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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

Tuesday - Thursday 8:45am-2:45pm
Phone 918-335-0844
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918-335-2474

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



Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time July 2, 2023

**Readings for July 2, 2023** 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a

Romans 6:3-4, 8-11 Matthew 10:37-42 Readings for July 9, 2023
Zechariah 9:9-10

Romans 8:9, 11-13 Matthew 11:25-30

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 07/04 - 8:30am - Pat & Christine Kendrick - Special Intention

Thurs 07/06 - 8:30am - +Pat Zeorlin by John & Rita Leland

Sat 07/08 - 8:30am - Darrel Kimery - Special Intention
Sat 07/08 - 5:30pm - Carol Marrs - Special Intention
Sun 07/09 - 9:30am - +Jerry Dizmang by Jerry & Mary Grove

## This Week at St. James July 2-8

Sun 9:30am - Mass Sat 10:00am - Bee Bradley - Hall 5:30pm - Mass

#### Weekend Collection June 24/25

**Total Collection** \$1,982.75 **Pro-Life** \$ 598.00

#### GOSPEL: St. Matthew 10:37-42

Jesus said to the apostles: "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me. Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

"Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me. Whoever receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and whoever receives a righteous man because he is a righteous man will receive a righteous man's reward. And whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of the little ones to drink because the little on is a disciple-amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward."

#### **Prayer for the Protection of Religious Liberty**

O God our Creator, from your provident hand we have received

our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.
You have called us as your people and given us
the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God,
and your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel

to every corner of society. We ask you to bless us

in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty.
Give us the strength of mind and heart

to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church

and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.
Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father,

a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church

in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood

and every danger overcome—
for the sake of our children, our grandchildren,
and all who come after us—

this great land will always be "one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

(from USSCB website)

#### **Celebration Ministries**

July 8, 2023

#### Greeters

Carroll & Gwen Kirwin
Gift Bearers
Carroll & Gwen Kirwin
Lector/Intersessions
Fidelis Villegas

#### **Extraordinary Ministers**

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Diane Leroux
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Servers
Nguyen
Cross Bearer
Ken Campbell
Senior Usher
Louise Martel
Usher
David Benne

July 9, 2023

#### **Greeters**

Suzanne Lauritsen
Judy Oborny
Gift Bearers
Judy Oborny
Paul Pham Family
Lector/Intersessions
Dan Boatwright

### Extraordinary Ministers

Scott & Patricia Mason

#### Servers

Anthony Mann Abby Shelley

**Cross Bearer** 

Peter King Senior Usher

Terry Lauritsen Usher

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#### **We Pray For**

Michael Bellamy, Martha Clark,
Chris Duncan, Alice Fagan,
Kathy Gonser, Yvonne Herman,
Pat & Christine Kendrick, Darrel Kimery,
Carol Marrs, Teresa McDonald,
Joan McKinney, Debbie Miller,
Jake Munyon, Tina Murtha,
Julie Neece, Mark Pace, Eva Scott,
Toni Stark, Jerry & Peggy Schwegman,
Shelley Sumner, Lexi Towne and
Bob & Jane Zoeller

The new date for the Jubilee Picnic is Saturday, October 28th. It will be at the same Redbud Festival Park location, the same procession start time of 2:45pm at St. Henry, and the same schedule of events.

#### ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

**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.

#### **POSITIONS 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.

**Part-time Cafeteria Assistant** (approx. 10 hrs/wk). Please contact the SJCS office.

#### HIGH SCHOOL

**STEUBENVILLE!** Any youth, grades incoming ninth to twelfth, who are interested in attending Steubenville, please contact bartlesvilleyouth@gmail.com. This year Steubenville is July 14-16 at Springfield MO. Cost is \$220.

Parishioners are invited to come to the 9am Mass at St. John that Friday, July 14 to pray and support our youth as they leave for their Steubenville experience.

#### **OPPORTUNITY FOR CATECHISTS**

Dr. Tim O'Malley will provide a day-long workshop on "The Art of Evangelization and Catechesis" for ALL catechists, paid or volunteer, July 13th, 9am-3pm, at Christ the King in Tulsa. Please RSVP to religiousformation@dioceseoftulsa.org by July 10.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN** will resume monthly meetings in September at St. James Catholic Church, currently scheduled for September 7, 11:30am. We hope to see you then!

ST. GREGORY'S ABBEY, Benedictines in Shawnee, OK, invite single Catholic men ages 18-45, behind the cloister gate for a monastic encounter, to share in the liturgical prayer, lectio divina, common work, and communal life of the abbey. While these encounters are primarily intended for those discerning a religious vocation, they are of spiritual benefit to anyone yearning to know God's still, small voice amidst life's chaos.

Our 2023 Monastic Encounter Weekends are scheduled for: **August 4-6, and October 20- 22**. For more information contact Fr. Simeon Spitz, O.S.B., 405-878-5456, email vocations@monksok.org or visit www.monksok.org/vocations.

#### FAITH FORMATION CONFERENCE August 18-19

#### "Be Holy: The Art of Christian Living"

Keynote presentations Friday by Karlo Broussard (Catholic Answers) and Saturday by Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio (Dr. Italy), Trent Horn (Catholic Answers), breakout sessions by Bishop David Konderla, Dr. Mary Rice Hasson (Person & Identity Project), and more! There'll be sessions in English and Spanish. Register at: dioceseoftulsa.org/faith-formation-conference.

#### CALLING ALL SINGLE ADULT CATHOLICS!

On August 25-27 join the 22nd National Conference for Single Catholics at St. John's Resort, Plymouth, MI, or, participate virtually and engage with others via the online socials and small group discussions. If attending in person, use the promo code (PARISH23) when you register to get \$50 off! Discount for the first 50 sign-ups nationwide to use this code. Visit National-CatholicSingles.com for more information and to register. Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 512-766-5798.

### UPCOMING EVENTS IN JULY FOR THE BARTLESVILLE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY:

JULY 1 & 2-Sr. Maurine from the Sisters of St. Therese, as part of the Mission Cooperative Program will visit our area. The Sisters are based in Cameroon, Africa, and participate in education, health care, assisting street children, battered women, internally displaced persons and marginalized persons in prison. A specific current mission is constructing a bigger shelter and staff house to provide women and children who have been displaced from the political unrest with housing and teach them skills in poultry, fish farming, other agriculture, and soap making. To learn more about the Sisters and their work, please visit: sstbuea.org/projects.

JULY 15 & 16-Dcn. Kevin Sartorius from Catholic Charities will be here. Fr. John invites Dcn. Kevin to join us each year to keep us up to date on Catholic Charities/Mary Martha Outreach (MMO), which is here in our community (1845 SW 4th St., by United Supermarket). It's also a time to remind us that praying for, donating to, or volunteering at Catholic Charities/Mary Martha Outreach (MMO), are beautiful ways to fulfill our Baptismal promises. MMO is currently considering a program of distributing food one evening per week. Perhaps that would be a time for persons who work during the day to have an opportunity to volunteer. Contact MMO: 918-337-3703.

## PACK THE BACKPACKS To Apply:

Go online to packthebackpacks.org
Go to Agape Mission (5th & SW Cass Ave.) on
Mondays & Fridays 11am-1:30pm
Go to Mary Martha Outreach (1845 SW 4th St.)
July 10&11, 9-11am, July 19, 9-11am,
July 20, 12-2pm

#### **To Donate:**

Online at packthebackpacks.org OR send a check to (Washington County School Supply Drive) WCSSD; PO Box 2031; Bartlesville, OK 74005-2031

LEISURE CLUB WON'T MEET THIS MONTH, due to the first Tuesday of the month falling on the 4th of July holiday. We DO PLAN to meet next month, Tuesday, August 1. Get ready for Bingo then!

**SATURDAY SR. USHER NEEDED** We are needing a Sr. Usher for Saturday Mass, it will only be once a month or twice depending on the scheduling. If you are willing to step up and take on this responsibility, please call the office. Thank you!

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE with Fr. John O'Neill, January 29-February 8, 2024. Sites that will be visited include Mt. Tabor, Nazareth, Sea of Galilee, Mt. Carmel, Bethlehem, Jordan River, Dead Sea, various places in and around Jerusalem. Contact Alison Stookey at Catholic Travel Today at 918-237-5373 or email at catholictraveltoday@gmail.com (trip # is 2987).

**SENIOR LUNCHEON Tuesday, July 11** at 12 Noon. Please bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share.

**CONCERN NEEDS** For **July** we are collecting Canned pinto beans & cereal.

Concern is still in need of a volunteer on Monday's from 11:00 am-2:30 pm. If you are interested, please contact Melody at 918-336-4693.