

St. Teresa of Avila Church

P.O. Box 418, Harrah, OK 73045

Fr. Alan J. Loth, Pastor

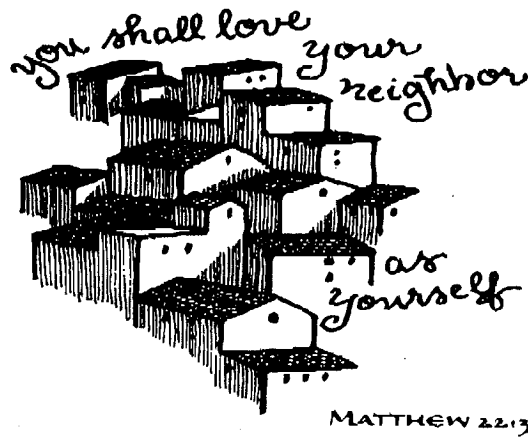
Office: 454-2819

Parish Hall & Religious Ed. Center

454-9440

Masses: Saturday 5:00 PM,

Sunday 8 & 10 AM



Oct 25, 26, 2008

Parish Office hours: Tuesday 9 AM to 11AM

Wed 9-11-11:30 Thurs. 9-11:30

Parish Council Meeting Thurs, Nov 13 7 PM

K of C, CDA and Altar Society Meetings next Sunday

Mass Intentions

Sat, Oct 25 5:00 PM – Larry Hendsley by K of C
 Sun, Oct 26 8:00 AM – Marion Wyskup by Raymond and Sue Nickel
 10:00 AM – For the Parish

No Masses during the week.

Sat, Nov 1 5:00 PM – Sr. Emelda Brzozowski by Debra Birdsong
 Sun, Oct 26 8:00 AM – For the Parish
 10:00 AM – Larry Brimm by Barbara Brimm

CONFESSIONS: Father Roberson has graciously agreed to hear confessions from 9:00 to 9:30 between the Masses on Sundays.

Collections: October 19, 2008 103 Adult envelopes \$3586.00 4 Youth envelopes \$3.35
 Building Fund \$1931.00 Religious Education \$65.00 World Missions \$45.00 Loose \$160.00
 Total: \$5790.35 Building Fund on deposit as of October 19 (\$735,715.56)

Readings for Oct 27 to Nov 2. Mon. Ephesians 4:32—5:8; Psalm 1:1-2,3,4 and 6; Luke 13:10-17;
 Tues. Ephesians 2:19-22; Psalm 19:2-3,4-5; Luke 6:12-16; Wed. Ephesians 6:1-9; Psalm 145:10-
 11,12-13ab, 13cd-14; Luke 13:22-30; Thurs. Ephesians 6:10-20; Psalm 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Luke 13:31-
 35; Fri. Philippians 1:1-11; Psalm 111:1-2,3-4,5-6; Luke 14:1-6; Sat. Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14; Psalm
 24:1bc-2,3-4ab,5-6; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12a; Sunday Wisdom 3:1-9; Psalm 23:1-3a,3b-4,5,6;
 Romans 5:5-11; John 6:37-40.

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society meets Tuesdays at 7 PM in the RE building. Anyone who needs assistance with food or utilities should call our number 343-2938.

Prayer Chain! Our Parish has a prayer chain for our Parish Family concerns!! You can call for prayer requests to either Kristi Kretchmar at 391-2728 or Marilyn Tytanic at 454-3556.

Parish Web Site. www.stteresaharrah.org The email address is: info@stteresaharrah.org

The Prayer Group will be meeting in the church Tuesday evenings at 7 PM to pray the Rosary for special intentions. Please note new day and feel free to join us.

HEALTH UPDATE FROM FR.LOTH. Fr. Loth has moved to St. Anne Retirement Center, 7501 West Britton Road, OKC 73132. You may send your cards directly there if you like; his cell phone number is 343-0570. He sends his thanks for your prayers and cards.

The Religious Education program is in need of the following items: DVD player or TV with a DVD player, small bookshelves. We will gladly accept used items that you may be replacing as you update to meet the new broadcasting signals. If you have items you would like to donate, please call Doug or Kristi at 391-2728.

Ushers for November

5:00 Don Brimm, Doug Kretchmar, Terrence Visnieski, Charles Werchan
8:00 Dean Dull, Greg Thompson, Ron Bias, Bernadette Klimkowski
10:00 Lee Roller, Dan block, Jerome Brzozowski, Greg Montalvo

Lectors for November

5:00 Greg Nowakowski; 8:00 Jackie Reeves; 10:00 Nancy Limon

Eucharistic Ministers for November

5:00 Pat Bacon, Debbie Birdsong, Tom Jorski
8:00 Paul Cunningham, Rachel Espolt, Karen Marwell
10:00 Evelyn Saxton, Marilyn Tytanic, Dean Schirf

Servers for November

5:00 (substitute), Shanna Visnieski
8:00 Jennifer Cunningham, Cole Whelton
10:00 Aaron & Adrianna Limon, Marietta Corona

Butter Braids will be delivered after all Masses the weekend of October 25, 26. Please come by the RE building to pick up your order. Thank you from St. Teresa Youth for making this fund raiser a success!

During the renovation of the Parish Hall our facilities are limited for funeral dinners. Regretfully, a maximum of thirty people may be served at a funeral dinner during the renovation.

Sunday, October 25 has been named Make a Difference Day for our GPs in Iraq. Items will be collected to be sent to our service men and women in Iraq. There is a list of desired items posted in the church foyer. A box will be placed in the church vestibule for your donations. Thank you very much.

Our parish has again been asked to participate in the Mabel Bassett Holiday Sack Project. Please contribute these specific items: shampoo 15-18 oz plastic bottles; conditioner 15-18 oz plastic bottles; toothpaste large family size; toothbrush adult size medium or soft bristles; Kleenex small pocketbook size; body wash 14-16 oz plastic bottles. There will be a box in the back of the church and items must be in by Nov 2. For more info, call Kathy Small 454-3812.

All Souls Day Mass at Resurrection Cemetery – Archbishop Beltran will celebrate a special Mass at Resurrection Cemetery chapel on Sunday, Nov 2 at 2:00 PM. Everyone is invited to attend as we remember all of our loved ones who have died.

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church will be hosting its annual bazaar and turkey dinner on Sunday, Nov 2. Dinner is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children. Booths will be open from 10 AM to 3 PM and dinner will be served from 11 AM to 2 PM. Enjoy our arts and crafts, attic treasures, sweets, Christmas items, children's' games, and silent auction. For more information call 769-2490.

It appears that the servers scheduled to serve on Saturday at the 5 PM Mass have not been showing up. They did not inform the office that they could not serve so no substitutes were arranged. And the priest celebrating the Mass had to ask someone to serve. This does not make our Parish look good. What do you suggest? Leave a message with the office, or email: jscanina@msn.com.

Catholic Charities is seeking gift sponsors for the Annual Adopt-A-Family Christmas Program. Families in need are referred to the program from parish-based St. Vincent de Paul groups. Individuals or groups interested in sponsoring families may call Allison Craig, Catholic Charities Family Support Services at 523-2328. Interested sponsors are asked to contact the office by November 7.

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church Youth will be hosting its first annual Oktoberfest on Saturday, Nov 8. There will be carnival games, inflatable games, vendors, pottery wheel demonstration, raffle drawings and Czech food. Tour the Shrine; attend 6 PM Mass. At 7 PM there will be more Czech food, a polka, variety dance with DJ, and raffle drawings for great prizes including accommodation for eight at a resort in Branson, OU/Texas Tech tickets, OU football autographed by Bob Stoops, nativity set and many more. For more information, call 405-567-3080.

While Father is away, please do not send him email. If you need some information or something placed in the bulletin, please call Jude Delaney, 454-2908 or email: jscanina@msn.com. Thank you very much.