

**ST. MARY CHURCH  
ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA**

**September 15, 2013**



**MONDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 16, 2013**  
No Mass

**TUESDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 17, 2013**  
No Mass

**WEDNESDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 18, 2013**  
12:00 NOON    @ **Mercy Hospital Chapel**  
†**Jess Button** – Bob & Wilma Petz

6:00 PM                    Adoration – *Divine Mercy Chaplet*

**THURSDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 19, 2013**  
9:00 AM                    †**Rita Deyalsingh** - Jim & Rita Supan

**FRIDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 20, 2013**  
12:00 NOON    **Gerald & Kitty Galles-**  
                                 Shirley Remondino

**SATURDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 21, 2013**  
5:30 PM                    †**Larry Kopera** - Stella Kopera & Family

**SUNDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 22, 2013**  
8:00 AM                    For the people of the parish

10:45 AM                    For the people of the parish

**Readings for next weekend Sept. 21-22, 2013**

First Reading: *Amos 8:4-7 (135C)*  
Second Reading: *1 Timothy 2:1-8*  
Gospel: *Luke 16:1-13*

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY**    **SEPTEMBER 21, 2013**                    **5:30 P.M.**  
Lectors:                    (1) Cathy Biddick (2) Marilyn Neubauer  
C. Ministers:                Charlie Tanner, R.C. & Evelyn Sandvick,  
                                 Pablo Fuego, Susan Gonzales  
Altar Servers:                Zach Pratt, Christine Fuego  
Ushers:                    Bob Petz, Tim Vandagriff  
Offerings:                    McCall Family

**SUNDAY**                    **SEPTEMBER 22, 2013**                    **10:45 A.M.**  
Lectors:                    (1) Nancy Porter (2) Kathleen Maher  
C. Ministers:                Mark & Terry Urbanosky, Jaime Wallace,  
                                 Jose Romo, Marilyn Rice  
Cross Bearer:                Mia Jensen  
Altar Servers:                Kobe & Payton Brewster  
Ushers:                    Tom & Mitchel McCormick  
Offerings:                    Ushers

**The ministry schedule for October will be printed soon. Please contact the church office by September 20th if you will be unable to serve during October.**



**Jeremy Hall, Douglas Johnson, Mary Kathleen Lemons, Anna Nicholas, Barbara Ogle, Rebecca Vaughn, Anna Wilson.** Continue to pray for Drew Bivens, Preston Dalton, Sam Daube, Gerry Galles, Vanesther Jones, Tama Wilson and those on the September prayer sheet.



**LOAVES & FISHES SEPTEMBER ASSIGNMENT  
DRY PINTO BEANS - 1LB PACKAGE**

**STILL NEEDED** - August Sunday sacristan. Duties include making sure that the Communion vessels are on the altar prior to the start of Mass, washing the Communion vessels after Mass and putting them away. This ministry is open to men or women. If you will be out of town on one of your assigned weekends during your month, just find a replacement from the sacristan list. If you can help, please call the church office at 223-0231. Thank you.

**TO THOSE INTERSTED IN BECOMING COMMUNION MINISTERS:** We will be submitting names for new Communion Ministers this month. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact the church office as soon as possible.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL APPEAL** - Your Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City has been a faithful steward of your generosity throughout central and western Oklahoma, representing us faithfully to all it serves. Because of your outstanding support of the 2012 Annual Appeal, Catholic Charities was able to serve 15,000 people by feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, and keeping families together during times of hardship and disaster. With your help, countless persons encounter the face of Christ. *Please prayerfully consider making a gift to Catholic Charities' 2013 Annual Appeal.* Next weekend there will be a special collection in support of the important work Catholic Charities undertakes each year. You may also make a gift online by visiting [www.catholiccharitiesok.org/appeal](http://www.catholiccharitiesok.org/appeal). **THANK YOU** for your support!



Congratulations to Hiram & Josefina Vazquez who recently celebrated their 60th Anniversary!

## TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### Faith Formation News

Safe Environment lessons will be taught September 22nd. If any parent would like to see the curriculum beforehand, or would like to opt-out their child from this lesson, please contact Julie or Ann at the church office.

**Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time:** We can hear God speaking to us today in the words of the father to his elder son: "You are with me always, and everything I have is yours. "What is my response to such remarkable generosity? Do I give joyfully and generously as God gives to me? See Luke 15:31

**FREE MAGAZINES!** We have numerous back issues of *Bon Appétit*, *Gourmet*, *Architectural Digest*, and several other titles. Come by the church office and take all you want! This is a limited time offer - remaining magazines will be discarded on September 23rd.

**Did you know?** The Archdiocese of Oklahoma City is active on both Facebook and Twitter. LIKE their official Facebook page (search "Archdiocese of Oklahoma City") and follow on Twitter @ArchOKC. St. Mary Parish is also on Facebook (search "St. Mary Catholic Parish" or click the Facebook link on our website). We post a daily reflection and any important upcoming activities in the parish. We invite you to spend even just five minutes of your computer time with us each day to remember and SHARE the Good News that God made us, He loves us and He calls us to an ongoing relationship with Him!

**Disaster Recovery Volunteers Needed:** We are working with our community partners to address the disaster recovery in Moore. There is much work to be done and help is always appreciated. With clean up almost complete, NOW the greatest part of the work begins with rebuilding and repairing homes! Following is a list of key areas where your church or organization could continue to make a huge difference.

(1) **Project Managers & Construction Leaders:** Need for the building contractors or supervisors in your group if they could volunteer a weekend, week or season of their time to help with projects. Everything from job site assessments, directing volunteer teams or overseeing a building project is needed. These people are needed NOW.

(2) **Skilled & Unskilled Construction Volunteer Teams:** Need for skilled construction volunteers to come for a weekend, week or season to contribute their talents to help with repairs or rebuilds. Carpenters, electricians, roofers, plumbers, concrete specialists, HVAC specialists and more are needed. Also, unskilled workers are needed, BUT it is best for them to travel with skilled volunteers to maximize their time.

If you are able to send rebuild team members and would like assistance in scheduling a time to bring your crews for approved projects, plus arrange housing of volunteers and meals, please have them contact the Oklahoma tornado representative: UMCOR Representative for Construction Management, Luke Pratt, Moore, OK - 405-469-9329 - [amarini@okumc.org](mailto:amarini@okumc.org)

**Reminder:** Please call the office and let us know if you need Father Tom to visit you or a loved one that has been hospitalized.

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, September 27 - 29

Scripture says, "Two shall live as one," about married couples. How often do you find yourselves living as two? A Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you get back to basics in this complicated day and age. Space is limited, so apply today! Contact Rick and Bev Feller, (405) 323-9119 or [rbfeller@gmail.com](mailto:rbfeller@gmail.com) for more information, or apply online at <http://www.meoklahoma.org>.

*For the Church throughout the world, that this Year of Faith may be a time of spiritual renewal and personal encounter with Christ for people everywhere.*

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**RHONDA'S CATERING**