



MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY **APRIL 28, 2014**
 No Mass

TUESDAY **APRIL 29, 2014**
 No Mass

WEDNESDAY **APRIL 30, 2014**
 12:00 Noon @ Mercy Hospital Chapel
 †**Jose Mendez** - Olga Mendez

6:00 PM Adoration

THURSDAY **MAY 1, 2014**
 9:00 AM †**Earl & Anne McDonald** -
 Earl & Judy McDonald

FRIDAY **MAY 2, 2014**
 12:00 Noon **Intention for Peggy Evert** -
 Luann Evert

SATURDAY **MAY 3, 2014**
 10:45 a.m. **First Communion Mass**

5:30 PM †**Fred Innis** - Ellen Innis

SUNDAY **MAY 4, 2014**
 8:00 AM For the people of the parish
 10:45 AM For the people of the parish

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY **MAY 3, 2014** **5:30 P.M.**

Lectors: (1) Jim Delano (2) Cyd Jordan
 C. Ministers: Charlie Tanner (Sub for Fr.), RC & Evelyn
 Sandvick, Ann Stolfa, Anne & Riley Beard
 Altar Servers: Emily & Patrick Clowe
 Ushers: Bob Petz, Jim Supan
 Offerings: McCall Family

SUNDAY **MAY 4, 2014** **10:45 A.M.**

Lectors: (1) Ray Butler (2) Kathy Maher
 C. Ministers: Bob Highsmith(Sub for Fr.), Ryan Hunnicutt,
 Patti Highsmith, Scott & Dana Dempewolf,
 Judy Barnes
 Cross Bearer: Nick Kelch
 Altar Servers: Kobe & Payton Brewster
 Ushers: Tom & Mitchel McCormick
 Offerings: Ushers

May Sacristans:
Saturday: Cyd Jordan
Sunday: Bob & Patti Highsmith



Debbie Merrick, Karen Potter, Marie Pulte, Joanne Slate, Mollie Stevens. Continue to pray for Jeremy Hall, Tim Peavler, Barsoom Eloum, Chaundra Holley, Tammy Landgraaf, Glen Sappington, Charles Swindell and those on the April prayer sheet.



Altar flowers provided by:
 Mercy Hospital Ardmore



Faith Formation News

- First Communion Mass is Saturday, May 3rd at 10:45 a.m. Those receiving First Communion and their families need to be at the church no later than 9:45 a.m.

LOAVES & FISHES APRIL ASSIGNMENT
SMALL CANS OF TUNA

Readings for the weekend of May 3-4

First Reading: *Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 22-33*
 Second Reading: *1 Peter 1:17-21*
 Gospel: *Luke 24:13-35*

Second Sunday of Easter: Jesus meets the need of each disciple. To the fearful in the upper room, He speaks words of peace. To doubting Thomas, He provides the tangible proof of His resurrection. What do I need to become His disciple? What do I have to share that might meet someone else's need?

If you need to rent any of the parish facilities, you **must** call the church office to schedule. We have many groups using the facilities and we don't want to double-book.



Children's Mass

Please come celebrate Mass on May 11th at 10:45 a.m., as the children of the parish will be leading us in the celebration of the Mass.

The Ministry Schedule for May is available in the vestibule. Ministers please pick up your copy.

SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY



The Men of St. Mary will hold their annual **spaghetti dinner** on Sunday, May 4th in the parish hall from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tickets were mailed to each registered parishioner. Tickets are \$7 each and children under six eat free. The menu is homemade spaghetti meat sauce, salad, bread, drinks and desserts. Please help support this Men of St. Mary fundraiser. Thank you.
Jim Schumacher, Chairman

If you missed getting your family's copy of the free book, *Made for More*, they are still available in the entry of the church. This easy-to-read book provides insight into the reality of Christ's resurrection and how our Catholic faith impacts our everyday lives. Whether your faith journey is just beginning or you are a lifelong Catholic, it is a worthwhile read. Copies are available in both English and Spanish.

Catholic Charities offers **FREE** individual, couples, and family counseling in Ardmore. Services are based on a brief therapy model of 6 sessions. For more information or to sign up, call 405-524-0969.



Our Lenten goal was 5 water pumps - we blew that out of the "water!" Our church raised enough money for **TEN** water pumps! What an amazing blessing for those who don't have access to clean water. Your donation will directly affect the lives of people who will now have that access. Thank you for your generosity and caring!

Calling all nurses...You are invited to Nurses' Day. On Thursday, May 15, 2014, Archbishop Coakley will celebrate Mass honoring nurses at 5:30 p.m.. The Mass will be held at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 3214 N. Lake Ave., followed by dinner in the Connor center. Sponsors include Mercy Hospital Oklahoma City, St. Anthony Hospital and Catholic Charities Oklahoma City. Deacon Paul Lewis, Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, will emcee the event; while Dr. James Dixson with Mercy Hospital will be the Keynote speaker. Barney Semtner, Executive Director, Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma, will present the 2nd Catholic Nurse of the Year award. RSVP by May 6 to Glenda Bronson, R.N., Mercy Community Outreach at 405-936-5226 or glenda.bronson@mercy.net.

Catholic Rural Life and **Catholic Relief Services** have announced a new initiative, "Farmer-to-Farmer." Farmer-to-Farmer connects U.S. farmers for one to six week volunteer experiences in Ethiopia, Tanzania, Kenya and Uganda. Volunteers may possess a range of expertise in agriculture, including grains and animal husbandry, agri-business, nutrition and food supply. For more information, contact [Beth Hyser](mailto:beth@ncrlc.com), Catholic Rural Life at beth@ncrlc.com or visit their website at ncrlc.com.

The donations from the poverty meals during Lent totaled \$701.36. This money goes to support St. Mary's Outreach Program. Even with this donation, the Outreach Program is running low on funds. Please consider making a donation to this important program during this Easter season. Thank you for your generosity!

The **Women of St. Mary** are accepting nominations for Woman of the Year. No former honoree can receive this again (they are listed in the Women of St. Mary yearbook and on the plaques in the Catholic Center vestibule). Written nominations accompanied by the reason(s) for the nomination will be accepted. Those without a reason for the nomination will not be considered. The criteria is continuous and faithful service to St. Mary Church. This will be awarded at the spring luncheon on Saturday, June 7 at Dornick Hills Country Club. Mark your calendars please.

New Moms in our Parish - Notify Maria Jimenez at 226-3537 shortly after your baby's birth. A dinner will be prepared for your family and brought to your home.

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