

ST. MARY CHURCH
ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA

July 20, 2014



Mass Intentions

MONDAY **JULY 21, 2014**

No Mass

TUESDAY **JULY 22, 2014**

No Mass

WEDNESDAY **JULY 23, 2014**

12:00 Noon @ Mercy Hospital Chapel
Communion Service

6:00 PM Adoration

THURSDAY **JULY 24, 2014**

9:00 AM **Communion Service**

FRIDAY **JULY 25, 2014**

12:00 Noon **Communion Service**

SATURDAY **JULY 26, 2014**

5:30 PM †**Michael Rice**
 - Mary Liz Reavis

SUNDAY **JULY 27, 2014**

8:00 AM For the people of the parish
 10:45 AM For the people of the parish

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY **JULY 26, 2014** **5:30 P.M.**

Lectors: (1) Cathy Biddick (2) Marilyn Neubauer
 C. Ministers: Bob Highsmith, RC & Evelyn Sandvick, Ann McMillin, Patti Highsmith, Riley Beard
 Altar Servers: Patrick Clowe, Carolyn Sherry
 Ushers: Bob Petz, Lovell McMillin
 Offerings: McCall Family

SUNDAY **JULY 27, 2014** **10:45 A.M.**

Lectors: (1) Vanessa Matlock (2) Mark Urbanosky
 C. Ministers: Ray Butler, Toribio & Evelyn Velasquez, Rusty Weaver, Nancy Porter, Theresa Nguyen.
 Cross Bearer: Megan Llanas
 Altar Servers: Troy Velasquez, Sam VanBuskirk
 Ushers: Jim & Maureen Schumacher
 Offerings: Ushers

We welcome Father Henry Roberson, who will be celebrating Mass with us this weekend, and the weekend of July 26/27.



Prayer Request

Caro Aranda. Continue to pray for Daron Gribble, Kenneth Hunt, Kim King, Joe Klepise, Cathy Marlatt, Family of Brett Reedy, Harvey Salazar, Sue Smith, Charles Swindell Thelma Whitson, Richard Collins, Randy Lamberjack, Toni Roberts and those on the July prayer sheet.



Altar flowers provided by:
 Mercy Hospital Ardmore



Faith Formation News

- We are officially on summer break; watch the bulletin for Faith Formation announcements. Classes will begin on August 24th.

LOAVES & FISHES JULY ASSIGNMENT
GREEN PEAS, 150Z CANS

Readings for the weekend of July 26-27

First Reading: *1 Kings 3:5, 7-12*
 Second Reading: *Romans 8:28-30*
 Gospel: *Matthew 13:44-52*

The **Catholic Communication Campaign** is slated for this weekend, July 19-20. The campaign supports project throughout the world that encourage use of new media as a tool for the New Evangelization. Please leave your donation in the collection basket. Thank you!

If you have problems with any of the parish facilities or renters, please get in touch with Roland Stolfa at 222-8814. Do not confront the renters; Roland will take care of any problems that arise. Also, if you are using the church facilities, **please make sure that coffee pots, tea & lemonade canisters are properly cleaned and left open/upside down so they cannot mold.** Please remove all coffee grounds from coffee pots.

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

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: "Those who are just must be kind," says today's first reading. If our words and deeds are kind and selfless, we will be like the good seed in the Gospel parable and gathered as wheat in the Lord's harvest. See Wisdom 12:19



Flocknote, a great new way to communicate in our parish, is available now! We will be using this to send out upcoming events, items of interest, as well as weather-related closings as appropriate. We encourage all parishioners with e-mail or texting access to register at flocknote.com/smcc-adm and follow the steps on the website, text SMCC-ADM to 84576, or contact the church office for help.

A bag went missing at the church picnic last Sunday. It is black and white with a pink Eiffel tower and other decorations on it. It contains towels, a cover-up and a child's clothes. If you found this bag, please contact the church office.

If you are going out of town and need to locate times of Masses in other churches, you can go to www.masstimes.org or www.catholicweb.com.

We are in need of Altar Servers for the Saturday evening Mass. Anyone from fourth-grade through adult is invited to become part of this ministry. Please let the church office know if you are interested and we will set up training. If you are already an Altar Server, please consider volunteering to serve at this Mass.



The Oklahoma Blood Institute will be here on Sunday, July 27th from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Please consider giving this gift of life!

The Outreach Program is running low on funds. Please consider making a donation to this important program. Thank you for your generosity!

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Pastoral Ministry Program

The Fall 2014 schedule is now published for the Pastoral Ministry Program. Classes being offered this Fall are "**The Gospel of Luke**," Tuesdays, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m., an elective, beginning August 19th and "**Christian Morality and Social Issues**," Thursdays, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m., beginning August 21st, this is a core course. The courses may be taken for college credit, audit or personal enrichment. For more information about the Pastoral Ministry Program, to register for classes, or to find videoconferencing sites, contact the Office of Pastoral Ministry, 405-721-4208, 800-721-5651 x131, email cgrimes@archokc.org or visit our website at <http://archokc.org/office-of-pastoral-ministry/home> where you will be able to view schedules or fill out a registration form.

National NFP Awareness Week takes place July 20 to July 26. Engaged and married couples are invited to discover Natural Family Planning. Celebrate and reverence God's vision of human sexuality! Find out more about NFP at www.usccb.org, call the archdiocesan Office of Family Life at (405) 721-5651, or read about it in the *Sooner Catholic* at soonercatholic.org.

Region 10 Catholic Youth Conference

The Archdiocese of Oklahoma City is hosting the 2014 Region 10 Catholic Youth Conference this November 21-23. The theme is "Striving and Thriving." All youth are invited to be a part of this event! TOTAL CONFERENCE COST: \$185.00 COST INCLUDES: Hotel - 2 nights, Conference Registration, Conference T-Shirt, Insurance, Lunch on Saturday. DEADLINES: Deposit of \$85.00 due September 12th (along with the Region 10 Consent & Liability Waiver). Balance of \$100.00 due October 24th (payment will be transferred but not refundable), More information is available in the church office.