

**ST. MARY CHURCH**  
**ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA**

**February 15, 2015**



**MONDAY**                    **FEBRUARY 16, 2015**  
 No Mass

**TUESDAY**                    **FEBRUARY 17, 2015**  
 No Mass

**WEDNESDAY**                **FEBRUARY 18, 2015**  
 9:00 AM            **Ash Wednesday**  
 12:00 Noon        **Ash Wednesday** @Mercy Hospital in  
 downstairs meeting room  
 6:00 PM            **Ash Wednesday**

**THURSDAY**                **FEBRUARY 19, 2015**  
 9:00 AM            **Intention for Makenna Henry**  
 - Wed. ACTS Reunion Group

**FRIDAY**                    **FEBRUARY 20, 2015**  
 12:00 Noon        **†Michael Rice** - Bernice Lenich

**SATURDAY**                **FEBRUARY 21, 2015**  
 5:30 PM            **†Rita Deyalsingh**  
 - Charlie & Georgia Tanner

**SUNDAY**                    **FEBRUARY 22, 2015**  
 8:00 AM            For the people of the parish  
 10:45 AM          For the people of the parish

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY**    **FEBRUARY 21, 2015 5:30 P.M.**  
 Lectors:            (1) Jim Delano (2) Julia Roberts  
 C. Ministers:      Susan Gonzales, Earl McDonald, Keith &  
 Mary White, Chris & Wendy Craddock  
 Altar Servers:    Emily & Patrick Clowe  
 Ushers:            Bob Petz, Tim Vandagriff  
 Offerings:        Ushers

**SUNDAY**        **FEBRUARY 22, 2015 10:45 A.M.**  
 Lectors:            (1) Bob Bates (2) Louis Kelch  
 C. Ministers:      Scott & Dana Dempewolf, Ryan Hunnicutt,  
 Judy Barnes, Rusty Weaver, Jaime Wallace  
 Cross Bearer:    Kelton Kelch  
 Altar Servers:    Nick Kelch, Mary Catherine Kelch  
 Ushers:            Tom McCormick, Kathryn Strong  
 Offerings:        Ushers

**Flocknote** -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.

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 them your sitting number and they can help make you  
 happy.



**David McLendon, Yolanda Trevino.** Continue to pray  
 for Joyce Bass, Dick Kearney, Harlin & Jamie Rice,  
 Pat Brawley, Beverly Montgomery and those on the  
 February prayer sheet.



Altar flowers provided by:  
 Mercy Hospital Ardmore

**Faith Formation News**



- First Communion classes resumed  
 on February 15th and will continue  
 through April 26th. First  
 Communion is on May 2nd.

**LOAVES & FISHES FEBRUARY ASSIGNMENT**  
**SMALL JARS OF PEANUT BUTTER**

**Readings for the weekend of Feb. 21/22**

First Reading: *Genesis 9:8-15*  
 Second Reading: *1 Peter 3:18-22*  
 Gospel: *Mark 1:12-15*

Due to a scheduling conflict, **Catholic Charities has  
 rescheduled their office dedication until April  
 28th** at 11:00 a.m. Watch the bulletin and the website  
 for more details as the date gets closer.

**NEEDED:** Our English Language Learners (ELL)  
 classes are in need of instructors and tutors. If you  
 would like to help bridge the gap between Anglos  
 and Hispanics, please contact Roland Stolfa in the  
 church office at 223-0231 ASAP.



The Women of St. Mary will have a  
 covered dish luncheon in the Parish  
 Hall on February 22nd, after the  
 10:45 a.m. Mass. Please bring a dish  
 or dessert to share.

The **Men's Choir** will have a practice on Tuesday,  
 February 17th in the choir loft at 7:15 PM The choir will  
 be singing on Sunday, February 22nd. All men of the  
 parish are welcome to join in singing with the choir!

## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Stations of the Cross** is every **Friday** throughout **Lent**, @ **6:00 p.m.** followed by "basic no frills" meal in the Parish Hall. The following groups will prepare the meals:

<b>Men of St. Mary - Fish Fry</b> .....	<b>Feb. 20th</b>
<b>Corinthians Study Group</b> .....	<b>Feb. 27th</b>
<b>Youth Group</b> .....	<b>March 6th</b>
<b>Faith Formation (K-12)</b> .....	<b>March 13th</b>
<b>Hispanic Ministry</b> .....	<b>March 20th</b>
<b>Women of St. Mary</b> .....	<b>March 27th</b>

The 2015-2016 Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma Scholarship Applications are now available in the church office. The Foundation offers a \$6,000 scholarship to students attending a non-Catholic college or university, and a \$12,000 scholarship to students attending a Catholic college or university. Contact the church office or the Catholic Foundation at 405-721-4115 for more information. Deadline to apply is April 8, 2015.

**W. LACY MULLEN SCHOLARSHIP:** Students interested in a scholarship for 2015-16 college year, can come to the office and pick up an application form. **Deadline** to return the scholarship form is **Friday, April 3, 2015.** Those applying for this scholarship must be active and sustaining members of St. Mary Church. Priority is given to those students beginning their first year of college. **Returning college students must re-apply for this scholarship.**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Summer Camp** has begun registration for the summer of 2015. You may download the registration form from our website at [www.archokc.org](http://www.archokc.org) under the Youth & Young Adult Office or register over the phone and pay with a credit card. New and returning campers are encouraged to register as early as possible as we expect many sessions to fill up quickly. If you have any questions, please contact the Youth & Young Adult Office at (405)721-9220 or by Email [OLOG2014@archokc.org](mailto:OLOG2014@archokc.org)

Summer internship available to work with Catholic Charities and the Catholic Campaign for Human Development to increase awareness about poverty in the US, promote Catholic social traditions and build bridges between poor and non-poor communities. Must be Catholic, available for summer, and able to attend all-expense paid training May 27 - 29. Applications due by March 13. Low-income and bi-lingual applicants are encouraged to apply. Contact Becky VanPool at 405-523-3003

or [bvanpool@catholiccharitiesok.org](mailto:bvanpool@catholiccharitiesok.org) to apply.

### COLLECTIONS:

#### FEB 7/8

Offertory Envelopes:	\$ 6235.00
Loose Collection:	\$ <u>455.92</u>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 6690.92</b>
Amt needed for week:	\$ 7500.00
Excess/(deficit):	\$( 809.08)

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### "Can You Drink From the Cup?" Women's Retreat

Saturday, February 21st from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Mary Diane Steltenkamp from the Archdiocese will be leading this retreat - she is a wonderful speaker and this is a great opportunity for the women of our parish. Registration is free, and lunch will be provided. You must register by February 17th; there will be someone taking registrations in the vestibule of the church after Masses on February 14/15. Call Judy Barnes at 490-9994 or Kryss Smith at 580-443-5012 with questions.

### In the Father's Footsteps - Catholic Men's Conference "Forged by Grace"

February 28, 2015. Norman, OK, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Embassy Suites Convention Center. The conference will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and at the end, Mass with Archbishop Coakley. The cost for all activities, including lunch, snacks, beverages, and all presentations is \$65 from February 3rd until the conference date. High school student registration is \$29 any time, college student registration is \$39 any time. Sign-up brochures are available in the church foyer. If you have questions, contact Charlie Tanner at 580-226-1507 or sign up at [catholicmen.net](http://catholicmen.net).