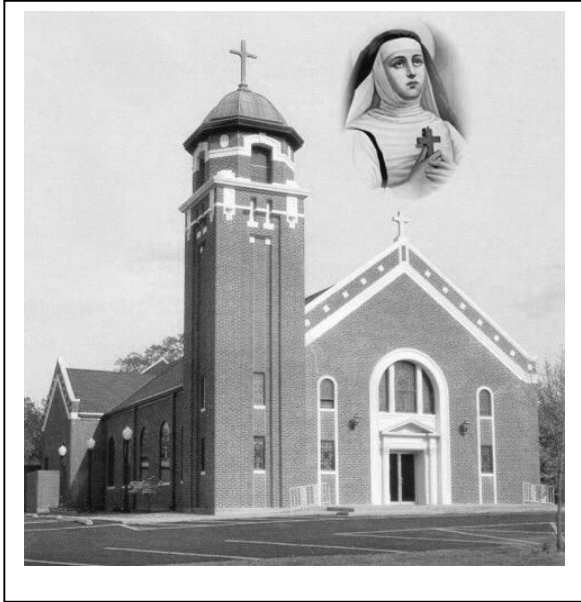


# St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church

PO Box 418, 1576 Tim Holt Drive  
Our Parish Web Site: [www.stteresaharrah.org](http://www.stteresaharrah.org)

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*Archdiocese of Oklahoma City*

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

**Father Prakash Madineni – Pastor**  
mgprakash65@gmail.com

Kathleen Bauman, Secretary

Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

## **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

**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

**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

**Inquiry Sessions** ~ The 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month, 7:00 pm.

**SVDP Food Bank** open Mondays 4:30 to 5:30 pm.

## July 3, 2016 – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>July 02 4:00 pm</b> + <b>Adeline Jorski</b> (by Tom Jorski Family)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>July 03 7:30 am</b> <b>Liv &amp; Dec Catholic Daughters &amp; Jr CDA</b> (by CDA & Jr CDA) <b>9:00 am</b> + <b>John Thompson</b> (Knights of Columbus)
<b>Monday</b>	<b>July 04 No Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>July 06 6:10 pm</b> <b>Leo Nowakowski (healing)</b> (by Knights of Columbus)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>July 08 8:00 am</b> + <b>Amelia Block</b> (by Daniel & Frances Block)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>July 09 4:00 pm</b> + <b>Jeffrey Kerchee</b> (by Barbara Dull)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>July 10 7:30 am</b> + <b>Marjorie Magott</b> (by Felix Magott) <b>9:00 am</b> + <b>Adeline Jorski</b> (by Tom Jorski Family)

### Readings for : July 4 to July 10

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26;

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; *or* Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

**Collection—June 26** 105 Adult Envelopes: \$4184.10 7 Children Envelopes: \$8.00 Total: \$4192.10

**Special Collections:** Peter's Pence: \$1541.49

**Building Fund:** Total Assets: \$4750.00

### Prayer for the Protection of Religious Liberty

O God our creator, from your provident hand we have received Our right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

You have called us as your people and given us the right and the Duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to Live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and The saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society.

We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms When they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard On behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience Of all people of faith.

Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your Sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the History of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger Overcome – for the sake of our children, our grandchildren and all who Come after us – this great land will always be *“one nation, under God, Indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”* We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen. (Go online to [www.flocknote.com/archokc](http://www.flocknote.com/archokc))



### Catholic Daughter's Summer Breakfasts

It's time again for the Catholic Daughters to provide breakfast during the summer months. Next breakfast is July 10<sup>th</sup>, then August 7<sup>th</sup> will be the dates to mark your calendars for those fabulous breakfasts provided by the ladies of our court. All proceeds go to our various charities.

### Knights of Columbus Rib Dinner

Tickets can now be purchased for the Knights of Columbus Rib Dinner which will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 6:00 pm. Price of the ticket is \$15.00 and can be purchased at the weekend masses or you can ask a Knight how you can obtain your tickets. Please do not wait too long as there is a limited amount of tickets. The Menu will include: Ribs, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Roll, and drink. If you have any questions or are having trouble getting your tickets, please contact Philip Stramski at 625-7761.

### “Come and See Inquiry Session for July

The “Come and See” Inquiry session for July will be Monday, July 11 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall. This is for non-Catholics and non-practicing Catholics who have questions about the Faith. There is no registration or commitment – simply “Come and See”.

### **From the Pastor's Desk**

It seems that the seventy-two are somewhat skeptical about the ability Christ gives them to bestow peace, to cure the sick, and to survive among "wolves" like "lambs." Yet, from ages past the prophet Isaiah has promised that "the Lord's power shall be known to his servant." The jubilant report of the seventy-two upon returning to Jesus betrays just how surprised they are at their own actions: "Even the demons are subject to us because of your name." The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ" is that force beyond ourselves by which God in his mercy makes the impossible come to be in our life. That is what the seventy-two experience. When we see such witnesses – when we become ones ourselves – our hearts rejoice and our "bodies flourish like the grass." Father's will.

### **Presentation On The Holy Eucharist**

Father will be giving a presentation on the Holy Eucharist, followed by a question and answer session, on Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Family Center. Come and learn more about your Catholic faith, and this most precious of gifts God has given to us – his very self.

### **Join Daily Rosary for Life**

In anticipation of the new abortion clinic opening in southwest Oklahoma City, a few blocks from St. James and other churches, Fr. Pruett, Sr. Maria, parishioners at St. James and community members are gathering every morning at 11:30 to pray the Rosary at 1240 S.W. 44 at the corner of S.W. 44 and Blackwelder. Anyone can participate.

### **Special Pilgrimage Day and Powwow at St. Gregory's**

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Honor Dance. In gratitude to Native American Peoples. Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm to 10:00 pm. At St. Gregory's Abbey. Blessing and Mass at 3:00 pm followed by pilgrimage to statue and Gourd Dance at 4:30 pm. Traditional picnic at 6:00 pm, Grand Entry and Inter-Tribal dancing until 10:00 pm.

Honor Dance Contest for St. Kateri: Girls 9-15 years of age. Northern Fancy Shawl & Jingle Combined and Southern Buckskin & Cloth combined. 1<sup>st</sup> place \$100, 2<sup>nd</sup> place \$75, 3<sup>rd</sup> place \$50.



### **Fr. Stanley Rother 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Memorial Mass**

Memorial Mass for Fr. Stanley Rother's 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Memorial Mass will take place at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 211 West Missouri, Okarche, OK, on Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm.

Celebrants will be Archbishop Paul Ccoakley, Archbishop Emeritus Beltran, and fellow clergy. There will be a Knights of Columbus (Okarche Council 3220) Carnival after the Mass in the Holy Trinity parking lot. There will be burgers and hot dogs, inflatables & kid's games, hay rides, dunk tank, bingo, raffle drawings and cash prizes, a live band and karaoke. Also sale items: Fr. Rother books, t-shirts, and religious articles. For more information call 263-7930 or visit [www.holytrinityok.org](http://www.holytrinityok.org).

### **Retreat in Daily Life**

The Retreat in Daily Life is a seven-month experience of the spiritual exercises of St. Ignatius. The retreat will be late September through April. It involves daily prayer, weekly group meetings and individual spiritual direction. Register by Aug. 31. Call Nancy Vargas, (405) 715-0283, or Danna Schweitzer, (405) 263-4472. RIDL is a ministry of the Office of Worship and Spiritual Life.

### **Emmaus Days**

Emmaus Days is for young men in high school or who recently graduated who are interested in discerning a call to the priesthood. Emmaus Days is Aug. 3-5 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Youth Camp in Arcadia. To register, contact (405) 721-9351, [vocations@archokc.org](mailto:vocations@archokc.org) or go online to <http://archokc.org/vocations/home>.

### **Charismatic Catholic Prayer Meetings**

Held at 7 p.m., every Thursday in the Catholic Pastoral Center chapel and Rm. C-1. Bring your Bible. Contact Toni Calvey at (405) 630-0539, [toni-calvey1900@gmail.com](mailto:toni-calvey1900@gmail.com) or visit [www.spiritOKC.org](http://www.spiritOKC.org).

### **Birth Choice Volunteers Needed**

Volunteers are valued and needed members of Birth Choice. There are many ways to get involved in the organization. Birth Choice's goal is to help you find which of your skills, expertise, and passions best fit the organization. Birth Choice is in serious need of volunteers who will administer pregnancy tests, mentor clients and help with clerical work.

Contact Barbara at (405) 606-8428.

## R.C.I.A. Conference

The Office of Worship and Spiritual Life presents “Ever Ancient, Ever New: Recapturing the Richness of the RCIA” for RCIA leaders and volunteers. Rita Thiron, executive director of the Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions in Washington, D.C., will conduct the conference Friday, July 15, and Saturday, July 16, at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 Northwest Expressway, OKC. Cost \$15 for Friday only; \$25 for Saturday only, includes meals; \$35 for both days. Participants need copy of RCIA ritual. Copies available for \$25. Advance registration by July 6. Housing available at the CPC, \$22.50 pp dbl. occ. or \$35 for one person per room. Call (405) 721-5651, Ext. 158.

## Pre-Cana classes

Pre-Cana is a day for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. A specially prepared team of married couples and a priest share their experience and information with the intention of enabling engaged couples to be more aware of the privileges and responsibilities of marriage. Class is held at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 Northwest Expressway. Spanish classes are Aug. 20, Oct. 1 or Nov. 12. English classes are Aug. 20 or Oct. 15. Registration begins at 8:15 a.m. and the program starts at 8:45 a.m., ending at 4 pm. Call (405) 721-8944. Download registration form online at [www.archokc.org](http://www.archokc.org).

## Communicating With Yourself – What Messages Are You Sending?

Are you seeking more effective methods of communicating with your spouse, family, and friends? Are there ways to be more welcoming to those you don't know? The Office of Family Life is presenting a workshop entitled, “Communicating with Yourself—What Messages Are You Sending?” that will give practical and helpful tools to improve communication. It will be held at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 7501 NW Expressway, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 23, 2016.

Michelle instructor for the Air Force as well as a college professor, will facilitate this workshop. It promises to be enlightening and fun as well. Call 405-721-8944 for more information or to register.

### Ministry Schedule for July

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<b>Ministers of Holy Communion:</b> 4:00 Karen Manwell, Linda & Steve Nettleingham 7:30 Brigitte Heath, Kent Spaeth, Kevin Terrell 9:00 Ken Brunzman, Barbara & Don Carpenter, Anita Craiger, Tracy Hartley	<b>Ministers of Holy Communion:</b> 4:00 Susan Stramski, Mary Sweeney, Carol Rudek 7:30 Kelly Trice, Stan Delong, Rachel Espolt 9:00 Barbara Davenport, George Davenport, Doug Kretchmar, Kristi Kretchmar, Nancy Limon
<b>Lectors:</b> 4:00 Ralph Jones 7:30 James “Kent” Spaeth 9:00 Nancy Limon, Dean Schirf	<b>Lectors:</b> 4:00 Steve Nettlingham 7:30 Kevin Terrell 9:00 Doug Kretchman, Krist Kretchmar
<b>Ushers:</b> 4:00 Joe Zawisza, Charlie Werchan, Donnie Brim, George Landoll 7:30 Greg Nowakowski, Meko Block, Joe Balkenbush, Max Mullins 9:00 Ed Brzozowski, Doyle Thornton, A.J. Magott, Janet Magott	<b>Ushers</b> 4:00 Tom Jorski, James Breske, Mike Brown, (open) 7:30 Mark Klimkowski, Marvin Visnieski, Kent Spaeth, Larry Visnieski 9:00 Philip Stramski, Abel Aldaz, Will Archer, Jeff Wagner
<b>Altar Servers:</b> 4:00 Kambel Medich, Jason Kaminski 7:30 Volunteers 9:00 Alex Boyd, Tony Opichka, Devin Birdsong	<b>Altar Servers</b> Casey Jones, Kelsi Jones Connor Lay, Alex Harke, Izzy Harke Matthew Sloas, Jesse Baltazor, Nicole Herzog

## **Pray for our men and women serving in the Military!**

### 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, Michael Beam, James Beam, Vickey Boorshes, Anita Brimm, Jenny Bruns, Sally Bugg, David Davenport, Al Dilis, John & Virginia Drew, Simone Galvin, Bill Grannan, Marilyn Gravitt, Kimmie Holbrook, Janet Holder, Larry & Ann Henthorne, Martha Hopcus, Alana Jansen, Gloria Jennings, Ann Jones, Betsy & Jerry Jorski, Adrianna Limon, Susan Laughlin, Rev. Eugene Marshall O.S.B., Rosalie Marino, David & Ann Meed, Sue Nickel, Charlotte Nowakowski, Geneale Nowakowski, Linda Parker, Trisha Parker, Eddie Penisten, Adilyn Quintero, Linda Raly, Odest Raly, Troy & Lovette Rausch, Fred Rodriguez, Mary Rodriguez, Don Ross, Carol Rudek, Carolyn Rudek, Evelyn Saxton, Betty Sharp, Jennifer Shipp, Alom Self, Juanita Shaffer, Jo Sims, Tom & Aline Smith, Logan Stephens, Shirley Thompson, Henry Villarma, Blaize Volpe, Jean Walker, Irene Watkins, Charlene Wells, Charlie Werchan, Chelsey Werchan, Vickie Wilson, Bob Wood, Kim Wright, Barbara Wyskup, Dorothy Wyskup, Martin Wyskup, Louise Wyskup, Filex & Ann Zachare