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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

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

Celebration of the Eucharist
Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday 9:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays at 4:30pm or by appt.

Weekday Masses
Tuesday, Thursday,
Saturday 8:30am

Holy Hour: Tuesday, Thursday,
Saturday 9am -10am

Holy Days 7:00pm

Church Office Hours
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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 Lent
March 3, 2024**

Readings for March 3, 2024
Exodus 20:1-17
1 Corinthians 1:22-25
John 2:13-25

Readings for March 10, 2024
2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23
Ephesians 2:4-10
John 3:14-21

NEWCOMERS!! We welcome you to St. James. 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

Tues 3/05 - 8:30am - Bob & Jane Zoeller - Special Intention
 Thurs 3/07 - 8:30am - +Irene Morse - by Dana Morse
 Sat 3/09 - 8:30am - Michael Bellamy - Special Intention
 Sat 3/09 - 5:30pm - +Kay Simon by Family
 Sun 3/10 - 9:30am - Martha Clark - Special Intention

This Week at St. James March 3-9

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

GOSPEL: John 2:13-25

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, *Zeal for your house will consume me.* At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken.

While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of the Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing. But Jesus would not trust himself to them because he knew them all, and did not need anyone to testify about human nature. He himself understood it well.

Grieving with Great HOPE is an eight week grief support workshop series offering a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one or facing a difficult life change. The workshop will be held **Thursday Evenings, March 7-May 2, 6-8pm, at St. John Church.**

Please join us. We are here to help you. The workshop is free. For more details contact St. John's Parish Office at 918-336-4353.

During the season of Lent, we have an almsgiving opportunity that will support Birthright of Bartlesville. There will be a box at the back of the church to collect needed items for babies and their moms. Please consider donating what you are able and support the work done at Birthright. Thank you for supporting life.

Diapers, all sizes, pull-ups, all sizes, new underwear/training pants-2T-4T, baby wipes, crib sheets, pacifiers, teething rings, nail clippers, thermometers, clothing-12mos to 4T, baby lotion and wash, hooded bath towels, bottles and sippy cups, formula, nursing bras and drapes, maternity clothes and belts.

OKLAHOMA CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE Saturday, March 9 in Norman 8:45am-Mass at 4:30pm (with both Archbishop Coakley and Bishop Konderla) **Go online to register: catholicmen.net**

Saturday Morning Lenten Mass & Breakfast. Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 4721, Knight's Hall, 5226 E. 41st St. North, Tulsa (No RSVP necessary) **Mass 9:00 am** followed by a Continental Breakfast. All are welcome.

March 9 - Fr. Bryan Brooks
March 16 - Fr. Gary Kastl
March 23 - Bishop Konderla

If you have any questions please call Matt Buckendorf at 918-527-5093 or Steve Clark 918-809-4634. Donations Accepted

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FOR THE TULSA CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE IS MARCH 1-30 (\$59) The conference will be Saturday, September 21 at the Cox Convention Center in Tulsa. **Register: tulsacatholicwomen.com**

Celebration Ministries

March 9, 2024

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 Nita Swan
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 Debbie Miller, Jake Munyon,
 Julie Neece, Mike O'Brien,
 Mark Pace, Janet Riley, Eva Scott,
 Toni Stark, Laura Stanfill,
 Shelley Sumner, Lexi Towne and
 Bob & Jane Zoeller

CONCERN For **March** canned green beans and peanut butter; homeless needs are single serve oatmeal and cereal.

SENIOR LUNCHEON Tuesday, March 12 at 12 Noon. Please bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share.

CRE WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM AT ST. JAMES

March 9, the Junior Catholic Youth Conference (JCYC) is the Tulsa Diocese's premiere **Junior High Youth Conference.** Bringing all 6-8th grade Catholic youth together for a day of fun, community and, most importantly, the Eucharist! Featuring talks from Fr. Vince Fernandez and music from Julia Lopez, formerly of Stillmorning music.

Who: All 6-8th Grade youth
When: Saturday, March 9, 12-8pm
Where: Church of Saint Benedict
 2200 W Ithica St, Broken Arrow
Cost: \$25 Discounted cost: \$15 (By February 16th)
Deadline to register is March 4.
 Registration and further details available at dioceseoftulsayouth.org/jcyc

CONFIRMATION REMINDER

In **March** we will meet on the **3rd & 10th** only at the **9:30am Mass, at St. James Church,** followed by fellowship and class. A mandatory retreat date will be scheduled later.

Please pray for our students as they prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation, which will be held at St. John Church, **Thursday, April 25, 5:30pm.**

YOUTH NEWS

We meet **6:30-8pm on Sundays at the Youth House**

ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

OPEN ENROLLMENT: SJCS is taking applications for enrollment for the 2024-25 academic year. Please go to SJCS website: www.sjcs-ok.org click on the **About** tab then go to the **Admission and Enrollment** page. If you would like to tour the school, please contact the school office at 918-336-0603 or email Dr. Cristal Miller, Principal at miller@sjcs-ok.

POSITION OPEN: Part-time Art Teacher for St. John School. Please email your resume and references to miller@sjcs-ok.org

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY The Knights of Columbus Council 1302 and Assembly 855 are offering two \$1000 scholarships to area Catholic students. **Applications may be obtained in the parish office and MUST arrive at the address on the application by April 15 (so please mail it early enough).** Contact Joe Franco at 918-914-2917 or email at jfranco0756@gmail.com

"ANGELIC DOCTOR," THOMAS AQUINAS, conference held at University of Tulsa, March 7-9. The University of Tulsa's Honors College, along with the Kendall College of Arts & Sciences' Department of Philosophy & Religion, and the Warren Center for Catholic Studies, presents a conference to commemorate the 750th anniversary of the death Thomas Aquinas. **March 7-9. Registration:** utulsa.edu/academics/honors/thomas-aquinas-conference/ For general inquiries or additional information, please email j-stone@utulsa.edu.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS information meetings will be held at Holy Family Cathedral in Heiring Auditorium on **Tuesday, March 19, 7pm and Thursday, June 13, 6:30pm.** The National Eucharistic Congress will be held in Indianapolis, July 16-22. Questions? You may contact Rev. Joshua Votruba, Diocesan Chair of the Eucharistic Revival Committee: EucharisticRevival@dioceseoftulsa.org.



There will be **NO** formal RCIA session this Tuesday. However, RCIA will be participating in the **Lenten Mission Sunday-Tuesday, March 3-5, 6:30pm at St. John Church** with Michael John and Mary Poirer. Please continue to pray for our elect, candidates and their sponsors, RCIA team, volunteers and our clergy

Jay Miller, Doug Patterson, Kyle McKinney, Rio Cabrera, Teri Hilderbrand, Jerald Chesser, Marla Chesser, Carl Clark, Brandon Windholz, Susan Smith, Susie Parks, LaRae Saucedo, Karen Michno, Erica Boyle, Cameron Molder, Vanessa Fernandez
May they all feel God's peace throughout their Lenten journeys!

LENT SCHEDULE

(all is held at St. John unless noted otherwise)
Wednesdays during Lent
 4:30-5pm Adoration/Confession 5:15pm Mass

Fridays during Lent

5-7pm Fish Fry (\$10 donation)
 6pm Holy Hour
 7pm Stations of the Cross (English)
 8pm Stations of the Cross (en Español)

LENT MISSION

Sunday-Tuesday, March 3-5, 6:30pm CHILD CARE WILL BE PROVIDED
 With Michael John and Mary Poirier
Sunday, John Michael will sing and tell his story, followed by Adoration (30-45 minutes each of these nights).
Monday, Mary will share her testimony, followed by Adoration. **The Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be available during Adoration that Monday evening.
Tuesday will be a talk on our relationship with the Virgin Mary and her help in our conversion of faith, followed by Adoration.

LIVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday, March 8 presented by our youth!

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

Palm Sunday, March 23/24 (regular Mass schedule)

Holy Thursday, March 28

7pm at St. John (en Español)
 7pm at St. James (English)

Good Friday, March 29

7pm at St. James

Stations of the Cross

3pm at both St. John and St. James

Veneration of the Cross

7pm at St. John (en Español)
 7pm at St. James (English)

Holy Saturday, March 30

8:30pm Bilingual Easter Vigil at St. John

Easter Sunday, March 31

(regular Mass schedule)