



Saint Joseph Catholic Church Bulletin

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A • February 1, 2026

Rejoice and be glad; your reward will be great in heaven.



The 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A shows us how God sees things differently than we do. In each reading, we hear about people the world may overlook—those who are weak, poor, or humble. But God lifts them up. He sees their faith and their trust.

The Gospel reading gives us the Beatitudes. Jesus tells us who is truly blessed. It's not the rich or powerful. It's those who are gentle, those who show mercy, and those who suffer for doing what is right. These words are simple, but they show us how to live as followers of Christ.

Saturday, January 31

- 4:00 p.m. **Confessions** (with Fr. Boniface Copelin)
- 5:00 p.m. **Mass** *Mitchell Trimmer* by Clint & Julie Welch

Sunday, February 1 — 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 9:00 a.m. **Mass**
- 10:30 a.m. **Confirmation Class**
- 5:00 p.m. **Youth Group (TEEN 3:16)**

Monday, February 2 — The Presentation of the Lord

- 5:30 p.m. **Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible**
- 5:30 p.m. **Parish Council**

Tuesday, February 3 — St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop

- **Noon Mass**
- 6:30 p.m. **Knights of Columbus** dinner, followed by the meeting

Wednesday, February 4

- **Noon Mass**
- 7:00 p.m. **OCIA Class**

Thursday, February 5 — St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

- 9:00 a.m. *Kessler Frederickson* by Teresa Anthony
- 7:00 p.m. **Holy Hour** in the chapel

Friday, February 6 — St. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs

- 9:00 a.m.-Noon **First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Saturday, February 7

- 2:00 p.m. **Quinceañera** for Lucia Lopez
- 5:00 p.m. **Mass** *Clint Welch* by Julie Welch

Sunday, February 8 — 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 9:00 a.m. **Mass**
- 10:30 a.m. **Confirmation Class**

Fr. Jaroslaw “Jarek” Topolewski, Pastor
Dennis Fine, Deacon

Julie Welch, Office Administrator
& R.E. Director

Rudy Lupinski, Music Director

Janell Clausen, Bookkeeper

Becca Howe, Youth Group (TEEN 3:16)

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 eculibrarian@gmail.com.

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

- JAN 31/FEB 1 Building/Maintenance Fund
- FEB 7/8 St. Vincent de Paul
- FEB 14/15 Catholic Appeal

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(s) 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.

LOOK AHEAD

For the upcoming weekend Masses, you can become familiar with the readings and the music online. The links to the readings and music recordings are emailed to you via **Flocknotes**. The links are also available on our website: stjosephada.com.

LITURGICAL ROLES SCHEDULE

LECTORS

JAN 31: Randy Allford
 FEB 1: Maria Martinez, Jessica Trimmer
 FEB 7: Nick Cheper
 FEB 8: Maria Reyes, Clint Welch
 FEB 14: Nancy Cheper
 FEB 15: Raquel Sanchez, Theisa Cabo

USHERS

JAN 31: Nick, Pam
 FEB 1: Edy, Johnathan
 FEB 7: Cindy, Pam
 FEB 8: Edy, Modesto
 FEB 14: Nick, Cindy
 FEB 15: Edy, Richard

ALTAR SERVERS

JAN 31: Christian, Abby, Ally
 FEB 1: Andrea, Giovanni, Sawyer
 FEB 7: Salomon, Isaac, Lydia
 FEB 8: Max, Mairon, David
 FEB 14: Yvett, Roxana, Janney
 FEB 15: TBA



OKLAHOMA *Catholic*
 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

FEBRUARY 21, 2026
 at the Oklahoma City
 Convention Center

Join us for the 19th annual

Oklahoma Catholic Women's Conference!



Monsignor James Shea
 PRESIDENT OF THE
 UNIVERSITY OF MARY



Dr. Mary Healy
 PROFESSOR OF
 SCRIPTURE AT SACRED
 HEART MAJOR SEMINARY



Dr. Scott Hahn
 FOUNDER OF THE ST.
 PAUL CENTER FOR
 BIBLICAL THEOLOGY

Please visit okcatholicwomen.com to register.



PAINT NIGHT FUNDRAISER

TEEN 3:16

WHO: All Middle School & High School Kids

WHAT: Paint Night & Fundraiser Planning

WHEN: Sunday, February 1 • 5:00-7:00 p.m.

WHERE: Meet at the Youth Building

*We will eat and plan our fundraisers for this spring.
 If you are going to Steubenville, you have to attend all
 planning and fundraising events.*

*** QUESTIONS: Becca @580-399-4042 ***



In the Father's Footsteps Oklahoma Catholic Men's Conference

Begins at 8:45 a.m. March 14 at the Oklahoma City
 Convention Center, 100 Mick Cornett Dr.

Speakers include Fr. Larry Richards, Curtis Martin,
 Nathan Crankfield and Joe Heschmeyer.

Cost \$94; at the door \$105; college men \$49; high
 school students \$39. Visit catholicmen.net.

Please let Deacon Dennis know
 if you need a ride.

New Parish Council Formed

A new Parish Council has been appointed by
 Fr. Jarek Topolewski! They meet on the first
 Monday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in the Youth
 Building. Feel free to contact any of the
 members with questions or concerns. The
 council consists of the following parishioners:

Fr. Jarek Topolewski •

Deacon Dennis Fine

Dana Belcher, chair

eculibrarian@gmail.com, 580.421.1921

Mary Garber, vice-chair

Joe Catalano, secretary

Cindy Bowling • Wayne Cooksey

Rosa Cruz • Shane Johnson • John Kelso



**2025 contribution letters
 for tax purposes are
 available by contacting
 the office.**



The February meeting of the Knights of
 Columbus is Tuesday, February 3, with a meal
 at 6:30 followed by the meeting at seven.