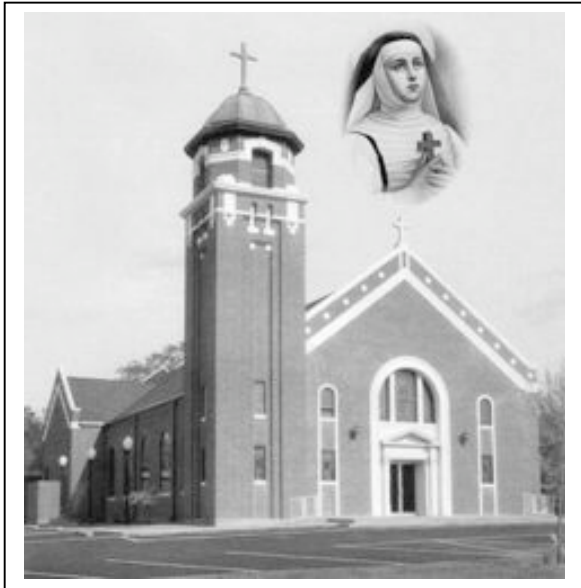


St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

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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	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 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 Family Center

Youth Group ~ Wednesday, 7:15 to 8:30 pm,

High School Group ~ Sunday, 7:00 pm in Youth Center

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

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

OCTOBER 20, 2013

Mass Intention

Saturday	10-19	4:00 pm – Debra Wagoner † (by Jo Ann Martin)
Sunday	10-20	7:30 am – Linda Brach † (by Steve and Cindy Gorczyca) 9:00 am – Theresa Freeman † (by John Marshall)
Monday - Harrah	10-21	No Mass
Wednesday - Harrah	10-23	6:15 pm – George Owings† (by the Owings Family)
Friday – Harrah	10-25	8:00 am – Joseph Block † (by Don & Frances Block)
Saturday	10-26	4:00 pm – Widows of Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus (by the Knights of Columbus)
Sunday	10-27	7:30 am – Paul Cunningham (Healing) (by Knights of Columbus) 9:00 am – Living and Deceased Catholic Daughters of America (by Catholic Daughters of America)

Collections October 13, 2013 – 114 Adult Envelopes \$6,069.00, Loose \$417.50, 3 Child Envelopes \$2.33

Total \$6,488.83

Religious Education \$392.00 World Mission \$11.00

Building Fund Assets as of October 13, 2013

Building Fund \$100.00

Total \$7,693.00



Readings October 21, 2013 to October 27, 2013

Monday – Romans 4: 20-25; Psalm 1: 69-70, 71-72, 73-75 Luke 12: 13-21;

Tuesday – Romans 5: 12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Psalm 40: 7-8a, 8b-910, 17 Luke 12: 35-38;

Wednesday – Romans 6: 12-18; Psalm 124: 1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 Luke 12: 39-48;

Thursday – Romans 6: 19-23; Psalm 119: 66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 Luke 12: 54-59;

Friday – Romans 7: 18-25a; Psalm 145: 10-11, 12-13, 17-18 Luke 10: 1-9;

Saturday – Romans 8: 1-11; Psalm 24: 1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 Luke 13: 1-9;

Sunday – Sirach 35: 12-14, 16-18; Psalm 34: 2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18 Luke 18: 9-14;

ALL SAINTS DAY AND ALL SOULS DAY MASS SCHEDULE

All Saints Day Friday, November 1, is a Holy Day of Obligation.

There will be Mass and Adoration in Harrah at 6:00pm and Mass and Adoration in McCloud at 8:30am.

All Souls Day Saturday, November 2nd, there will only be one Mass in Harrah at 9:00am.

Attending this Mass does not fulfill the obligation of attending the Sunday Mass.

For the whole month of November we will remember our deceased family members who have gone before us.

There are All Souls Special Mass Intention Envelopes at the entrance of the church to offer Masses for them.

These envelopes with their names will be placed on the Altar throughout the month and they will be remembered at every Mass.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

There will be a second collection for World Mission Sunday, this weekend. This is organized by the Propagation of the Faith, is a day set aside for Catholics worldwide to recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF HARRAH

The Catholic Daughters of Harrah will be distributing white ribbons after each mass on Oct 26 and 27 in observance of WHITE RIBBON AGAINST PORNOGRAPHY WEEK which is Oct 27-Nov 2.

The purpose of this week is to increase public awareness of the harm done by exposure to pornography.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Jim Walker

PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Parish Council is requesting all parishioners to please refrain from bringing food or drink's into the church, other than baby bottles. Your cooperation with this matter will help detour future costly cleaning charges. Thank you

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

Saint Vincent de Paul Society, is looking for volunteers! Training is provided. Please contact Jane Harris at 405-343-2938 if you would like to volunteer for this important ministry.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



† *Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time:* Today's theme is perseverance— Moses keeping his hands upraised throughout the battle, Paul urging Timothy to stay with the task of preaching and teaching, and the widow appealing to the corrupt judge. To be faithful stewards of God's gifts, we, too, must persevere in the roles to which we are called.

† *Word of Life:* Jesus comes in all cultures and all parts of the world, everywhere, in wretched huts and in poor rural areas as well as in the splendor of cathedrals. He is the same everywhere, the One, and thus all those gathered with him in prayer and communion are also united in one body.

Through the year with Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Archbishop Coakley will celebrate a special Mass at Resurrection Cemetery Chapel on Saturday, November 2, 2013, at 8:30 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend as we remember all of our loved ones who have died.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CLOSING CEREMONY

Everyone is invited to participate in the closing ceremony for 40 Days for Life. Fr. Stephen Hamilton will preside over a candlelight prayer vigil in thanksgiving for all the lives saved and hearts changed through the prayers of the campaign.

November 3, 2013 at 7pm at 6112 NW 63, OKC **BRING YOUR OWN CANDLE!**

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL APPEAL

Julie came to Catholic Charities in October 2012. She was a homeless pregnant women in search of help to ensure a healthy pregnancy for her child. Afraid of not having any resources to receive the medical care she needed and overwhelmed with life on the streets, she came to Catholic Charities. After initially visiting our Sanctuary Women's Development Center and being referred to

Catholic Charities' Pregnancy Services program, she was given the tools and a plan to overcome the barriers in her life. Your generosity, through the work of Catholic Charities, provided the opportunity for Julie to not only care for her unborn child, but also connect to the resources to help her succeed. Today, Julie is employed and able to care for her newborn. Please help support this important work of charity throughout our Archdiocese by making a gift to the 2013 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal.

Donations may be made online at catholiccharitiesok.org/appeal or by picking up an appeal brochure in the parish office.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

Archbishop Coakley invites married couples who are celebrating milestone anniversaries (25, 40, 50+) in the calendar year 2013 to attend a special Anniversary Mass on Sunday, November 3, 2013 beginning at 3:00 PM at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cathedral, 3214 North Lake Avenue, (N.W. 32 & Western) Oklahoma City. A reception will follow. It is imperative that if you plan to attend please contact the Office of Family Life at 405-721-8944. The Archbishop will be imparting his blessing and the local Catholic community will rejoice in your example and commitment to the Sacrament of Marriage.

RETRouvaille

Retrouvaille helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information about or to register for the Oklahoma City Retrouvaille beginning November 8-10, 2013 call 405-443-3541 or visit the website www.helpourmarriage.com.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Hope for a new beginning. There is help for the heartache of separation, divorce, and widowhood at a Beginning Experience Weekend. This weekend program helps deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity, through God, for turning the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth. Trained team members who have suffered the loss of a loved one share their own experience as they lead participants through presentations, private reflections, and small group sharing. The next *Beginning Experience Weekend*, which is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City will take place at the Catholic Pastoral Center, **October 25-27, 2013**. Contact the Office of Family Life at 721-8944 for registration information or visit the Website Archokc.org to download the registration brochure.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH BAZAAR

Saturday, November 9th, 9-4. Crafts, Bake Sale, Chicken and Noodles, Raffle, all are welcome.

"HELP SAVE LIVES"



WELCOME TO 40 DAYS FOR LIFE



Rachel's Vineyard

RACHEL'S VINEYARD

Are you suffering from an abortion? Or know someone who is? You are not alone. Experience the healing love of Jesus Christ at a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat December 6-8, 2013. The retreat offers a profound opportunity, with a team of trained companions, therapists and clergy, to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. Participation is strictly confidential. The retreat is sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of

Family Life. For more information call 405-623-3844 or email: rachelsvineyardokc@gmail.com

The cost is \$75 for meals, a private room, and all retreat materials. Payment plans and financial assistance are available. For a description of the retreat and a complete list of other retreat dates and locations, call 1 877

HOPE 4 ME or visit the international website at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

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: Debbv Krisch. dmkisch@htomail.com (405) 824-5578

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:

Sue Nickel, Fr. George Pupius, Ryder Davenport, Linda Parker, Sam Patton, John Keirnan, Tricia Bubenik, Carolyn Rudek, Barbara Wyskup, Martin House, Mary Lawson, George & Margaret Olivier, Jean Maddox, Jaime Kreikemier, Dee Gregory, Amber and Holley Vaughn, DeeJay Norfolk, Andy and Haley Browne, Tom Barnes, Felix and Ann Zachery, Juanita Shaffer, Susan Garey, Henry Villarma, Joe Balkenbush, Nancy Montalvo, Brianna, Bryan, and Kaidence Anderson, Lila Dilis, Georgia Barajas, Ed Malaske, Katie Magott, Christopher Woods, Mary Beebe, Rose Garey, Adeline Jorski, Trish Parker, Tonya Rego, Genele Nowakowski, Tammy Herzog (M), Jason Werchan (M), Fred Rodriguez, Cindy Brzozowski, Leo Nowakowski, Catherine Hornbeck, Leo and Doris Storemski.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

October 21st, - October 27th
Janet Caesar, Sandra Sumaza,
Justin Southerland, Grace Brzozowski,
Leo Fortelney, Janet Martin, Kurby Puig,
Shyann Baltazor, Daniel Fijalka,
Cynthia Gorczyca, Mary Lanie,
Ryan Santa-Pinter, Cort Visnieski,
Bobby Natale, Matt Shimanek,

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Meeting Monday, October 21, 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.