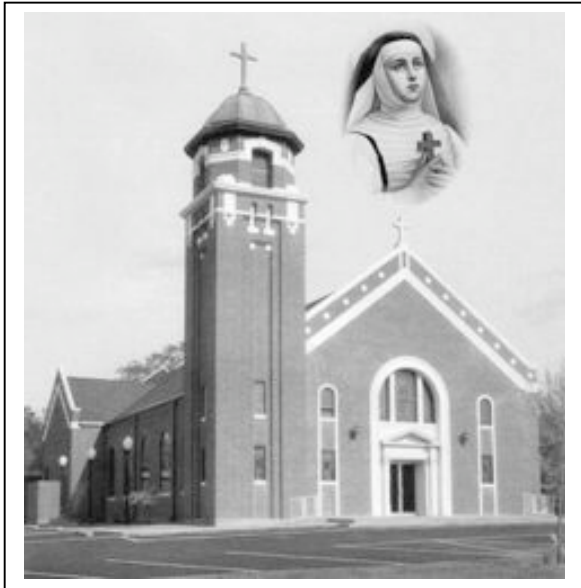


St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

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Archdiocese of Oklahoma City

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

Father Prakash Madineni – Pastor
mgprakash65@gmail.com

Cindy Newby, Secretary

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

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL: (405) 824-2304

Mass Times

Saturday ~ 4:00 pm

Sunday ~ 7:30 am & 9:00 am

Weekdays ~

Monday	Harrah	<i>No Mass</i>
Tuesday	McLoud	8:30 am
Wednesday	Harrah	6:15 pm
Thursday	McLoud	8:30 am
Friday	Harrah	6:00 pm

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 Cemetery: (405) 620-1981

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
1:00 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 ~ Wednesday, 6:30 to 8:00 pm, June – July.

Evangelization Committee ~ First Friday of month at 7:15 pm

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
September 28, 2013

Mass Intention

Saturday	09-28	4:00 pm – Debra Wagoner † (by Werchan Family)
Sunday	09-29	7:30 am – George Owings † (by Hayden Owings) 9:00 am – Helen and Wesley Brown † (by Michael Brown) Lena Martin † (by Debby and Manoi Birdsong)
Monday - Harrah	09-30	No Mass
Wednesday - Harrah	10-02	6:15 pm – Lynna and Larry Crabb For God's Blessing (by Burnett Family)
Friday – Harrah	10-04	6:00 pm – Debra Wagoner † (by Jo Ann Martin)
Saturday	10-05	4:00 pm – Helen and Wesley Brown † (by Michael Brown)
Sunday	10-06	7:30 am – Our Parish 9:00 am – Carrol Doke † (by Delores Doke)

**Collections September 22, 2013 – 116 Adult Envelopes \$3,643.24, Loose \$944.00.00, 3 Child Envelopes \$3.00
Total \$4,590.24**

Building Fund Assets as of September 22, 2013 Building Fund \$50.00 Total \$7,568.02



Readings September 30, 2013 to October 6, 2013

Monday – Zechariah 8: 1-8; □ Psalm 102: 16-18, 19-21, 29 & 22-23 □ Luke 9: 46-50;

Tuesday – Zechariah 8: 20-23; □ Psalm 87: 1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 □ Luke 9: 51-56;

Wednesday – Nehemiah 2: 1-8; □ Psalm 137: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 □ Matthew 18: 1-5, 10;

Thursday – Nehemiah 8: 1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; □ Psalm 19: 8, 9, 10, 11 □ Luke 10: 1-12;

Friday – Baruch 1: 15-22; □ Psalm 79: 1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9 □ Luke 10: 13-16;

Saturday – Baruch 4: 5-12, 27-29; □ Psalm 69: 33-35, 36-39 □ Luke 10: 17-24;

Sunday – Habakkuk 1: 2-3; 2: 2-4; □ Psalm 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9 □ 2 Timothy 1: 6-8, 13-14 □ Luke 17: 5-10;

Saint Teresa of Avila Feast Day Church Picnic

Join in the celebration of our Annual Parish Picnic. A Prayer Service at the Saint Teresa of Avila Meditation Garden after the 10:00am Mass, Sunday, October 13th.

Lunch following with Parish providing the meat and all are asked to bring a side dish to share.

Games for the whole Family.

Harrah Mass 10:00am and McLoud Mass 8:00am

ADORATION

First Friday Adoration will be after the 6:00 pm Mass, October 4, 2014.

PARISH YOUTH BUTTER BRAIDS

It's that time again! This year there is a new dessert braid – Double Chocolate. Orders will be taken on October 5/6th and 12th/13th after Mass. Delivery will be on November 2 & 3, (This fundraiser requires payment at the time of the order.)

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

There will be a Parish Council Meeting, Thursday, October 3, 2013

EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE

Will meet Friday, October 4th at 7:15 in the Family Center, all are welcome to attend.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Mandatory training on Sat. Oct. 5th @ 10:00 am. This is for all current servers and new servers. Please pick up a server training form from the RE Office or in the vestibule. Call Sandra Sumaza @ 454-2192 or 501-605-3420.

SAVE THE DATE

All ladies of the parish (you can bring a friend if you like) are invited to a well deserved Adult night of relaxation and fun. Join us on Friday, October 11 at 7:30 pm in the St Teresa's Family Center for a movie (name to be determined) on the big screen as well as time to visit and enjoy each other's company. There will be snacks and refreshments. Leave the children with dad or a sitter-childcare will NOT be provided. Call Maria Baltazor for more information-208-1991

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



† *Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time:* The sin of the rich man in today's parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at his gate. He knew Lazarus, perhaps walked by him every time he came in or out, but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life? What am I doing to help?

† *Word of Life:* Friendship with the Teacher guarantees profound peace and serenity of soul even in the dark moments and in the most arduous trails. When faith meets with dark nights, in which the presence of God is no longer "felt" or "seen," friendship with Jesus guarantees that in reality nothing can ever separate us from his love.

Through the year with Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

FAITH COMMUNITY NURSE

Basic Faith Community Nurse Preparation Course October 17, 18, 19 and November 7, 8, 9. Bishop W. Angie Smith Chapel, Oklahoma City University Faith Community Nursing is a recognized specialty practice for registered nurses, combining professional nursing and health ministry. This is an independent nursing practice where the nurse performs many roles including educator, personal health counselor and integrator of faith and health. At the forefront of these duties is the special emphasis on the intentional care of the spirit. OCU Kramer School of Nursing, working in conjunction with Catholic Charities of Oklahoma, follows the standards of the Faith Community Nurses Association of Oklahoma to share practice ideas in faith communities and to nurture personal spiritual development.

For information contact Shannon Rowland at 405- 208-6410 or sjrowland@okcu.edu. Scholarships are available.

† **OCTOBER MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Altar Servers:	4:00	Kambel Medich, Wylie Medich
	7:30	Desiree Fletcher, Jessica Fletcher
	9:00	Jaden Rausch, Ashley Spencer, Jacob Ledet
Lectors:	4:00	Karen Manwell
	7:30	Jamie Owings Stephens
	9:00	1st Philip Stramski 2nd Ken Brunsmann
Communion Ministers:	4:00	Stella Skidmore, Carol Rudek, Pat Bacon
	7:30	Cindy Newby, Kevin Terrell, James "Kent" Spaeth
	9:00	Mary Rodriguez, Rod Rodriguez, Vickie Waldrip, Kristi Kretchmar, Doug Kretchmar, Marilyn Tytanic, Neil Baltazor
Ushers:	4:00	Michael Visnieski, Ralph Jones, Scott Manwell, John Cook
	7:30	Felix Magott, Paul Nickel, Eric Nickel, Kevin Terrell
	9:00	Ed Malaske, David Drew, Michael Lay, Neil Baltazor

REPORTING ABUSE/PASTORAL RESPONSE HOTLINE

The Archdiocese of Oklahoma City through its programs, organizations and events, has numerous daily contacts with many children and young people. It is, therefore important that all Archdiocesan Personnel, clergy, seminarians, religious, employees and volunteers, protect the rights of children and be alert to the possibility for child abuse. Under Oklahoma State law, all individuals **MUST** report an incident or suspicion of sexual abuse of a minor (person under 18 years of age) to the civil authorities. The Oklahoma Department of Human Services has established a statewide abuse reporting hotline for reporting: **1-800-522-3511**. This number is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. **If you feel a child is in immediate danger of harm call 911.** For the safety of children and the healing of victims, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City provides an Abuse of Minors Pastoral Response Hotline for reporting the abuse of a minor (in the past or presently) by a member of the clergy or other church personnel: **1-405-720-9878**. The Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, a licensed professional counselor, will respond to calls to the Archdiocesan Pastoral Response Hotline. A report to the Archdiocese does not relieve the individual of the duty to report child abuse to civil authorities as required by Oklahoma State Law. In Oklahoma, failure to report child abuse is a misdemeanor punishable in law.

"HELP SAVE LIVES"



WELCOME TO 40 DAYS FOR LIFE



BIRTH CHOICE OF OKLAHOMA 2013 LIFE WALK

To benefit Rose Home Sunday, October 6, 2013 Myriad Botanical Gardens Downtown, Oklahoma City Registration 1:00 pm Life Walk 2:00 pm We will have live music, children's activities and food! For more information call Barbara 606-8428.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

From September 25 through November 3, 2013

You're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Outpatient Services for Women at 6112 NW 63, Oklahoma City, and to help spread the word about this important community outreach.

To volunteer to help or to be a Church captain to gather volunteers for our prayer vigil please contact: Debby Krisch, dmkisch@htomail.com (405) 824-5578



Rachel's Vineyard

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:

Carolyn Rudek, Barbara Wyskup, Martin Wyskup, Mary Lawson, George & Margaret Olivier, JoAnn and Philo Gravitt, Mike Gravitt, Danny and Toni Gravitt, Jean Maddox, Lidia Miller, Jaime Kreikemier, Dee Gregory, Alaina and Holley Vaughn, DeeJay Norfolk, Andy and Haley Browne, Tom Barnes, Felix and Ann Zachery, Linda Beam, Deana Cunningham, Juanita Shaffer, Greg Hobbs, Susan Garey, Pat Avery, Henry Villarma, Joe Balkenbush, Nancy Montalvo, Brianna, Bryan, and Kaidence Anderson, Patti Petty, Lila Dilis, Georgia Barajas, Ed Malaske, Katie Magott, Christopher Woods, Mary Beebe, Rose Garey, Adeline Jorski, Trish Parker, Tonya Rego, Auda Marie Thomas, Genele Nowakowski, Tammy Herzog (M), Jason Werchan (M), Fred Rodriguez, Cindy Brzozowski, Leo Nowakowski, Catherine Hornbeck, Leo and Doris Storemski.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

September 30th, - October 6th
Anita Craiger, William Harrison, Jr.,
Janice Heise, Elizabeth Matthews,
Benjamin Cook, Hyang Givens, Rhonda Mann,
Jacob Visnieski, Elba Glass, Barbara Ross,
Jane Stewart, Angela Tymofichuk,
Doug Kretchmar, Sandra McClure,
Maraie Wahnann

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Meeting Monday, October 7, 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)

Evangelization Committee ~ The 1st Friday of the month at 7:15 pm .

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