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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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www.saintjamescatholicparish.org

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

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

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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



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 8, 2023

Readings for October 8, 2023	Readings for October 15, 2023
Isaiah 5:1-7	Isaiah 25:6-10a
Philippians 4:6-9	Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20
Matthew 21:33-43	Matthew 22:1-14

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	
Tues	10/10 - 8:30am - Communion Service
Thurs	10/12 - 8:30am - Communion Service
Sat	10/14 - 8:30am - Anna Riha & Family - Special Intention
Sat	10/14 - 5:30pm - +Kay Ewing by Family
Sun	10/15 - 9:30am - +Edmondo Quynh Pham by Thanh Pham

**This Week at St. James
October 8-14**

Sun	9:30am - Mass
Tues	12:00pm - Senior Luncheon - Hall
Sat	5:30pm - Mass

**Weekend Collection
September 30-October 1**

Total Collection \$4,215.25

GOSPEL: Matthew 21:33-43

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people: "Hear another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a hedge around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went on a journey. When vintage time drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to obtain his produce. But the tenants seized the servants and one they beat, another they killed, and a third they stoned. Again he sent other servants, more numerous than the first ones, but they treated them in the same way. Finally, he sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the proper times." Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: *The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?* Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."

CONCERN

For **October** we are collecting canned chili, soup and pudding cups. For September we collected 134lbs of food!! Thank You!

It's time to start thinking about **Thanksgiving!** This year we've been tasked with collecting **300 cans of cranberry sauce** for the Concern Thanksgiving baskets. Please start bringing your donations to church as soon as you are able because we have a deadline of **November 5th**.

Thanksgiving basket sign-ups, at Concern, will be Monday, October 2 & Tuesday, October 3 from 11am-2pm or until all orders are filled.

Christmas present sign-ups (children 0-15yrs old), at Concern, will be Monday, November 6 & Tuesday, November 7 from 11am-2pm or until filled.

**SPIRITUAL READING BOOK CLUB
Catholic Community of Bartlesville**

Tuesday, October 10 at 1:30pm. We will read the uplifting and challenging book, "**Pray, Hope and Don't Worry-True Stories of Padre Pio, Book 1**". We will cover Chapter 29 to the end. **We will meet at Penny Eccleston's, 5635 Baylor Pl**, we hope your faith life will be enhanced through the sharing of some of the experiences of hundreds from all over the world who were personally touched by Padre Pio's intersession. Call Pat Netzer 918-337-2118 or 918-332-6302 for more information.

SENIOR LUNCHEON Tuesday, October 10 at 12 Noon. The hostess are David & Carolyn Benne and John & Rita Leland. Please bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share.

UPCOMING IN THE WIDER AREA IN NOVEMBER

November 19, 3pm-Native American Mass, Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine in Oklahoma City. Archbishop Coakley will be the Celebrant. All invited.

November 21, 5:30pm-Holy Mass for Families of Miscarriage & Child Loss, with Bishop Konderla. Parish of Christ the King, Tulsa

Celebration Ministries

October 14, 2023

Greeters

Art & Louise Martel

Gift Bearers

Art & Louise Martel

Lector/Intersessions

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Extraordinary Ministers

Rose Hammerschmidt

Diane Leroux

Servers

Nguyen

Cross Bearer

Carolyn Benne

Senior Usher

Chris LaFrancois

Usher

David Benne

October 15, 2023

Greeters

Harry & Nancy Brookshire

Gift Bearers

Tim & Timothea Murtha

Lector/Intersessions

Lisa King

Extraordinary Ministers

Guy Lenora

Marcos Moran

Servers

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Abby Shelley

Cross Bearer

Ben Lauritsen

Senior Usher

Terry Lauritsen

Usher

Peter King

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Chris Duncan, Alice Fagan,

Kathy Gonser, Brad Hart,

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Debbie Miller, Jake Munyon,

Julie Neece, Mark Pace,

Eva Scott, Toni Stark,

Laura Stanfill, Shelley Sumner,

Lexi Towne and Bob & Jane Zoeller

THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH AND ATTENDED THE RECENT HISPANIC FESTIVAL! We appreciate all of you!

NO CRE THIS WEDNESDAY FALL BREAK! ENJOY

Sunday, October 8, will be our first CRE Sunday of the year at St. John 10:30am Mass. **There will be a pancake breakfast to benefit our CRE program from 8:30-11am**, we would love to feed you breakfast and have you support our program. CRE students and families are all invited to attend and sit together. There will be a fun craft for the kids after Mass!

ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

POSITION OPEN-Director of Development and Mission Advancement for St. John School. If you are interested or know someone that is, have them contact Fr. John to discuss the opportunity and requirements.

St. John School is in need of substitute teachers. If you are interested or have questions, contact the school office 918-336-0603.

YOUTH NEWS

October scheduled activities are 6:30-8pm

10/8 -Meditation under the Stars at the Auschwitz House

10/15 - Fall Break No Class

10/22 - What do You Seek? Episode 1 of The Search at Youth House

10/29 - Who are You? Episode 2 of The Search at Youth House
Saturday, November 11 - DCYC more information to come.

DCYC FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH: "COMMUNION"

Registration is now open, the event will be held in Tulsa at the Cox Business Convention Center, **Saturday, November 11**. Please register online: dioceseoftulsayouth.org, the cost is \$49 per person, if financial assistance is needed, please contact the Diocese Youth Office, youth.office@dioceseoftulsa.org, 918-307-4907.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF BARTLESVILLE ANNUAL PICNIC Sunday, October 15, 3-6pm, St. James Pavilion.

Please bring a dish to share according to first initial of last name: **(A-K) side dish, (L-Z) dessert**. Smoked Chicken and Pork by our local Knights of Columbus Council #1302. Live Music, Bounce House, Filipino Folk Dancers.

CLERGY APPRECIATION DAY

We appreciate our area priests and deacons!

The following prayer is from the US Bishops' website for supporting priests in prayer

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.

GRAND DINNER to benefit CENTER OF FAMILY LOVE

Thursday, October 26, 6:30pm at the Petroleum Club in downtown Oklahoma City, for tickets go to cflinc.ejoinme.org/grand23 or call 405-263-4658 ext. 1009 (Tickets are \$300 each)



There will be **NO RCIA October 10**. There will be a mini retreat for RCIA inquirers on **Sunday, October 15 at John** for Fr. John. Please meet in the gathering area at **9:15am**.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL APPEAL
Weekend of October 7/8**

Every day, our neighbors come to Catholic Charities in search of hope. Because of generous people like you, our staff and volunteers are able to give them a hand up. Your donation allows us to say "yes" to the needs of our community. With 15 programs, 7 locations, and 15 mobile food pantries across Eastern Oklahoma, Catholic Charities is uniquely positioned to help our neighbors in need. Some of the programs include: Adult Education; Counseling; Dental Care; Disaster Outreach; Emergency Assistance; Immigration Assistance; Refugee Resettlement; Pregnancy Care, and many other ways to assist our neighbors in Eastern Oklahoma.

You may also donate to our Annual Appeal today online at cceok.org/donate.

DON'T FORGET THE DIOCESE PICNIC!! As part of the 50th anniversary festivities of the Diocese of Tulsa and Eastern Oklahoma, there will be a **Diocese-wide Picnic**, held in Owasso at the Redbud Festival Park, on **Saturday, October 28. Gathering for the Procession begins at 2:45pm** at St. Henry Church (8500 N. Owasso Expressway), the Procession will leave St. Henry's Church at 3pm and is expected to arrive at Redbud Park (100 N. Main in Owasso) around 3:40pm. **Mass will be at the park at 4pm.** After Mass there will be food and drink available for purchase (you may bring your own picnic meal), but there will also be a cookie contest, for persons who want to participate, please bring a plate of cookies to share with others, make sure to register your cookies at check-in. Youth activities, live music (one of the bands will be Fr. John's), and other fun will begin after Mass at around 5:15pm. Child activities end at 9pm. Youth activities and food/beverage sales end at 9:30pm. The picnic ends at 10pm. For a full schedule, please go to dioceseoftulsa.org/news/jubileepicnic

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Creating with the Creator: An artistic retreat series for the artist and non-artist alike. **Mondays (October 23, 30, November 6, 13), 9:30am-1pm**, join with participants from across the state to learn from professional artist Leigha Liuzza. \$60 per Monday. Art supplies included.

Monday, October 16, 9am-3pm: Seeking Him Whom My Soul Loves, Contemplative Prayer, a Day of Reflection with Fr. Salvador Marquez-Munoz, Pastor, St. Mary Catholic Church, Siloam Springs, AR.(\$40 Mass & Lunch included).