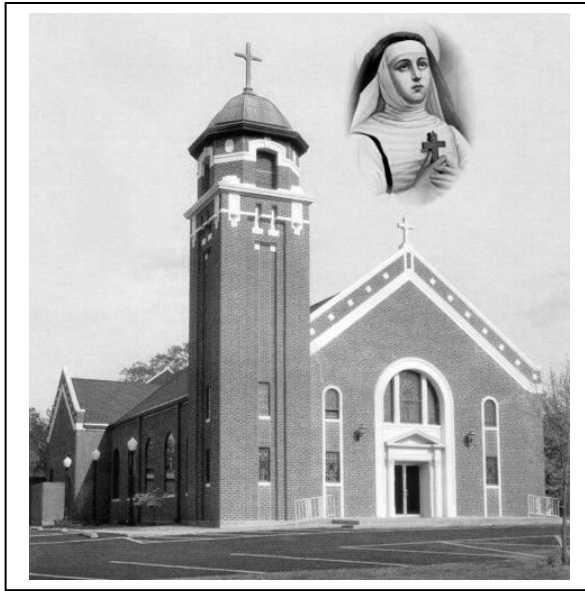


# St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

PO Box 418, 1576 Tim Holt Drive  
Our Parish Web Site. [www.stteresaharrah.org](http://www.stteresaharrah.org)

Harrah, OK 73045-0418  
Email address :[info@stteresaharrah.org](mailto:info@stteresaharrah.org)



*Archdiocese of Oklahoma City*

*Archbishop of Oklahoma City  
Most Reverend Eusebius J. Beltran*

**Fr. Lucas Raj Pinapati, Pastor**  
Mary Rodriguez, Parish Secretary

**Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm**

## Mass Times

**Saturday ~ 4:00 pm**  
**Sunday ~ 7:30 am & 9:00 am**

## **Weekdays ~**

Monday *No Mass*

Tuesday 8:00 am

Wednesday 6:30 pm

Thursday 8:00 am

Friday *As announced*

**Mass & Adoration ~** First Friday of each month  
7:00 – 8:00 pm

**Holy Days ~** As announced in the bulletin

**Confessions: Saturday – 3:00-3:45 pm**  
**Sunday – 7:00-7:20 am**

**Marriages ~** See pastor six months prior to wedding

**Baptisms and Marriages ~**  
Please contact the parish office

## Parish phone listing

**Office: (405) 454-2819**

**Office Fax: (405) 454-0981**

**Religious Education Center: (405) 454-9440**

**St. Vincent de Paul: (405) 343-2938**

## Organizations & Meeting times:

**Altar Society ~** the first Sunday of the month  
2:00 pm (September – May)

**Catholic Daughters ~** the first Sunday of the month  
7:00 pm (September – May)

**Knights of Columbus ~** the first Sunday of the month  
7:00 pm

**St. Vincent de Paul ~** Most Tuesdays, 6:00 pm

**Religious Education Classes ~** Wednesdays, 7:00 pm

**Prayer Group ~** Meets Tuesdays in the church at  
7:00 pm

**Youth Group ~** Wednesday, 7:00 pm (May – July)

**Parish Council ~** Meetings as announced

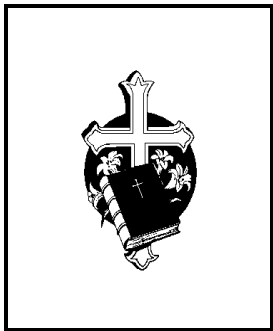
*~ The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~*

*July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2009*

### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday	07-25	4:00 pm – Stanley J. Mayer † (Helen Mayer)
Sunday	07-26	7:30 am – Anna Ruth Stramski † (by Andrew Stramski & Family) 9:00 am – Living and Deceased members of the Altar Society (by the Altar Society)
Monday	07-27	No Mass
Tuesday	07-28	8:00 am – Deceased members of the Vincent Breske Family (by John Marshall & Family)
Wednesday	07-29	6:30 pm – Ben Marshall † (by John Marshall & Family)
Thursday	07-30	8:00 am –
Friday	07-31	No Mass
Saturday	08-01	4:00 pm –
Sunday	08-02	7:30 am – For the Parish 9:00 am – LPCL Michael J. Mars – Safety in Afghanistan (by James and Angeline Breske)

**Collections: July 18/19, 2009** – 105 Adult envelopes \$3,857.00. 3 Youth envelopes \$2.35, Building Fund \$363.00, Loose \$259.00, Catholic Communications \$ 628.35.00  
**Total \$5,109.70**



### **Building Fund Assets as of July 18/19, 2009 - \$731,725.56**

#### **Readings July 27<sup>th</sup> to August 2, 2009**

**Monday** – [Ex 32:15-24, 30-34](#) • [Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23](#) • [Mt 13:31-35](#)  
**Tuesday** – [Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28](#) • [Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13](#) • [Mt 13:36-43](#)  
**Wednesday** – [Ex 34:29-35](#) • [Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9](#) • [Jn 11:19-27](#) or [Lk 10:38-42](#)  
**Thursday** – [Ex 40:16-21, 34-38](#) • [Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11](#) • [Mt 13:47-53](#)  
**Friday** – [Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37](#) • [Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab](#) • [Mt 13:54-58](#)  
**Saturday** – [Lv 25:1, 8-17](#) • [Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8](#) • [Mt 14:1-12](#)  
**Sunday** – [Ex 16:2-4, 12-15](#) • [Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54](#) • [Eph 4:17, 20-24](#) • [Jn 6:24-35](#)

**St. Teresa's Prayer Chain** - Our Parish has a prayer chain for our parish family concerns! You may call for prayer requests to either Kristi Kretchmar at 391-2728 or Marilyn Tytanic at 454-3556.

**Community Action Agency Weatherization Program** ~ Applications are being accepted by the Community Action for weatherization on their homes. Applications can be requested by calling 232-0199. For a list of services more information is on the bulletin board in the entrance of the church.

**Disaster Volunteers Needed** – Did you know that **Catholic Charities** serves as a disaster relief agency for natural and man-made disasters? Catholic Charities has provided aid to communities who have had been affected by tornadoes, floods, ice storms and hurricane victims. Among many things we provide long-term recovery case management, assistance with food and other necessities, and a listening ear. In order to provide those affected by disaster the best assistance, volunteers are needed to serve as Intake specialist, Logistics Staff, Donation Liaisons, and Data Entry Staff. All disaster response positions will be on-call as needed. A volunteer orientation and Disaster Training program WILL BE HELD ON Tuesday, July 28, 2009, at Catholic Charities, 1501 N. Classen Blvd. Volunteers will be required to attend training and participate in the Safe Environment Training. To register and obtain additional information and volunteer applications, contact Cassie Neahrng at 526-2308 or by email at [cneahrng@catholiccharitiesok.org](mailto:cneahrng@catholiccharitiesok.org).

**Remember next week's second collection is for the Building Fund.**

You are invited to serve Christ's poor. The **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** is inviting caring people to assist those in need of clothing, rent assistance, utility assistance and other emergency needs. Christ said, "What ever you do for the least of my brothers you do unto me." It is time for you to really live your religious convictions and give something back for all you have received? For more information call 343-2938

***The MIHM fundraising committee will be selling raffle tickets for a beautiful wall rosary-with each bead containing the faces of Christ and Mary- be sure to check it out!!***

**MIHM Fundraising Breakfast!!** *Breakfast will be served after Masses on Sunday July 26<sup>th</sup>. Start the day off with a good breakfast. (Biscuits & gravy, eggs and sausage). Proceeds benefit the building project. Cost: Adults \$5 Children under 12 \$3*

The National shrine of the Infant Jesus of Prague will be celebrating its 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>; all are invited to attend this event. Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. followed by a lunch and a special guest speaker. John Michael Talbot will be in concert that evening.

**Natural Family Planning** can help postpone a pregnancy or achieve a pregnancy. It is an ongoing observation and interpretation of the symptoms presented by the body each month and can be used throughout all the fertile years. The couple approach enriches the marriage relationship through improved communication. Couples tell us that each spouse feels special and not taken for granted. Learn the Sympto-thermal method of Natural Family Planning with Jeanne Blasi, certified instructor, on Wed. June 24, July 22, and Aug. 26, at 7 pm at St. John the Baptist Church, 9<sup>th</sup> and Boulevard , Edmond OK in the basement council room. Cost is \$135. Free childcare is available upon request. For info and registration please call Dr. Harry Kocurek at 340-0691 ext. 109.

Due to construction of the Parish Hall, we have temporarily lost some of our parking space to construction materials. The Knights of Columbus are permitting use of the lot north of the church to park for Mass. Look for the "Visitor Parking" sign across the street.

**Choir Practice** ~ resumes this Wednesday July 29<sup>th</sup> at 7pm after mass

***We apologize for the discomfort of the church. The Air-conditioning unit should be fixed this week. Thank you for your patience.***

**\$2.00 meal - Hot dogs, chips and soft drinks after the 4 pm mass.**

**St. Teresa's Billboard**

Pray for the lonely,  
the wounded, and all  
the soldiers ~ that  
they may return  
home safely

*The Fundraising committee would like to  
thank everyone for their generous donations  
and support of the rummage sale!*



Now is the time for all  
good Catholics to turn  
off their phones and  
listen to God's word.  
*Courtesy of AJ Magott*



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**WELCOME**

*TO ST. TERESA'S BILLBOARD*  
*Call Mary @ 454-0993*  
PLEASE REMEMBER TO PLACE YOUR  
ANNOUNCEMENT, GOOD WISHES OR  
AD HERE. DONATIONS BENEFIT THE  
BUILDING PROJECT



*Remember all our  
parish family care  
givers in your  
prayers.*

SHHHHH!  
JESUS IS INSIDE  
LISTENING TO  
PRAYERS!  
IT COULD BE MINE

**Kountry Cleaners, LLC.**  
Owners: Michael & Jetta Reed  
1097 N. Harrah Rd. Harrah, Okla  
405-454-6047  
[Kountrycleaners@mcloudteleco.com](mailto:Kountrycleaners@mcloudteleco.com)

Dry Cleaning, Tuxedo Rentals & Alterations

Mon – Fri. 7am-6pm, Sat 9am-12pm



*Thank you Glorious  
Father in Heaven, for  
our freedom!  
Please protect our  
soldiers!*



YOUR AD HERE

GIVE A KIND WORD TO  
SOMEONE YOU  
APPRECIATE

\$5 PER WEEKEND  
\$100 FOR 6 MONTHS  
\$200 FOR 1 YEAR  
LARGER SIZES VARY  
IN COST.

*Donations for your announcements on our billboard benefit St. Teresa's  
Parish Hall Building Project. Thank you for your support!*