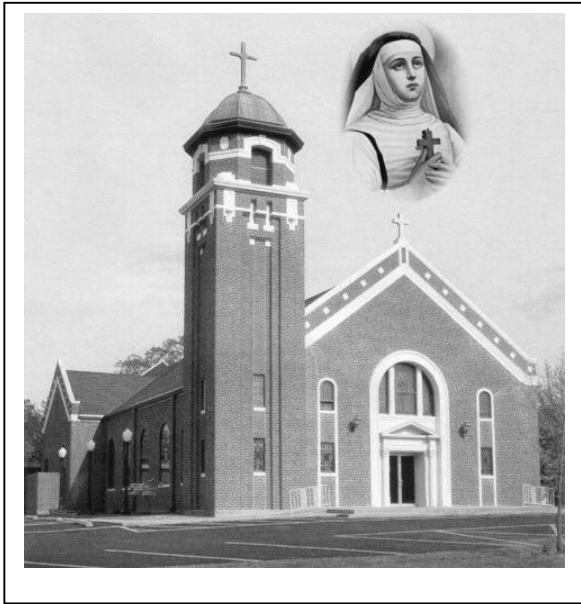


St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

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Archdiocese of Oklahoma City

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

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mgprakash65@gmail.com

Kathleen Bauman, Secretary

Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL: (405) 824-2304

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am
9:00 am

Weekdays:

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

Adoration: First Fridays 8:00am – 6:00pm

Holy Days: As announced in the bulletin

Confessions: Saturday – 3:00-3:45 pm
Sunday – 7:00-7:20 am

Baptism: Contact Parish Office for Appointment.

Marriage: See pastor six months prior to wedding.

(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 (Sep-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 (Sept 14)
Religious Education Classes ~Wednesdays, 7:00 pm
Prayer Group ~ Tuesdays in the church at 6:00 pm
RCIA Classes ~ Mondays, 7 pm in the Family Center
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
Jr Catholic Daughters ~ First Wed of month, 6:00 pm, RE Bldg
Evangelization Committee ~ The 1st Friday of the month
SVDP Food Bank open Mondays 4:30 to 5:30 pm.

January 31th, 2016 – Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday	Jan 30 4:00 pm	Adeline Jorski (healing) (by Knights of Columbus)
Sunday	Jan 31 7:30 am	Montalvo Family (by Knights of Columbus)
	9:00 am	+ John Thompson (by Barbara Dull)
Monday	Feb 01	No Mass
Wednesday	Feb 03	No Mass
Friday	Feb 05	No Mass
Saturday	Feb 06 4:00 pm	Brunzman Family (by Kenneth Brunzman)
Sunday	Feb 07 7:30 am	+ George Allen Owings (by Owings family)
	9:00 am	+ Kevin Boyle (by Gail Boyle)

Readings for : Feb 01 to Feb 07

Monday • 2 Samuel 15:13-14; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday • Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Wednesday • 2 Sam 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday • 1 Kngs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chron 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Mk 6:7-13
Friday • Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47 & 50, 51; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday • 1 Kngs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday • Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11; Lk 5:1-11

Collection—Jan 24: 115 Adult Envelopes: \$4438.00 9 Children Envelopes: \$17.88 Total: \$4465.88

Special Collections: Solemnity of Mary: \$10.00

Building Fund: Total Assets: \$4369.00

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

First Friday, February 5th, 2016

From 8:00 am to 6:00 pm

*As Jesus has given All He has to us, can we
give at least one hour of our week to thank Him.*

(Sign-up sheet is at the back of the church)



Knights of Columbus Seminarian Support

The Knights of Columbus monthly breakfast held on Sunday February 7, 2016 will be a donation breakfast with the proceeds going towards financial support of one of our Archdiocese of Oklahoma City Seminarians studying for the Priesthood. Please join the Knights of Columbus Council # 4598 by providing your support to Seminarian Martin F. Parizek who is currently in his Junior year at Conception Seminary College. Mr. Parizek is from St John Nepomuk parish in Yukon. For those who may not be able to attend the breakfast but would like to provide your support, you will be able to donate after each of the Masses held the weekend of February 6th & 7th. Thank you in advance for your support.

Charismatic Catholic Prayer Meeting

A Charismatic Catholic prayer meeting will be at 7 p.m. Feb 4, in the Catholic Pastoral Center Chapel, 7501 Northwest Expressway. Contact Toni Calvey at (405) 630-0539, tonicalvey1900@gmail.com or visit www.SpiritOKC.org. A children's ministry is now available for families with children.

Souper Bowl of Caring

Youth Group will again participate in the annual Souper Bowl of Caring to help the food deprived in our community. Especially in this Jubilee Year of Mercy, help our youth reach out to those in need by dropping a dollar in the soup pots after Mass next weekend.

Rose Day



Show your support for life by bringing roses to your state representative, senator, lt. governor and governor from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the State Capitol, on February 3rd, 2016. A pro-life rally begins at 11:45 a.m. in the fourth floor House Chamber.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 10.

It is a day of Fast & Abstinence.

Mass times will be as follows: 5:30 pm in McLoud and 7:15 pm in Harrah.

Abstinence: The law of Abstinence forbids the eating of meat by Catholics 14 years and older

Fasting: All Catholics who are between the ages of 18 and 59 are obligated to fast. The lighter meals (not equal to another full meal) are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs. Eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.



Daily Mass Times during Lent

Harrah	Tuesday	8:00 am
	*Friday	7:00 pm (w/Stations of the Cross)
McLoud	Wednesday	6:00 pm (w/Stations of the Cross)
	*Thursday	8:30 am

*Soup Supper at Harrah will be before Stations & Mass at 6:00 pm.

*Lenten meal at McLoud will be served every other Wednesday after the Mass.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Collection

In last Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reads the words of scripture: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." Have you considered answering the call to "bring glad tidings to the poor" by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul? We are currently down to 5 active members. This is not enough to continue our mission. We need YOU! Please call Jane at 343-2938 or 386-7912 to inquire. In the last quarter of 2015, thru your gifts, we assisted 79 families with food, utility assistance or referrals. Thank you! The 31st is a 5th Sunday with collections going to SVdP Society. Please be generous.

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament during Lent

At Harrah, every Friday from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. A sign up sheet will be at the back of the church.

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St. Philip Neri Catholic School Open House

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week with a tour of St. Philip Neri. Open House for PreK-3 through 8th Grade Classes, on Sunday, January 31st from 12:15 pm to 1:30 pm.

ADF Education Sunday

The 2016 Archbishop's Appeal will be held on Feb 6 and 7 in our Parish. The programs, services, and ministries supported by the Appeal are for Catholics in central and western Oklahoma. Archdiocesan financial support is possible because of each of us. We are His Church...Share the gifts you have received. The Church serves each of us, and our financial and physical support continues God's work in the Archdiocese of Okla City.

OLOG Summer Camp

Registration has begun for the Summer of 2016. You can download the registration form at www.archokc.org. New and returning campers are encouraged to register as early as possible as we expect many sessions to fill up quickly

20th Annual Oklahoma Catholic Men's Conference

The twentieth Annual Oklahoma Catholic Men's Conference will be held Saturday, February 27, 2016, from 9 am to 4 pm, at the Embassy Suite Convention Center in Norman, OK. The speakers are Daniel Cardinal Dinardo, Curtis Martin, Dr. Kevin Vost and Kevin Reilly. Register online now at www.catholicmen.net.

Marriage and family conference

Strengthen your marriage and family during your Lenten journey! St. Mary, Ardmore, is hosting a marriage and family conference Saturday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Mary, 125 E. St. S.W. Titled "As the Family Goes," the conference will feature nationally-known speakers and radio hosts Dr. Greg and Lisa Popcak. Reconciliation, adoration available; lunch and child care (infants through children age 12) are included in registration. Mass offered at 4 p.m. The cost for registration is \$20 per person if paid by Jan. 31; \$25 per person after Feb. 1. Registrations must be received by Feb. 12. To register, go to www.stmaryardmoreok.org/registration.php or contact (580) 223-0231, conference@stmaryardmoreok.org.

Women of Faith/Women of Action 2016 Lenten Retreat

Mother Miriam of the Lamb of God (formally Sister Rosalind Moss) will be special guest speaker at the Women of Faith/Women of Action Lenten Retreat on Saturday, March 5 at the catholic Pastoral Conference Center. Reverend Stephen Bird, Director of Worship & Spiritual Life of OKC Archdiocese, will give the opening prayer and Lenten message for the assembly. Registration is \$30 & includes box lunch. Doors open at 8:30 am for Vendors. Retreat is 9:30 am to 4:30 pm, confessions during lunch, Youth of Epiphany parish will provide music throughout the day. Mass at 5:30 pm at Epiphany of the Lord north of Conference Center. For info: text/email/call: Mary Ann Schmitt 405-650-9674 sngmaschm@aol.com or Chris Thomas thomaschrisL@sbcglobal.net 405-306-5187.

Catholic Foundation Scholarships Available

The 2016-17 Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma scholarship applications are now available. The Catholic Foundation offers a \$6,000 scholarship to students attending a non-Catholic college or university and a \$12,000 scholarship to students attending a Catholic college or university. Additional scholarships may be available to a University of Oklahoma medical student, a nursing student at the school of their choice, students studying pastoral music, and a student attending Saint Gregory's University. If interested, visit the Catholic Foundation website at www.cfook.org or contact (405) 721-4115, cfo-info@archokc.org. Completed applications are due by Wednesday, April 6.

Ministry Schedule for January

Ministry Schedule for February

<u>Ministers of Holy Communion:</u>	<u>Ministers of Holy Communion:</u>
4:00 Mark & Robbie Garland, Mary Sweeney	4:00 Susan Stramski, Carol Rudek, Kim Johnson
7:30 Kevin Terrell, Stan DeLong, Kelly Trice	7:30 Rodel Espolt, Kent Spaeth, Bridgette Heath
9:00 Marilyn Titanic, Vicki Waldrip, Neal Baltazor, Debbie Birdsong, Ken Brunsman	9:00 Don & Barbara Carpenter, Nancy Limon, Mary Sweeney, Ken Brunsman
<u>Lectors:</u>	<u>Lectors:</u>
4:00 Ralph Jones	4:00 Steve Nettlingham
7:30 Kent Spaeth	7:30 Kevin Terrell
9:00 Nancy Limon & Dean Schirf	9:00 Dour & Kristi Kretchmar
<u>Ushers:</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
4:00 Joe Zawisza, Charlie Werchan, Donnie Brim, George Landall	4:00 Tom Jorski, Fritz Lang, James Breske, Mike Brown
7:30 Greg Nowakowski, Joe Balkenbush, Max Mullins	7:30 Mark Klimkowski, Marvin Visnieski, Kent Spaeth, Larry Visnieski
9:00 Ed Brzozowski, Doyle Thornton, A.J. & Janet Magott,	9:00 Phillip Stramski, Abel Aldaz, Will Archer, Jeff Wagner
<u>Altar Servers:</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
4:00 Wylie & Kambel Medich	4:00 Casey & Kelsie Jones
7:30 Grace & Ali Brzozowski	7:30 Connor Lay, Alex Harke
9:00 Debbie Coleman, Nicole Herzog, Devin Birdsong Williams	9:00 Matthew Sloas, Jesse Baltazor, Katie Goff

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 month. Please contact us if a name should be relisted.

Please pray for the Intentions Of...

Eric Atkison, Sally & Joe Balkenbush, Antonio & Georgia Barajas, Vickey Boorshes, Tom Breske, Anita Brimm, Sally Bugg, Kathy Bussen, Brett Cleveland, Charlavan Cranford, Pearl Cuyer, David Davenport, Al Dilis, John & Virginia Drew, Paula Fairchild, Daniel Fields, Simone Galvin, Darlene Geissler, Bill Grannan, Doug Harvey, Edna Hanmer, Dutch Henthorn, Jimmie Holbrook, Janet Holder, Martha Hopcus, Martin House, Patty Hydrich, Mary Jorski, Ann Jones, Blythe Jones (granddaughter of Kelly Trice), Adeline Jorski, Betsy Jorski, Jerry Jorski, Billy Keller & Family, Jamie Kreikemeiers, Adrianna Limon, Sophia Lemieux, Melani Lodesma, Susan Laughlin, Jean Maddox, Rev. Eugene Marshall O.S.B., Beverly Mayhew, Becky Maynor, Xan Monroe, Reed Evan Musgrove, Kristen Myer, Sue Nickel, Charlotte Nowakowski, Geneale Nowakowski, Heather O'Connell, Darrell O'Neil, Trisha Parker, Donna Phillips, Kristen Quirk, Anna Marie Rackley, Fred Rodriguez, Don Ross, Carol Rudek, Carolyn Rudek, Evelyn Saxton, Michael Scalzo, Juanita Shaffer, Edna Shoeman, Charity Simpson & Family, Darrel Simpson, Jeremy Simpson, Jo Sims, Donald Smith, Leo Storemski, Ed Terrell, Emmett Vasilakos, Henry Villarma, Amber Visnieski, Irene Watkins, Anthony Welch, Carolyn Werchan, Chelsey Werchan, Iivia Whitfield, Tanya Wilkerson, Tonya rego Wilkerson, Vickie Wilson, Christopher Woods, Barbara Wyskup, Louise Wyskup, Felix Zachara.