

# ST. MARY CHURCH

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## EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30 p.m.  
Saturday (Spanish Mass): 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday Mass: 10:45 a.m.  
Confession: Saturday, 4:30-5:00 p.m. and by appointment

## MISSION CHURCHES

**St. Anthony of Padua Church, Tishomingo, 305 E. Wilson**  
Sunday Mass: 8:00 a.m.  
Confession 7:45 a.m.  
**St. Cecilia, Healdton** (Refer to bulletin for special Masses)

**September 16, 2007**



*"Everything you have is a gift from God.  
But what you do with what you have, is your gift to God."*

**FAITH FORMATION**  
**LATE AUGUST TO EARLY MAY**  
Sunday 9:00-10:25 a.m.  
Classes for Pre K (3 yrs.)-  
High School & Adults

Parish Office Manager 223-0231 (Office)  
Joan Price 795-5976 (H)  
Religious Education Director  
Marilyn Neubauer 226-4063  
Youth Director  
Helen Archibeque 677-9188  
Maintenance/Landscape Manager  
Juan Jimenez 224-0437  
Choir Director  
Nancy Maher 223-8299  
Nursery Director  
Rita Burger 226-0605  
Parish Council/Finance  
Mark Urbanosky 226-4717  
Men of St. Mary, President  
Lovell McMillin 223-1867  
Women of St. Mary, President  
Maria Jimenez 224-0437  
RCIA Chairperson  
Charles Tanner 226-1507  
Safe Environment Coordinator  
Anne Stolfi 226-5469  
St. Lawrence Guild  
Richard Kearney 223-7544  
St. Mary Cemetery  
Bill Swatzel 223-7754  
St. Mary Scoutmaster  
Rusty Weaver 657-2475  
St. Mary Thrift Shop  
Kathryn Strong 657-4024  
At Large Members of Parish Council  
Nancy Peavler 226-1773  
Jeff Rother 226-9545  
R. C. Sandvick 226-1927  
Jess Storts 226-1966

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-  
4:00 p.m. Emergency calls refer to numbers  
listed above. **Bulletin deadline** is Monday  
at noon; Holidays is Friday at noon.

**ILLNESS:** In case of serious illness, call the  
pastor immediately.

**BAPTISM and CONFIRMATION:** Contact  
Marilyn Neubauer at 223-0231.

**ADULT INQUIRIES OF FAITH:** Contact  
Charles Tanner at 226-1507.

**MARRIAGE:** Four months preparation,  
by appointment with clergy. Because of  
pastoral commitments, weddings cannot be  
scheduled on Saturday afternoon.

**NURSERY:** Nursery care is provided free  
of charge for infants through Kindergarten  
during RE Class time and Sunday Mass.  
Other times as arranged.

**PRAY ALWAYS:** Prayer Requests are made  
by calling Dana Dempewolf, 226-6099,  
or Cindy Mannas, 226-5466, or email to  
[stmaryardmore@hotmail.com](mailto:stmaryardmore@hotmail.com). St. Mary's  
Parish offers prayer support for all your  
needs.

**NEWCOMERS:** Welcome! Please use the  
registration card located near the holy  
water font. **Change of address:** the reverse  
side of card.



**MASS INTENTIONS**



**MONDAY JANUARY 14, 2008**  
12:07 PM Special Intention for my family – Margaret Menihan

**TUESDAY JANUARY 15, 2008**  
5:30 PM Intention for Clyde & Pauline Phillips – Shirley Remondino

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 16, 2008**  
9:00 AM † Reverend John “Tex” Scheller  
(Coffee social after Mass in Annex)  
6:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**THURSDAY JANUARY 17, 2008**  
9:00 AM † Norval Evert – Mickey Slaughter  
(Rosary after Mass)

**FRIDAY JANUARY 18, 2008**  
12:07 PM † Dan Metzger – Louis Kelch and Jennifer Harvey

**SATURDAY JANUARY 19, 2008**  
5:30 PM St. Mary Church (English Mass)  
† Louie Remondino – Charlie & Georgia Tanner  
7:30 PM St. Mary Church (Spanish Mass)

**SUNDAY JANUARY 20, 2008**  
8:00 AM St. Anthony, Tishomingo  
For the people of the parish  
10:45 AM St. Mary Church (English Mass)  
For the people of the parish

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY JANUARY 19, 2008 5:30 P.M.**  
Lectors: Nancy Peavler, Jim DeLano  
C. Ministers: Charlie Tanner, Roland & Ann Stolfa, Mary Liz Reavis, Catherine Biddick  
Acolytes: Michael Mannas, David Tresp  
Ushers: Bob Petz, Bill Swatzel, Riley Beard  
Offerings: Sandy Harbaugh

**SUNDAY JANUARY 20, 2008 10:45 A.M.**  
Deacon: James L. Wade  
Lectors: Bob Bates, Trish Weaver  
C. Ministers: Jim & Maureen Schumacher, Dick & Sheila Kearney, Krys Smith  
Master: Luciene Querubin  
Cross Bearer: Seony Han  
Incense: Jeff Biddick, Gavin Anderson  
Acolytes: Braxton Voorhies, Jessica Metzger  
Ushers: Kathryn Strong, Mitchel McCormick, Beth Ridley  
Offering: Ushers

**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**Karen Anderson, Melba Caperton, Joy Glagola, Susan Gonzalez, Wilma Kucera, Mavis Reynolds, Andrea Richards, Jess Storts.** Continue to pray for those on the January 2008 prayer sheet that is available on the table in the vestibule.  
**Please remember in your prayers Charles Combs** (son of Irene Combs) who passed away 12/18/07. Memorial service will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church on January 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m.

**Men of St. Mary Meeting**

**Monday, January 14, 2008 in the parish hall  
Social 5:30 p.m. Dinner 6:30 p.m.**

Join us for a dinner of deer chili with fixings, crawfish cornbread, peach cobbler and ice cream. Jim Schumacher (chief chef), Ken McCall & Jim Supan will prepare the meal. All men of the parish are invited!

**FAITH FORMATION:**

If you missed the Safe Environment parent meeting, Sunday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup>, give me a call (465-3194). Arrangements can be made to get you the information that was covered during the meeting.

Watch the bulletin for the beginning of First Communion classes.

Marilyn Neubauer, D R E

☑ **Mark your calendar** – the next covered dish luncheon will be in the parish hall on Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> after the 10:45 a.m. Mass. Bring a meat, vegetable, salad or dessert to share. Drinks and bread will be provided.

**KICK-OFF SUNDAY**

On Sunday, February 3, all of us will have an opportunity to show that we have accepted God's love and share what we have by supporting our Archdiocese through the 2008 Archdiocesan Development Fund Appeal - "Open Your Heart to God's Love".

Mass will be held for the Archdiocese in honor of **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.** on **Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup> @ 3:00 p.m.** at Corpus Christi Church in OKC. Mass will feature an interpretive dance by Corpus Christi youth.

An **Ecumenical Prayer Vigil** to mourn the 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Roe V. Wade will be led by Archbishop Beltran on **Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>** at the Oklahoma State Capitol. Held at 10:00 a.m. on the Fourth Floor Rotunda.

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

**MERCY MEMORIAL**

## BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**Baptism of the Lord:** Our Baptism, like the Lord's, is a consecration to service. The bishops' pastoral on stewardship reminds us that "...there is a fundamental obligation arising from the Sacrament of Baptism that people place their gifts, their resources – their selves – at God's service in and through the Church."

**El Bautismo de Nuestro Señor:** Nuestro Bautismo, al igual que el del Señor, es una consagración al servicio. La pastoral de los obispos sobre la Administración de los talentos como Bienes de Dios nos recuerda que "...existe una obligación fundamental que se origina del sacramento del bautismo, de que las personas pongan sus regalos, sus recursos – y a sí mismas – al servicio de Dios dentro de la Iglesia y a través de ella."

**Ultreya** will be held **January 20<sup>th</sup>** from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. in the Catholic Center. All Cursillistas are invited and encouraged to attend. You may contact Cathy Biddick for more information at 223-6016.



**LOAVES & FISHES JANUARY ASSIGNMENT**  
12 oz. canned meat (Spam or Treet)

**Help in Financing your college education!** If you need help paying for undergraduate or graduate school, The Catholic Foundation may be able to assist with a \$1,000 or \$3,000 scholarship that may be renewed for up to four years. These scholarships are awarded to qualified Catholic students. They also have other scholarships for OU Medical students, nursing students, Pastoral Musician students, or a St. Gregory student. Applications are available in the church office.



**ST. LAWRENCE GUILD** pantry is low. Any donations will be appreciated and needed. Thank you for your support.



**BOY SCOUT TROOP 112**  
**17<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CHILI SUPPER**  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 27, 2008 IN THE PARISH HALL  
FROM  
5:00 - 7:00 P.M. ALL YOU CAN EAT!  
CARRY OUTS AVAILABLE.  
\$5.00 DONATION. CHILDREN 8 AND UNDER ARE FREE.

**Ministry schedule for February:** Please call by 1/18/08 if you will be gone anytime in February or if you have any changes. **Remember** if you misplaced your copy of the ministry schedule you can go to our website and view the schedule at [www.stmaryardmoreok.org](http://www.stmaryardmoreok.org)

If you **missed a bulletin** or **prior bulletins**, you can access them on our website. [www.stmaryardmoreok.org](http://www.stmaryardmoreok.org)

**Scott Hahn to be in Oklahoma City.** He is a popular speaker and has written numerous books and articles related to the Catholic faith. Mr. Hahn will be speaking on Saturday, February 9, 2008 at Bishop McGuinness High School Auditorium from 11:00 – 4:00 p.m. The conference is free, but registration is required, call (405) 751-7115 Ext. 120. Box lunches are available for \$6.00. Call the church office to leave your name for carpooling.

### "Welcome to our Church"

Newcomers at St. Mary and St. Anthony parish, we would like to have you registered. You will find the newcomer registration cards in the vestibule/entrance of the church.

**Found: GM key left in the church, call the office 223-0231 to claim.**

Date: 1/5-6/08	No. of Families	No. of People	Weekly Attendance	Amount Needed	Amount Received
<b>Ardmore:</b>	358	822	Saturday 132 Saturday (Spanish) 75 Sunday 217	\$5,000.00	\$4,406.80(all)
<b>Poor Box</b>					\$172.70
<b>Healdton:</b>	4	4	No Mass		\$0.00
<b>Tishomingo</b>	8	13	Sunday 13		\$207.00

**Phase One and Two of our Capital Improvement Campaign:** Parishioners are asked to contribute according to their means to the \$430,000 now being raised for the new rectory and parking lot facilities.

### Status of Building Funds

GOAL	# Donors	3 Year pledge	Cash Received on pledges	Cash Rcvd Jan. 5-6	3 Yr. Pledge & Cash Totals	Expenses
\$430,000.00	14	\$56,050.00	\$420.00	\$787.43	\$139,536.24	\$988.00