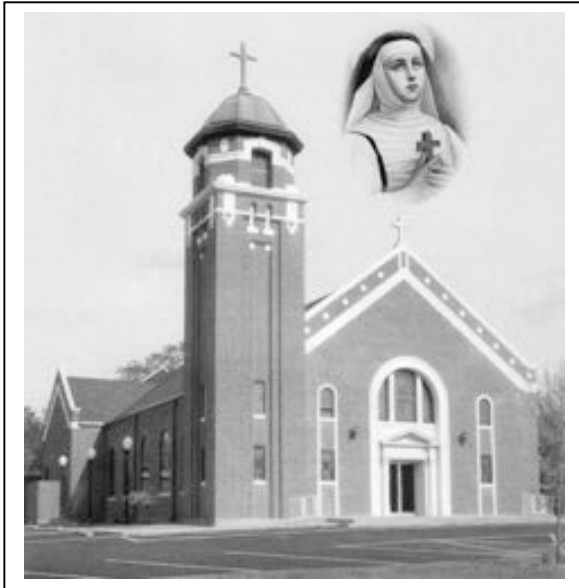


St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

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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) 821-1402

Mass Times

Saturday ~ 4:00pm
Sunday ~ 7:30 am and 9:00 am
Weekdays ~
Monday No Mass
Tuesday No Mass
Wednesday No Mass
Thursday No Mass
Friday No Mass

Adoration ~ *First Friday of each month
8:00 am – 6:00pm

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

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JANUARY 25, 2015

Mass Intention

Saturday	01-24	4:00 pm – Breske Family (In Thanksgiving) (by James and Angeline Breske)
Sunday	01-25	7:30 am – Mark Ross † (by Barbara Ross and Kelly Trice) 9:00 am – Joe Amico † (by Glenn and Sara Mayko)
Monday	01-26	No Mass
Wednesday	01-28	No Mass
Friday	01-30	No Mass
Saturday	01-31	4:00 pm – Breske Family (In Thanksgiving) (by James and Angeline Breske)
Sunday	02-01	7:30 am – Frank Scalso † (by Steve Scalso) 9:00 am – John Rought † (by Hanna Family)

Collections January 18, 2015 107 Adult Envelopes \$3,703.00, Loose \$759.00 5 Children \$4.28

Total \$ 4,466.00 Solemnity of Mary \$15.00, 1st Offering \$25.00

Building Fund Assets as of January 18, 2015 Total \$19,679.00

Readings January 26, 2015 to February 1, 2015

Monday – 2 Timothy 1: 1-8; Psalm 96: 1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 Mark 3: 22-30;

Tuesday – Hebrews 10: 1-10; Psalm 40: 2 & 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11 Mark 3: 31-35;

Wednesday – Hebrews 10: 11-18; Psalm 37: 30-31 Mark 4: 1-20;

Thursday – Hebrews 10: 19-25; Psalm 24: 1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 Mark 4: 21-25;

Friday – Hebrews 10: 32-39; Psalm 37: 3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40 Mark 4: 26-34;

Saturday – Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19; Luke 1: 69-70, 71-72, 73-75 Mark 4: 35-41;

Sunday – Deuteronomy 18: 15-20; Psalm 95: 1-2, 6-7, 7-9 1 Corinthians 7: 32-35 Mark 1: 21-28;



FATHER PRAKASH VACATION

Father Prakash is vacationing in India, he will be returning Friday, February 13, 2015. During his absence there will not be daily Masses. Weekend Masses will be the regular schedule. In case of emergency, please call the office, Office hours Wednesday – Friday, 9:00am to 4:00pm @ 405-454-2819.

After hours please call Cindy Newby at 405-821-1402.

WELCOME VISITING PRIEST

Father Basil Keenan from Shawnee, will be officiating the weekend Mass, January 31-February 1, 2015 and February 7-8, 2015, while Father Prakash is on vacation.

PARISH SECRETARY POSITION AVAILABLE

Due to Cindy Newby retiring from the Secretary position, Friday April 17, 2015, application are being accepted until February 28, 2015. The New Parish Secretary will be selected by March 15th.

Applications may be picked up at Parish office.

GLORY RETREAT

Looking for a simple way to be spiritually renewed, develop a deeper relationship with Our Merciful Savior, and grow in holiness this Lent? Then join us for the *33 Days to Morning Glory, a Retreat in Preparation for Marian Consecration*, by Fr. Michael Gaitley on *Sundays, February 15th to March 22nd from 1:30-3:00* in the St. Teresa's Family Center. Rather than giving up chocolate for Lent, draw closer to the Heart of Jesus through the Heart of Mary with this retreat! Pick up a flyer with more information at the back of church and register on the sign-up sheets by Feb. 1st to allow time to order materials. Contact Kristi Kretchmar 391-2728 for more information

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



† *The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time:* The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the Gospel. Alleluia, alleluia.

† *Word of Life:* “Mercy is the true power that can save humanity and the world from sin and evil.”
By Pope Frances



*“You have given them Bread from Heaven,
Having within it all Sweetness”.*

**COME AND JOIN THE LOCAL SECULAR ORDER OF
DISCALCED CARMELITES FOR 1st FRIDAY ADORATION**

Sign-up sheets are in the back of the Church
8:00am thru 6:00pm, Friday, February 6, 2015 at
Saint Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

† **FEBRUARY MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Altar Servers:	4:00	Jacob Bernier, Zane Bernier
	7:30	Casey Jones, Kelsi Jones, _____
	9:00	Debbie Coleman, Jesse Baltazor, Nicole Herzog
Lectors:	4:00	Ralph Jones
	7:30	Patty Lay
	9:00	1 st Adrainna Limon 2 nd Dean Schirf
Communion Ministers:	4:00	Carol Rudek, Pat Bacon, Karen Manwell
	7:30	Kelly Trice, Keven Terrell, _____
	9:00	Doug Kretchmar, Kristi Kretchmar, Nancy Limon, Gary Marshall, David McCorkle, Troy Rausch, Mark Seikel
Ushers:	4:00	Tom Jorski, Fritz Lang, Michael Nickel, Mike Brown,
	7:30	Mark Klimkowski, Marvin Visnieski, Tom Barnes, Larry Visnieski,
	9:00	Philip Stramski, Abel Aldaz, Will Arher, Jeff Wagner, Glen Mead

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All boys and girls ages 10 to 14 (as of 1 January, *proof of age is required*) are invited to participate in the 2015 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship on Sunday, 25 January at 1:30 PM.

Registration begins at 1:15 PM. The district competition will immediately follow the local competition. Fellow practicing Catholic men, this is a great opportunity to discern your own involvement. Come see the Knights of your parish in action and why our motto is “In Service to One, In Service to All”.

Any questions, please contact Frank Volpe 405-821-5634.

2014 DONATION LETTERS FOR TAX PURPOSES

The 2014 Church Contribution Tax letters may be picked up in the back of the church. Please contact the church office with any corrections and have the following information available: Complete Name, Phone Number, Date of Check, Payment Amount, and Check Number.

Please notice there will be no Archdiocesan Contributions, Catholic Charities, or other outside organizations included in the total amounts listed in your 2014 Tax Contribution Letters

"HELP SAVE LIVES"



BIRTH CHOICE OF OKLAHOMA, INC. LIFE WALK

Sunday, October 5, 2014 At the Myriad Botanical Gardens Downtown, Oklahoma City.
Registration begins at 1:00 pm, Life Walk begins at 2:00 pm Register with a minimum of \$25 in donations and get a chance to win an iPad (must be present to win) Register with a minimum of \$100 in donation and get a free walk T-shirt.

Activities include: Children and Teen Activities, Food Court, and live music by the Band zero2sixty For more information visit www.WatchForTheUnborn.com

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

The Beginning Experience weekend program helps grieving single-again persons emerge from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning, and move into the future with renewed hope. This 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. The program is held at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 N. W. Expressway, OKC beginning Friday evening ending on Sunday about 3:30 March 6-8, 2015. For more information contact Office of Family Life (405) 721-8944.

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 Debra Birdsong at 454-2167.

Please pray for the intentions of the following:

Hannah York, Dorothy Walter, Tanya Ford, Irene Watkins, Carol Rudek, Mary Camfield, Susan Laughlin, Ledet Family, Dorothy Wyskup, Donna Wyskup, Brandi Carpenter, Stella Skidmore, Ed Terrell, Dorothy Walter, Michael Nowakowski, Trish Parker, Michael Scalzo, Charlie Jackson, Evelyn Keria, Bob Maxey, Frank Saxton, Rickey Lawson, Flex and Anne Zachare, Darlene Geissler, Rose McKinney, Diana Hanna, Josh and Tabitha Ernst, Alaina Janssen, Dan Galvin, David Winkenwerder, Evelyn Saxton, 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, Mark Dixon, Gale Dixon, Florence Hardy, Irene Dennis, Auda Marie Thomas, Rosalie Marino, Ginny Davis, Amber Visnieski, Barbara Brimm, 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, Nancy Montalvo, Georgia Barajas, Christopher Woods, Mary

By Saint Teresa of Avila

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Meeting Monday, at 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 1:00 pm (September – May)

Evangelization Committee ~ The 1st Friday of the month at 6:30 pm.