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If you are moving, please remember to notify the church office of your new contact information for any future mailings.



St. James Catholic Church

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Sunday 9:30am

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Weekday Masses
Tuesday, Thursday,
Saturday 8:30am

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Saturday 9am -10am

Holy Days 7:00pm

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Please submit items for the bulletin to: secretary_stjms@sbcglobal.net
Deadline is noon Wednesday for the upcoming weekend



Third Sunday of Easter
April 23, 2023

Readings for April 23, 2023	Readings for April 30, 2023
Acts 2:14, 22-33	Acts 2:14a, 36-41
1 Peter 1:17-21	1 Peter 2:20b-25
Luke 24:13-35	John 10:1-10

If you are a new parishioner, please fill out a registration card located at the back of the church. Place it in the box on the back table or leave it at the office.

Mass Intentions	
Tue	04/25 - 8:30am - Martha Clark - Special Intention
Thurs	04/27 - 7:00pm - Chris Duncan - Special Intention
Sat	04/29 - 8:30am - Lili Gomez Valle by Marcos & Tonita Moran
Sat	04/29 - 5:30pm - Brad Hart - Special Intention
Sun	04/30 - 9:30am - +Zeny Johnson by Bruce & Nita Swan

**This Week at St. James
April 23-29**

Sun	9:30am - Mass
Tues	7:00pm - RCIA
Wed	6:00pm - CRE
Sat	5:30pm - Mass

Weekend Collection April 15/16	
Total Collection	\$3,046.46

GOSPEL: St. Luke 24:13-35

That very day, the first day of the week, two of Jesus' disciples were going to a village seven miles from Jerusalem called Emmaus, and they were conversing about all the things that had occurred. And it happened that while they were conversing and debating, Jesus himself drew near and walked with them, but their eyes were prevented from recognizing him. He asked them, "What are you discussing as you walk along?" They stopped, looking downcast. One of them, named Cleopas, said to him in reply, "Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know of the things that have taken place there in these days?" And he replied to them, "What sort of things?" They said to him, "The things that happened to Jesus the Nazarene, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, how our chief priests and rulers both handed him over to a sentence of death and crucified him. But we were hoping that he would be the one to redeem Israel; and besides all this, it is now the third day since this took place. Some women from our group, however, have astounded us: they were at the tomb early in the morning and did not find his body; they came back and reported that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who announced that he was alive. Then some of those with us went to the tomb and found things just as the women had described, but him they did not see." And he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are! How slow of heart to believe all that the prophets spoke! Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them what referred to him in all the Scriptures. As they approached the village to which they were going, he gave the impression that he was going on farther. But they urged him, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening and the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he spoke to us on the way and opened the Scriptures to us?" So they set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

ATTENTION MINISTERS An email was sent out asking for dates that you would be **UNAVAILABLE** during the next 3 months, **May 1-July 31**. If you did not receive this email, please let me know, and also the dates you are unavailable. Thank you!

FAITH & CULTURE CONFERENCE hosted by the Alcuin Institute for Catholic Culture, will be **May 13/14**. This year's theme is "The Two Great Lights: The Spiritual & Temporal Powers in Catholic Life & Culture". Early registration of \$25 per person is from now until April 9 (after that it's \$40), held at the Doubletree Hotel in downtown Tulsa. Catholic School teachers in the Diocese of Tulsa can earn 6 IFP credits. To register: alcuininstitute.org/conference There will be a few social cocktail events at the conference.

This weeks Altar Flowers are given by
John & Rachel Becker for 30th Wedding Anniversary

Celebration Ministries

April 29, 2023

Greeters

Elaine Lovec
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Gift Bearers

Elaine Lovec

Art & Louise Martel

Lector/Intersessions

Rita Leland

Extraordinary Ministers

Rose Hammerschmidt

Evert Lovec

Servers

Nguyen

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Ken Campbell

Senior Usher

Dana Morse

Usher

Marion Hammerschmidt

April 30, 2023

Greeters

Harry & Nancy Brookshire

Gift Bearers

Paul Pham Family

Lector/Intersessions

Suzanne Lauritsen

Extraordinary Ministers

Scott & Patricia Mason

Servers

Anthony Mann

Abby Shelley

Cross Bearer

Peter King

Senior Usher

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Martha Clark, Chris Duncan,

Kathy Gonser, Yvonne Herman,

Darrel Kimery, Jeff & Janel Kummerer,

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Jake Munyon, Tina Murtha,

Julie Neece, Mark Pace,

Eva Scott, Toni Stark,

Jerry & Peggy Schwegman,

Shelley Sumner, Lexi Towne and

Bob & Jane Zoeller

MOWERS NEEDED A new mowing season will upon us soon and we are working on a schedule. Please contact Ray Schremmer at 918-729-7463 to get your name on one of the four lawn care teams. The commitment is once every month May through October.

CRE K-8 GRADE RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

Wednesday 6:00-7:15pm at St. James Church

Contact: crebartlesville@gmail.com

Last CRE meeting will be May 3.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday, April 19 6:30-8pm in

Fr. Lynch Hall

SENIORS AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF SENIORS: If

you have a High School Senior graduating this year, please email Traci Barnes at bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com with their Full Name to get updates about Senior Sunday details!

Sunday, May 7 - Pancake Breakfast to benefit High School Youth Group.

Wednesday, May 17 - Ice Cream Social Sun.,

May 21-10:30am - Senior Sunday Mass, followed by reception in the Gathering Area

CONFIRMATION CLASS

High School Confirmation Retreat is **THIS** Sunday, April 23, St. John Church, Noon-6pm (includes attending Mass)

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY, APRIL 30 at 5pm

If you have any questions, please contact Traci at 918-440-2406 or email bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com

ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION MASS will be on Wednesday, May 24, at 5:30pm.

TEACHER OPENING: Now accepting resumes for an elementary teacher position for the 2023-24 academic year. Please contact Mrs. Miller at miller@sjcs-ok.org or call the school office.

OPEN ENROLLMENT: SJCS is taking applications for enrollment for the 2023-24 academic year. If you would like to tour the school, please contact the school office at 918-336-0603 or email miller@sjcs-ok.org.

HISPANIC MINISTRY FIRST COMMUNION

We also pray for and encourage the families from the Hispanic Ministry with children who are preparing for their First Communion on Sunday, May 7

THEOLOGY AFTER HOURS AT ST. JOHN

Thursday, April 27, 7pm, Fr. Lynch Hall

"Catholics Come Home"

Before the main program, there will be a short talk about the need for Foster Families here in Washington County. Please join us for this time of fellowship and sharing our faith.

SAVE THE DATE, MAY 20th! St. John Before the Latin Gate's Spring Retreat "**UNITED MISSION**" will be conducted by Deacon David Hamel from Catholic Charities.

FR. JOHN will be one of the speakers at the Life in the Spirit Seminar for Men, **Saturday, May 20**, Church of the Madalene, Tulsa. His topic will be "Receiving God's Gifts". Other speakers will include Fr. Jack Gleason, Deacon Kevin Stephenson, Deacon Tim Sullivan, and others. Mass is at 8am, the rest of the day will include breakfast & lunch, ending around 4:45pm. Registration is \$25 (scholarships available). email jimwwarren@att.net with your name, address, and phone number. Mail check to CCRS, 6447 S. Louisville Ave., Tulsa OK 74136. Christian men don't have to be Catholic to attend, invite a friend.



**Mystagogy Session #1
The Sacramental Life**

The excitement of Easter Vigil is over and we have ten new converts to the Catholic faith. Now what?

In the remaining days between Easter and Pentecost, our new Catholics will deepen their understanding of the abundance of graces they now receive in the sacraments and foster their appreciation for living a joyful, fulfilled life that can only be found when we put Jesus Christ at the center. Becoming holy, burning with the fire of God's own life, is the point.

**Join us! Tuesday, April 25 at 7pm
at St. James Catholic Church**

Contact Kim Barbour, RCIA coordinator at 952-270-4665 or rcia@stjohnbartlesville.org

NEW RETREAT CENTER IN STILLWATER: Our Lady of Grace Catholic Retreat Center, located at 4919 S. Fairgrounds, Stillwater, OK, has an Open House this weekend, **Saturday, April 22 (10am-4pm) and Sunday, April 23 (10am-3pm)**. If you missed the open house, for information on the retreat center, please go to their Facebook page or visit their website, ourladyofgracecatholicretreatcenter.com, or call 405-747-5035.

ALCUIN INSTITUTE will host the Faith & Culture Conference, **May 12 & 13**, at the Doubletree Hotel in Downtown Tulsa. The theme is "The Two Great Lights: The Spiritual & Temporal Powers in Catholic Life & Culture". To register, go to alcuininstitute.org/conference. "Early bird" registration is \$25, which includes continental breakfast and a box lunch.

UPCOMING DAY AT ST. GREGORY'S ABBEY: "Transformation in Christ" presented by Br. Damian Whalen, OSB, **Saturday, April 29**. Cost is \$30 (if prepaid), or \$35 (if paid at the door), includes lunch. Pre-registration is required due to limited space: call 405-878-5656 or email retreats@monksok.org or go online to: monksok.org

ALZHEIMER'S IN OUR COMMUNITY: A panel of experts, sponsored by Elder Care, will give a discussion about resources in our community for persons dealing with Alzheimer's and other dementias, **this Tuesday, April 25, 3-4:30pm. Free admission.** Held at Elder Care: 1223 Swan Dr., Bartlesville, (918-336-8500).

PLANNING FOR ROME 2025 On April 25, The Diocese of Tulsa Youth Office is hosting a **Holy Week in Rome 2025 Informational Meeting** featuring pilgrim guide, PJ Anderson of Ciao Roma. PJ will cover the ins and outs of the pilgrimage for 16-29 year olds (by April 2025) and chaperones. No commitment required to attend. Contact Sky Creed for further details at sky.creed@dioceseoftulsa.org or 918-307-4939.

CONCERN NEEDS For **April** we are collecting canned pinto beans, Peanut Butter and Cereal, homeless needs are: bars of soap and men's deodorant.

**ST. JOHN BEFORE THE LATIN GATE
FEAST DAY CELEBRATION!**

Our annual celebration is scheduled for **Friday, May 5, with gathering beginning at 5pm** in the playground across from St. John School. The Knights of Columbus will be cooking meat. If you and your family are able, please bring a dish to share. This is our time to gather and have some fun and fellowship. We look