



November 4, 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	Help Hotline.....	670-6105

Bulletin Deadline Office

Monday at 12pm Excluding Holidays

Parish Office Hours Monday-Friday 8am-4pm



31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- B **3rd & 4th NOVEMBER 2018**

Today the readings give us the message of love. One Bible scholar said: "The message of the Scripture from the first page to the very last is love." Indeed, love is the main message of Christianity. It is the foundation, center and the summit of Christian life. "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength...you shall love your neighbor as you love yourself," (Mk 12:30-31). During Jesus' time, the scholars of the Law could extract 613 commandments from Scriptures: 365 prohibitions and 248 positive precepts. It is not easy to classify the laws according to importance or to pinpoint the fundamental laws. The core of the law seems to be the Ten Commandments. Jesus joins the two Biblical passages to form two faces of one supreme commandment of love. These are like the two beams that make up a cross. One is vertical and the other horizontal. The first is the famous Shema (Deut 6:4-5) as it is read in our first reading which invites Israel to a joyful union with the love of God. This is the vertical dimension of the commandment of love. The second, from the Book of Leviticus invites a person to love his neighbor as himself (19:18). This is the horizontal dimension of the commandment. One saint puts this new commandment in this way: "We should fold our hands in prayer in church and then we should open our hands to others outside of the church." We cannot love God without loving people. We cannot love people without loving God. You can accept both or you can reject both but you cannot separate them or choose only one of them. St. Paul said in 1st Corinthians 13th Chapter "If I have no love, I am nothing". The biggest misconception about love in today's world is to equate it with feelings. Too many people think love means having nice, warm, friendly feelings towards someone. Love is an emotion but the kind of love that Jesus is talking about is much more. Love is not primarily something vague, fuzzy and warm. Love is a matter of what one does rather than what one feels. Love has some difficult elements like sacrifice and unselfishness. When we grow in love we are learning to reach out to others and this is a sign of maturity. Love is the most powerful force in the universe. Love is the only way of fulfilling a relationship. Without love, relationships cannot exist and without relationship, there is no need for love. To change the world through love, three relationships are necessary:

- Loving God
- Loving ourselves
- Loving our neighbor

God's plan is to change the world in which we live. Not through exercising his power, not by commanding us to live better lives, not through fear of punishment but by using his love, enabling us to love him, to love ourselves and to love those around us. God is love. His nature is love. The relationship between God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit is pure love. Loving other people is not just about actions – but about relationship. Our neighbor is anybody we come across or interact with as we live our lives. The Eucharist is the highest expression of God's love for us so let us experience that love.

PARISH NEWS

1. I would like to request all the parishioners to reflect and pray and be more generous to be part of the Capital campaign.. If you have any doubts please contact the pastor..
2. **There will be NO WEEKDAY MASSES FROM 5th to 8th NOVEMBER because all the priests will be in DALLAS for their annual Retreat. Pray for them.**
3. **Offer Masses for the deceased in your family in this month of November and pray for their souls.**
4. **We need more ALTAR SERVERS for 8.45 and 11.15 Masses. If you are interested, please call the Parish office, the Deacon or Mrs. Vanessa Ackerman.**
5. **Offer Masses for the deceased in your family in this month of November and pray for their souls.**
6. Parish Fall Clean-Up November 17th (weather Permitting) at 8:00 a.m.
7. Parish Council Meeting November 13th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.
8. The Ladies Group will sponsor the Jesse Tree Forms will be handed out beginning this weekend. Limited to Parishioners and Grandchildren of Parishioners. Forms due on November 11th, turn them in to the Parish Office or one of the volunteers. Jo Brinlee 401-6085, Joy Ringwald 733-2771 or Cilony Alejandro 204-0395.
9. Parishioners of St. Paul Catholic Church - The Knights of Columbus are collecting food items for their annual Thanksgiving basket drive. These baskets are given to parishioners in need so that everyone will have a great Thanksgiving. Everything is welcomed. Please place the food items on the benches in the back of the church. Anyone wishing a basket please contact the Parish Office and give your name, how many are in the family and address/phone number. Thank you and may God Bless.10
10. **Just a Reminder, the collection for donated food for our Charity is on the 2nd Sunday of each month.**

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

1. **The Catholic War Veterans Memorial Post 168 will once again be available to take orders for the Wreaths Across America/Calendar sales. This is a National Program that honors our deceased veterans and their families with a special Ceremony and Wreath laying by community volunteers and family members on Saturday, December 15, 2018 at Sunnyside Cemetery in Del City, OK. Family members can also pick up their Wreaths to place at their loved ones buried at other cemeteries. If you have any questions please call Susan Chavez 405-677-4947.**

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

27th & 28th OCTOBER COLLECTIONS: \$ 3,544.00

Mortgage balance to be paid: \$312,895.06

*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.***

November Birthdays

11-1 Linette Vega, 11-2 Julieta Glass, 11-2 Heladio Sanchez, 11-3 Linda Auzenne, 11-3 Aletha Laurent, 11-3 Jim Laurent, Kristi Lord 11-3, Valerie Walton 11-3, Myles Donnelly 11-4, Roberta Woodward 11-4, Pamela Atkinson 11-6, Amado Gonzales 11-6, Cilony Alejandro 11-8, Doneen Jones 11-8, Teddy Caras 11-9, Eva Porcadas 11-9, Tuyen Nguyen 11-10, Enrique Villarma 11-10, Colton Gonzales 11-11, Evioni Hernandez 11-11, Erasto Martinez, 11-12, Michael Perrodin 11-13, Alfonso Villarma 11-13, John Dubala 11-14, Cristina Peralta 11-15, Keith Williams 11-15, Betsi Figueroa 11-16, Ida Comtois, Marguerite Hoffman 11-18, Dayton Botchlet 11-20, Maclovia Rose Jaramillo 11-22, Ursula Meyer 11-23, Georgette Barnett 11-24, Claudia Hoyos 11-24, Alyson Pangelinan 11-24, Deacon John Page 11-25, Lis Maria Lopez, Edward Palileo 11-26, Terri McManus 11-28, Sheri McGurk 11-30.

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. Patricia Felock 2. Erin Hentz Marinko 3. Teresa Tortorelli 4. Connie Hall-Jones 5. Tom Jones Sr.
6. Marie Seay 7. Shirley Thomas 8. Rosalee Elliott 9. Charlie McGehee 10. Robert Devillez Sr. 11. Christopher Detar
12. Connie Andrews 13. Norm and Carolyn Detar.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK (31st week Ordinary time)

5th NOVEMBER: MONDAY: Phi. 2:1-4. St. Luke. 14:12-14

NO MASS.

6th NOVEMBER: TUESDAY: **NO MASS (Priests Retreat)** Phi.2:5-11. St. Luke. 14:15-24

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: NO MASS

7th NOVEMBER: WEDNESDAY: **NO MASS (Priests Retreat)** Phi. 2:12-18. St. Luke. 14:25-33

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: NO MASS

8th NOVEMBER: THURSDAY: **NO MASS (Priests Retreat)** Phi. 3:3-8. St. Luke. 15:1-10

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: NO MASS

9th NOVEMBER: FRIDAY: **Dedication of the Basilica.** Ez. 47:1-2, 8-9,12. 1st Cor.3:9-11,16-17. St. Jn.2:13-22

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. MASS for: Carolyn Detar by Darla Bralley

10th NOVEMBER: SATURDAY: 1st Kings. 17:10-16. Heb.9:24-28. St. Mark. 12:38-44

5.00 P.M. Mass for:

11th NOVEMBER: SUNDAY: 1st Kings. 17:10-16. Heb.9:24-28. St. Mark. 12:38-44

8.45 A.M. Mass for: For the People

11.15 A.M. Mass for: For the People

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>
<u>10th NOVEMBER SATURDAY</u> <u>5.00 P.M.</u>	1. Kristi Lord 2. Barbara Baker	No Schedules Turned in at this time. See Vanessa	1 Brian Heanue 2. Mona Jennings 3. Cristine Ceniza 4. Hank Salazar	1. Fatina Brito 2. Tommy J. Heanue 3 Mike Flies 4. Sue Flies
<u>11th NOVEMBER</u> <u>8.45 A.M.</u>	1. Mark Himes 2. John Bradley	Ackerman	1 Deborah Branigan 2 Peggy Ensey 3. Dan Suppes 4. Crystal Suppes	1 Jim Grace 2 Madeline 3. Frank Barta 4. Erika McGehee
<u>11.15 A.M.</u>	1. Youth Group		1. Youth Group	1. Kay Scott 2. Linda Odland 3. Brian Stalford 4. Kirsten Stalford

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