

OBITUARY

Sister Catherine Therese Barber, OSU, 93

Sister Catherine Therese Barber, 93, an Ursuline Sister of Mount Saint Joseph, died March 25, 2026, at Mount Saint Joseph, in her 73rd year of religious life. She was a native of Springfield, daughter of the late Philetus and Maude Barber.



She served in the Archdiocese of Louisville and the Diocese of Owensboro, first as an educator, then in health care and internal ministries with her community. As a teacher at St. Francis in Marion County, she taught the future Bishop of the Diocese of Owensboro, William Medley.

Survivors include the members of her religious community and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Philetus and Maude Barber; her siblings Mary Ann Bowling, Delena Barber Brooks, Sister of Charity Frances Barber, Sister of Charity Maude Michelle Barber, Margaret Kelly,

Philetus Barber Jr., Angela Wimsatt, Brother Joseph Julian Barber, Thomas Aaron Barber, James Robert Barber and Catherine Yancey Edelen.

The funeral Mass will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 31, at Mount Saint Joseph, where visitation begins Monday at 4 p.m., with a wake service following at 6:30 p.m.

Glenn Funeral Home and Crematory, Owensboro, is handling arrangements.

Donations in memory of Sister Catherine Therese may be made to the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph, 8001 Cummings Road, Maple Mount, KY 42356.

PUBLIC RECORD

DISTRICT COURT
March 23, 2026

Charles A. Casey, third-degree fleeing or evading police, resisting arrest, 90 days probated for 24 months plus court costs

Miranda N. Collins, failure to wear a seatbelt, license not in possession, possession of marijuana, \$275 fine plus court costs

Taylor W. Ferguson, DUI, 4 days to serve, license suspended for 6 months plus

court costs

Gerald M. Harris, driving on a suspended or revoked license, 90 days probated for 24 months plus court costs

*Court costs start at \$145 and increase depending upon the charges.

Jones seeks State Senate seat

Malcolm W. Jones is one of two Democrat candidates running for Kentucky State Senate District 14.



MALCOLM W. JONES

Jones was born in Charleston, South Carolina, and grew up in Madisonville, Kentucky. He has a dual Master of Arts in Management and Human Resource Development from Webster University, St. Louis, MO.

He retired from the United States Air Force in 2004, after twenty years of service. Previous military job assignments include Faculty Advisor, Academy of Military Science, Knoxville, Tennessee; Director of Personnel, 131st Fighter Wing, St. Louis, Missouri; and Executive Assistant, Pentagon, Washington, DC. Primary duties during his Air Force career included occupational safety and health, environmental management, human resource management, curriculum development, classroom instruction (management, leadership, occupational safety, environmental protection) and program management.

Following his Air Force career, Jones joined the Boeing Team in 2004, serving as a Program Manager at the Boeing Leadership Center, St. Louis, MO, where he managed the First-Line Leadership and Mid-Level

Leadership programs. Primary responsibilities included the simultaneous management of multiple program phases and projects, to include design and deployment management, budget management, and program quality metrics, and participant satisfaction. Additionally, he managed partnerships and coordination with multiple internal and external customers, stakeholders and partners. During his time at Boeing, he also served as a Regional HR Business Partner, providing leadership, guidance, and oversight to the Midwest and East Regions of the Site Services business segment.

Jones transitioned from Boeing to Humana Inc., Louisville, KY, in 2013, where he served as an HR Investigation Consultant, and a Regional HR Business Partner, providing support for five

Humana/CenterWell Markets and its Market Leadership, to include Market Presidents and Chief Medical Officers. He was the single point-of-contact for responding to HR inquiries pertaining to company practices and policies. Jones coached, advised, and consulted Business Leaders on a variety of HR related issues, to include employee management systems, placement and assignments, performance evaluation, disciplinary actions, and career planning. He coordinates personnel actions with various HR partners, employee relations and corporate legal representatives. Additionally, he analyzes employee management system data, providing reports and analytical perspectives, which drive critical business decisions.

He retired from his corporate career in October of 2025 to pursue other personal and professional interests. Jones is married to Lori, and they have three children, Ashley, Cameron, and Erin and two granddaughters (Luvaeh and Londyn). They reside in Hodgenville, KY, where they enjoy sports, camping, motorcycling, and supporting their granddaughter's competition cheer team.

IMPORTANT ELECTION INFORMATION

SPRINGFIELD - County Clerk Brett Barry is encouraging voters to be aware of some important election information.

APRIL 4 - Absentee Portal Opens

APRIL 20 - Last Day to Register to Vote in May Primary

MAY 5 - Absentee Portal Closes

May 6, 8, 11 and 13 - Excused In-person Absentee

Voting (must have an excuse) **May 14, 15, and 16** - No Excuse Early Voting at the 1816 Courthouse (May 14 and 15 from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. and May 16 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.)

MAY 19 - Election Day: Polls open from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.

VOTING LOCATIONS for May 19 will again be Washington County Middle School, North Washington elementary School, Holy trinity

Parish center, Washington County Extension Office, and Mackville Community Center.

Democrats will be choosing their candidates for U.S. Senate, State Senate, and State Representative.

Republicans will be choosing their candidates for U.S. Senate, U.S. Representative, State Senate, and Washington County Magistrates for Districts 1, 2, 4, and 5.



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Kentucky Democratic Party chairman Colman Elridge shares his thoughts on Democratic values and his hopes for a successful election in November with those at the Senator Georgia Davis Powers Democratic Rally.

McGrath and Booker highlight Democratic Rally

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The Washington County Democrats brought several notable candidates and speakers to downtown Springfield on Thursday, March 26, for the Senator Georgia Davis Powers Democratic Rally.

Lisa Hayden was the emcee for the event at the old Louisville Store which began with a social time and a chance for candidates to meet and greet with voters.

The keynote speaker for the evening was Kentucky Democratic Party chairman Colman Elridge. Elridge spoke about the values of the Democratic party and the need to "do what is right."

Following Elridge, guests were treated to a live auction of a variety of items intermingled with presentations from candidates for a variety of offices. Highlighting those presentations were U.S. Senate candidates Amy McGrath and Charles Booker.

The group also heard from Kentucky State Senate District 14 candidates Carrie Truitt and Malcolm Jones.

The Sun will have more from all the candidate comments



JANE REID KLEYN/The Springfield Sun

Lisa Hayden welcomes U.S. Senate candidate Amy McGrath to the Senator Georgia Davis Powers Democratic Rally at the Louisville Store on Thursday, March 26.



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Alma Edelen poses for a photo with U.S. Senate candidate Charles Booker at the Democratic Rally on Thursday evening.

in next week's issue. What they had to say is important to all Democrats heading to the polls in May for the primary to choose the final candidates who will face Republican opponents in the November General Election.

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