



January 14th, 2018

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

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Dan Suppes

677-1650

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677-9578

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799-3969

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 223-2993

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



SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 13th & 14th JANUARY 2018

REFLECTIONS OF THE WEEK: Today the readings speak about the call of God. God calls man through man to reveal his will. God calls Samuel and he responds. God wants us to be his instruments to lead man to God. We are all perpetually on the quest: some are in search of money, some look for security and position, some others search of name and fame. They need not be necessarily bad aims. They become bad only if they are motivated by personal ambition and selfishness. In the Gospel, John's disciples were also in search of something. When Jesus told them "Come and see", they accepted his invitation and followed him. We forget many times that Jesus had called us by our name and we fail to encounter him and receive his graces. Every Sunday we come to church to meet Jesus. What is the result of our encounter with him? Do we learn more about him and decide to spend more time with him or do we come together and go away empty handed? We pray for 'Vocations' so often in Church and usually it is for priesthood and the religious life... All of us have a vocation. We are all equipped by God to do what we are called to do. There will be no special signs from heaven calling us to our vocation in life. But if our life has integrity, then the simple testimony of how we live our lives will be more than enough to attract others to "Come and see." To be called does not require perfection on our behalf, only fidelity and holy listening. Samuel and the prophets of Israel, the fishermen of Galilee and even the tax collectors that Jesus called were certainly not called because of their qualifications or achievements. Paul says that Jesus calls "the foolish," so that the wise will be shamed. It is a dynamic call that involves a total response on our part. We will never be the same because he has called us, loved us, changed us and made us into his image. When we come before the Lord to listen to his Word, our deepest prayer and cry of the heart should be: "Speak Lord, your servant is listening." But is it not true, that cry often turns out to be: "Listen Lord, your servant is speaking!" Listening in faith means opening one's heart to God's Word, allowing it to penetrate and transform us, and practicing it. Events in our world show the tragic effects of the lack of listening: conflicts in families, gaps between generations and nations, and violence. God speaks and the Church, as servant, lends its voice to the Word. But God does not only speak. God also listens, especially to the just, widows, orphans, persecuted, and the poor who have no voice. The Church must learn to listen the way God listens and must lend its voice to the voiceless. What can we learn from the call stories in today's readings? We are never called for our own sake, but for the sake of others. Israel was called by God for the benefit of the godless around it. God calls all Christians for the sake of the world in which we live. **(Pastor's desk)**

PARISH NEWS: 1. The Ladies Chili-Fest will be on Saturday the 20th at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Beef Chili and Potato Soup, Nachos and Frito Chili Pie with assorted desserts will be served. There will also be a Silent Auction and drawing for the Quilt at 7:00 p.m. The charge is \$6.00 for Adults and children under 12 is \$3.00.

2. The FEAST of St. Paul the Apostle, our parish patron saint feast will be celebrated this year on 28th January with one Mass on SUNDAY at 10.00 A.M.

3. Santo Nino (Infant Jesus) feast by the Filipino Community will be celebrated in the cathedral of our Lady of Perpetual Help, Oklahoma City, on 21st January with the Mass at 4.00 P.M. followed by reception. All are invited to participate. For the Novena prayers program, please see the Bulletin board in the church.

4. The Liturgy of the Hours - Evening Prayer All are welcome to come and celebrate Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm every Monday, Wednesday and Friday in the Church. Please call Deacon John at 819-9148 for more information.

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

1. Oklahoma Catholic Women's Conference Registration is open for the 2018 Oklahoma Catholic Women's Conference. The early bird price is \$50 until Dec. 1. The event will be at the new Edmond Conference Center on March 10. Conference speakers include Immaculée Ilibagiza, Maria Ruiz Scaperlanda and Donna Heckler. Register at www.ocwconference.com or on the Facebook page.

2. Catholic Men's Conference The 22nd annual Catholic Men's Conference, "In The Father's Footsteps XXII," will be March 3 at Embassy Suites Conference Center, Norman. Visit www.catholicmen.net.

3. Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, January 26-28, 2018 Inside every marriage, there are treasures to unlock. Unlock the treasures of YOUR marriage this Winter at the January 26-28 Marriage Encounter Weekend at Oklahoma City's Catholic Pastoral Center. Contact Rick & Bev Feller at 405-323-9119 or for information, or apply at . If you register by January 1st you will receive \$25 off your \$100 application fee. Use promo code: EalyJan.

4. Beatification Mass DVDs now available! Are you looking for a special Christmas present or a memorable keepsake? The DVD set of the Beatification Mass of Blessed Stanley Rother is now available. Go online to <http://stanleyrother.org/shop>.

Month of January Birthdays

Tuan Tran - 14th
Shirley Sumner - 17th
Kathy Bolton - 21st
Kara Gardner - 25th
Aunya Gonzales - 16th
Malick Njie - 28th
Pia Ubina - 28th
Allen Baker - 31

Gabriel Salazar - 15th
Darla Bralley - 17th
Nenita Difuntorum - 21
Mona Jennings - 25th
Carolyn Inman - 26th
Amia Ramsey - 28th
Maria Espiritu - 29th

Richard Thompson - 15th
Maria Hernandez - 18th
Alyssa Molina - 22nd
Joleen Perez - 25th
David Perez - 26th
Julie Stinson - 28th
Jason Gonzales - 30th

Catherine Elizabeth Linehan - 17th
Roselia Luna - 18th
Ryan Souder - 22nd
Aiden Reynolds - 25th
Jeanne McKelvy - 28th
Cheryl Tabin - 28th
Larry Jones - 30th

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. Pat Lusch= Cancer,
 9. Erin Hentz Marinko= Health problems, 10. Tom Jones=Health Problems 11. Karen Schreiber=Surgery
 12. Jean Allee=Health Problems 13. Mike Schaefer=Health Problems

7th & 8th January Collection: \$4,812.00 Candle offerings: \$158.65

Second collection: \$3,049.00

TOTAL COLLECTION OF THE WEEK: \$8,475.99

MORTGAGE BALANCE : \$355,543.42

LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK:

15TH JANUARY : MONDAY: 1st Samuel. 15:16-23. St. Mark.2:18-22

9.00 A.M. (No Mass. Priest day Off)

16th JANUARY: TUESDAY: 1st Samuel.16:1-13. St. Mark.2:23-28

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: +Maris Posner by Joseph Gallagher & the Cutaran Family

17th JANUARY: WEDNESDAY: St. Anthony, Abbot. Ephe.6:10-18. St. Matt.19:16-26

8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: 1) Steve Stotler (Birthday) by Larry & Anna Mae Stotler

2) Catherine Elizabeth Linehan (103 years old today) by Pat Platt

18TH JANUARY: THURSDAY: 1st Samuel. 18:6-9,19:1-7. St. Mark3:7-12

8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for:

19TH JANUARY: FRIDAY: 1st Samuel.24:3-21. St. Mark. 3:13-19

8.30 Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for:

20TH JANUARY. SATURDAY: Jonah.3:1-5. 1st Cor.7:29-31. St. Mark.1:14-20

3.30 Confessions. 5.00 P.M. Mass for: +Mary Davis (Death 2008) by Vicki Harris

21st JANUARY: SUNDAY: Jonah.3:1-5. 1st Cor.7:29-31. St. Mark.1:14-20

8.45 A.M. Mass for:

11.15 A.M. Mass for: +Bernard Stottman (Death 12-21-2017) by Mary Ann Farnik

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
<u>20TH JANUARY SATURDAY 5.00P.M.</u>	1. Adrian Lewis 2. Alice Sealy	1. J. Stephens 2. B. Vogt 3. D. Vogt	1. Mona Jennings 2. James Williams 3. Allen Baker 4. Anne Marie Nguyen	1. Mike Flies 2. Sue Flies 3. Fatina Britto 4. Joseph Auzenne
<u>21st JANUARY 8.45 A.M.</u>	1. Mark Himes 2. Larry Jones	1. L. Jones 2. L. Powell 3. K. Habel	1. Larry Stotler 2. Anna Mae Stotler 3. Dan Suppes 4. Crystal Suppes	1. Jeff Lusch 2. Dayna Lusch 3. Frank Barta 4. Diana Bollman
<u>11.15 A.M. Mass</u>	1. Ursula Meyer 2. Bill Baumann	1. A. McGurk 2. J. Del Rosario 3. S. Stalford	1. Joe Riedl 2. Mary Matthew 3. Kitty Zagaruyka 4. Val Sifuentes	1. Linda Odland 2. Mary Baumann 3. Kay Scott 4. Gloria Manley

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Bulletin for Sunday

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