



**July 22, 2018**

**St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church**

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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.....Peggy Ensey	301-2734
Meals On Wheels.....Mary Baumann	799-3969
Music Director.....Michelle Hill Lile	924-5200
Prayer Chain.....Dona Brown	737-4124
Safe Environment.....Darla Bralley	677-4873
Social Activities.....Kirsten Stalford	802-5747
St. Paul Parish Charity <b>Help Hotline.....</b>	670-6105

**Bulletin Deadline Office**

Monday at 12pm Excluding Holidays

**Parish Office Hours Monday-Friday 8am-4pm**



## **16<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- B**

**21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> JULY 2018**

## **PARISH NEWS**

Last Sunday, we heard how Jesus “summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs, giving them authority over unclean spirits”, and “to proclaim repentance” (Mk 6: 7, 12). Today, we hear how “the apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught,” and he would take them to “a lonely place where they could be by themselves” (Mk 6:30-32). Why do we live? We get up in the morning, we take breakfast, we go to work, we come back home, we eat and drink, we watch television and go to bed to sleep. What is the meaning of all these? We all know that he who wants to live well must work hard. Every minute must be well used. But at the end many say “I missed all my chances and my time is up. I had no luck, no happiness”. Where do we find meaning to our life? We all look for more and more comforts which are provided by the advances of Science and technology. We like to systematize our work and work as little as possible and yet we complain “I have no time”. It is said in the Scripture “There is a season for everything, a time for every occupation, a time for giving birth, a time for dying and a time for planting”. Eccle:3:1. Yes, in the midst of our hectic activities we need time for reflecting and for rest. We cannot do good work unless we have time to rest. Even in the Gospel, we read “There were so many coming and going that the Apostles had no time even to rest”. So Jesus said “You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while”. Blaise Pascal said: “All the troubles of life come upon us because we refuse to sit quietly for a while each day in our rooms.” Nowadays, I observe that many of our department stores, business establishments and offices are closed especially on Sundays. I really appreciate them. It is because by this gesture they can give more time to their family, oneself and above all to God. St. Benedict had a motto that is perfect – *ora et labora* that means “Prayer and work”. These are two sides of the same coin in the Christian life. When prayer is not part of our lives, we are not able to give of ourselves freely. As a good shepherd, Jesus had concern and compassion for the people. He assured them peace of mind and heart. We have to take time off and be with God so that He may recharge us with spiritual energy and strength. To receive this strength, we need time for prayer, silence and recollection. When Jesus was alone, people came in crowds to him. He was moved with pity because he found them like sheep without a shepherd. Sheep needs guidance. Alone it cannot find its way. Left to ourselves we too cannot find the right path. Jesus is our way. A sheep needs a shepherd to be put to pasture. In Jesus we have the living bread. A sheep is helpless in the presence of wild animals and robbers. We have safety and security only with Jesus as our shepherd. He is our strength and our intimate friend. There is a lesson for us here: As followers of Christ we have to sacrifice at times our own interests and comforts because our primary concern must be the wellbeing of others. Jesus is our true shepherd. He gives us peace that can bring meaning to our life. So let us have some time for God every day, every week so that we are enriched by his blessings and graces to live peacefully.

1. In the Month of AUGUST our parish is going to start the CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FUND RAISING program as part of WAVE 111 parishes. Our parish is given the goal of \$360,000. to be collected. I would like to request all the parishioners to reflect on that and be more generous to be part of this campaign.

2. This WEDNESDAY on 25<sup>th</sup> , there WILL BE MASS AT 6.30 P.M. after the Novena prayers.

### **3. Here is a brief update on the roof.**

The Parish Hall Roof has been replaced. St. Paul has paid the final amount of \$81,950 to Salazar Roofing. The Finance Committee requested donations from you. If you have not contributed via Faith Direct or a check designated for roof replacement, there is still time. Thank you for your generosity.

### **4. First feast day Mass**

Join Archbishop Coakley at the first feast day Mass for Blessed Stanley Rother at 5 p.m. July 28 at his home parish in Okarche. The Mass will be celebrated on the anniversary of Blessed Stanley's death. An overflow area in the parish hall will have the live stream of the Mass once the parish is full. For information about Blessed Stanley and all of the feast day activities, go online to [blessedstanleyrother.org](http://blessedstanleyrother.org)

**5. RCIA Inquiry begins in July. We will meet on 11 and 25 July from 7-8:00 pm in the Donely Room. All are welcome. Please contact Deacon John for questions.**

### **6. Nursery Survey**

If you would use the nursery at the 11:15 Mass please let Darla in the office know. We are trying to find out if there is a need or not. Please call 405-677-4873.

7. The gardens on the church grounds was decided that there would be an **Advisory Committee** for any further addition or removal of gardens, trees, vegetation, etc. on the church grounds. The members of the Advisory Committee are as follows: Bill Baumann, Joy Ringwald, Peggy White and Dona Reeves.

8. "St. Joseph's Counseling Center at Catholic Charities will be offering a no-cost 6-week Healing Anxiety group, designed to help you better understand your anxiety and overcome it. For more information contact our office at (405) 524-0969 or go to [www.ccaokc.org](http://www.ccaokc.org)."

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

Would you like to have a Mass celebrated in memory of a loved one or thanksgiving for the prayers answered by God. A \$10 Stipend is recommended for each Mass. Call the parish office and have a date fixed for you.

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

**14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> JULY Sunday collection: \$3,635.64**

**Sunday collection: \$3,043.00    Second collection: \$ 505.00    Mortgage balance to be paid: \$326,004.96**

*Your consistent giving on a regular basis is the only way to meet our needs and pay the bills for the fiscal year.*

***Please be generous.***

**July Birthdays**

*Jaryn Easley 7-2, Santino Guehara 7-2, Michelle Hill-Lile 7-2, Ileana Legarda 7-2, Tommy Heanue 7-3, Ericia Perez 7-3, Gemme Vilog 7-3, Armando Suavedra 7-4, Deborah Thompson 7-5, Elanor Damon 7-10, Vernon Hughes 7-10, Alyssa McGurk 7-11, Tom Vogt 7-11, Zulette Garcia 7-13, Barney Kramer 7-13, Lezly Bilbury 7-14, Alejandra Keefer 7-14, Xochitl Rodriguez 7-16, John Bradley 7-20, Socorro Dean 7-20, Ruby Ferrell 7-21, Brian Stalford 7-21, Benjamin Long 7-23, Dennisse Monje 7-23, Braylon Parker 7-23, Peggy Ensey 7-25, Kirsten Stalford 7-30, Fran Zeleny 7-31*

**Please Pray for the Following**

Please notify the parish office if a parishioner is in the hospital or seriously sick so that Holy Communion will be given to them. Most of the hospitals in the city have a priest chaplain available to give Holy Communion or if needed the sacrament of anointing of the sick. Notify the hospital that you are a catholic and you need Holy Communion. Please pray for these parishioners who are sick and need your prayers for the healing.

1. Larry Ringwald 2. Patricia Felock 3. Carole Hughes 4. Eileen Snedigar 5. Erin Hentz Marinko  
6. Teresa Tortorelli 7. Connie Hall-Jones 8. Tom Jones Sr. 9. Marie Seay 10. Shirley Thomas 11. Rosalee Elliott

**LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK (15<sup>th</sup> week Ordinary time)**

**23<sup>rd</sup> JULY: MONDAY: St. Bridget of Sweden. Galatians. 2:19-20. St. John. 15:1-8**

**NO MASS:**

**24<sup>th</sup> JULY: TUESDAY: Micah. 7:14-15, 18-20. St. Matt. 12:46-50**

**NO MASS**

**25<sup>th</sup> JULY: WEDNESDAY: St. James, the Apostle. 11nd Cor. 4:7-15. St. Matt. 20:20-28**

**6.30 P.M. Mass for:**

**26<sup>th</sup> JULY: THURSDAY: St. Joachim & St. Anne. Sirach. 44:10-15. St. Matt. 13:16-17**

**NO MASS**

**27<sup>th</sup> JULY: FRIDAY: Jeremiah. 3:14-17. St. Matt.13:18-23**

**NO MASS**

**28<sup>th</sup> JULY: SATURDAY: 2kings. 4:42-44. Ephesians. 4:1-6. St. John. 6:1-15**

**5.00 P.M. Mass for: +Clara Park by The Ladies Group**

**29<sup>th</sup> JULY: SUNDAY: 2kings. 4:42-44. Ephesians. 4:1-6. St. John. 6:1-15**

**8.45 A.M. Mass for: Sr. Mary Anne Cirillo O. P. by Tom McLuckie**

**11.15 A.M. Mass for: +William M. SheeHan by Mike & Betty SheeHan**

<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>LECTORS</u></b>	<b><u>ALTAR SERVERS</u></b>	<b><u>USHERS</u></b>	<b><u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u></b>
<b><u>28<sup>th</sup> JULY</u> <u>SATURDAY</u> <u>5.00 P.M.</u></b>	1. Adrian Lewis 2. Alice Sealy	1 R. Schreiber 2. R. Schreiber 3. C. Schreiber	1 Allen Baker 2. Cristine Ceniza 3. Peggy Ensey 4. Kristen Danner	1. Tommy J. Heanue 2. Joseph Auzenne 3. Dona Brown 4. Angela Poole
<b><u>29<sup>th</sup> JULY</u> <u>8.45 A.M</u></b>	1. Deborah Branigan 2. Mark Himes	1 L. Jones 2. Richard Blouin 3. J. Schrader	1 Jim Wright 2 Kathy Bolton 3. Deborah Branigan 4. Peggy Ensey	1. Glenn Jones 2 Erika McGehee 3. Fran Zeleny 4. Frank Barta
<b><u>11.15 A.M.</u></b>	1. Judy Purcell 2. Pat Shreve	1. B. Walton 2. A. McGurk 3. A. Hernandez	1. Ron White 2. Joe Riedl 3. Steve Monje 4. Mireya Monje	1. Brian Stalford 2. Kirsten Stalford 3. Kay Scott 4. R. J. Magee

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