

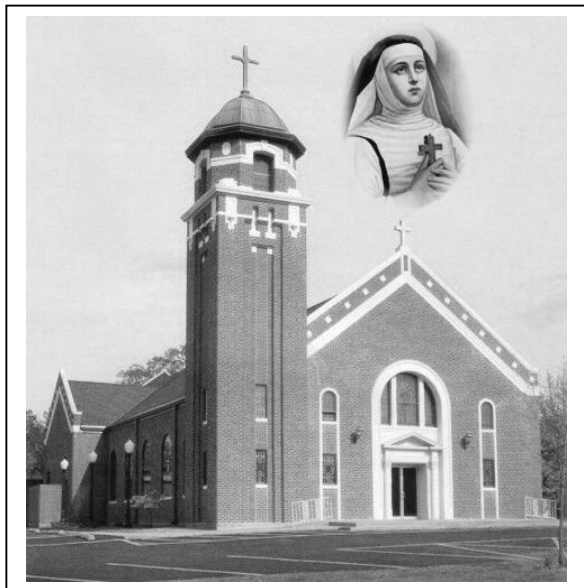
St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

PO Box 418, 1576 Tim Holt Drive

Harrah, OK 73045-0418

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Archdiocese of Oklahoma City

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

Father Prakash Madineni – Pastor
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Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

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

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

Youth Group Grades 6-12 Wednesday, 7:00- 8:30 pm Jun 6- Jul 29

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

Evangelization Committee ~ The 1st Friday of the month

Mass Times

Saturday ~ 4:00pm

Sunday ~ 7:30 am

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

~ 1st Fridays

8:00am – 6:00pm

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

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 Center.

Please contact the parish office for questions.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 2, 2015

From the Pastor's Desk

† Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Strive to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace. (Eph 4:3)

† God strengthens us with the finest wheat, Christ himself, the sacrament of unity, that we may walk in the ways of mutual love and service that bear fruit in peace, as befits the members of Christ's Body who follow the path he showed us.



*“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 foyer of the Church

8:00am thru 6:00pm, Friday, Jul 3, 2015 at

Saint Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

Altar Server Bowling Event – Serving Those Who Serve

Altar Servers! Fr. Prakash and the Knights of Columbus request your presence at the Fire Lake Bowling Center in Shawnee, from 2 to 4:30 pm on Sunday, August 2nd. Come and enjoy an afternoon of food and fun with others “who worthily approach the Holy table.” You have our sincerest appreciation. Please RSVP via email to frankvolpe@mac.com by July 28th. Please contact Frank Volpe, the KofC Youth Director, with any questions at 821-5634. Hope to see you there!

Help Needed for Religious Education Program

Be a part of our children's future and volunteer for our Religious Education program. Multiple teacher and aide positions available for the 2015-2016 school year. Positions available in early elementary, middle elementary, middle school, and high school. Contact Sandra Sumaza, Religious Education Director at 501-605-3420 if interested.

Women of Faith/Women of Action Fall Luncheon

Most reverend Paul S. Coakley, Archbishop of Oklahoma City, is special guest speaker for the Women of faith/Women of Action fall luncheon on Saturday, September 19, to be held at the Catholic Pastoral Conference Center. Archbishop Coakley is currently the Board Chair for United States Conference of Catholic Bishops for Catholic Relief Services. He will speak about his involvement with helping and serving those in need in 93 countries representing the United States Catholics. He also will address how the National Council of catholic women was formed 95 years ago by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops under the umbrella of Catholic Relief Services. They formed "Works of Peace" for the National Council of Catholic Women to serve and to help. Doors will be open at 11:00 am so you will be able to shop our Fair Trade booth and visit Catholic relief Services and the National Council of Catholic Women's booths. A Buffet luncheon will be served. A donation shall be made to Catholic Relief Services. Registration is now open and seating is limited. Cost is \$25. Text/email Chris Thomas (thomaschrist@sbcglobal.net) 405-306-5187, or Mary Ann Schmitt (smaschm@aol.com) 650-9674, to add your name to our info email list & receive registration form email Chris.

Cursillos In Christianity

The 2015 Fall Cursillos will be at St. Joseph's in Norman. Men's weekend is September 17-20; Women's weekend is October 1-4. Please contact Doug or Kristi Kretchmar at 391-2728 for information.

<u>Mass Intentions</u>	
Saturday	July 25 4:00 pm – † Marie Sullen (by Carol Rudek) – Henry Villarma (Healing) (by Knights)
Sunday	July 26 7:30 am – † Mary Catherine Hornbeck (Carolyn Miles) 9:00 am – † Don Brimm (by Barbara Dull) † Don Brimm (by Don Carpenter -Knights)
Monday	July 27 No Mass
Wednesday	July 29 6:15 pm – Adeline Jorski (Healing) (by Jorski Family) Walter Dietz (Healing) (by Gail Boyd)
Friday	July 31 8:00 am – † Marjorie Magott (by Felix Magott) † Don Brimm (Barbara Dull)
Saturday	Aug 01 4:00 pm – † Doris Stramski (by Leo Stramski)
Sunday	Aug 02 7:30 am – † Bill Hopcus (by Martha Hopcus) 9:00 am – † Jack Martin (by Carolyn Miles)

Readings for July 27 to Aug 02:

Monday – Ex 32:15-24, 30-34 • Psalm 106: 19-20, 21, 22, 23 • Mt 13:31-35
 Tuesday – Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28 • Psalm 103: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 • Mt 13:36-43
 Wednesday – Ex 34: -29-35 • Psalm 99: 5, 6, 7, 9 • Jn 11: 19-27
 Thursday – Ex 40: 16-21, 34-38 • Psalm 84: 3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11 • Mt 13: 47-53
 Friday – Lev 23: 1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 • Psalm 81: 3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab, • Mt 13: 54-58
 Saturday – Lev 25: 1, 8-17 • Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 7-8 • Mt 14:1-12
 Sunday – Ex 16: 4, 12-15 • Eph 4: 20-24 • Psalm 78: 23-24 25, 54 • Jn 6: 24-35

Collection-- July 19: 120 Adult envelopes: \$4,304.00 Loose: \$1,433.00 Children: \$1.00

Total: \$5,738.00

Special Collections: Catholic Communication: \$1,238.00 **St Vincent de Paul Society:** \$5.00

Building Fund Assets: As of July 19, 2015 \$1,608.00

† AUGUST MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Altar Servers:	4:00	Grace and Ali Brzozowski		
	7:30	Connor Lay, Charlie Heath		
	9:00	Debbie Coleman, Adrianna Limon, Alex Boyd		
			Lectors:	4:00
Steve Nettlingham	7:30	Kevin Terrell		
	9:00	1 st Doug Kretchmar 2 nd Kristi Kretchmar		
Communion Ministers:	4:00	Kim Johnson, Deniece Knapp, Karen Manwell		
	7:30	Rachel Espolt, Kent Spaeth, Kevin Terrell		
	9:00	Neil Baltazar, Debby Birdsong, Ken Brunsman, Marilyn Tytanic Vickie Waldrip		
Ushers:	4:00	Tom Jorski, Fritz Lang, James Breske, Mike Brown		
	7:30	Mark Klimkowski, Marvin Visnieski, Kent Spaeth, Larry Visnieski		
	9:00	Phillip Stramski, Abel Aldaz, Will Archer, Jeff Wagner		

Pray for the Sick and Homebound of our Parish

Pray for the sick and homebound of our parish and around the world. If you or someone need special prayers, contact Tom Jorski at 454-3154.

Retrouvaille

Hope and healing for troubled, separated and divorced couples can be found at the OKC retrouvaille Program August 28-30 at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 Northwest Expressway. Go online to www.retrouvaille.org or call (405) 443-3541. No group sharing.

Holy Innocents Adoration Chapel

Urgent need for adorers who are committed to weekly holy hours in our chapel, 6114 NW 63rd, OKC. We extend a personal invitation for a commitment to a permanent holy hour or to consider placing your name on our substitution list. Contact Toni Harrelson at 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. The prayer list is updated every three months. Please contact us if a name should be relisted.

Please pray for the Intentions Of....

Jerry Jorski, Philo Gravitt Christian Cleveland, Paula Wilson Fairchild, Darlene Geissler, Mert Zawisza, Xan Monroe, Koleby Thornton, Darrel Simpson, Jeremy Simpson, Charity Simpson & Family, Pat Wood, Carol Rudek, Edna Hanmer, Jo Simms, Al Dilis, Anita Brimm, Chelsey Werchan, Patty Hydrich, Vickie Wilson, Paula Wilson, Billy Keller & Family, Eric Atkison, Pearl Cuyler, Brittany Baltazor, Olivia Whitfield, David Davenport, Walter Givens, Kristen Myer, Michael Carpenter, Dutch Henthorn, Becky Maynor, Patricia Mander, Reed Evan Musgrove, Charlavan Cranford, Irene Watkins, Susan Laughlin, Ed Terrell, Trisha Parker, Michael Scalzo, Evelyn Saxton, Martha Hopcus, Rosie Marino, Amber Visnieski, Sally Bugg, Tom Breske, Emmett Vasilakos, Louise Wyskup, Sue Nickel, Barbara Wyskup, Jean Maddox, Juanita Shaffer, Henry Villarma, Nancy Montalvo, Georgia Barajas, Christopher Woods, Mary Beebe, Adeline Jorski, Geneale Nowakowski, Fred Rodriguez, Cindy Brzozowski, Leo Storemski

Please pray for our Men and Women serving our country in the Military

Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Society – Meeting Monday, Aug 3, at 6:00 pm, in the RE Bldg at Harrah.

For information call 343-2938.

Knights of Columbus – Monthly meetings on the first Sunday of the month at 7:00 pm.

4th Degree Knights – Monthly meetings on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm.

Catholic daughters – Monthly meetings on the first Sunday of the month at 7:00 pm.

Jr. Catholic daughters – Monthly meetings on the first Sunday of the month at 4:30 pm.

Altar Society – Meet the first Sunday of the month at 1:00 pm (September – May).

Evangelization Committee – Meet on the first Friday of the month at 6:30 pm.