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

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Saturday ~ 4:00pm

Sunday \sim 7:30 am and 9:00 am

Weekdays ~

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

Adoration and Mass ~ *First Friday of each month

8:00 am - 6:00 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 7:00pm

Adult Education classes on Tuesday 7:00 pm

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 or Wednesdays at 7 pm in the Family Center

Youth Group ~Wednesday, Middle School – Wed., 8:00 to 8:45pm.

High School Group ~ Sunday, 6: 00 to 7:30 pm in Youth Center

Evangelization Committee ~ The 1st Friday of the month

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 16, 2014

Mass Intention

Saturday	11-15	4:00 pm – Anna Ruth Stramski † (by Andrew Stramski)	
Sunday	11-16	7:30 am – Frank Kusek † (by Tim Kusek)	
-		9:00 am - Donald Heck † (by Neil and Maria Baltazor)	
Monday	11-17	No Mass	
Wednesday	11-19	6:15 pm – Katie Magott † (by John and Harriet Marshall)	
Friday	11-21	8:00 am - Steven Cullip (Healing) (by Knights of Columbus)	
Saturday	11-22	4:00 pm – Jack Martin † (by Melody Martin)	
Sunday	11-23	7:30 am – George Owings † (by Owings Family)	
-		9:00 am - Bud and Dora Lee Kusek † (by Tim Kusek)	
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Collections November 9, 2014 Adult Envelopes \$4,662.00, Loose \$662.00 5 Children \$7.26

Total \$ 5,331.26 World Mission \$10.00, All Saints \$220.00, Catholic Campaign \$10.00

Building Fund Assets as of November 9, 2014 Building Fund \$25.00 Total \$19,434.00

In Memory of Jack Martin \$550.00



Readings November 17, 2014 to November 23, 2014

Monday – Revelation 1: 1-4; 2:1-5; Psalm 1: 1-2, 3, 4 & 6 Luke 18: 34-43;

Tuesday - Revelation 3: 1-6, 14-22; Psalm 15: 2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 Luke 19: 1-10;

Wednesday - Revelation 4: 1-11; Psalm 150: 1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 Luke 19: 11-28;

Thursday - Revelation 5: 1-10; Psalm 149: 1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a & 9b Luke 19: 41-44;

Friday - Revelation 10: 8-11; Psalm 119: 14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131 Luke 19: 45-48;

Saturday – Revelation 11: 4-12;
Psalm 144: 1, 2, 9-10
Luke 20: 27-40;

Sunday - Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17; Psalm 23: 1-2, 2-3, 5-6 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28 Matthew 25; 31-46;

HARRAH AND MCLOUD THANKSGIVING MASS

Wednesday, November 26, 2014 in Harrah at 6:30pm Prayers of Thanksgiving Food Table will be available for those who wish to have an item from their own Thanksgiving Dinner Blessed after the Mass.

THANKSGIVING DINNER AND BAZAAR

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The St. Teresa Thanksgiving Dinner will be Sunday, November 23, 2014, 11:00am-2:00pm. The Bazaar will be open Saturday, November 22 from 1-6pm, and Sunday, November 23, from 8-2pm.

Please sign-up to help for the Thanksgiving Dinner at the back of the church. Donation envelopes are found at the end of the pews and can be dropped off in the collection baskets. As always, we would appreciate all the baked goods (for the dinner & bazaar) and homemade items that people would like to donate to the bazaar. We are open to many unique and creative items, homemade or otherwise.

If you have any questions, please call Maggie Zawisza @ 405-641-7033.

Please contact Bernadette Klimkowski or Debbie Birdsong with the names of those who are Homebound, and would like to receive a delivered Thanksgiving Meal from St. Teresa's. Any donations for the cost of these deliveries will be appreciated.

THANKSGIVING DINNER TURKEY PICK-UP AND WORK DAYS Turkey Pick-Up Wednesday, November 19th between 4:00pm til 8:00pm

Work Days-Friday, November 21, 2014 and Saturday, November 22, 2014 Starting at 8:00AM Still can use more donation of pies and cakes.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANGLE TREE

The Knights of Columbus will have an Angel Tree this year. These "Angels" are underprivileged children and families that are in need of a little help at Christmas. Please be their Santa and sign-up to sponsor an Angel today. The tree and sign-up sheet will be in the family center. Detailed instructions are with each Angel. All gifts need to be brought in by Sunday December 14. Thank you.

CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

There will be a 2nd collection for the Campaign for Human Development, the weekend of November 23, 2014. Please be generous.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



- † *Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time:* Good stewards are like the industrious and reliable servants in today's Gospel, prudently using and multiplying the gifts entrusted to them by God.
- **Word of Life:** "From the Upper Room the Church goes forth, impelled by the life-giving breath of the Spirit. Gather in prayer with the Mother of Jesus, the Church lives in constant expectation of a renewed out pouring of the Holy Spirit. Send forth your Spirit, Lord, and renew the face of the earth!"

By Pope Frances

YOUTH GROUP

The Youth Group will hold their annual Butter Braid Fundraiser. Orders may be placed after Masses this weekend and on the weekend of November 29 & 30. Thank you for your support of our youth.

SEMINARIAN EDUCATION APPEAL

In the coming days Catholic households in the Archdiocese will be receiving a direct mailing from the Vocations Office regarding our Seminarian Education Appeal (SEA). This is a direct request for a pledge toward the costs of educating our seminarians, along with a miniature version of our seminarian poster and a vocation prayer card. Please participate with a financial gift toward the cost of educating our future priests. Please also pray for our seminarians and for more young men to join them at the seminary. We appreciate your generosity. For more information please contact the Vocation Office @ (405) 721-9351.

REMINDER-POLAND 2015

Come and experience Poland with Fr. Prakash Madineni on September 15, 2015 thru September 23, 2015. Contact Father for signup or with any questions.

Flyers are in the back of the church.

OFFERING ENVELOPES AND CENSUS CARDS

Sign-up Sheets for anyone who currently does not have a box of offering envelopes are in the back of the church. If you have not filled out a Census Card, please do so, they are found in the foyer of the church. The Census Cards are used in many ways throughout the church's record keeping, for example: end of year tax donation letters, pictorial information for church directory, offering envelopes, and home bound parishioners. These are many of the ways this pertinent information serves the church and our congregation

PRAYER DAY FOR THE RETIRED, PRESENTER DEACON JOE FORGUE "THE WORLD OF THANKSGIVING"

Wednesday, November 19, 2014 at the Pastoral Center, OKC, Cost \$7.00 includes Lunch, To register call the Office of Worship & Spiritual Life, 405-721-5651 x 158

CHARISMATIC CATHOLIC PRAYER MEETING

/Charismatic Catholic prayer meeting November 20th and December 4th at 7:00pm, at the Catholic Pastoral Center, Room C-1. Learn the Catholic Roots of the modern charismatic renewal. If you are a convert or a cradle Catholic interested in discovering the charismatic dimension of our Catholic faith, join us. Call Toni Calvey at (405) 630-0539, e-mail tonicalvey1900@gmail.com or visit SpiritOK.org.

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Need to know the Saint of the Day? Daily prayers? Catholic Movie reviews? Download the archdiocese's APP! Search for "Archdiocese of Oklahoma City." Available on the App Store or Google Play.

GREAT PHOTO OF A PARISH EVENT?

The Sooner Catholic would love to share your photos from parish events throughout the archdiocese. Please send photos to Brianna Osborne at tips@archok.org. Please limit photos to one per e-mail.

HELP SAVE LIVES"



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 5-7, 2014. 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.

HOLY INNOCENTS ADORATON CHAPEL

Rachel's Vineyard

We thank Our Lord for the gift of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at Holy Innocents'. We also wish to thank the adorers from parishes with in the Oklahoma City and many adorers outside the archdiocese who are committed to weekly holy hours in our chapel-6114 NW 63, OKC. As the Adoration Coordinator for the Holy Innocents' Foundation I would like to extend a personal invitation for a commitment to a permanent holy hour or to consider placing your name on our substitution list. For information, contact Toni Harrelson, adoration.holyinnocents@gmail.com or 405-341-2199

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 Debra Birdsong at 454-2167.

Please pray for the intentions of the following:

Michael Nowakowski, Trisha Parker, Michael Scalzo, Romeo Opichka, Charlie Jackson, Evelyn Keria, Bob Maxey, Frank Saxton, Rickey Lawson, Flex and Anne Zachare, Stella Manek, Darlene Geissler, Susan Garey, Rose McKinney, Diana Hanna, Josh and Tabitha Ernst, Alaina Janssen, Dan Galvin, David Winkenwerder, Denice Garey, Evelyn Saxton, Dorothy Wyskup, Maria Coster, Leon Miller, Kristin Hendricks, Tobie Caywood, Peter Keupen, Barbara Dull, David Lapham, Danny Marshall, Bree Newby, Rose Ann and Tommy Markham, Joyce Nowakowski, Father Leven, Carolyn Werchan, Ryan Ainsworth, Fran Tytenicz, Dave Brewer, Jo Sims, Connie James, Linda Parker, L. Lacefield, Kim, Kile and Cohen Grant, Martha Hopcus, Janice Lempges, Mark Dixon, Gale Dixon, Florence Hardy, Irene Dennis, Auda Marie Thomas, Rosalie Marino, Ginny Davis, Amber Visnieski, Barbara Brimm, Janice Determan, Sarah Backhus, Tom Barnes, Katherine Duggins, Maggie McIntire, Sally Bugg, Zachary Saxton, Colby Trout, Randolph Whitfield, Tom Breske, Emmett Vasilakos, Michael Beam, Atkinson Homer, Karen Meeks, Patricia Henthorn, Louise Wyskup, Tommy Bross, Sue Nickel, Barbara Wyskup, Jean Maddox, Juanita Shaffer, Henry Villarma, Joe Balkenbush, Nancy Montalvo, Georgia Barajas, Christopher Woods, Mary Beebe, Adeline Jorski, Tonya Rego, Genele Nowakowski, Fred Rodriguez, Cindy Brzozowski, Leo Nowakowski, Leo and Doris Storemski.

By Saint Teresa of Avila

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Meeting Monday, November 17, 2014, 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

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