

February 25, 2018

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

A Catholic community of Faith who celebrates, welcomes, and serves together

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



O God, who have commanded us to listen to your beloved Son, be pleased, we pray, to nourish us inwardly by your word, that, with spiritual sight made pure, we may rejoice to behold your glory. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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Office Hours

Monday - Friday
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Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM
Sunday 10:30 AM

Weekday Morning Mass

Monday
Communion Service 8:00 AM

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8:00 AM in the Chapel

School Mass—

All are welcome to attend
Wednesday 8:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 PM
or by appointment

Fridays during Lent

6:00 p.m. Mass

6:30 p.m. Lenten Meal/Soup Supper

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 23

6:00 p.m. Mass

6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross

7:00 p.m. Fish Fry sponsored by Knights

Parish Penance Rite – March 21

Mass of Anointing of the Sick-March 23

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Kelly Rother, Grand Knight

Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus

Father Stanley Rother Assembly

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School Advisory Council

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Parish Council

Patrick Brueggen, Chairman
Mike Kretchmar, Vice Chairman

Marian Rother—Secretary

Lance Schneider— School Rep.

Joe Wittrock, Karri Parson

Michael Baustert, Karla Eischen

Janelle Grellner, Art Meyer

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He who did not spare his own Son but handed him over for us all, how will he not also give us everything else along with him? Rom 8:31B-34



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	February 24	5:00 p.m.
	+ <i>Stan Annuschat</i>	
Sunday	February 25	10:30 a.m.
	<i>In thanksgiving</i>	
	<i>Antoinette Lodes—99th BD</i>	
Monday	February 26	8:00 a.m.
	<i>Communion Service</i>	
Tuesday	February 27	8:00 a.m.
	+ <i>Val Rund</i>	
Wednesday	February 28	8:30 a.m.
	+ <i>Alice Grellner</i>	
Thursday	March 1	8:00 a.m.
	+ <i>Matthew Brueggen</i>	
Friday	March 2	6:00 p.m.
	<i>Intentions of Holy Trinity staff</i>	
Saturday	March 3	5:00 p.m.
	+ <i>Louis Rother</i>	
Sunday	March 4	10:30 a.m.
	<i>People of the Parish</i>	

Daily Mass Server— Daniel Regan

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Catholic Day with the OKC Dodgers 2018

Catholic Day with the OKC Dodgers is April 29 at 2:05 p.m. Tickets \$14. Purchase directly from the Dodgers. Contact Eric Naegel at (405) 218-2163 or eric.naegel@okcdodgers.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK



Wendy Gray Olmstead, Lynn Sturgeon, Janey Kretchmar, Joli Schroeder, Lucille Howard, Elaine Lakey, Bill Patterson, Ken Reding, Aggie Daniel, Jaqueline Irion, Terry Reese, Ray Spomer, Chelce Garms, Sandy Raupe, Bill Rund, Jan Wilkens, Janice Ort, Deniece Schwarz, Mabel Meyer, Paul Hoebing, Joe Hulburt, Kate Schmidt, Kent Walker, David Maehs, Steve Knecht, Lynda Dyer, Tim & Angela Steiferman, Dawn Schroder, Jason Hale, Evan Whit, Hunter Wittrock, Connor Green, Kay Anderson, John Vogt, Kenney Ludwig, Jim Alig, Steve Brennan, Charles Brandley, Lori Johnson, Antoinette Lodes, Reagan Blackwood, Cassidy Williams, Loretta Forkey, Bernita Wolf, & Susie Endres. *To add or delete names to the prayer list, call Theresa (263-7324). She is required to contact the person's family to insure their privacy if they do not wish their name to be published.*

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, February 25

9:00 a.m. K—6 Religious Education (PC)

Wednesday, February 28

8:30 a.m. School Mass—grade 7

6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class & Youth Group (PC)

Friday, March 2

8:30 a.m. First Friday Adoration until 2:15 p.m.

2:15 p.m. Benediction

2:30 p.m. School Stations of the Cross

6:00 p.m. Mass (*NO 8:00 a.m. Mass*)

6:30 p.m. Lenten Meal—Soup Supper (PH)

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Sunday, March 4

NO K—6 Religious Education Classes

Holy Trinity Gift Shop

Religious items for First Holy Communion:

Holy Trinity Gift Shop will be selling Religious items for First Holy Communion. You can also let Bonnye and Keri know what you are looking and we will be happy to get them for you. Shop at Holy Trinity Gift Shop and promote our parish gift store. Thank You.

Commemorative Coins of Bl. Stanley Rother

These coins are still available but going quickly. We also have a photo album of the Beatification for sale.

Hours: Monday—Wednesday 10:30am-11:30a.m. Saturday & Sunday after Mass.

Lenten Friday Evening Mass, Soup Supper and

Stations of the Cross.

Prayer is one of the three pillars of Lenten practice. Through prayer, we raise our hearts and minds to God in thanksgiving and praise. During Lent, we place special emphasis on prayer and contemplation of the Passion and Death of our Lord through expressions of popular piety such as the Stations of the Cross and veneration of the Crucified Christ. In order to encourage more people to participate in the Lenten Fridays, we will have the Friday Masses—only during Lent—at 6:00 p.m. in the Church, and immediately after the Mass we will have a soup supper served in the Parish Hall by parish organizations, followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. I am sure that this will allow many people to participate in all the events. Please make use of this opportunity to fulfill your inner desire to participate in the sufferings of Christ on Fridays.

ROSARY PRAY-ERS NEEDED

Please call the office if you can help lead the rosary before Sat. Mass.



HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Wed., Feb. 28—School Mass—Grade 7
Fri., Mar. 2 —Stations of the Cross at 2:30 p.m.

Holy Trinity School Endowment Tickets

Thank you for your support of our school endowment fund. Tickets can be purchased from an Endowment Committee member or at the school office. Congratulations to the following winner: Feb. 16th for \$100, *Alex Bernal*

Box Tops for Education: HT School is still collecting Box Tops from selected products. The school receives 10 cents for each one collected. Please leave them in the back of church & they will be collected. Thank you for your generous support!

Have you seen our new Website? Since the launch of our parish website in the last part of November, the number of viewers has increased. Last December we had 938 people view the website and in January we had 901 people. You can find information about the Parish, Religious Education, Youth, School, Blessed Stanley Rother, and all the different ministries of the Parish. I am grateful to the staff members who assist in keeping our website continuously updated and to those who assist us with technical issues. I am also grateful to the fourteen local businesses who are sponsoring our website. Because of their generosity, we are able to keep the website going **at no cost to the parish**. Please consider patronizing them. Finally, please let us know what you think of our website as we want to tailor it to the needs of the parish. We hope you will find the website helpful.

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IN THE FATHER'S
FOOTSTEPS
Catholic Men's Conference

Catholic Men's Conference: The 22nd Annual Catholic Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 3, 2018 at Embassy Suites Convention Center in Norman. Registration forms are available at the back of the Church and you are most welcome to take one at the end of the Mass. You can also register online at catholicmen.net. Please consider attending this conference with other men of faith. You will discover more about Blessed Stanley Rother and our Mission to be *Called to be Saints*.

**Oklahoma Catholic
Women's Conference,
March 10**
at new Edmond
Conference Center.
ocwconference.com



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sun., Feb. 25— **K-6 Religious Education Classes**
From 9:00 a.m.—10:15 a.m. in the Parish Center

Wed., Feb. 28—**Confirmation** 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.
Youth Group 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Steubenville Youth Conference Lone Star

June 22-24 in Dallas, TX One of the leading Catholic speakers in the Church today, Fr. Mike Schmitz, will be a presenter. Please see his videos online at *Ascension Presents*. Let Keri Rother or Bonnye Mueggenborg know if you are wanting to attend. Grades 8-12 are eligible to sign up. There will be a \$50 charge to reserve you spot.

Link: <https://steubenvilleconferences.com/youth/sls/>

Catholic Heart Workcamp (CHWC)

July 8-14 in Kansas City, KS. Young people need to sign up as soon as possible by contacting Sharon Robinson srobinson@fitforherokc.com or 401-1116 or Mary Nell mary.n.brueggen@gmail.com or 820-9535.

Holy Trinity Youth Group

will be selling Guatemalan coffee from the Friends of San Lucas Mission **on the weekends of February 24/25 and March 3/4**. It will help raise money for our youth mission trip and Steubenville conference this summer. It also supports the mission in Guatemala which employs 104 people. Juan Ana Coffee is grown, processed, roasted, and packaged in San Lucas, Guatemala. It is grown under a full shade canopy at the ideal altitude of 5,200-6,000 feet in rich volcanic ash soil. In other words, *it's the best coffee on the planet!* Combine the great taste with the great cause, and it's almost too good to be true! **Please stop by the Parish Hall on those weekends** to try the taste of the Coffee and for some donuts. It is **\$15.00 a pound**.

Please see Bonnye or Keri for more information.



New Member on the Finance Board: Sharon Robinson, longtime member of our parish, is now on the Finance Board. She will assist our parish with the current Annual Catholic Appeal and also the upcoming "One Church Many Disciples" Capital Campaign of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City. She will be the Parish Appeal Chair and assist us in collaborating with the parish community to help us reach the Parish Goals. Welcome on board Sharon!

COLLECTION AMOUNTS

Feb. 18 collection—*not available at time of printing*