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I'M NEW TO THE PARISH.

Welcome to the Church of Saint Mary. If you are ready to register, go to churchofsaintmary.com. Father Stuart hosts a lunch for new parishioners at his rectory. The lunches are twice per year.



I have not come
to call the
righteous,
*but sinners to
repentance.*
Luke 5:32

SUNDAY COLLECTION

Collection Totals \$41,370.60
Last Sunday \$37,551.88



You can give electronically to the Church of Saint Mary by scanning the QR code and picking the fund to which you wish to contribute.

You may also go to churchofsaintmary.com/giving to select where you wish to direct your gift.

If it is your first time, you will receive instructions on how to register.

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, 9 MARCH 2025

8:00 am Priest's Intention
10:30 am Priest's Intention
5:00 pm Priest's Intention

MONDAY, 10 MARCH 2025

6:30 am Brainerd family

TUESDAY, 11 MARCH 2025

6:30 am † Marjorie Andrews
9:00 am † Betty Maney

WEDNESDAY, 12 MARCH 2025

6:30 am
9:00 am Tennant, Gathright & Currie families

THURSDAY, 13 MARCH 2025

6:30 am St. John Adoration Community
9:00 am Darrel Henthorn, Jr.

FRIDAY, 14 MARCH 2025

6:30 am Lou & Mary Kay Latham
9:00 am † Jacob Jamison

SATURDAY, 15 MARCH 2025

8:00 am † Elmira Oliphant
5:00 pm Priest's Intention

SUNDAY, 16 MARCH 2025

8:00 am Priest's Intention
10:30 am Priest's Intention
5:00 pm Priest's Intention

If you wish for a priest to say Mass for a special intention or in memory of a loved one, contact Libby Bahlinger, parish secretary. Libby will add your intention to the calendar published at churchofsaintmary.com/calendar and this bulletin. There is a \$10 stipend associated with each Mass intention.



THIS SUNDAY BULLETIN

This bulletin is made possible by the parishioners and businesses who place ads on pages seven and eight. Please send requests for publication in the bulletin to lbahlinger@churchofsaintmary.com. Requests are due first thing on Monday morning.

SIN, SACRAMENT, SALVATION

CHURCH OF SAINT MARY SUNDAY SESSIONS

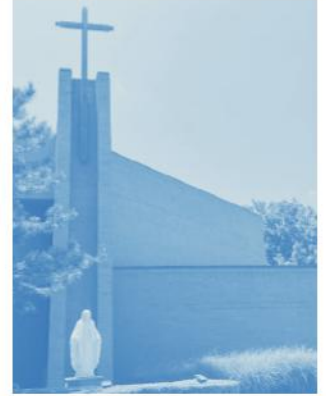
If you are seeking hope in this chaotic world, don't miss this Lenten reflection offered by Rev. Philip Cook, OSA. We journey from sin to salvation within a Eucharistic Church! Fr. Philip is an Augustinian priest with degrees in divinity, Latin, Greek, and a PHD in classics. He is the headmaster of Cascia Hall Preparatory School.

March 9

St. Joseph Parish Hall, West

9:15am - 10:15 am

Sunday Sessions are appropriate for anyone who is middle-school-aged or older. You are welcome! Childcare is available with a reservation. Email chsassink@churchofsaintmary.com



SAINT MARY TENNIS CLASSIC

APRIL 25, 2025

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

LA FORTUNE TENNIS CENTER



Saint Mary
Tennis Classic

Join us for the annual Tennis Classic, which benefits Saint Mary Home & School Association. This ladies tennis tournament features doubles competition, with 6.0, 7.0 and 8.0 combined divisions. Each team entry includes breakfast snacks, catered lunch, beverages and prizes.

Tournament sponsors will receive recognition in all media and advertising for the Tennis Classic, including promotional signage at the event. In addition, each sponsor will receive a complimentary team entry into the tournament.

For more information, contact Meredith O'Hare, meredithburns1500@gmail.com or Kendall Mordhorst, kendallclare@icloud.com.



YOUTH MINISTER

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Church of Saint Mary in Tulsa is seeking a full-time Coordinator of Youth Ministry. The main objective of this individual is to guide teens to encounter Jesus and to be formed in the Catholic faith.

As part of the youth ministry experience, the Coordinator will engage teens in central questions of faith and will empower them to live as disciples of Jesus, providing a community where teens can be celebrated, challenged, and known.

For more information, contact Jennifer Wood at the Church of Saint Mary: jwood@churchofsaintmary.com, 918-749-1423.

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LENTEN FISH FRY

FRIDAY, MARCH 14 AT 6:00 PM

The Knights of Columbus host a fish fry before Stations of the Cross in the Parish Hall for a donation. The menu is fish fillet (baked and fried), french fries, macaroni, hush puppies, cole-slaw, rolls and shrimp.



RELIC OF BL. MICHAEL MCGIVNEY VISITS

MARCH 9 3:30-7 PM

A first-class relic of Blessed Michael McGivney—founder of the Knights of Columbus—will be spending three days in Oklahoma. On Sunday afternoon the relic will be on display here with time for veneration until 7:00. Parishioners are encouraged to attend to venerate



the relic, pray for a miracle to advance his canonization and pray with Bl. McGivney's intercession.

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MOTHERS OF YOUNG CHILDREN

MARCH 11 AT 9:45AM

CHURCH OF SAINT MARY, MARIA GORETTI YOUTH SPACE



MOYC meets the second Tuesday of each month at 9:45 am for fellowship, faith, and friendship. Each month we will have an activity or a speaker relevant to mothers raising Catholic families. We welcome all moms in our community to join us as we share family values and child-rearing experiences. Childcare is available for ages 6 and under. Email CHassink@churchofsaintmary.com to make a reservation.

FASTING & ABSTINENCE

DURING LENT

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence. Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence for people ages 14 and older.

For members of the Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal and two smaller meals that together do not equal a full meal.



TULSA CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2025

7:45 am - 5:00 pm

Open for Early Bird Registration from March 1-31
Visit tulsacatholicwomen.com and learn more about our special Friday night component. It will be at the Renaissance Hotel in Tulsa.



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**SUNDAY, 9 MARCH 2025**

- 9:00 am–10:00 am Early Morning Coffee & Donuts
 9:15 am–10:15 am Sunday Sessions - Sin, Sacrament, Salvation
 11:30 am–12:30 pm Coffee & Donuts
 6:00 pm–7:30 pm No Greater Love Bible Study

TUESDAY, 11 MARCH 2025

- 9:30 am–10:00 am Encore Cafe
 9:30 am–11:00 am Marian Movement of Priests
 9:45 am–10:45 am Mothers of Young Children
 10:00 am–11:00 am Encore Yoga
 5:00 pm–9:00 pm Men's ACTS Team formation

WEDNESDAY, 12 MARCH 2025

- 10:00 am–11:30 am Saint Mary Caregivers Support - **cancelled**
 1:00 pm–2:30 pm Saint Mary Grief Support Group - **cancelled**
 12:00 pm–1:00 pm Mysteries of the Rosary
 7:00 pm–8:15 pm Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, 13 MARCH 2025

- 6:30 am–8:00 am That Man Is You
 6:30 pm–8:00 pm Retreat in Daily Life
 6:30 pm–8:30 pm Emmaus - Becoming Catholic

FRIDAY, 14 MARCH 2025

- 10:00 am–11:00 am Encore Yoga
 6:00 pm–7:00 pm Lent Fish Fry
 7:00 pm–7:30 pm Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, 15 MARCH 2025

- 8:30 am–10:15 am Legion of Mary

SUNDAY, 16 MARCH 2025

- 9:00 am–10:00 am Early Morning Coffee & Donuts
 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm No Greater Love Bible Study

GET CHURCH LIFE APP

SEE EVERYTHING YOU NEED AT A GLANCE

- Parish directory
- Add members to your personal contacts
- View photos
- Map addresses
- Text cell phones
- View the church calendar
- Give online

HOME IMPROVEMENT MINISTRY

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025

8 AM - 12 PM

The next Home Improvement Ministry is scheduled for Saturday, April 12, 8 AM-12 PM.

The Home Improvement Ministry assists parishioners in need with minor home repairs and yard work.

Fill out an application form on the church website or pick up a form at the table in the vestibule.


UPCOMING EVENTS AROUND THE DIOCESE**LOVING IN LENT**

MARCH 5 - MARCH 21

A Lenten opportunity to serve those in our Catholic Charities of Eastern Oklahoma programs. All are invited to collect goods for our Easter Baskets! cceok.org/volunteer

MEN'S ACTS RETREAT

CAMP EGAN MARCH 27-30, 2025

All men are invited, no matter where you are on your faith journey.

For more information, listen to a personal testimony at Mass on March 8th/9th or

call Tim Lutz at (918)527-1081. Scan to register

**YOUNG ADULT NIGHT OF PRAYER**

MARCH 25, 2025

7 PM - 8:30 PM

All young adults ages 21-39 are invited to an evening of prayer, worship, and music in the chapel.

SUNDAY SESSION

MARCH 30 & APRIL 6

9:15-1015 AM

Fr. Stuart Crevcoure and Jackie Fusco will facilitate a two part Lenten series on Catholic Social Teaching. March 30- 'Subsidiarity' and April 6- 'Preferential Option for the Poor'. Both at 9:15a in St. Joseph West.

FAMILY LENTEN NIGHT

APRIL 5

5 PM 7 PM

Families are welcome to attend an evening of Lenten activities to help prepare their hearts and minds during this Lenten season. Dinner is provided. RSVP to Christine Hassink, chassink@churchofsaintmary.com by April 1.

JOIN US AT EMMAUS

Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith?

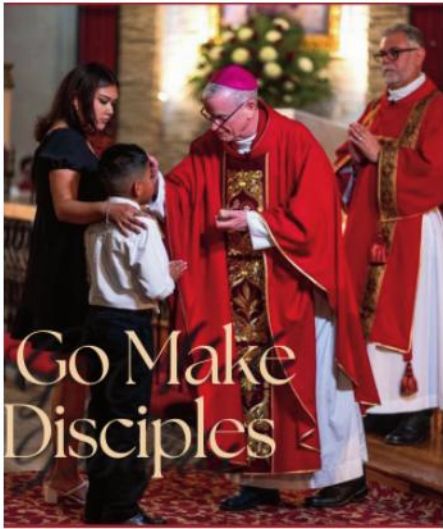
All parishioners are welcome at any of our teaching sessions.

3/13- The Ten Commandments and Precepts of the Catholic Church
 6:30 - 8:30 pm

St. Joseph Parish Hall West

Questions?

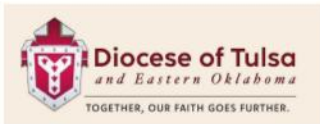
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FAITH & WORKS

2025 ANNUAL APPEAL

You can donate online at dioceseoftulsa.org/annualappeal, or speak to your parish office about a mail-in pledge card.



WOMEN'S MINISTRY 2025

BOOK CLUB

ST. KATHERINE DREXEL ROOM - 7PM

APRIL 1

The Color of Water - James McBride

MAY 6

A Year By the Sea - Joan Anderson

JUNE 3

Death Be Not Proud - John Gunther

JULY 1

Little Men - Louisa May Alcott

AUGUST 5

Fresh Water For Flowers - Valerie Perrin

SEPTEMBER 2

The Kite Runner - Khalid Hosseini

OCTOBER 7

All the Colors of the Dark - Chris Whitaker

NOVEMBER 11

From Here to the Great Unknown - Lisa Marie Presley & Riley Keough



PARISH NEWS

The Midwest Augustinians invite you to a Lenten retreat, Awakened by the Light, March 29-30 at Cascia Hall High School and Chapel. It will explore the spiritual journey from blindness to sight - reflecting on personal healing, conversion, and encountering Christ's transformative light. To register or learn more email maryellen@midwestaugustinians.org or visit www.midwestaugustinians.org

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

SAVE THE DATE

When: June 9th-13th

Ages: 4 years old - 5th grade

Includes: games, lessons, crafts, snacks & prayer
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For more information, contact Christine Hassink at chassink@churchofsaintmary.com



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RECONCILIATION

In addition to the times listed below, confessions are available by appointment. Confessionals are located next to the chapel.

Wednesday 11:00 am–1:00 pm
 Saturday 4:00 pm–4:45 pm
 Sunday 9:15 am–9:45 am

BAPTISM

Please make arrangements with the rectory at least four weeks in advance. If you are interested in an adult baptism, we'll be happy to meet with you, take you through the process and help you get started with the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA).

CONFIRMATION

A person who desires to become a Catholic is encouraged to be a part of a religious process which may begin each autumn and may culminate with the Sacraments of Initiation being celebrated at the Easter Vigil.

MARRIAGE

Please make arrangements with Fr. Crevcoure at least six months before the marriage is to be celebrated. All engaged couples participate in a preparation program following the diocesan and our parish's guidelines.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK


Celebrations may be celebrated upon request at any time. Call 918-749-1266

SICK CALLS

For visitation, please contact the rectory if a parishioner is in the hospital. The Eucharist is taken to those unable to attend Mass each week.

ADORATION

Tuesday & Thursday in Advent
 7:00 am–8:00 am
 Wednesday 5:00 pm–6:00 pm
 Fridays 9:00 am–6:00 pm



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