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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
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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 7, 2024

Readings for July 7, 2024 Ezekiel 2:2-5 2 Corinthians 12:7-10 Mark 6:1-6a	Readings for July 14, 2024 Amos 7:12-15 Ephesians 1:3-14 Mark 6:7-13
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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.

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

Mass Intentions

Tues 7/09 - 8:30am - Laura Stanfill - Special Intention
 Thurs 7/11 - 8:30am - Jake Munyon - Special Intention
 Sat 7/13 - 8:30am - Martha Clark - Special Intention
 Sat 7/13 - 5:30pm - Chris Duncan - Special Intention
 Sun 7/14 - 9:30am - Alice Fagan - Special Intention

This Week at St. James July 7-13

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

GOSPEL Mark 6:1-6a

Jesus departed from there and came to his native place, accompanied by his disciples. When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands! Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary, and the brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house." So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.

STRATEGIC PLANNING UPDATE

- Over the past few months, we have been engaged in Strategic Planning for the future of both St. James and St. John Parishes. I realize this has been a challenging process for all of us as we look to where the Holy Spirit is calling us into the future.
- I wish to state that no decisions have been made regarding the closing, moving, or changing current Mass times of either parish.
- I wish to apologize for any pain this process has caused members of our community as we have labored in this question. Change is difficult - for all of us. Information that is not reflective of the process and the discussions that are happening has floated through the community creating tension and division. This pains me as your pastor, and I want nothing more than to bring unity to our community.
- We have also surfaced that over the history of both parishes trust has been broken by pastors, by the Diocese, and between parishioners. I recognize that it is hard to look to the future and ask people to flex and change if trust isn't there.
- I and the Team desire to understand where trust and credibility has broken down over the years so that I and the planning team can work to rebuild trust and credibility as we look to the future full of hope.
- On August 11, 12 and 13 we will host a series of listening sessions for you to come and engage in conversation where your story can be heard. These are going to be honorable conversations that allow myself, the Team, and Fr. Kastl, the Vicar General, to hear your heart, your pain, your hopes and anxieties about the future. More information will come out regarding how to sign up and participate. We are reviewing other avenues of communication for those unavailable on these dates or who don't feel comfortable in an open setting as proposed.
- Let me reiterate - no decisions have been made to close St. James or St. John. Help me and help us know the deeper realities of our communities.

In the service of Christ, Fr. John.

CONCERN For July SPAM, tuna, paper or plastic grocery bags and egg cartons. We also need volunteers for the summer. Please call 918-336-4693 and talk to Melody.

FULL-TIME POSITION OPENING: Business Manager for St. John/St. James. Must be familiar with QuickBooks. Please contact the St. John parish office for additional information, 918-336-4353.

Celebration Ministries

July 13, 2024

Greeters
 Steve & Diane Leroux
Gift Bearers
 Steve & Diane Leroux
Lector/Intersessions
 Rita Leland

Extraordinary Ministers
 Rose Hammerschmidt

Louise Martel
Servers
 Nguyen

Cross Bearer
 Carolyn Benne
Senior Usher
 Louise Martel

Usher
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July 14, 2024

Greeters
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 Suzanne Lauritsen
Gift Bearers
 Kim Bell
 Nita Swan

Lector/Intersessions
 Allan Carlson

Extraordinary Ministers
 Guy Lenora
 Scott Mason

Servers
 Stephen Lauritsen
 Anthony Mann

Cross Bearer
 Ben Lauritsen
Senior Usher
 Terry Lauritsen

Usher
 Tim Murtha

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 Chris Duncan, Alice Fagan,
 Kathy Gonser, Yvonne Herman,
 Pat & Christine Kendrick,
 Darrel Kimery, Ken Kirwin,
 Teresa McDonald, Joan McKinney,
 Debbie Miller, Jake Munyon,
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 Mark Pace, Janet Riley, Eva Scott,
 Toni Stark, Laura Stanfill,
 Shelley Sumner, Lexi Towne,
 Loretta Vives and Bob & Jane Zoeller



KIDS AND FAMILIES GRADES K-8TH
CRE SUMMER FUN

EVENT #1 FRONTIER POOL/WATERPARK
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 10
 6:30-8:30PM
 *WE HAVE RENTED OUT THE WHOLE PLACE! WILL HAVE LIGHT SNACKS BUT PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS AND SNACKS AS YOU WISH. PARENTS MUST STAY.

EVENT #2 SOONER JUNIOR MINI-GOLF
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 17
 7:00-8:30PM
 *WE HAVE RENTED OUT THE COURSE! WILL HAVE ICE CREAM SNACKS AND IT IS FREE TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY! COME BEAT THE HEAT AND SEE SOME FRIENDS!

EVENT #3 MIDDLE SCHOOL 6-8 GRADES ONLY!!!!
 SOONER PARK FUN
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 24 - 7:00-8:30PM
 WE WILL DO A SCAVENGER HUNT AND PLAY SAND VOLLEYBALL. PIZZA & DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED

RSVP NOT REQUIRED BUT WILL BE APPRECIATED FOR PLANNING- CAREY 918-397-3779 TEXT OR CALL

ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS SCHOOL BEGINS AUGUST 8

APPLICATIONS: We are accepting applications for a part-time teaching position. This role could include art and STREAM depending on the person's abilities and student needs. Please contact Dr. Miller at 918-336-0603 or miller@sjcs-ok.org with any questions and/or to submit a resume.

JOIN US IN PRAYING THE LITURGY OF THE HOURS!

Since Vatican II, lay members of the Catholic Church have been encouraged to join the clergy and some members of religious communities in praying the Liturgy of the Hours. The Catholic community of Bartlesville is now answering this call to liturgical prayer, meeting every **Sunday at 4:30pm in the 24-hour chapel at St. John Church**, and, 2 Thursdays a month during the Men's group for Vespers (Evening Prayer). Please consider joining us! Contact Don Baldwin, 425-241-6784, or donb.civil@protonmail.com if you are interested!



TALK ON EUCHARIST AT OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE IN DEWEY
Dr. Karlo Broussard, a nationally known speaker from Catholic Answers, will be at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Dewey, Tuesday, July 9, at 7pm** to give a talk titled **"The Eucharist: Mere Symbol or Substantial Presence"**, explaining our

Catholic understanding of the Eucharist drawing from Old & New Testament sources. There will be an ice cream social following his talk. All area parishes are invited & welcome to come.

FR. JOHN'S ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY IS JULY 16

However, he will be out of town for a conference on that date so we wish him a Blessed Anniversary before he leaves and reassure him of our continued prayers and gratitude.

SEEKING THE DIVINE MERCY BILLBOARD The Divine Mercy billboard has moved to its new location at **Hwy 75 & Moose Lodge Rd (Road 2400)**, which is by the business: No Limit Powersports. The sign faces north. The Divine Mercy billboard is a part of the Divine Mercy chaplet prayer group. We're all invited to join them on Wednesdays at 10am in the chapel.

TULSA CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE FOR ALL WOMEN OF EASTERN OKLAHOMA SEPTEMBER 21, 8-5pm at the Cox Business Convention Center in Tulsa. Tickets are \$69. There are scholarships available, please email Phebe Snyder, tcwc2024@gmail.com. T-shirts are available for \$20. Details for available parking for \$10 is on the website. For tickets and more information, please go online to www.tulsacatholicwomen.com.

SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH THE ARCHDIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA CITY

Camp Rother in the Diocese of Tulsa was unable to be open this year. However, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City still has some openings at their Our Lady of Guadalupe Camp near Wellston, OK. Here is the schedule that is still open.

July 14-19 for Grades 5-6 Registration Deadline July 10

July 21-26 for Grades 7-9 Registration Deadline July 17

Fees for each camper is \$500. There are scholarships available and if more than one sibling is attending, the fee for the other siblings will be \$450 each. Please go online to register at campguadalupe.org/summercamp

SENIOR LUNCHEON Tuesday, July 9 at 12 Noon. The Hostess are Jim & Kathy Lucas and Steve & Diane Leroux. The theme will be The 4th of July Picnic. Please bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share.

You are invited to the Bishop's Annual Dinner for Seminarian Education. July 31, 6-9pm at the Mayo Hotel 16th floor Crystal Ballroom, 115 W. 5th St., Tulsa. To RSVP please visit dioceseoftulsa.org/sedinner. Please Kathie Neal in the Development Office at 918-307-4912 or Leslie Galvan in the Vocations Office at 918-307-4936 with any questions.

UPCOMING

A St. Kateri Tekakwitha Honor Dance will be held on Saturday, September 7 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 47943 Abbey Rd. in Konawa. Mass will be celebrated at 2pm, Gourd dance is 3-5:30pm, Supper is at 6pm, and Grand Entry is at 7pm.

Welcome Fr. David Carvajal, our Associate Pastor. Fr. David, please be assured of our prayers and encouragement as you continue your ministry here.

