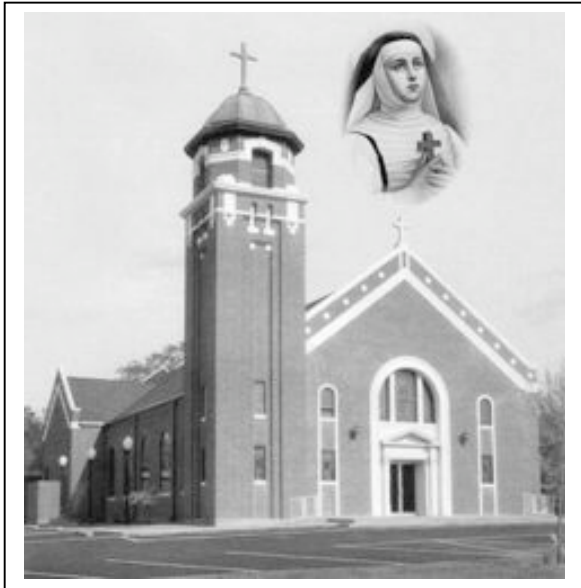


St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

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Archdiocese of Oklahoma City

*Archbishop of Oklahoma City
Most Reverend Paul S. Coakley*

Fr. Mariyanandam Pulugujju, Administrator
(Father Mario)
Cindy Newby, Secretary

Office Hours: Wednesday – Friday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL: (405) 431-0676

Mass Times

Saturday ~ 4:00 pm

Sunday ~ 7:30 am & 9:00 am

Weekdays ~

Monday	Harrah	8:00 am
Tuesday	McLoud	8:30 am
Wednesday	Harrah	6:15 pm
Thursday	McLoud	8:30am
Friday	Harrah	8:00 am

Mass & Adoration ~ *First Friday of each month
6:00 – 7:00 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 and baptism.

Please contact the parish office for questions.

Parish phone listing

Office: (405) 454-2819

Office Fax: (405) 454-0981

St. Teresa Parish Hall: (405) 454-6076

St. Teresa Nursery: (405) 454-6649

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

Religious Education Center: (405) 454-9440

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 (August – May)

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

Parish Council – Meetings as announced

St. Vincent de Paul ~ Monday (bi-weekly), 6:00 pm

Religious Education Classes ~ Wednesdays, 7:00 pm

Prayer Group ~ Tuesdays in the church at 6:00 pm

RCIA Classes ~ Mondays at 7 pm in the RE bldg

Youth Group ~ GR 6-8 Wednesday, After RE Class till 8:45 pm
GR 9-12 Sunday, 6:00 pm – 7:30pm

SECOND WEEK OF EASTER
April 7, 2013

Mass Intention

Saturday	04-06	4:00 pm – Pete Adams † (by Joe and Marilyn Tytanic)
Easter Sunday	04-07	7:30 am – Zoe Hope Partee † (By Kristen and Allen Quirk, Jr.)
		9:00 am – Living and Deceased Members of Catholic Daughters of Harrah (by Catholic Daughters of Harrah) Pete Adams † (by Joe and Marilyn Tytanic)
Monday (Harrah)	04-08	8:00 am – Pete Adams † (by Joe and Marilyn Tytanic)
Tuesday (McCloud)	04-09	8:30 am
Wednesday (Harrah)	04-10	6:15 pm – Our Parish
Thursday (McCloud)	04-11	8:30 am
Friday (Harrah)	04-12	8:00 am – Our Parish
Saturday (Harrah)	04-13	4:00 pm – Fern Grove † (by Joe and Marilyn Tytanic)
Sunday (Harrah)	04-14	7:30 am – Our Parish
		9:00 am – Minnie Nowakowski † (by Catholic Daughters of Harrah) John and Irene Emmack † (by the Family)

Collections March 31, 2013 – 153 Adult Envelopes \$6,592.00, Loose \$894.75, 4 Child Envelopes \$4.01
Total \$7,490.76 Holy Land \$2,228.50, Birth Choice \$10.00, Catholic Relief \$2,194.13
Building Fund Assets as of March 31, 2013 Building Fund \$850.00 **Total \$6,712.50**



Readings April 8, 2013 to April 14, 2013

Monday – Isaiah 7: 10-14; 8:10; Psalm 40: 7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 Hebrews 10: 4-10; Luke 1: 26-38;
Tuesday – Acts 4: 32-37; Psalm 93: 1ab, 1cd-2, 5 John 3: 7b-15;
Wednesday – Acts 5: 17-26; Psalm 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 John 3: 16-21;
Thursday – Acts 5: 27-33; Psalm 34: 2 & 9, 17-18, 19-20 John 3: 31-36;
Friday – Acts 5: 34-42; Psalm 27: 1, 4, 13-14 John 6: 1-15;
Saturday – Acts 6: 1-7; Psalm 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19 John 6: 16-21;
Sunday – Acts 5: 27-32; Psalm 30: 2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 Revelation 5: 11-14 John 21: 1-19;



WELCOMING FATHER MARIO

We all would like to extend a warm and cordial welcome to Reverend Mariyanandam Pulugujju (Father Mario for short), who is serving Saint Teresa of Avila Catholic Church and Saint Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, as Administrator for three months starting April 1, 2013. Father Mario comes from the Parish of the Epiphany of the Lord, in Oklahoma City, where he served as an Associate Pastor.

He looks forward to meeting everyone and encourages all to stop by and introduce themselves.



Catholic Daughters and Knights of Columbus Monthly Meeting Schedule

Monthly meeting April 7th at 7:00pm, in the Family Center with the Knights of Columbus providing the meal at 6:00pm, you are welcome to bring a desert, if you wish.

HOLY WATER

Holy Water blessed for Easter will be available for you, located near the Holy Water Font, containers have been provided.

BLESSINGS OF HOMES

If you would like to have your home blessed during the Easter Season, Please contact the office.



Virginia Young, A member of our Church family, went to be with our Lord on April 3, 2013. Funeral will be Monday, April 8 @ 10:00am. We pray for her repose soul and eternal life.



Saint Vincent de Paul Society Volunteers Needed

Volunteers will be trained and work alongside other trained volunteers.
 Call 405-343-2938 for more details.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



† *Second Sunday of Easter* “Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed,” Jesus says in today’s Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then, in our time too, “men and women in great numbers” will be “added to the Lord.” See John 20:29; Acts 5:14

† *Word of Life:* We are able to practice (love) because we are created in the image of God.

Through the year with Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

A WORD OF CONGRATULATIONS and THANK YOU

Congratulations to the newly confirmed during the Easter Vigil. Thank you readers, lectors, ushers, and the altar servers for your part in making Holy Week successful. Thanks to all who participated in the two processions from the hall, especially for the Easter Vigil. Thank you Choir for your heavenly music, we are truly blessed, and Thanks to the Catholic daughters and Jr. Catholic Daughters.

ABUSE OF MINORS PASTORAL RESPONSE HOTLINE ~ (405) 720 – 9878

For the safety of children and the healing of victims, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City provides an Abuse of Minors Pastoral Response Hotline. Calls to this number will be answered by the Archdiocesan Assistance Coordinator who will offer to meet with the caller in person, if the caller so desires. Calls are confidential with the following exceptions:

- Any allegation of sexual abuse concerning those who currently are minors must be reported to the Oklahoma Department of Human Services (1-800-522-3511) as required by Oklahoma state law and Archdiocesan policy.
- Any allegation of sexual misconduct

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL MASS

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City invites you to attend our Annual Mass and Awards. presentation on Thursday, April 11. Mass will be at 4 p.m. at St. Patrick Church, 2121 N. Portland Ave., Oklahoma City. All are invited for refreshments at an open house next door at the senior apartments of Villa Isenbart, 3801 NW 19th St., and Trinity Gardens, 3825 NW 19th St. Please RSVP for the open house by Monday, April 8, at or [\(405\) 526-2308](tel:4055262308)

† **APRIL MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Altar Servers:	4:00	Dan Kaminski, Megan Kaminski
	7:30	Desiree Fletcher, Jessica Fletcher
	9:00	Daniel Zawisza, Hannah Zawisza, Jaden Rausch
Lectors:	4:00	Joe Zawisza
	7:30	Bernadette Klimkowski
	9:00	1st Mark Seikel 2nd David McCorkle
Communion Ministers:	4:00	Carol Rudek, Pat Bacon, Katie Hargrove
	7:30	James “Kent” Spaeth, Kevin Terrell, Karen Manwell
	9:00	Troy Rausch, Dean Schirf, George Davenport, Barbara Davenport, Doug Kretchmar, Kristi Kretchmar, Evelyn Saxton,
Ushers:	4:00	Michael Visnieski, Ralph Jones, Scott Manwell, John Cook
	7:30	Felix Magott, Paul Nickel, Eric Nickel
	9:00	Ed Malaske, David Drew, Michael Lay, Neil Baltazor

The Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma, Inc., Scholarship Applications are available and may be picked up at the church office.

"HELP SAVE LIVES"



WELCOME TO 40 DAYS FOR LIFE



Rachel's Vineyard

"Birth Choice of Oklahoma"

Birth Choice is in need of committed and dedicated volunteers for 2 to 4 hours a week. Volunteers are needed for the following: answer phones, administer pregnancy tests, clerical work, organize clothing room, nurses for clinic and ultrasound program. We need volunteers for our Bethany, Edmond, Norman, and South OKC offices. Thank you all for your help! If you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact kaytlynjohnson@birthchoice.org.

NURSES CONFERENCE

The 6th Annual Faith Community Nurses' Association Conference "Weaving Presence into Nursing Ministry" will be held Thursday, April 18, at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 900 S Littler, Edmond, OK 73034. The course is approved for 5.75 contact hours applicable for RN, LPN or LMHT re-licensure. Cost is \$45 for FCNAOK members and nursing students; \$75 for non-FCNA members. Mail checks payable to FCNA OK, Attn: Maria Avers, 820552 South 3320 Rd, Wellston, OK 74881. For more information contact Marilyn Seiler, 405.334.1630, marilynseiler72@gmail.com.

STEPPING INTO MARRIAGE WITH CHILDREN

Too often we assume that second marriages need little or no preparation, but 60% of second marriages end in divorce. This seems to be due in part to unanticipated problems and miscommunications. "STEPPING INTO MARRIAGE WITH CHILDREN" a Marriage Preparation class will be held Saturday, April 20, 2013 at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 NW Expressway in Oklahoma City. Sign-in begins at 8:45 with the first session beginning promptly at 9am. The cost of the day is \$40.00 per couple. The program also includes workshop type presentations on communication skills and conflict resolution. You may download the registration form from our website: www.archokc.org.

For inquiries and or questions, please call (405) 721-8944.

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.

Please pray for the intentions of the following:

Henry Villarma, Trapper Leo Visnieski, Brett Cleveland, Georgia Barajas, Mary Mayhew, Marilyn Tytanic, Elenora Lipinski, Ed Malaske, Eddie Penisten, Zarah Scurra, Lyle Hennessey, Jerry Wright, Irene Dennis, Pam Lathrop, Nancy Montalvo, Amanda Ashley, Emily Lasina, Marcey Anthis, Sandy Heise, Sandra Miller, Felix and Ann Zachary, Brianna Anderson, Christopher Woods, Mary Beebe, Rose Garey, Adeline Jorski, Debra Wagoner, Trish Parker, Tonya Rego, Auda Marie Thomas, Lila Dilis, Genele Nowakowski, Tammy Herzog (M), Jason Werchan (M), Stella Manek, Zachary Boyle (M), Katie Magott, Fred Rodriguez, Cindy Brzozowski, Leo Nowakowski, Catherine Hornbeck, Leo and Doris Storemski.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

April 8th - April 14th

*Dewain Manek, Faith Montee, Elton Watkins,
Susie Ledet, John Cook, Starla Smith, Virginia
Drew, Leticia Goff, Michelle Sumaza, Philip Mier,
John Boyle, Theresa Freeman, A.J. Magott*

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Meeting Monday, April 15, 2013, 6:00p.m. @ St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church, in Harrah, for info call 343-2938

Knights of Columbus: Monthly meetings are held on the first Sunday of the month at 7 p.m. The 4th degree Knights meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m.

Catholic Daughters: Monthly meeting are the first Sunday of the month at 7 pm.

Jr. Catholic Daughters: Monthly meetings are the first Sunday of the month at 4:30 pm

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

Please remember to pray for our servicemen and servicewomen serving our country.