

RCIA This class is for non-Catholics or Catholics who want to know more about the teachings of the Church; it is a must for those wishing to come into the Church. Every Wednesday night at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Mike Romaka will be in charge of the classes. For more information call the Parish Office.

LADIES GUILD BAZAAR Craft Workshops continue each Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. until the bazaar on November 11th. Nice Items for the grab bags are still needed. **Raffle tickets** will be on sale before and after each Mass. Prizes are cash: \$1000, \$750 and \$500. Prizes will be drawn on November 12th at 1:00 pm.

Abuse of Minors Pastoral Hotline 405-720-9878 For the safety of children and healing of victims the Archdiocese provides this hotline. Calls are confidential with the following exception: Any allegation of sexual or physical abuse or neglect concerning those who currently are minors must be reported to the OK Dept of Human Services, and/or the proper civil authorities.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY. Anyone who is interested in preparing for the upcoming Sunday's Scripture readings is welcome to join us. We meet at 9:30 a.m. in the FLC Library. For questions call Celine at 536-6351

Small Group Sharing: Some parishioners have expressed interest in having small group sharing as we did during the RENEW. If you are interested please call Celine at 536-6351.

LECTOR WORKSHOP

Fr. Fuller will be conducting a workshop for all current lectors and those who would to be lectors on the following dates:

Thursday, October 12 at 7p.m.
Thursday October 19 at 7p.m.

You must attend one of these workshops if you wish to be a lector or continue serving the parish in this ministry. For questions, call Fr. Fuller, 536-6351.

Catholics Coming Home If you are inactive in the Church due to new changes, old rules, a marriage situation, hurt feelings or just drifted away, come join us for an informative meeting. We will meet in the Library Tuesday October 10, 2006 at 7:00 pm. For more information call the church at 536-6351 or Jim Coe 512-1745

St. Mary's Catholic School Seeking Alumni For 100th Year Celebration Are you alumni of St. Mary's Catholic School? Then you're invited to be a part of a grand celebration marking the school's 100th anniversary. We are seeking memorabilia from alumni and former faculty to incorporate in a special museum exhibit to display from November 4 through December 30th, 2006 at the Museum of the Great Plains. Be a part of this historic Centennial Celebration and submit your recollections by calling 355-5288. The exhibit opening coincides with the State of Oklahoma's Centennial Kick-Off and is just the beginning of St. Mary's year long celebration!

Scripture Study in the FLC Library, Sunday morning at 9:45-10:45a.m. Call Marjorie Farrell at 353-6009 or Buddy Rogers 353-3704.

Standing Meetings

(Unless otherwise noted)

Catholic Daughters: 3rd Thursday of each month at 9:30 a.m. (September through June)

Catholic Youth Organization Every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. (during school year) in the Family Life Center Library.

Charismatic Prayer Group Each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC Library.

Choir Practice each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the church (Fall through Spring).

Christian Meditation Group Wednesday morning at 8:00 a.m. in the FLC Library. For information call Celine at 536-6351.

Columbian Squires: (Young men 10-18) 1st Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m. in the P.H. Conference Room. Mike Romaka, 536-3960

Hispanic Choir Practice Friday 7-9pm in the FLC Conference Room

Hispanic Renew: Each Sunday 11-12pm in the FLC Library.

Knights of Columbus: 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall Conference Room. Officers meeting last Tuesday at 6:30.

Prime Timers: Please watch the bulletin for meeting times.

Ladies Guild: 2nd Tuesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. September through May, in the Parish Hall. Craft workshops every Tuesday March to November Bazaar.

Parish Council meets the last Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center Conference Room (except Dec. Jul. & Aug.). Watch the Bulletin for Changes.

Safe Environment Video Training 2nd and 4th Sunday's at 1:00 p.m. in Church Conference Room unless otherwise noted. Contact Vicki @ 536-6355

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 1st and 3rd Sundays, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the Family Life Center Conference Room.

Tops: (Take Off Pounds Sensibly): Each Friday at 8:30 a.m. in the Family Life Center Conference Room.

Ultrea: (Cursillo Reunion) 3rd Sunday of each month at 4:00 p.m. in Family Life Center Conference Room. drifted away, come join us for an informative meeting in the Library. Tues. Oct 10, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. For more info call 536-6351 or Jim Coe 512-1745

Prime Timers there will be a Healing Mass on Oct 13, at 11:00 a.m. followed by a luncheon. Please sign up after Mass in the Vestibule. For more info call Rutti Cramer 357-3968

CENTENNIAL MUSEUM EXHIBIT RECEPTION, NOV. 11

"St. Mary's Catholic School -100 Years of Academic Excellence & Teaching to Serve" is the name of the special exhibit to displayed at the Museum of the Great Plains from Nov. 4 through Dec. 30th, 2006. All are invited to a special reception to be held on Saturday, Nov. 11 at the Museum from 7 to 9 pm. Refreshments will be served. Join us of a wonderful evening honoring our alumni, staff and faculty of Southwest Oklahoma's oldest and brightest Catholic school! For more information, call St. Mary's Catholic School at 355-5288.

SVDP Food Pantry Through your gifts, you bring the message of God's love and mercy to the hungry and the poor. Please consider a gift to the pantry of jelly, instant mashed potatoes, canned tuna and meats, and canned fruit. Donations go in the blue SVDP box in the church entry. Thank You! May God Bless You!

OKTOBERFEST. Knights of Columbus Council 11909 will sponsor their annual Oktoberfest on Saturday, 28 October 2006 from 5:30 -9:00 pm in the FLC Gym. The meal will feature wiener schnitzel, German potato salad, sauerkraut, red cabbage, dessert and drinks. Wine will be available. **No** advance tickets will be sold; pay at the door. Adults are \$7 and kids 6-12 yrs of age are \$5. Kids under 6 eat free.

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

USHER HELP NEEDED!!! We desperately need usher help at all masses. The way things are going, the ushers at the 11AM Masses will be doing these duties every other week unless more of you volunteer. Help, please. Call George Snyder at 357-2930 and leave a message. I will return your call.

USHERS: I will be making a new ushers duty roster out on 11 October for the period 28 October through 21 January 2007. This includes Christmas and New Years. If you would like to adjust your schedule or become an usher, please contact George Snyder at 357-2930 by 10 October.

ALTAR SERVER WORKSHOP

For all current altar servers and those who would like to be altar servers, Fr. Fuller will be having altar server workshops on the following dates:

Saturday, October 21, at 9 a.m. until noon
Saturday, October 28, at 9 a.m. until noon
Saturday, November 4, at 9 a.m. until noon

If you are currently an altar server or are 10 years of age or older and would like to be an altar server, you must attend at least two of the workshops. For questions, call Fr. Fuller, 536-6351.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF THE EUCHARIST WORKSHOP

For all current extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist and those who would like to be considered for this ministry, Fr. Fuller will be having workshops on the following dates:

Thursday, November 9th at 7pm.
Thursday, November 16th at 7pm.

You must attend one of these workshops if you wish to be a lector or continue serving the parish in this ministry. For questions, call Fr. Fuller, 536-6351

Wherever He Goes, Thousands Come Believing To Receive A Miracle. Fr. Ralph DiOrio is a Priest of Worcester, Mass, and is with the Apostolate of Divine Mercy and Healing. He has been in the healing ministry since 1976, which has taken him from the USA to countries all over the world. The Eucharistic Healing Service will be held at the Cox Convention Center, OK City on Oct 15, 2006, from 1:00-5:00 pm. Archbishop Eusebius J. Beltran will be the Principal celebrant at the Mass. No cost to attend. A free will offering will be taken at the Healing/service. This is sponsored by the Fr. DiOrio committee for more info call Carolyn 405-793-7664 or Katie 405-799-6320.

KOC Memory Bricks there are 13 Memorial Bricks left to honor our loved ones. For more info call Sal 355-7661

YOUTH GROUP will be having a Pizza Party every Wed. at 5:30. Every Sat. before or after Mass, there will be an assortment of activities such as movies, putt, putt and other cool stuff. For more information see Jay or call 512-5377 or 536-6351.

Fr. DiOrio's Healing Service Anyone interested in caravanning to the Cox Convention Center on Oct 15th. We will meet in the parking lot by the Family Life Center at 10:00 am. We will stop for a brief break at McDonalds.

Mass Schedule, Intentions and Readings

MONDAY Oct 9th St. Denis

Reading: Gal, 1:6-12, Luke, 10: 25-37

7:30 A.M. Communion Service

TUESDAY Oct 10th

Reading: Gal, 1:13-24, Luke, 10: 38-42

5:30 PM Mass + Maria Martinez
by Ladies Guild

WEDNESDAY Oct 11th

Reading: Gal, 2: 1-2, 7-14, Luke, 11: 1-4

9:00 AM Mass + Francisco Cachers
by Maura Cachers

THURSDAY Oct 12th

Reading: Gal, 3: 1-5, Luke, 11: 5-13

9:00 AM Mass + Annv. Anne & Arthur Tully
by Carol & David Martin

FRIDAY Oct 13th

Reading: Gal, 3: 7-14, Luke, 11: 15-26

9:00 AM Mass
11:00 AM Mass of Anointing + Bill Suits
by Marie Suits

SATURDAY Oct 14th St. Callistus I

Reading: Gal, 3: 22-29, Luke, 11: 27-28

5:30 PM Mass + M J Heptig
by Bob Heptig & Family

SUNDAY Oct 15th

Reading: Wis, 7: 7-11, Heb, 4: 12-13, Mark, 10: 17-30

8:30 AM Mass John & Anna Therrault
by Anonymous
11:00 AM Mass People of the Parish
1:00 P.M. Spanish Mass

STEWARDSHIP

Is what I do after I say "I believe"....

Amount needed each week	\$13,614.04
Collection for Sep 23/24	\$16,114.22
Special Collections to Support Outside Organizations	
Birth Choice & St. John's Kitchen	\$75.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 1,070.00
Archdiocesan Special Collections	\$10.00
Remaining for Parish Operations	\$14,959.22
Building Debt after September Payment	\$331,351.36

CARTRIDGE RECYCLING CENTER

Help! We've got a new and easy fundraiser! Bring your empty ink cartridges to Mass with you and deposit them in the specially marked box in the entry. We can earn up to \$4.00 per cartridge. When the box gets full we send it in, and they send us a check. Finally, we can do something worthwhile with all those cartridges. Collect them from your friends and neighbors.

The money will go to help pay off our building debt.