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# **St. James Catholic Church**

5500 Douglas Lane, Bartlesville, Ok. 74006 www.saintjamescatholicparish.org



**Readings for April 10, 2022** Isaiah 50:4-7 Philippians 2:6-11 Luke 22:14-23:56

**Readings for April 17, 2022** Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 John 20:1-9 or Luke 24:1-12

#### **GOSPEL:** (shorter passage Luke 23:1-49)

The elders of the people, chief priests and scribes, arose and brought Jesus before Pilate. They brought charges against him, saying, "We found this man misleading our people; he opposes the payment of taxes to Caesar and maintains that he is the Christ, a king." Pilate asked him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" He said to him in reply, "You say so." Pilate then addressed the chief priests and the crowds, "I find this man not guilty." But they were adamant and said, "He is inciting the people with his teaching throughout all Judea, from Galilee where he began even to here."

On hearing this Pilate asked if the man was a Galilean; and upon learning that he was under Herod's jurisdiction, he sent him to Herod who was in Jerusalem at that time. Herod was very glad to see Jesus; he had been wanting to see him for a long time, for he had heard about him and had been hoping to see him perform some sign. He questioned him at length, but he gave him no answer. The chief priests and scribes, meanwhile, stood by accusing him harshly. Herod and his soldiers treated him contemptuously and mocked him, and after clothing him in resplendent garb, he sent him back to Pilate. Herod and Pilate became friends that very day, even though they had been enemies formerly. Pilate then summoned the chief priests, the rulers, and the people and said to them, "You brought this man to me and accused him of inciting the people to revolt. I have conducted my investigation in your presence and have not found this man guilty of the charges you have brought against him, nor did Herod, for he sent him back to us. So no capital crime has been committed by him. Therefore I shall have him flogged and then release him."

But all together they shouted out, "Away with this man! Release Barabbas to us."-Now Barabbas had been imprisoned for a rebellion that had taken place in the city and for murder.-Again Pilate addressed them, still wishing to release Jesus, but they continued their shouting, "Crucify him! Crucify him!" Pilate addressed them a third time, "What evil has this man done? I found him guilty of no capital crime. Therefore I shall have him flogged and then release him." With loud shouts, however, they persisted in calling for his crucifixion, and their voices prevailed. The verdict of Pilate was that their demand should be granted. So he released the man who had been imprisoned for rebellion and murder, for whom they asked, and he handed Jesus over to them to deal with as they wished.

As they led him away they took hold of a certain Simon, a Cyrenian, who was coming in from the country; and after laying the cross on him, they made him carry it behind Jesus. A large crowd of people followed Jesus, including many women who mourned and lamented him. Jesus turned to them and said, "Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me; weep instead for yourselves and for your children for indeed, the days are coming when people will say, 'Blessed are the barren, the wombs that never bore and the breasts that never nursed.' At that time people will say to the mountains, 'Fall upon us!' and to the hills, 'Cover us!' for if these things are done when the wood is green what will happen when it is dry?" Now two others, both criminals, were led away with him to be executed.

When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him and the criminals there, one on his right, the other on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, they know not what they do." They divided his garments by casting lots. The people stood by and watched; the rulers, meanwhile, sneered at him and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us." The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

It was now about noon and darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon because of an eclipse of the sun. Then the veil of the temple was torn down the middle. Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit"; and when he had said this he breathed his last.

The centurion who witnessed what had happened glorified God and said, "This man was innocent beyond doubt." When all the people who had gathered for this spectacle saw what had happened, they returned home beating their breasts; but all his acquaintances stood at a distance, including the women who had followed him from Galilee and saw these events.

# Celebration Ministries April 16, 2022

Easter Vigil at St. John

#### April 17, 2022

Greeters Harry & Nancy Brookshire **Gift Bearers** Bee Bradlev Nita Swan Lector/Intersessions Patricia Mason **Extraordinary Ministers** Scott Mason Servers Livi Gawhega Josh Gray **Cross Bearer** Ben Lauritsen **Senior Usher** Terry Lauritsen Usher Enrico Lodrigueza

# We Pray For

Michael Bellamy, Martha Clark, Herbert Erfurdt, Yvonne Herman, Darrel Kimery, Carol Marrs, Teresa McDonald, Joan McKinney, Wayne & Jutta Millard, Debbie Miller, Jake Munyon, Julie Neece, Mark Pace, Eva Scott, Toni Stark, Shelley Sumner, Pat Zeorlin, Bob & Jane Zoeller, and Ernie Zuech

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Seeking Volunteers & Donors The Lighthouse Outreach Center If interested in donating, volunteering, or for more information, in this ministry of providing a meal the first Monday of each month, please contact us, you will be added to our list, and we will contact you. Nita Swan @918-766-2661, Eva Boatwright @918-440-8894 or Sangeetha Arun 918-815-3017 or email sangeetharun03@gmail.com.

	This Week at St. James
	April 10-16
Sun	9:30am - Mass
Tues	12:00pm - Senior Luncheon
Wed	6:00pm - CRE
Sat	5:30pm - Mass

Last Weekend Collection April 2/3Total Collection \$5,217.00 **CRE** for grades K-8th is held each **Wednesday 6:00-7:15pm** at St. James Church!! Contact Carey Auschwitz, crebartlesville@gmail.com. **First Communion Workshop will be at St. John April 19, 5:30pm** 

First Communion will be at St. John Saturday, April 23, 10am.

## **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH**

Wednesdays at 6:30pm (in the Youth House) April 13th-Ask Fr. John Contact: bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com

#### **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

**NO CLASS April 10 & 17**. Contact: bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com

<u>CORRECTION</u> CONFIRMATION RETREAT-Sunday, April 24 CONFIRMATION-Friday, April 29

## ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

**FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS** are now available to apply for the 2022-23 school year. To be considered for all financial aid scholarships, **please complete the application by April 15**. Open enrollment If you would like to tour the school, please contact the school office at 918-336-0603.

**TEACHER OPENING:** Now accepting resumes for a 5th grade teacher position for the 2022-23 academic year. Please contact Mrs. Miller at miller@sjcs-ok.org or call the school office.

**TOTUS TUUS SAVE THE DATES! JUNE 25-JULY** 1 We will need help for a successful Faith filled week for our kids, from donations to host families, to host meals, volunteers and more! Please keep an eye out for more information coming out soon. Please contact the office for more information.

#### **CONCERN NEEDS**

For **April** we are collecting the following items for the pantry: Sugar, Canned tomatoes, Ramen Noodles and bar soap. **Thank** you again for continuing to support this very important ministry in our community!

#### SENIOR LUNCHEON

Senior Luncheon will be held **Tuesday, April 12th** at 12 Noon. The Lovec & Oborny's will host this month's meeting. Janet Reilly, real estate agent, will be the speaker and talk about the current market in Bartlesville. We will be having an Easter Ham, so bring a side dish or a dessert. Thank you!

**SPRING RETREAT**: Save the date for our Annual Spring Retreat. Saturday, April 23, **at St. John**. Fr. Chris Daigle will conduct retreat. **Theme: "God is ALWAYS Good!"** Cost, \$15, and includes a catered lunch. RSVP and more information contact Annette Walker, 918-440-1332.

## **Mass Intentions**

Tue 04/12-8:30am-Joan McKinney - Special Intention Thu 04/14-**7:00pm-**Wayne & Jutta Millard - Special Intention Sun 04/17-9:30am-+Daminh Khuong Vu by Vu Family

**GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION** (April 15) is for the Holy Land. Thank you for your sharing with and giving.



**NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY** begins on Good Friday, April 15. Jesus asked St. Maria Faustina to bring a different group of souls each day of the novena to His Heart and immerse them in the ocean of His Mercy. Prayers for the first day of the novena will immediately follow Stations of the Cross at 3pm on Good Friday in the Church. Prayers for the remaining days of the novena will

begin at 3pm each day in the Marian Chapel at St. John. For more information, contact Sandy Pickett, 918-766-5844.

> April 12, 5:30pm-Chrism Mass at Holy Family Cathedral, Tulsa April 14-Holy Thursday 7pm at St. John (en Español) 7pm at St. James (English) April 15-Good Friday

3pm-Stations of the Cross at St. John 3pm-Stations of the Cross at St. James 7pm-Good Friday Service at St. John (en Español) 7pm-Good Friday Service at St. James (English) April 16-Easter Vigil 8:30pm, St. John (bilingual) April 17-Easter Sunday

St. John 8am, 10:30am, 1:30pm (en Español) St. James: 9:30am

APRIL 23, DAY OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION, CATHOLIC WOMEN IN THE DIOCESE: Held at Church of St. Benedict, 2200 W. Ithica St, Broken Arrow. For more information, contact: 918-260-7491 or email: mbisett@att.net .

#### **GRIEVING WITH GREAT HOPE at St. John**

An eight week grief support workshop series that offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one or facing a difficult life change (pregnancy loss, divorce, career loss. etc.). Everyone is welcome. **The workshop is free**. To register or for more details contact St. John Parish Office 918.336.4353 **When: Thursday 6-8pm, Now through May 19**.(Zoom participation is available.)

ST. GREGORY'S ABBEY: Register now for the Day of Reflection, "A Day of Silence at the Abbey", Saturday, April 30. We all need the occasional break from the noise and hustle of our daily routine. Cost is \$30 (if prepaid) or \$35 if paid at the door. Pre-registration is required. Lunch is included. Register and pay on our website at www.monksok.org, by calling (405) 878-5656 or emailing retreats@monksok.org. The day begins at 8:30am with Mass in the Abbey Church and ends around 3pm after Adoration. If you are in the Oklahoma City or Shawnee area on Thursdays through Saturdays, you might consider stopping in at the Abbey to shop in their little market. Besides books and religious gifts, they have food items from their farm. The market is usually open Thursday, & Friday 1:30-4pm, and Saturday 9:30-11:30am AND 1:30-4pm. More information is available on their website (see above) or call 405-878-5127.

MAY 6-8: RETROUVAILLE is an opportunity for couples to rediscover themselves and their spouses in a loving marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the program, call 405-443-3541 or email 2034@retrouvaille.org or visit www.helpourmarriage.org