

ST. MARY CHURCH
ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA

September 20, 2015



MONDAY **SEPTEMBER 21, 2015**
 No Mass

TUESDAY **SEPTEMBER 22, 2015**
 No Mass

WEDNESDAY **SEPTEMBER 23, 2015**
 12:00 Noon @Mercy Hospital Chapel
 †**John Setter**
 - Setter Family

6:00 PM **Adoration**

THURSDAY **SEPTEMBER 24, 2015**
 9:00 AM **Intention for Charlie & Georgia Tanner**
 - Corinthians Class

FRIDAY **SEPTEMBER 25, 2015**
 12:00 Noon †**Louis Remondino**
 - Shirley Remondino & Family

SATURDAY **SEPTEMBER 26, 2015**
 5:30 PM †**Fred Innis**
 - Ellen Innis

SUNDAY **SEPTEMBER 27, 2015**
 8:00 AM For the people of the parish
 10:45 AM For the people of the parish

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY **SEPTEMBER 26, 2015 5:30 P.M.**
 Lectors: (1) Mary White (2) Jim Delano
 C. Ministers: Ann Stolfa, Chris & Wendy Craddock, Anne Beard, Keith White, Pablo Fuego
 Altar Servers: Jorge Lopez, Yahreli De La Torre
 Ushers: Bob Petz, Tim Vandagriff
 Offerings: Church Family

SUNDAY **SEPTEMBER 27, 2015 8:00 A.M.**
 Lectores: Miguel Rangel, Noelia Rodriguez, Leticia Tovar
 Comunion: Celsa Thomas, Leda Salinas, Antonio & Maria Rodriguez
 Anuncios: Maria Jimenez
 Acolitos: Alondra Rodriguez, Rosalyn Armijo, Iran Armijo

Hospitalidad:
 Sacristan: Nora Luna

SUNDAY **SEPTEMBER 27, 2015 10:45 A.M.**
 Lectors: (1) Bob Bates (2) Becca Dempewolf
 C. Ministers: Toribio & Evelyn Velasquez, Jim & Maureen Schumacher, Jamie Wallace, Krys Smith
 Cross Bearer: Harlin Rice
 Altar Servers: Troy Velasquez, Julia Ngo
 Ushers: Kathryn Strong, Tom Betzen
 Offerings: Church Family



Rosemary (Cindy Mannas' mother). Continue to pray for Reba Sill, Dellene Stubenrauch, Georgia Tanner and those on the September prayer sheet.



Altar flowers provided by:
 Mercy Hospital Ardmore



Faith Formation News

- Altar server practice will be Sept. 27th at 9:30 a.m. in the church
- We are starting a children's choir, practices will start soon - watch for details.
- There will be a **First Communion Parent Meeting** on Oct. 11th in the Parish Hall at 9:15 a.m. All parents of children going through First Communion this year need to attend.



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.

Readings for the weekend of September 26/27

First Reading: *Numbers 11:25-29*
 Second Reading: *James 5:1-6*
 Gospel: *Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48*

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.

The ministry schedule for October will be printed soon. Please let the office know by September 23rd if you will not be able to serve any time in October.

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.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Thank you to all who made the Grand Re-Opening of St. Mary Thrift Shop successful! Thank you to all who helped with

preparing cookies & punch, and working to set up the displays in the Thrift Shop. We are off to a great start! Keep us in your prayers. May God bless each one of you for giving of your time and talents, and for volunteering.

- Adri Bivens.

Mickey Slaughter has a new address:

Holly Mead

4101 Long Prairie, Room 311

Flower Mound, TX 75028



There will be a **Ministry Fair** on Sunday, October 11th after the 10:45 a.m. Mass. If you would like to help with this event, or if you represent a ministry and need help putting together

a display, please contact Kathy Maher at 221-4274 or the church office at 223-0231.

First Communion/Reconciliation Classes begin on Oct. 25th at 9:15 a.m. To be eligible for First Communion, children must be in 2nd grade or older, and have attended at least 1 year of Faith Formation prior to the beginning of First Communion Classes. Contact the church office at 223-0231 as soon as possible if your child is eligible and you have **NOT** signed up already.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL APPEAL - This 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. *Please prayerfully consider making a gift to Catholic Charities' 2015 Annual Appeal.* **THANK YOU** for your support!

COLLECTIONS:

SEPT 12/13

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| Offertory Envelopes: | \$ 4444.00 |
| Loose Collection: | \$ 555.00 |
| Total: | \$ 4999.00 |
| Amt needed for week: | \$ 7500.00 |
| Excess/(deficit): | \$ (2501.00) |

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Pope Francis Live

The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops will provide live streaming coverage of all events of the Holy Father's visit this month, and video on demand for most events where he will be speaking. For a full schedule of events and catechetical resources, go online to www.usccb.org.

Red Mass

On Oct. 31, a Red Mass will be celebrated at the regularly scheduled 5 p.m. Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, OKC. Archbishop Coakley will be the principal celebrant. The Most Reverend Anthony Taylor, bishop of Little Rock, will deliver the homily. Reception following. A Red Mass is dedicated to seeking guidance from the Holy Spirit for all who seek justice, and offers the opportunity to reflect on what Catholics believe is the responsibility of all in the legal profession. The Red Mass takes its name from the red vestments worn at the Mass, symbolic of the tongues of fire that descended on the Apostles at Pentecost.

Aparten la fecha

El 31 de octubre se celebrara una Misa Roja en el horario regular de la Misa de las 5 p.m. en la Catedral de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro, de Oklahoma City. El Arzobispo Coakley estará presidiendo la celebración. El Reverendísimo Anthony Taylor, Obispo de Little Rock, estará dando la homilía. Habrá una recepción después en el Centro Connor. En los Estados Unidos, una Misa Roja para jueces, abogados y funcionarios del gobierno es tradicionalmente celebrada coincidiendo con la celebración de la Corte Suprema de Estados Unidos en el primer lunes de octubre. (La Misa Roja toma su nombre de los ornamentos rojos utilizados en la Misa, símbolo de las lenguas de fuego que descendieron sobre los Apóstoles en Pentecostés.) La Misa estará dedicada a la búsqueda de la guía del Espíritu Santo para todos aquellos que buscan la justicia y ofrece la oportunidad de reflexionar sobre lo que los Católicos creen que es la responsabilidad de todos en la profesión legal