



July 28, 2019
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Religious Education Office Hours: By Appointment	

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

Crystal Suppes - "Ushers/Greeters" - 677-1650
Alice Sealy - "Lectors" - 670-2571
Fran Zeleny - "Communion Ministers" - 677-6265
Tyler Stalford "Altar Servers" - 778-4873

Parish Ministries & Organizations

Funeral Meals.....	Sue Flies	990-5826
Homebound Ministry....	Parish Office	677-4873
Knights of Columbus....	Frank Barta Jr.	741-7751
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



PARISH COUNCIL

Vernon Hughes	672-6107
Randy Trower	248-1067
Joseph Auzenne	670-0731
Oscar Hoyos	535-4294
Benny Contreras	550-4547
Don Dobry	677-5696
Chuck Thompson	(316) 304-5372
Linda Odland	610-6027

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Doneen Jones (Chair Person)	672-4584
Dan Suppes	677-1650
Rich Blouin	677-9578
Bill Baumann	799-3969
Kim Irwin	642-1536
Joe Schrader	405-589-2969

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).

17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

27th & 28th JULY 2019

PARISH NEWS

1. **PARISH PICNIC!** Mark your calendars for our "Annual Parish Picnic" to be held on "September 8th at St. Paul Catholic Church. Lots of information will be coming soon. We look forward to seeing everyone there this year!!

2. **Abuse of Minors and Vulnerable Adults**
Archdiocese of OKC Bulletin Announcement

The Archdiocese of Oklahoma City through its programs, organizations and events, has numerous daily contacts with many minors and vulnerable adults. It is, therefore, important that all Archdiocesan Personnel, clergy, seminarians, religious, employees and volunteers, protect the rights of children and vulnerable adults and be alert to the possibility for child abuse and abuse of vulnerable adults. Under Oklahoma State law, all individuals MUST report an incident or suspicion of sexual abuse of a minor (person under 18 years of age) to the civil authorities immediately. The Oklahoma Department of Human Services has established a statewide abuse hotline for reporting: 1-800-522-3511. This number is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. If you have reason to believe a child is in immediate danger of harm call 911. For the safety of children and vulnerable adults and the healing of victims, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City provides an Abuse of Minors and Vulnerable Adults Pastoral Response Hotline for reporting the abuse of minors and vulnerable adults (in the past or presently) by a member of the clergy or other church personnel: 1-405-720-9878. The Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, a licensed professional counselor, will respond to calls to the Archdiocesan Pastoral Response Hotline. A report to the Archdiocese does not relieve the individual of the duty to report child abuse to civil authorities as required by Oklahoma State Law. In Oklahoma, failure to report child abuse is a misdemeanor punishable by law.

ARCHDIOCESEAN NEWS

1. **Rother Feast Day at Resurrection Cemetery**
Resurrection Memorial Cemetery is extending visiting hours for the feast day of Bl. Stanley Rother. Bl. Stanley is interred at the cemetery's chapel awaiting construction of the Bl. Stanley Rother Shrine. The chapel, located in the middle of the cemetery at 7801 Northwest Expressway or 7500 W. Britton Rd., will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, July 27, and Sunday, July 28.

MASS INTENTION

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 in advance.

Today the readings focus on God's mercy and compassion and the importance of prayer in our life. St. Theresa of Avila was known to be a holy and a prayerful person. Some people would say: "I have nothing to ask for. I pray always but nothing happens." Prayer is the expression of our desire for communion with God and lifting up of mind and hearts to God. In the first reading we see Abraham negotiating with God to save the people of Sodom and Gomorrah. Sodom and Gomorrah were cities full of sin. Both were the home towns of Abraham's nephew, Lot. When God was going to judge the cities where his nephew lived, he began with a question: Will you destroy the innocent along with the guilty? [18:23] Abraham asked God to act fairly. There are three keys to any good negotiation. First, demand or request must be clearly understood. Second, the logic behind the demand or request must be agreed upon. Third, the person requesting or demanding must persist in the negotiation. Be clear, be logical, and don't give up. Abraham did all three in his prayer to God. Abraham persisted until God saved the just. Abraham's prayer for Sodom is an amazing revelation of the faith of one man in the justice of Almighty God and an incredible boldness of a human before the Creator of the Universe. In today's gospel, Jesus says: "Ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened to you," (v. 9). God is faithful to all His promises. Jesus gave us two parables that teach persistence in prayer -- the parable of the Friend at Midnight (Luke 11:5-13) and the Parable of the Persistent Widow (Luke 18:1-8). God knows the innermost needs of man. His mission was to reveal who God is- a loving Father. God is always good and knows what is best for us. Prayer is a turning of our minds and hearts to God. It is a heart to heart conversation with Him. A man of prayer is a man of God. Prayer leads us to union with God. We have to pray without ceasing. The family that prays together will stay together. Jesus was always in communion with the Father through prayer. In prayer, we do not expect God to answer us in the way we want but in the way God wants because He knows what is best for us. We tell so many reasons and excuses for not praying. When we are too busy with our work we cancel our planned schedule of prayer time or our bible reading schedule. Benjamin Franklin had said: "Work as if you were to live 100 years and pray as if you were to die tomorrow." God loves you when you pray to him. When you call out, "Abba, Father," he hears your prayers and longs to answer them. When we pray to God, we should take Abraham's example to heart. Pray with a clear request and persist in prayer.

FINANCIAL REPORT

20th & 21th JULY COLLECTIONS: \$2,898.00 Second collection: \$484.00

Mortgage balance to be paid: \$282,263.59

Please be more generous because we are behind the annual Budget to pay the monthly regular bills.

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. Tom Jones Sr. 5. Marie Seay
6. Shirley Thomas 7. Charlie McGehee 8. Brian Detar 9. Connie Andrews 10. Kitty Zagaruyka
11. Frank Barta, Jr. 12. Jo Ingram, 13. Suzetta Tedesco, 14. Christopher Detar
15. Troy Shrader 16. Rich Blouin 17. Joseph A. Gallagher 18. Pat Tedesco

LITURGICAL CALENDAR FOR 17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

29th JULY: MONDAY: St. Martha. 1st John. 4:7-16. St. John. 11:19-27

No Mass:

30th JULY: TUESDAY: St. Peter Chrysologus. Ephes. 3:8-12. St. Luke. 6:43-45

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for:

31st JULY: WEDNESDAY: St. Ignatius of Loyola. 1st Cor. 10:31-11:1. St. Luke. 14:25-33

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for:

1st AUGUST: THURSDAY: St. Alphonsus Liguori. Rom. 8:1-4. St. Matt. 5:13-19

8.30 A.M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for:

2nd AUGUST: FRIDAY: Leviticus. 23:4-17, 34-37. St. Matt. 13:54-58

8.30 A. M. Rosary. 9.00 A.M. Mass for: Mathew Sacedor Mullen by Helen Sacedor Mullen

3rd AUGUST: SATURDAY: Ecclesiastes. 2:21-23. Colossians. 3:1-5, 9-11. St. Luke. 12:13-21

5.00 P.M.: MASS for: Frank & Theresa Wilson by Erika McGee

4th AUGUST: SUNDAY: Ecclesiastes. 2:21-23. Colossians. 3:1-5, 9-11. St. Luke. 12:13-21

8.45 A.M. Mass for: 1) Richard & Irma Blouin by Erika McGehee 2) Sr. Donna Brunell O.P. (B'day)

By Tom McLuckie

11.15 A.M. Mass for: For the People

<u>DATE</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharist Ministers</u>
<u>3rd AUGUST SATURDAY 5.00 P.M.</u>	1. Kristen Danner 2. Keith Williams	1. C. Fox 2. P. White 3. C. Porcadas	1. Kristen Danner 2. James Williams 3. Randy Trower 4. Alicia Trower	1. Barbara Opalenick 2. Mark Woodward 3. Mike Flies 4. Sue Flies
<u>4th AUGUST. SUNDAY. 8.45 A.M.</u>	1. Rich Blouin 2. John Bradley	1. K. Habel 2. R. Blouin 3. J. Shrader	1. Peggy Ensey 2. Kathy Bolton 3. Larry Stotler 4. Anna Mae	1. Diana Bollman 2. Carolyn Detar 3. Jo Brinlee 4. Wanda Egler
11.15 A.M.	1. Becky Garcia 2. Judy Pursell	1. S. Ackerman 2. P. Baker 3. V. Ackerman	1. John Atkinson 2. Pam Atkinson 3. David Manley 4. Vetoe Hentz	1. Gloria Manley 2. R. J. Magee 3. Mary Matthew 4. Mary Baumann

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