



Saint Joseph Catholic Church Bulletin

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Third Sunday of Easter • May 4, 2025 / C

Christ is risen, creator of all; he has shown pity on all people.



Fr. Jaroslaw “Jarek” Topolewski, Pastor
Dennis Fine, Deacon
Julie Welch, Office Administrator
& R.E. Director
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Janell Clausen, Bookkeeper
Becca Howe, Youth Group (TEEN 3:16)

The readings for the 3rd Sunday of Easter Year C offer important lessons about obedience to God, worship, and love. They remind us of the joy and responsibility that come with following Jesus. These reflections help us understand and apply these lessons in our lives.

Saturday, May 3

5:00 p.m. **Mass** *Inmates for the Joseph Harp Correctional Center by Fred & Collean Frederickson*

Sunday, May 4 - 3rd Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. **Mass**

NO YOUTH GROUP THIS DAY

Monday, May 5

Tuesday, May 6

Noon **Mass** *+Marcia Melton by John & Denise Hoover*

Wednesday, May 7

Noon **Mass** *+George Welch by Clint & Julie Welch*

Thursday, May 8

9:00 a.m. **Mass** *+Marcos Mariano by St Joseph Parish*

Friday, May 9

Saturday, May 10

9:00 a.m. **Interment** of Marcos Mariano

5:00 p.m. **Mass** *+Don Taylor by Jerry & Roxanne Taylor*
After Mass, **Mother’s Day Flowers** for sale.

Sunday, May 11 – 4th Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. **Mass**

5:00 pm. **TEEN 3:16 YOUTH GROUP**

PRAYER CHAIN

You are invited to share your prayer needs with others in our parish. Contact Dana Belcher, by phone or text **580-421-1921** or email dbelcher@ecok.edu.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH WEEKLY DONATIONS

Use the My Offering envelope for your donations. If you are interested in transitioning to online giving, you may access online giving by visiting www.faithdirect.net to enroll. Our church code is **OK893**. Contact the Parish Office if you need assistance setting up an online giving account. You may also mail your donation with a check to our P.O. Box 1585, Ada, OK 74821.

Special Collections in MAY 2025

10/11 St. Vincent de Paul

17/18 Catholic Communications Campaign

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions / \$10 stipend fee. Contact Julie.

BULLETIN NEWS

News items for the bulletin should be turned in by **Friday before midnight**. Contact Julie at the Parish Office or email news item to

music.stjoseph.ada@gmail.com

The Bulletin is emailed to parishioners via Flocknotes and also is available on our website: stjosephada.com

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

This is a charitable organization serving the Ada area. It is NOT LOCATED in the Church Office. If you are in need of assistance, call **580-967-1281** and leave a message. If you wish to join our organization, we meet the second and fourth **Tuesday** each month, **5:30 p.m.**, in the John Bloms room.

Maria Osornio & Caleb Riley would like to thank the ladies who attended the wedding shower on April 24 and for all the gifts they received.

LITURGICAL ROLES SCHEDULE

LECTORS

May 3: Pam Catalano
May 4: Benito Celaya, Jessica Trimmer
May 10: Lolly Cole
May 11: Maria Martinez, Clint Welch
May 17: Theisa Cabo
May 18: Maria Reyes, Sarah Catalano



USHERS

May 3: Nick, Pam
May 4: Edy, Fernando
May 10: Cindy, Nick
May 11: Edy, Lance
May 17: Pam, Cindy
May 18: Edy, Johnathan



ALTAR SERVERS

May 3: Michael, Lyla, Osiel
May 4: Jesus, Marion, Marisol
May 10: Vivienne, Ally, Abby
May 11: Ana, Jaylen, Lizeth
May 17: Salomon, Isaac, Luis
May 18: Lucia, Emily, Marcos



TEEN 3:16

No Youth Group until
May 11, 2025

Then we will Lazer Tag!

QUESTIONS: BECCA 580-399-4042

FLOWERS FOR MOTHER'S DAY

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY HAS ALL YOUR FLOWER NEEDS FOR THAT SPECIAL MOTHER.

- * FRESH FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS
- * POTTED PLANTS/ARRANGEMENTS
- * HERBS, SWEET PEA BOUQUETS



HONOR YOUR MOTHER WITH BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS WHILE HELPING YOUR NEIGHBORS AT THE SAME TIME. WE ARE HOSTING THIS FUNDRAISER IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MASS ON SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2025 IN THE YOUTH BUILDING.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

ALL PRICE RANGES.
NO IMPORTED FLOWERS.

St. Joseph Parish Scholarship

Applications for the St. Joseph Parish Scholarship are now available for students planning to attend **East Central University as Freshmen**. The scholarship will be awarded to students who are members of St. Joseph, Ada, St. Francis, Sulphur or Sacred Heart, Konawa and are certified as regular participants in the Parish Religious Education Program. This scholarship was established by members of St. Joseph Parish. The scholarship will be for \$625 for each semester over four years. The application will be due on July 1. Application forms may be obtained from the parish office or Deacon Dennis Fine (definedennis@gmail.com).

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Each year the Knights of Columbus in Ada offers one-time \$250 scholarships to high school seniors planning to attend any school/university next Fall. Contact Deacon Dennis (definedennis@gmail.com or 580-279-4700) or Grand Knight Nick Cheper (580-399-0578) to receive an application.



Beca de la Parroquia de San José

Las solicitudes para la Beca de la Parroquia de San José ya están disponibles para los estudiantes que planean asistir a la **Universidad East Central como estudiantes de primer año**. La beca se otorgará a los estudiantes que sean miembros de San José, Ada, San Francisco, Sulphur o Sagrado Corazón, Konawa y que estén certificados como participantes regulares en el Programa de Educación Religiosa Parroquial. Esta beca fue establecida por miembros de la Parroquia de San José. La beca será de \$625 por cada semestre durante cuatro años. La solicitud debe presentarse el 1 de julio. Los formularios de solicitud pueden obtenerse en la oficina parroquial o con el diácono Dennis Fine (definedennis@gmail.com).

Beca de los Caballeros de Colón

Cada año, los Caballeros de Colón en Ada ofrecen becas únicas de \$250 a estudiantes de último año de secundaria que planean asistir a cualquier escuela/universidad el próximo otoño. Comuníquese con el diácono Dennis (definedennis@gmail.com o al 580-279-4700) o con el Gran Caballero Nick Cheper (580-399-0578) para recibir una solicitud.

Marcos Pinquinto Mariano (1941-2025)

Marcos Pioquinto Mariano Sr, 83, of Ada, passed away peacefully in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma surrounded by his loving family. He was born on November 22, 1941 in Malindong Binmaley, Pangasinan to his parents Geronimo Mariano and Felicidad Pioquinto. Marcos married the love of his life Susana Avenido on September 28, 1970, and they shared fifty-four wonderful years together, as well as one son, of whom they joyfully raised together. Marcos was a dedicated accountant at Solo Cup for over thirty-six years, and in his free time he enjoyed fishing, singing and spending time at the casino every now and then. Marcos was a devoted and loving husband to his wife Susana, father to his son Marcos Jr. and grandfather to his granddaughters Kerstin and Kadence. Marcos will be dearly missed by all of those who were blessed to have met him.



Marcos is preceded in death by his parents, Geronimo and Felicidad, and his sister Carmen Mariano.

Marcos is survived by his wife of fifty-four years, Susana Mariano, his son Marcos Mariano Jr. and daughter in law Kim Mariano, and his granddaughters Kerstin Mariano and Kadence Mariano.

Pallbearers are as follows: Raymond Camata, David Torres, Arnel Camata, Arvin Camata, Mike Caras, and Carmelo Camata.

A Funeral Mass was held at St. Joseph Catholic Church on Saturday, May 3, 2025 at 10:00 AM. The Mass was celebrated by Very Rev. Khiet Nguyen, JCL and Deacon Dennis Fine.

A 4:30 PM rosary service followed by visitation were held at Phillips Funeral Home.

Due to the weather, the interment at Memorial Park Cemetery has been rescheduled for Saturday, May 10, 2025 at 9:00 AM.



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Pilgrimage**



ARCHDIOCESE OF
Oklahoma City

Saturday, May 31

Saint Gregory's Abbey - Shawnee

2 - 3:30 p.m. Hand-off Ceremony **(from the Diocese of Tulsa to the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City)**
Eucharistic procession on the abbey grounds
and Eucharistic adoration in the abbey church

Saint Joseph - Norman

7 - 8 p.m. Eucharistic Holy Hour

Sunday, June 1

Christ the King to Saint Eugene - OKC

2 - 4 p.m. Eucharistic procession from Christ the King Catholic Church to Saint Eugene Catholic Church

The Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help - OKC

7 - 8:30 p.m. SUMMIT - Adoration, Confessions and Music

Tuesday, June 3

Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine - OKC

10 - 11:30 a.m. Eucharistic procession on shrine grounds
12:15 p.m. Daily Mass in the shrine church