



March 11, 2018

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

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PARISH COUNCIL

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Dan Suppes	677-1650
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PARISH SERVICES

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals
Contact the Pastor @ 677-4873
Inquiry into becoming a Catholic (RCIA)
Contact Deacon John Page @ 677-7620

BECOME A REGISTERED MEMBER

Welcome to St. Paul Parish. If you are attending Mass and activities here at St. Paul the Apostle Parish, you should register. The forms are on the table in the foyer of the church. There are special privileges being a registered member of the parish. We are glad you are here. Call the Parish Office for any questions (677-4873).

Mass Schedule

Monday No Mass
Tues, Wed, & Thurs., Friday 9:00am
Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday 8:45am & 11:15 am
Days of Obligation 9am & 6:30pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Sat. 3:30 or by appointment

Special Prayer Time

On every WEDNESDAY at 6:00 p.m. we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Prayers to Our Lady Of Perpetual Help, quiet time for your own private prayers and closing at 7pm with Benediction.

Oklahoma Catholic Broadcasting

Oklahoma City KKNG, FM 97.3

Ministry to Youth

Youth Group is grades 6-12 meet every Wednesday at 6:30pm to 8:00pm in the Parish Hall (Supper included).

Shari McGurk 474-8218 & Becky Garcia 990-4782

Kristen Danner & Kirsten Stalford 802-5747

Homebound Parishioners

If you would like to receive Holy Communion at your home because you are unable to come to church, call the Parish Office.

Ministry Schedulers

Vicki Harris - Ushers/Greeters 737-2724

Alice Sealy - Lectors 670-2571

Fran Zeleny - Communion Ministers 677-6265

Vanessa Ackerman - Altar Servers 332-8645

Parish Ministries & Organizations

Funeral Meals.....Sue Flies	990-5826
Homebound Ministry.....Parish Office	677-4873
Knights of Columbus.....Jeff Lusch	760-9241
Ladies Group.....Connie Hall-Jones	246-6725
Meals On Wheels.....Mary Baumann	799-3969
Music Director.....Michelle Hill	924-5200
Prayer Chain.....Dona Brown	737-4124
Safe Environment.....Darla Bralley	677-4873
Social Activities.....Kirsten Stalford	802-5747
St. Paul Parish Charity Help Hotline	670-6105

Bulletin Deadline Office

Monday at 12pm Excluding Holidays

Parish Office Hours Monday-Friday 8am-4pm



FOURTHSUNDAY OF LENT
10th & 11th March 2018

PARISH NEWS: In the first reading we hear about Israel's disobedience which leads to the destruction of Jerusalem and captivity of the people. In spite of their faithlessness, God acts lovingly and mercifully. The Gospel clarifies it by telling that God so loved the world that He gave his only son so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have everlasting life. God took the initiative in the salvation event because He loved man. There are people who believe that God is not interested in man. There are some who believe that God is far away, enthroned in his own world with no care for men. Some people consider God as a strict judge who punishes human beings. But in all religions there are hundreds of Gods who intervene in human affairs. God loves the whole world but not a particular race or nation. Nobody is excluded from God's love. St. Augustine said "God loves each one of us as if there was only one of us to love". By his death and resurrection, Jesus brought us to life when we were dead by sin. Many people have a poor image of God. But God reaches out to us over and over again even after we choose darkness rather than light. We try to hide but God seeks us out when we hide. God wants to raise us up when we fall down. The incredible thing, of course, is that God continues to offer us His love no matter how many times we reject Him. His forgiveness is unconditional and is offered over and over and over. He loves us so much that He sends His own Son who even dies for us—and still we are not willing to give every aspect of our life to this God. We get upset at times when we hear of God and find all kinds of arguments against this God that we find in the Holy Scriptures. Lent is about our journey to accept God's divine presence in our lives. It is a journey to accept our own sinfulness and to be able to give that sinfulness back to God in asking for forgiveness. Lent is a time to look again at our relationship with our God who loves us, at our relationship with the God-man Jesus who gave His life for us and to ask for the Holy Spirit to convert us entirely. Let us give praise to God and live in the truth and in the light. (Pastor's desk)

REFLECTIONS OF THE WEEK:

1. The LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE will be on Wednesday, 14th March at 6.30 P.M.
2. JEWISH SEDAR meal will be on 18th March, SUNDAY at 5.00 P.M. in the Parish Hall.
3. March 19th, Monday is the FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH. There will be Mass at 9.00 A.M. after the Rosary.
4. We are entering into the HOLY WEEK on 25th March with PALM SUNDAY. We gather in the Hall.
5. EASTER TRIDUUM begins on 29th March with HOLY THURSDAY.
6. The CHRISM MASS, blessing of the Holy Oils will be on 27th March, Tuesday evening in the Cathedral.
7. Spring Clean-Up is scheduled for the 17th of March at 9:00 a.m. We are inviting all Parishioner Men Women and Children to help do a Spring Clean-Up both inside and outside the parish. Thank You for your Stewardship.
8. Our Parish's annual Easter Egg Hunt is just around the corner and we need to fill 5 buckets filled to the brim with empty Easter Eggs. We are asking for donations of individually wrapped candy that can fit into eggs. If you can make a donation, please place your donation in the purple bucket in the back of Church. Thank you in advance for your generosity.
9. The Youth Group are selling 10" hanging baskets from Marcum's Nursery for \$20.00 each. The attached order form shows the different varieties you can choose from. Order forms and payment are due by March 15th and the baskets will be ready to be picked up on April 7th. The baskets can be used as hanging baskets, you can take off the hangers and just use them as a potted plant or you can take them out of their pot and plant them directly in your garden. If you have any questions, please contact Kristen Danner at 464-8763.
10. We are stopping giving the Sacred Blood of Christ during Masses in Lenten season due to Flu and other severe allergies. Eucharistic ministers are not needed from Ash Wednesday till Holy Thursday.
11. If anyone is interested in running for Parish Council please contact the Office, Abram Hernandez 361-9840, Linda Odland 610-6027, or Vernon Hughes 830-4908. This year we have 3 open positions that need to be filled in the parish. Please consider running for this important parish ministry.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

3-1 Nicholas Khanna 3-1 Theresa Lepak 3-1 Julian Mitchell 3-3 Melvin Mitchell 3-4 Hung Tran
 3-5 Susan Chavez 3-5 RJ Magee 3-6 Cindy Riedl 3-7 Jessiya Habel 3-8 Roe Billy
 3-8 Royce Ann Caras 3-10 David Bement 3-11 Candace Carpenter 3-11 Ricardo Trejo
 3-12 Oliver Breeden 3-12 Angela Poole 3-13 Trey Ferrell 3-13 Hope Sallack
 3-18 Jordan Irizarry 3-22 Lindsay Lindsay 3-24 Thomas Palomo 3-25 Jayson Gutierrez
 3-25 Angelina Ramirez 3-27 Carol Hughes 3-27 Michael Sifuentes 3-27 Roxanne Vilog
 3-28 Carolyn Detar 3-28 Mark Himes 3-28 Keith Lindsay **3-31 Kathleen Barta** 3-31 Lee Joy Taylor

LET US PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH:

1. Jacque Chavez= Cancer, 2. Patricia Felock= Health problems, 3. Larry Stotler= Health problems,
4. Shelby Jones= Cancer, 5. Carole Hughes= Health problems, 6. Carolyn Quirk= Health problems,
7. Eileen Snediger= cancer, 8. Erin Hentz Marinko= Health problems, 9. Tom Jones=Health Problems
10. Jean Allee=Health Problems, 11. Mike Shafer=Health Problems
12. Robert Devillez = Health Problems 13. Zee Repollo=Health Problems 14. Larry Ringwald=Health Problems

3rd & 4th March Collection: \$4,196.00
Candle Offering: \$222.07
Second Collection: \$3,428.27
TOTAL COLLECTION OF THE WEEK: \$8,384.34
MORTGAGE BALANCE: \$342,205.35

LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK:

12th MARCH: MONDAY: Isaiah. 65:17-21. St. John.4:43-54
 (No Mass. Priest day off)
13th MARCH: TUESDAY: Ezekiel. 47:1-9,12. St. John.5:1-16
8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: Fr. Sundar (Birthday March 13th) by Ursula Meyer and Family.
14th MARCH: WEDNESDAY: Isaiah. 49:8-15 . St. John.5:17-30
8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: +Fr. Paul Mollan (B'day March 12) by Ursula Meyer and Family.
15th MARCH: THURSDAY: Exodus. 32:7-14. St. John. 5:31-47
8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: Wes Combs (B'day) by Larry & Anna Mae Stotler.
16th MARCH: FRIDAY: Wisdom. 2:12-22. St. John. 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: +Mary "Betty" Maichak by Ladies Group.
17th MARCH. SATURDAY: Jeremiah. 31:31-34. Hebrews.5:7-9. St. John. 12:20-33
3.30 Confessions. 5.00 P.M. Mass for: +Pat Lusch by the Ladies Group.
18th MARCH: SUNDAY: Jeremiah. 31:31-34. Hebrews.5:7-9. St. John. 12:20-33
8.45 A.M. Mass for:
11.15 A.M. Mass for:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
<u>17th MARCH</u> <u>SATURDAY</u> <u>5.00P.M.</u>	1. Barbara Baker 2. Adrian Lewis	1. D. Lusch 2. P. White 3. C. Woodward 4. J. Stephens	1. Vicki Harris 2. Barney Kramer 3. Jim Laurent 4. Aletha Laurent	1. 2. 3. 4.
<u>18th MARCH</u> <u>8.45 A.M</u> 11.15 A.M.	1. Larry Jones 2. Mark Himes 1. Brian Bogue 2. Judy Pursell	1. L. Jones 2. L. Powell 3. K. Habel 1. A. McGurk 2. J. Del Rosario 3. S. Stalford 4.S. Ackerman	1. Jim Wright 2.Kathy Bolton 3. John Inman 4. Carolyn Inman 1. Mary Matthew 2. Pam Atkinson 3. Val Sifuentes 4. Ron White	1. 2. 3. 4. 1. 2. 3. 4.

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