



Saint Joseph Catholic Church Bulletin

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Second Sunday of Lent Year A • March 1, 2026

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my beloved Son, hear him.



The 2nd Sunday of Lent Year A shows us how God calls people to trust Him. In each reading, we see someone stepping forward with faith. Abram leaves his home. The disciples follow Jesus up the mountain. Paul tells Timothy to keep going even when life is hard.

These readings help us see that Lent is a time to listen and follow. God may lead us in ways we do not expect. We are not meant to stay in one place. Just like Abram and the disciples, we are called to move forward with hope.

Saturday, February 28

- 5:00 p.m. **Mass** *Hannah Boyd* by Jan Boyd

Sunday, March 1— 2nd Sunday of Lent

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

Monday, March 2

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

Tuesday, March 3 — St. Katherine Drexel, Virgin

- Noon **Mass** *Eggemeyer Family*
- 7:00 p.m. **K of C Meeting** with meal at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 4 — St. Casimir

- Noon **Mass**
- 6:00 p.m. **TOWN HALL MEETING**
- 7:00 p.m. **OCIA Class**

Thursday, March 5

- 9:00 a.m. **Mass**
- 7:00 p.m. **Holy Hour** in the chapel

Friday, March 6 — First Friday

- 9:00 a.m.-Noon **Adoration & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**, Chapel
- 6:00 p.m. **Stations of the Cross**
- 6:30 p.m. **K of C Lenten Meal**, in the Knights of Columbus Hall

Saturday, March 7

- 5:00 p.m. **Mass** *Katie Crabtree* by Becky Crabtree

Sunday, March 8 — 3rd Sunday of Lent

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



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 or use the QR code. Use this code for our local donations to St. Joseph Church, the Building/Maintenance Fund, and St. Vincent de Paul.



SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

- FEB 28/MAR 1 Building/Maintenance Fund
- MAR 7/8 St. Vincent de Paul Society
- MAR 14/15 Black & Indian and Catholic Homes Missions

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

FEB 28: Rikki Navarro

MAR 1: Maria Reyes, Jessica Trimmer

MAR 7: Roxanne Taylor

MAR 8: Raquel Sanchez, Clint Welch

MAR 14:

MAR 15:

USHERS

FEB 28: Cindy, Pam

MAR 1: Edy, Lance

MAR 7: Nick, Lolly

MAR 8: Edy, Lance

MAR 14: Mick, Cindy

MAR 15: Edy, Johnathan

ALTAR SERVERS

TBA

Parish Council

The Parish Council meets 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

TOWN HALL MEETING

Wednesday, March 4

6 p.m. in Benedictine Hall

We will have Town Hall meeting to present the Capital Campaign Fund Drive to get us back in our HOME! There will be a panel of members to provide a construction update, a financial update, an outline of the pledge drive, and time for questions and answers. We hope to see everyone there!

REUNIÓN DEL AYUNTAMIENTO

4 de Marzo

a las 6 p. m. en el Salón Benedictino

Tendremos una reunión en el Ayuntamiento para presentar la Campaña de Recolección de Fondos para que podamos regresar a nuestro HOGAR. Habrá un panel de miembros para brindar información actualizada sobre la construcción, información financiera, un resumen de la campaña de donaciones y tiempo para preguntas y respuestas. ¡Esperamos verlos a todos allí!



TEEN 3:16

Minute To Win It!!

WHO: All Middle School & High School Kids

WHAT: Food and Games

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

WHERE: Meet at the Youth Building

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



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

Las cartas de contribución del año 2025 para fines fiscales están disponibles comunicándose con la oficina.

The Knights of Columbus will have a Lenten Meal (meatless pasta) in the K. of C. Hall after Stations of the Cross on Friday.

Los Caballeros de Colón tendrán una comida de Cuaresma (pasta sin carne) en el Salón K. of C. después del Vía Crucis el viernes.



Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

This Sunday, there will be a Penitential Rite for our candidates: Brittany Williams, Fred Millard, Rhonda Curtis, Tyler Gay, Mashaela Walker, and Charles Mitchell.

FIRST FRIDAY

ADORATION AND EXPOSITION

OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

MARCH 6 • 9:00 A.M. UNTIL NOON

PRIMER VIERNES

ADORACIÓN Y EXPOSICIÓN

DEL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO

6 DE MARZO • DE 9:00 A. M. A 12:00



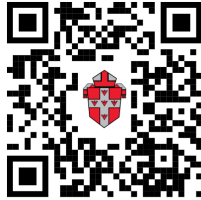
ARCHDIOCESE OF OKC SPECIAL COLLECTION IN MARCH

The **Black & Indian Collection** aids African American and Native American Catholics. The purpose of this collection is to support missionary work between Black and Indian Catholics.

The **Catholic Home Missions** is a grant-making agency within the United States of the Conference of Catholic Bishops. This collection strengthens missionary activities for the Church in the United States.

This Special Collection will be taken up on the weekend of March 14 & 15. For more information, visit blackandindianmission.org and usccb.org/committees/catholic-home-missions.

The following QR Code is for this Archdiocesan special collections:



Or the link

archokc.org/special

ST. JOSEPH ADA CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE
FINANCIAL UPDATE
PLEDGE DRIVE
Q&A

Let's Gather to learn how to get back into our home.

MAR | 4 | 6 PM

Benedictine Hall

Teen 3:16

Fundraiser for Steubenville

Raffle : 1/3 of a cow!

1/3 Side of Beef – 55 pounds

5 lbs. T-bone steak, 5 lbs. Ribeye & NY Strip, 5 lbs. Sirloin
5 lbs. Round Steak, 5 lbs. Chuck Steak, 5 lbs. Chuck Roast
5 lbs. Arm Roast, 5 lbs. Beef Ribs, 20 lbs. Ground Beef

\$10 a ticket!

Name: _____	Teen 3:16 Raffle
Phone# _____	1/3 Side of Beef : 55 pounds
Address: _____	5lbs:Tbone Steak, 5lbs:Ribeye&NYstrip, 5lbs:Sirloin 5lbs:Round Steak, 5lbs:Chuck Steak, 5lbs: Chuck Roast 5lbs:Arm Roast, 5lbs:Beef Ribs, 20lbs:Ground Beef
	\$10

New drawing date!!!

Drawing will be March 29, 2026 !!