

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

300 E. Washington, P.O. Box 220

Fr. LEONARD HIGGINS, Pastor

McAlester, OK 74502

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 8:00 am
 Saturday 5:00 pm
 Sunday 9:00 am
 Sunday (Hispanic) 1:30 pm

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OTHER ACTIVITIES

Religious Ed
 RCIA
 Adult Choir
 Reconciliation
 Youth Group JHS-HS
 Adult Bible Study

Wednesday @ 7:00 pm
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 Saturday @ 4:00 pm
 Wednesday @ 6:30 pm
 Thursday @ 7:00 pm

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First Sunday of Lent

March 5th, 2017

OUR YOUTH STATIONS GROUP WILL BE LEAVING SUNDAY MORNING AT 10:30AM FROM the downstairs Youth Room to present their drama on the Stations of the Cross at St. Anthony's in Okmulgee.

WE CONTINUE OUR FRIDAY LENTEN SOUP LUNCHEONS THIS FRIDAY FROM 11AM TO 1pm, sponsored by the Ladies Guild. Please see the sign-up sheet by the main entrance if you are interested in serving or donating toward the luncheon. All proceeds benefit various charities.

THERE WILL BE STATIONS OF THE CROSS EACH FRIDAY AT 7PM DURING LENT IN THE MAIN church.

YOU MAY WONDER WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO OUR TABERNACLE IN THE MAIN CHURCH? The gears that open the tabernacle door are in serious need of repair. Until they can be repaired, the Eucharist will be kept in a safe place in the sacristy.

THE REQUESTED ITEM OF THE WEEK BY CATHOLIC CHARITIES IS PEANUT BUTTER..

ST. JOHN'S PROVIDES TABLECLOTHS FOR PARISHIONERS TO USE DURING THEIR PARISH HALL events. Occasionally, someone forgets to return them. We are missing 7 round tablecloths. If you have used them recently, please check to make sure you have returned them.

THE OKLAHOMA CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD SATURDAY, APRIL 1st, 2017 from 9am - 4pm at the Embassy Suites Center in Norman, Ok. Information about the speakers along with the day's schedule and registration can be found in the brochure located in the back of the church.

Mon March 6	Tues March 7	Wed. March 8	Thurs March 9	Fri March 10	Sat March 11	Sun March 12
8am Mass	8am Mass	8am Mass	8am Mass	8am Mass	4pm Reconciliation	9am Mass
5pm Building Comm. Meeting	12:30pm Prayer in Church 1:30pm Bible Study	5:30pm Boys Choir 6:30pm Youth Group 7pm RE, RCIA Classes 7pm Adult Choir	7pm Bible Study at Lena Maffeo's	11am - 1pm Lenten Soup Luncheon Ladies Guild 7pm Stations	5pm Mass	10am/C/D Ladies Guild 1:30pm Hispanic Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	March 4	5pm	Kathryn Lenz by her parish family
Sun	March 5	9 am	Fr. Tom Melton by Roger & Sharron Jones
Sun	March 5	1 :30pm	Special Intentions (Hispanic Mass)
Mon	March 6	8am	Minnie & Sylvester Stizza by Philip & Laura Stizza
Tue	March 7	8am	For the sick and suffering
Wed	March 8	8am	Larry Zoller by Paul & Mary Stizza
Thu	March 9	8am	For our parishioners in the hospital
Fri	March 10	8am	Kathryn Lenz by Paul & Mary Zoller
Sat	March 11	5pm	Tim & Jack Summers by Pat Summers
Sun	March 12	9 am	Fr. Tom Melton by Bill Wynn
Sun	March 12	1:30pm	Special Intentions (Hispanic Mass)

Liturgical Ministers

Sat March 11th, 2017 5pm

Sun March 12th, 2017 9am

Lector Carlotta Priddy

Walter Descher

Body Larry Chlebik

Al Ross

Blood Tom Steidley, Regina Edwards
Steve Davis, Faye Ervin

Tim Keef, John Gleese,
Joan Bolesworth, Gloria Basinger

Altar Servers Joe & Luke Homer

Bailey Faulk
Cameron Schultz

Music ORGAN

ADULT CHOIR

Ushers Ben Ervin
James Tweedle
Danny Gonzales
Volunteer

John McLaughlin
Walter Descher
Lloyd Flesher
Josh Hass

Happy Birthday

March 5 Sarah Bowser, Dustin Pulchny, Minji Zdeb, Juanita Zummer

March 6 Justice Wilson, **March 9** Cheryl Andersen, Cynthia Clark,
Jayden Dages, Darlene Powers **March 10** Scott Easley, Joey Oley

March 11 Hunter Graham, Shelby Herandy **March 12** Rebecca Frausto

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Doris Young, Bob Shaw (friend of Patty Turner)
Denise Hoover , Phillip Gonzales
Dominic Echelle , John Wilkinson, Paul LeDoux,
Aida Clark
Frank Nishimuta, , Arthur Martinez, Maria
Grace Black, Sharon Allen,
Pam Ware, Marion Fassino, Lloyd Smith
Jason Hal, Shelly Dean (friend of Bill & Carrie
Wright) Leon Baker (friend of Bill &
Carri Wright) Joe Bob Black, Mike Coxsey,
Charlie Trover, Erin O'Roark, Jeff Tilley,
Jamie Keef
Mary Sizemore Griffin (dghtr of Cathy Godwin)
Alex Hackler, Willie Martinez, Ron Testa, Mary
Guadausky, Simon Mitchell (great nephew of
Linda Allsup)
Johnstons, Lyons, Traweeks & Duke families
Marguerite Sadler. Jackie Adcock (David
Adcock's mother)
Connor Jones (nephew of Karen Jones)
Emily Zummer & Amanda Perry
(granddaughters of Louis & Juanita Zummer),
Sammie & Mary Giandrone, Billie Cathey
Lester, Ruth Lauerman ,Gayle Allford
Deborah Grosfield (Tony Grosfield's sister-in-
law), Frances Volock, David Zummer,
Benny Poole (cousin to Karen Jones.)
Sue Gargian (Tamara Chlebik's grandmother)
Martin Honaker, Jan Wilkins, Patricia Chavarria
Connie Hicks (daughter of Armella Hicks)
Gary Dugger (friend of Patty Turner)
Emert McKaughan (bro-in-law of Jodi Grosfield)
Janice Miller (friend of Mark Lauerman)
Connie Garman (friends of Millie Maxwell)
Rosa Meredith (friend of Pat Summers)
Lucy James, Bill Matthias, Terry Huff, Matthew
& Jessie Choate, Julie Huff
Luther Stanford, Paige Henninger (niece of
Lorene Schumacher) Mary Nell Hamilton,
Robert Bernasky (Hartshorne) Angie Marrow,
Evelyn Leinhard, Harold Swilling, Jr, Charlie
Crane, David Reed, Kenney Harmon,
Bill Brock, Kenny Giandrone
Dixie Hairrell (Tony Grosfield Niece)
Dick Grosfield (Tony Grosfield Brother)
Anna Beason Naomi Mills, Ron Testa, Sr.
Mike Belusko) Stacey Larsen, Darlene Powers
Debbie Grilliot (giving kidney to:)
Kay Grilliot Halko (receiving kidney)
(friends of Bill & Carrie Wright)
, Elizabeth Tweedel
Jeff Turner, H.L. Ingram, Mike Coker
Joe Clements (brother of Mary Nell Hamilton)
Gomer Taylor

Please pray for repose: Marguerite Sadler

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

E 3 John W. Pelzel	S Sgt. Ben Ales
Sgt. Greg Thompson	AMN Michael Kaskie
Pvt. J P Dunlay	Sgt. Pierre Terlaje
Sgt. Titus Caldwell	AMN James Lisle
S/Sgt. Timothy Moore	Pvt. Erick Palacios

	Feb. 19 2017	Feb 26 2017	TOTAL
Main	\$3956	\$3340	\$16172
Assistance	\$45	\$10	\$857
Bldg/Main	\$90	\$5	\$395
Youth	\$310	\$50	\$370