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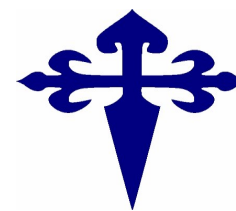
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Please call the office if you know of a parishioner that is homebound and would like to receive spiritual ministries from Fr. John, Fr. Carlos or Deacon Jerry.

If you are moving, please remember to notify the church office of your new contact information for any future mailings.

**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, Wednesday, Thursday 9am-3pm  
Phone 918-335-0844  
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**Epiphany**

"ARISE! SHINE, FOR YOUR LIGHT HAS COME, THE GLORY OF THE LORD HAS DAWNED UPON YOU."  
- ISAIAH 60:1

**Epiphany of the Lord**  
January 2, 2022

**Readings for January 2, 2022**  
Isaiah 60:1-6  
Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6  
Matthew 2:1-12

**Readings for January 9, 2022**  
Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11  
Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7  
Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

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.

Please submit items for the bulletin to: [secretary\\_stjms@sbcglobal.net](mailto:secretary_stjms@sbcglobal.net)  
Deadline is noon Wednesday for the upcoming weekend

### Mass Intentions

Tue 01/04 - 8:30am - Jake Munyon - Special Intention  
Thu 01/06 - 8:30am - Julie Neece - Special Intention  
Sat 01/08 - 8:30am - Debbie Miller - Special Intention  
Sat 01/08 - 5:30pm - +Ken Wardyn by Dana Morse  
Sun 01/09 - 9:30am - +Ervin Morse by Dana Morse

### Last Weekend Collection

December 25/26 Total Collection \$

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

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

### GOSPEL: Matthew 2:1-12

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him "In Bethlehem of Judea, for this it has been written through the prophet:

*And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah,  
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;  
since from you shall come a ruler,  
who is to shepherd my people Israel."*

Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage." After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.

**CREIGHTON PRACTITIONER NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASS**, March 19-26, 2022: The Diocese will be hosting a Creighton Model NFP Practitioner training session 1 of 2. This is a 13-month intensive course requiring client follow ups, case studies and practicums. Scholarship is available. Please contact Audrey.stubblefield@dioceseoftulsa.org.

**RETRouvaille WEEKEND** The next Retrouvaille Weekend be January 28-30, 2022. The post sessions will follow the weekend on Sunday afternoons. This is a nationwide program that is solely dedicated to providing the necessary support to help save marriages on the brink of separation and divorce. Information at [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org).

**CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE** will be held at Embassy Suites and Conference Center, Norman, OK, on Sat. Mar. 12, 2022, 8:45am-4:30pm. Scheduled Speakers: Msgr. James Shea, Brian Greenfield, Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio, and Steve Ray. Register online now at [catholicmen.net](http://catholicmen.net)

**HAVE YOU SEEN THE DIVINE MERCY JESUS BILLBOARD?** It's currently located at Silver Lake Rd. and Frank Phillips Blvd. Be sure to look for it. The billboard is an outreach of our Divine Mercy prayer group, who meet at 10am on Wednesdays in the chapel at St. John. They would be happy for you to join them in praying the Rosary and the Divine Mercy chapel.

### Celebration Ministries

#### January 8, 2021

**Greeters**  
Frank & Florene Sotosek  
**Gift Bearers**  
Ardene Dickerson  
Elaine Lovec  
**Lector/Intersessions**  
Alice Ellis  
**Extraordinary Ministers**  
Rita Leland  
**Servers**  
Nguyen  
**Cross Bearer**  
Marion Hammerschmidt  
**Senior Usher**  
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**Usher**  
David Benne

#### January 9, 2021

**Greeters**  
Adam Shelley Family  
**Gift Bearers**  
Marcos & Tonita Moran  
**Lector/Intersessions**  
Nita Swan  
**Extraordinary Ministers**  
Patricia Mason  
**Servers**  
Stephen Lauritsen  
Maddie Shelley  
**Cross Bearer**  
Ben Lauritsen  
**Senior Usher**  
Joe Bares  
**Usher**  
Guy Lenora

### We Pray For

Michael Bellamy, Martha Clark,  
Herbert Erfurd, Jody Hart,  
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

### CATHOLIC WOMEN

In the New Year! Nurturing friendships, fellowship, and, a little bit of fun!  
**THIS** Thursday, January 6, Noon, Conference Room 2 with social starting at 11:30am. See you there and God bless!

**CRE** for grades K-8th is held each **Wednesday 6:00-7:15pm** at St. James Church!! We will **resume** January 5. Contact Carey Auschwitz, [crebartlesville@gmail.com](mailto:crebartlesville@gmail.com).

### HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

**Youth starts back on January 5th.** It will be "Ask Fr. John"  
Contact: Cassie Rebeor  
[bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com](mailto:bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com)

### CONFIRMATION CLASS

**NO** class January 2. Class resumes **January 9** Session 11-Reflection 1 & 2 (p.76-85 in books) **SPONSOR AND SAINT DUE** There will not be class on January 16, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, or January 23, day of March for Life. Please contact Cassie Rebeor at [bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com](mailto:bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com).

### HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NEWS

**MARCH FOR LIFE** in Washington, DC for 9th grade and up January 18-23rd, 2022. For more information contact Cassie for more information or please check out [dioceseoftulsayouth.org/national-march-for-life](http://dioceseoftulsayouth.org/national-march-for-life).

### ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS

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

**HAVE A ROARING GOOD TIME** with the St. John Catholic **ANNUAL GALA**. It will be held in the St. John School Gym on **Sunday, February 5, 6pm**. Dress either in Roaring 1920's "dress" attire, or "business casual". There will be a raffle, casino blackjack, music, dancing, hors d'oeuvres, desserts, cash bar, and more! Tickets are \$75 per person, please go to: [www.sjcs-ok.org/annual-gala](http://www.sjcs-ok.org/annual-gala). There will also be a school online auction again this year. If you need more information, please email [auction@sjcs-ok.org](mailto:auction@sjcs-ok.org), or, call the school: 918-336-0603.

### SPIRITUAL READING BOOK CLUB

#### St. James & St. John Parishes

The Spiritual Reading Book Club will meet Tuesday, January 11th at 2:00pm in Conference Room 2 at St. John. We will discuss Chapters 7-9 of James Martin's Learning to Pray. You are welcome to join us!

**AFGHAN REFUGEE UPDATE:** As the primary refugee resettlement agency in Oklahoma, Catholic Charities has been asked by the US State Department to receive approximately 1,800 Afghan refugees, 800 of whom are settling in Tulsa and the surrounding area. An operation this large cannot be done alone! We are pleased to be partnering with countless community and faith organizations, businesses, foundations, and members of state and local government. If you are interested in donating in some way, head to our website at [ccek.org/refugees](http://ccek.org/refugees).

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF EASTERN OKLAHOMA COOKING UP COMPASSION 2022

We are so excited to host our 16th annual Cooking Up Compassion fundraising gala on Saturday, February 26! Featuring the return of The Party Crashers band in new Grand Ballroom at the Cox Business Convention Center, you won't want to miss it! Patron tables and tickets are available at <https://ccek.org/cuc>.

### RCIA Session #16 - Sacrament of Initiation-Baptism

#### Presenter: Fr. Carlos

**Join us!** Tuesday, January 4th at 7pm in **Fr. Lynch Hall**

Contact Kim Barbour, RCIA coordinator at [rcia@st-johnbartlesville.org](mailto:rcia@st-johnbartlesville.org) or 952-270-4665

### CONCERN NEEDS

For **January** we are collecting the following items for the pantry: Pancake mix (add water), flour, Ramen noodles, canned tomatoes (any kind).

**THE JOURNEY HOME**, a local hospice, relies on dedicated volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Hannah at [hannah@thejourneyhomeok.org](mailto:hannah@thejourneyhomeok.org) or come by and pick up our volunteer application. We are located at 900 NE Washington Blvd.

### TOGETHER IN HOLINESS MARRIAGE CONFERENCE

**Saturday, February 5, 2022, Holy Family Cathedral, Tulsa.** Presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Tulsa and Eastern Oklahoma Office of Marriage and Family Life. **All married and engaged couples are invited.** Registration: \$64/ couple and \$40/individual. **Scholarships available upon request. On-site childcare (2-12yrs): pre-registration required.** For more information, please visit [togetherinholiness.org](http://togetherinholiness.org) or email [mylinh@forlifeandfamily.org](mailto:mylinh@forlifeandfamily.org).

### PRO-LIFE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Sign up to pray one Life Hour per month, ongoing, in the Garden of Hope, across the street from the abortion clinic, for the mothers to choose life. Planned Parenthood has documented that when people are praying in front of the abortion facility, cancellations increase! Become a Sidewalk Advocate and reach out with compassion to the women entering the abortion clinic and offer them a free ultrasound and other help from the Go Life office across the street. Free training is held in the Go Life office. Advocates are always scheduled with a partner. Many unborn babies in Tulsa have been saved and mothers' hearts changed! We need your help to cover all the hours the abortion clinic is open. For more information or to sign up, email [sarah@golifemobilemedical.com](mailto:sarah@golifemobilemedical.com) or call the Go Life office, 918-518-0648.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST, NEXT** Sunday, January 9, 9am-Noon, Fr. Lynch Hall.

**TO BENEFIT OUR BOY SCOUTS!** We suggest a donation of \$10 per person, however, if you can't give that much, please come anyway, we are grateful for what you can give. If you can give more, thank you!