



**August 5, 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....	Robert F. Warner, Jr.	585-9534
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>	<b>670-6105</b>

**Bulletin Deadline Office**

Monday at 12pm Excluding Holidays

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



## 18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- B 4th & 5th AUGUST 2018

After the multiplication of the five loaves and two fish, people gathered in crowds and they were longing to see Jesus. Why? They wanted to use Him for realizing their dreams and aspirations. Jesus said "You are not looking for me because you have seen the signs but because you all had the bread you wanted to eat". Jesus looks into their hearts and discovers a false motive. Today when we hear this Gospel, we have to ask ourselves why we are looking for Jesus? We eat to live. Food is essential for life. Jesus said "Look for that food which will last because it will give life in fullness. Bodily food gives life for a while and we will be hungry again and sooner or later we will die. But the food which is spiritual alone gives us eternal life. God feeds his people on their way through the desert with the gifts of nature. As God proved to be the Savior of the Israelites so also he proves today to be our Savior. God feeds us today with the bread from heaven. What should we do to get this food? Jesus said "You must believe in the one God has sent that is in me". The new life which Jesus gives is an everlasting life and the food he gives is not the product of human hands. If we believe in Him and accept Him as the bread of life, we will have no more hunger. The food from heaven is Jesus himself. What is that hinders us from believing in Jesus? Our own materialistic outlook. The Jews were worried about the material food that would satisfy them for a while and they wanted it without working. Jesus becomes our food when we believe in him. This spiritual food nourishes and strengthens our soul. Material food changes into our own body and blood. Jesus, our food turns us into a new creature like himself. We undergo a transformation and become Christ like in our attitudes and life. The Israelites during their journey in the desert needed food. All of us need food. If we lack food, it hinders our individual growth and leave us without strength. Without Jesus who is the bread from heaven, there will be no life or growth, grace not spiritual power in us. The trouble with a good number of us is that we're so preoccupied with our material needs, our pursuit for fame and more wealth that we overlook our spiritual need. But the need for God is very real. Jesus' works have one sole end: that we might build an intimate relationship with him and become one with the Father. It is this intimacy that is captured in the symbol of bread. It is this depth of relationship that is powerfully expressed in the Eucharist. What I eat becomes part of me. This is "the kind of food that endures to eternal life, the kind of food the Son of Man is offering you" (Jn 6:27). The people of Israel showed ingratitude to God by murmuring against Moses because they were hungry. When we fail to see God's hand at work in every circumstance of our lives, we will surely be ungrateful to him. People want Jesus today because of the benefits he is able to give them. But Jesus wants to establish a lasting relationship with you. Just as it is necessary to take care of our physical body with material food, we should also pay attention to our souls. We must avoid sin and try as much as possible to receive the Eucharist always in the state of grace. When we receive the Eucharist worthily we are assimilated into Christ and united more closely to him. This is what St. Paul says that the Eucharist should unite the Christian community. The Eucharist is not only the celebration of our union with God and our identification with Christ but is also the celebration of our union with each other. At this moment Jesus had gathered us around his altar to share in the bread that came down from heaven. Whenever we come together to celebrate this Holy Eucharist, God gives us this bread from heaven. Let us satisfy our hunger and thirst by receiving the Holy Eucharist, the bread of life with devotion and faith.

## PARISH NEWS

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. Coming Monday on 6<sup>th</sup> August, we celebrate the Feast of the TRANSFIGURATION. We have Mass at 9.00 A.M .
  - 3"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)."
  4. **Barney Kramer would like to Thank everyone who helped him celebrate his 100th Birthday. And to all of those who sent cards, wished him good wishes and to those who made a contribution to the St. Paul Emergency Fund in his name. Surviving Divorce**
- ### **PARISH PICNIC**
5. Just a reminder!!! The Parish Picnic will be held on the 9th of September from 1-4 p.m. at St. Paul Catholic Church. There will be food, drinks, prizes, Fun and social interaction with the parish community. A GOOD FAMILY EVENT. There will be more information coming soon.
  6. **THE PARISH ROOF IS FINISHED.** Thank you for your generous response to St. Paul's request to help with the cost of replacing the Parish Hall roof. Replacement of the roof was due to its age and not storm damage, therefore, St. Paul did not receive insurance money to defray the cost. Your donations of \$24,471.67 helped to pay a significant portion of the \$81,950 replacement cost. The emergency repair fund had sufficient monies to pay the balance of the Parish Hall roof replacement cost. Salazar Roofing was awarded the bid after review and comparison of bids from several other roofing companies and timely completed the replacement and provided a manufacturer's 15 year no dollar limit warranty which is available for review upon request.

## 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

**28<sup>TH</sup> & 29<sup>TH</sup> JULY Sunday collection: \$2,672.00 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.***

## August Birthdays

James Bilbury 8-1, Azel Bonilla 8-1, Mary Cruz 8-2, Aaron Dodson 8-4, Elaine Tharp 8-4, Ofelia Herd 8-4, Khong Schneider 8-5, Madelene Smith 8-5, Dona Brown 8-7, Doris Warner 8-7, Francisco Garcia 8-8, Phillip Woodward 8-12, TeJay Botchlet 8-13, Helen Mullen 8-13, Sandra Serafin 8-15, Brynnley Parker 8-16, Jesus Salazar 8-16, Gary Tedesco 8-16, Allen Pangelinan 8-16, Nadiya Rodriguez 8-17, Deras 8-19, Ada Vasquez 8-19, Mya Gonzales 8-21, Mary Baumann 8-22, Annamma Habel 8-22, Judy Pursell 8-23, Sydney Stalford 8-24, Cheryl Irizarry 8-26, Connie Andrews 8-28, Connie Andrews 8-28, David Brinlee 8-28, Robert Warner 8-28, Joseph Cervantez 8-29, Madeline Grace 8-29, Ariel Troy 8-30, Ariel Troy 8-30, Jerry Villarma 8-30, Wesley Bollman 8-31, Aziana Breeden Lopez, Jonathan Miller 8-31

## **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 7. Charlie McGehee

## LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK (18<sup>th</sup> week Ordinary time)

**6<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: MONDAY: THE TRANSFIGURATION OF JESUS. Daniel.7:9-10, 13-14. 11nd Peter.1:16-19**

**8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS For:**

**7<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: TUESDAY: Pope St. Sixtus. Wisdom. 3:1-9. St. Matt. 10:28-33.**

**8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: .....**

**8<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: WEDNESDAY: Saint Dominic. 1<sup>st</sup> Cor. 2:1-10. St. Luke. 9:57-62**

**8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: .....**

**9<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: THURSDAY: Jeremiah. 31:31-34. St. Matt. 16:13-28**

**8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: .....**

**10<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: FRIDAY: St. Lawrence, Deacon. 11nd Cor. 9:6-10. St. John. 12:24-26**

**8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: .....**

**11<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: SATURDAY: 1<sup>st</sup> Kings. 19:4-8. Ephesians. 4:30-5:2. St. John. 6:41-51**

**5.00 P.M. Mass for: For The People**

**12<sup>th</sup> AUGUST: SUNDAY: 1<sup>st</sup> Kings. 19:4-8. Ephesians. 4:30-5:2. St. John. 6:41-51**

**8.45 A.M. Mass for: +David Scott (Rose Scott's Son) by Ursula Meyer**

**11.15 A.M. Mass for: +Benjamin Galing by Mike and Betty Sheehan**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
<b>11<sup>th</sup> AUGUST SATURDAY 5.00 P.M.</b>	1. Kristi Lord 2. Keith Williams	1 C. Fox 2. C. Woodward 3. V. Hughes 4. S. Goodwin	1. Roberta Woodward 2. Alicia Trower 3. Randy Trower 4. Hank Salazar	1. Fatina Brito 2. Tommy J. Heanue 3. Joseph Auzenne 4. Dona Brown
<b>12<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 8.45 A.M</b>	1. Doneen Jones 2. Gary Tedesco	1 L. Jones 2. L. Powell 3. J. Schrader	1. Anna Mae Stotler 2. Larry Stotler 3. Carolyn Inman 4. John Inman	1. Jim Grace 2. Madeline 3. Benny Contreras 4. Elsa Contreras
<b>11.15 A.M</b>	1. Brian Vogue 2. Bill Baumann	1. T. Stalford 2. V. Ackerman 3. A. McGurk 4. M. Monje	1. Pam Atkinson 2. John Atkinson 3. Steve Monje 4. Mireya Monje	1. Linda Odland 2. Mary Baumann 3. Kara Gardner 4. Kay Scott

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