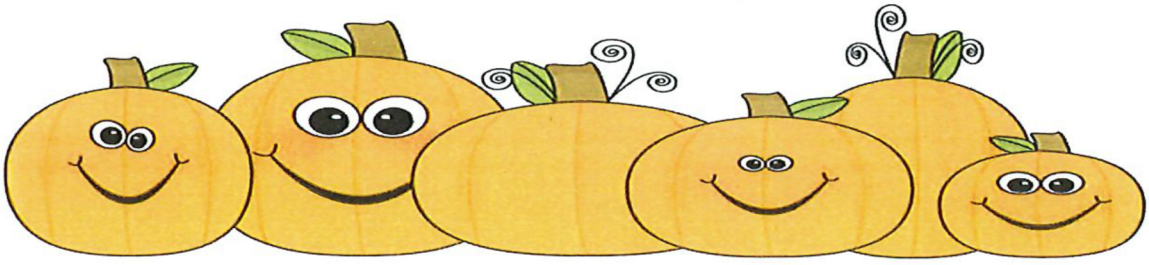
Friday, Oct. 23rd – 4:30 to 7:00pm

Saturday, Oct. 24th – 9am to 7pm

Sunday, Oct. 25th – 8:30am to 5pm

Saturday's Events

***Family fun activities throughout the day ***



ST. SEBASTIAN TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, October 25th 3 – 5pm



Join our fall fun!

Hayride, Games, Face Painting, Free Hot Dogs and Chips provided by our Knights of Columbus

Admission: cans of vegetables, fruit or soup to kick off our annual thanksgiving food drive

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We need people to pass out candy at their cars to the children. We will begin to park at 2pm.
Come and decorate your trunk.
Clean, safe and outside.
Unable to come? You can help by donating bags of individually wrapped candy.
For more info contact Debbie at 772-589-5790.

St. Sebastian's Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive

We believe that we are our brothers' and sisters' keepers.



Compelled by these beliefs we are asking the families of St. Sebastian parish to help give the gift of food to those less fortunate in our community this Thanksgiving, whether through an actual donation of food or a monetary donation. If you know of a parishioner or family in need this Thanksgiving, please call the parish office at: 772-589-5790.

We will be collecting items by alphabetical order.
Please give what you can afford.
We will go by the first letter of your last name.

A-B-C: stuffing mix, vegetable oil, hamburger helper, soup, boxed potatoes, cereal, canned meats, jello-o, cookies, canned vegetables and rice.

D-E-F-G: cereal, canned meats, tuna, canned stew, cranberry sauce, stuffing mix peanut butter, jelly or jam, canned vegetables, pasta, pasta sauce.

H-I-J-K-L: canned fruit, hamburger helper, rice, pasta, pasta sauce, tuna, boxed potatoes, soup, mac and cheese, cookies, vegetable oil.

M-N-O-P-Q-R: canned fruit, stuffing mix, canned vegetables, boxed potatoes, gravy, soup, mac and cheese, tuna, cookies, rice, pasta.

S-T-U-V: canned meats, tuna, canned stew, cranberry sauce, peanut butter, jelly jam, cereal, canned vegetables, stuffing mix, rice and cookies.

W-X-Y-Z: peanut butter, jelly or jam, cranberry sauce, boxed potatoes, gravy, soup, canned meats, cereal, canned vegetables, pasta & pasta sauce.

Our collection will begin on Oct. 25th and end the weekend of Nov. 21st and 22nd.

Please bring the goods to the parish office or the church lobby. Thank you!!!!



Faith Formation

Class Sunday - October 18

Class Sunday, October 25

Class Sunday, November 1

Youth Group News



Youth group meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 - 8:30pm in classroom 9 of the school building.
Open to all middle school and high school students. Come join us, bring a friend for fun, games and fellowship. For further information please contact
Theresa Guirola at 772-589-5790 or theresaguirola@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE

3rd ANNUAL HOLY NAME SOCIETY PILGRIMAGE TRIP

TO

AVE MARIA (Church and Town)

TUESDAY, JANUARY, 19, 2027

INCLUDES

BUS - RESTAURANT LUNCH - NOON MASS

- ALL TIPS

VISIT TO THE MOTHER THERESA MUSEUM

TOTAL COST $125.00/ Per Person

More information will be forthcoming

Contact Mark Barletta 203-376-2972 or Frank Warecke 772-913-1039

(The Church office will NOT be taking reservations and fees)

Join Us for a Marian Shrines Pilgrimage

Lourdes, Fátima & Barcelona

October 4–14, 2027



Package Price: $4,495 Per person including Airfare.

Join Deacon Arnie Goodman and Fr. Ambrose on an 11-day journey of faith, prayer, and fellowship through Portugal, Spain, and France. Visit the beloved Marian shrines of Fátima and Lourdes, along with Lisbon, Montserrat, and Barcelona.

Seats are limited! For details and registration, visit **www.travelascension.com**, call **Ascension Tours Travel at (800) 351-9893,** or email info@travelascension.com.



The St. Sebastian Women's Guild

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

LeSage Hall
St. Sebastian Catholic Church
13075 US HWY 1
Sebastian, FL

Friday, October 30
&
Saturday, October 31

9:00 am - 2:00 pm

"Craft Vendors" "Baked Goods"
"Raffles" "Food"

Saint Sebastian Catholic Church

Christ Renews Us Retreat

LEAVE ALL YOUR TROUBLES BEHIND FOR ONE AMAZING PEACEFUL DAY!



CHRIST RENEWS US is a one evening, one day retreat designed for adults (ages 21+) to promote spiritual growth and community interaction as brothers and sisters in Christ. Come and experience the Holy Spirit at work in real life stories, fellowship, prayer, humor and the Sacraments. Too many distractions distance us from God and His love. Pause your busy life so you can get to know Him better!

For more INFO call the Parish Office:

772-589-5790

MEN: Friday 11/13/26, 5pm - 8pm & Saturday 11/14/26 from 10:45 am -8:00pm
WOMEN : Friday 11/06/26, 5pm - 8pm & Saturday 11/07/26 from 10:45 am to 8:00pm

All Meals Included

REGISTER NOW! ____ Women's Retreat ____ Men's Retreat

NAME _____ Marital Status (circle) S M D W

ADDRESS _____

Phone / Cell _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Contact Person/Relationship _____

Contact Person Phone _____

Special Accommodations (ex. Wheelchair, dietary, etc. _____

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PLEASE RETURN TO THE PARISH OFFICE ASAP