

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church



HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
GRADUATING CLASS OF 2016

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OKARCHE, OKLAHOMA

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**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.  
A full schedule can be found  
inside the bulletin.

**RECONCILIATION**

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.—Or by appointment

**WANT TO LEARN MORE  
ABOUT OUR HOLY TRINITY PAR-  
ISH AND THE SCHOOL?**

Please visit our new Website at  
[www.holytrinityok.org](http://www.holytrinityok.org)

Let us know what you think.

***PENTECOST SUNDAY***

May 15, 2016

**ORGANIZATIONS**

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas**

Kimberly Annuschat, Regent  
Halli Ford, Vice-Regent

**Holy Trinity Altar Society**

Theresa Schulte, President

**Catholic Order of Foresters**

James Wittrock, Chief Ranger

**Knights of Columbus**

B. J. Waeger, Grand Knight

**Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus**

Father Stanley Rother Assembly

Gerald Knecht, Faithful Navigator

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**PARISH COUNCIL**

Joe Wittrock, Chairman

Stephen Jeffrey—Vice-Chair

Marian Rother—Secretary

Karla Eischen Cindy Shelley

Sue Keyser Michael Kretchmar

Joel Frisby Lance Schneiter Pat Brueggen

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**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

P.O. Box 485, Okarche, OK 73762

Tammy Jacobs, Principal—263-4422

Kathleen Vogt, Admin. Asst.—263-4422

**School Advisory Council**

Nikki Buck Roger Gann Brooke Brady  
Jana McDaniel Lance Schneiter

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 15, 2016

*"In one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.*

— 1 Corinthians 12:13a

### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	May 14	5:00 p.m.
	<i>People of the Parish</i>	
Sunday	May 15	10:30 a.m.
	<i>+Mary E. Schwarz</i>	
Monday	May 16	8:00 a.m.
	<i>Communion Service</i>	
Tuesday	May 17	8:00 a.m.
	<i>+Donald Ludwig</i>	
Wednesday	May 18	12:30 p.m.
	<i>+Alta Mueggenborg</i>	
Thursday	May 19	8:00 a.m.
	<i>+Leona Hau</i>	
Friday	May 20	8:00 a.m.
	<i>+Mike Alig</i>	
Saturday	May 21	5:00 p.m.
	<i>+Louis Rother</i>	
Sunday	May 22	10:30 a.m.
	<i>People of the Parish</i>	

*Daily Mass Server: Will Johnson*

### Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy and Our Response for the Month of May

Holy Trinity Catholic Church will embrace the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy by responding to the Corporal Works of Mercy. We will focus for the month of May on "Shelter the Homeless" by donating \$25 gift cards from Valero and Subway, and \$15 Gift Vouchers from Philips 66. Normally the church gives these gift cards to whomever approaches the Rectory for any kind of financial assistance. We normally won't give out any cash but help them with these gift cards so that they can buy some food items. And so you are most welcome to purchase these gift cards from Valero or Philips 66 and can drop them in the collection basket. **Please place your gift cards in the Sunday collection baskets on the weekend of May 28th/29th, or any Sunday of this month. Thank You.**

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### For the Parish Harvest Festival, May 22, 2016: Solemnity of the Most HOLY TRINITY

The Parish Harvest Festival will be held in the Parish Hall immediately after the 10:30 am. Mass on Sunday, May 22nd. Since many of us are farmers and our sustenance comes from the earth, there is every need to Thank God for the blessings He has bestowed upon us and our lands. He has blessed us abundantly when we are in need. Join us in this Harvest Festival to express your gratitude to God. There will be an Agape meal served in the parish hall by various parish organizations. You are requested to bring a dessert of your choice. Details to come.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### Sunday, May 15

- 9:00 a.m. Last K-6 RE Class for this school year  
10:30 a.m. HTCS 8th Grade Graduation at mass with Reception to follow (PH)  
6:00 p.m. "Divine Mercy" Video series (LRS)

### Wednesday, May 18

#### *Last Day of Classes for School Year 2015-2016*

- 9:00 a.m. Talent Show at HTCS  
12:30 p.m. School Mass—Grade 3  
2:00 p.m. Early Dismissal

### Sunday, May 22

- Following Mass Parish Festival Pot Luck Dinner (PH)  
6:00 p.m. "Divine Mercy" Video Series (LRS)

### Elections to the Parish Council on May 21/22 Weekend.

Please note that next weekend we will have the elections to the parish council to fill in the three vacancies that are open on account of those who have completed their first term in office and are eligible for second term. There are three (3) vacancies at this time and we have few candidates who have expressed their desire to join the parish council. Hence, I invite you all to elect those candidates whom you think would be good to serve in the parish council and those who can help us to lead our parish in to the future. Kindly seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit before you elect the candidates. You are invited to elect three candidates at this time. I invite all the registered parishioners to participate in the elections.

**Congratulations and Best Wishes for the graduating class of 2015-16 at Holy Trinity Catholic School**—We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our 8th grade students as they graduate from Holy Trinity School: **Octavio Carranza, Kaleb O'Dell Harris** (Salutatorian), **Carson Lawrence Jacobs, William James Johnson, Tristen P. Luster, Madolin Jessica Meador, Raegan Lynn Robinson** (Valedictorian), and **Anthony William Schudalla** (Valedictorian). We are proud of you and wish you the best as you move on to high school. Graduation Mass will be held on Sunday, May 15th, during the 10:30 a.m. mass. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

### ***THE ALTAR BOUQUET THIS WEEK IS IN MEMORY OF...***

*Mary E. Schwarz  
Offered by Steve & Jan Krittenbrink*

**COLLECTION AMOUNT**  
*May 8: \$7,690.00*

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR

*Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Summer Camp* has begun registration for the summer of 2016. You may download a registration form from their website at [www.archokc.org](http://www.archokc.org) under the Youth & Young Adult tab or register on-line to pay in full.

**Sun. May 15**—K-6 RE Classes 9-10:15 a.m. This is the last RE class until Sept. 11, 2016. Please watch for registration.

**JOIN ARCHBISHOP COAKLEY FOR CATHOLIC DAY 2016 WITH THE OKLAHOMA CITY DODGERS MAY 15, BEGINNING AT 2:05 P.M.** Your ticket includes: \*Field Seats with other Catholic Families \* Free Limited Edition Dodgers baseball hat \* Play Ball! Game Program and much more! Tickets cost \$13. Forms will be in the back of Church or you may call Adam Jacquez at 405-281-2155. Tickets can be picked up at the will-call with a photo ID.

**DATE TO REMEMBER**—October 9, 2016-Confirmation

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**Flowers bouquet to be placed in front of the Altar for the weekend Masses in memory of your loved ones or to express your gratitude to God.** There has been a very good response from the parishioners with regard to the flower bouquet placed in front of the altar on the weekend Masses. Initially we offered for two weekends in every month. This gave an opportunity for someone to remember their loved ones who are deceased or to celebrate their birthday or any important event of their life in gratitude to God for the favors received. The cost of the flower bouquet would be \$32.81 with tax and it can be made out directly in the name of **Center of Family Love.**

***Please call the parish office and reserve the dates listed below*** when you would want to memorialize the flowers in memory of some one. We will be happy to publish the same in the bulletin in whoever memory or the intention the flowers are placed.

**Please choose from the dates available: REMEMBER—all dates have to START at the parish office (405-263-7930) before flowers are ordered.** September 4th; October 9th & 23rd; November 6th, 13th & 20th. Advent to Christmas Season: no flowers.

**2017 Dates:** January 8th; February 5th & 26th; Lent to Easter Season—no flowers; May 7th, 14th & 28th; June 4th & 11th; July 2nd, 16th & 30th; August 14th, 20th & 27th. ***Contact address: Jo Tucker, P.O. Box 245, Okarche, 73762; e-mail [jtucker@cflinc.org](mailto:jtucker@cflinc.org); phone 263-4465***

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**Okarche JH/HS Cheerleaders** will host a free will donation dinner on Sunday, May 15th, from 11 a.m. To 1:30 p.m. at the Okarche Elementary School. The menu will be grilled tenderloin, hash brown potatoes, green beans, salad, dinner rolls and dessert. Proceeds will go towards camp and gear.

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**Center of Family Love “The Gilt of Love” GALA**—honoring Archbishop Emeritus Eusebius Beltran and Ernest Chastain. Sr.—To be held at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum on June 24, 2016. Additional information in the back of church and at [www.giftoflovegala.com](http://www.giftoflovegala.com) or call 405-263-7100.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Sara Wittrock, Tom Yost, Wendy Gray Olmstead, Lynn Sturgeon, Janey Kretchmar, Joli Schroeder, Joe Farrell, Lucille Howard, Emma Elliot, John Bomhoff, Elaine Lakey, Bill Patterson, Steve Knecht, Diane Eischen, Ken Reding, Aggie Daniel, Jaqueline Irion, Braden Nicholson, Terry Reese, Ray Spomer, Steve Winters, Chelce Garms, Sandy Raupe, Bill Rund, Kenneth Garms, Jerry Ann Watkins, Randy Wiewel, Marie Fiegner, Jan Wilkens, Ricky Howard, Damian Annuschat and James Annuschat.

*To add or delete names to the prayer list, call Theresa Liebl (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.*

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## HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

**YOUTH CHOIR** - Practices *will begin after the summer break.*  
**Scrip Program for HTCS** *Buy Scrip by contacting Annys Bomhoff (368-7228 or [annys@pldi.net](mailto:annys@pldi.net))*

**School Endowment Fund Tickets**—Thank you for your support of our School Endowment Fund. Congratulations to our weekly winner, ***Garry & Theresa Liebl.***

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**PASTOR'S MEETING** with each school family who are parishioners of Holy Trinity Church. Once again this year, I would like to take the opportunity to meet with each school family who are parishioners at Holy Trinity Church. I would like to meet with one parent and the children. It will be during this meeting that I will sign the “Verification of Active Parish Membership” form in order for you to receive the Holy Trinity parishioner tuition rate. I am available for meetings by appointment each Tuesday and Wednesday between now and June 30. Please call the church office at 263-7930 to schedule a meeting with me. Please do not delay but make it possible at the earliest. Thank you.

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**Center of Family Love Chapel** is in need of three (3) sets of (Green, Purple, White) vestments for the use of their Chapel there as they have a mass once a week at the Center. Anyone interested in donating these vestments are most welcome to contact Fr. John Peter at 263-7930. These Vestments can remain as a lasting gift to the Center.

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**Eucharistic Procession to commemorate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi On Sunday, May 29, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass**

The Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ on May 29. Hence there will be a Eucharistic Procession on that day immediately at the end of the 10:30 a.m. Mass. After the Post Communion Prayer, the Priest will expose the Blessed Sacrament and then he will lead the procession in the Church itself on the three different isles of the Church. It may take around 10 minutes. You may kneel at your places while the Blessed Sacrament is processed around. The Choir will sing songs during the entire procession. I invite you all to participate and to express our devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and to made that day a special one. Thank you.

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**33 Days to Morning Glory**—A 6 week retreat by Father Michael Gaitley, is being offered in two different summer sessions at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Edmond. This retreat teaches the importance of a consecration to Jesus through Mary, and why pope after pope calls it the “surest, easiest, shortest and most perfect means” to becoming a saint! Summer I session, Thursday nights (7-8:30 p.m. June 9-July 14; OR Summer II session on Monday nights (7-8:30 pm.) July 18-Aug. 22. Call 405-359-057 to register (\$30). Nursery is available upon request, but space is limited.