The Giving Tree

Once again this year we are extending our generosity to provide gifts for people in the greater community with special needs. Please take a colored gift tag from the Giving Tree and bring the item back the following weekend. Each week different colored tags will be added to the tree representing each group that we are helping.

1st WEEK

WOMEN'S DAY SHELTER IN NORMAN

2nd WEEK

CENTER OF FAMILY LOVE

3rd WEEK

WILLOW PREGNANCY SERVICES

4th WEEK

The GOLD House

PLEASE ATTACH THE TAG TO YOUR GIFT SO WE CAN IDENTIFY WHICH ORGANIZATION IS TO RECEIVE THEM.

RCIA

Journey of Faith

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Our program kicks off this Wed at 6:30-8:30pm in the Joyce Center

The Nursery Will Be Open

Journey of Faith is for those seeking to learn what we believe as Catholics. Fallen away Catholics, Non-Catholics, Those Catholics who just want to learn more about their faith. All Are Welcome.

Contact Amber or Tamara in the Parish Office for More Information

ajohnson@standrewmoore.com
tkjones@standrewmoore.com

Scheduled Services

December 12th – December 18th

9am	**MASS**	**MONDAY**
Fr. Vincent Vuong Nguyen		Viet & Diane Nguyen
9am	**MASS**	**TUESDAY**
†Steven Brummett		Sabrina Brummett
5:30pm	***MASS***	***WEDNESDAY***
Fr. Jack Feehily		Jake & AJ Martell
9am	***MASS***	***THURSDAY***
†Robert Culbert		Cathy Peschon

Fourth Sunday of Advent

5:00pm	**MASS**	**SATURDAY**
†Teresa Dung Tran		Viet & Diane Nguyen
9:00am	**MASS**	**SUNDAY**
†Martha Khang Nguyen		Christina Nguyen
11:45am	**MASS**	**SUNDAY**
Our Parish Family		Fr. Francis

SACRAMENT OF FORGIVENESS

Mon, Tue, Thurs after the 9am Mass
Wednesday at 5pm
Saturday at 4pm
Any Other Time By Calling
Fr. Francis at 405-914-5101

Fr. Jack Is Also Available By Appointment.
You May Reach Him
At 405-799-5003

O Come, Let Us Adore Him

Did you know that we have Perpetual Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady of Sorrows Chapel next to the Church? Come nearly anytime, day or night, to spend some quiet time in the Lord's Presence. He's waiting for you to come by so he can gaze on you with love.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

12/11 Jim Cusack, Joyce McCall, Jeff Tovar
12/12 Mercy Hulley, Diana Ibarra, Michael McCall, Juanita Millsap, Kieu Chinh Nguyen, Miles Simpson, Jeff Wharton
12/13 Stephanie Gilroy, Bich Nguyen, Carolyn Niba, Amanda Radovcic
12/14 Amelia DeWalt, John Huynh, Ella Johnson, Moises Rodriguez
12/15 Gene Brewer, Susan Murray, Rafel Torres
12/16 Eliana Babbit, Jason Clarkson, Elaine Julian, William Orland, Linvy Pius, Lucy Radovcic
12/17 Charles Abraham, Lorraine Abston, Andrea Fabrega, Linda Holland, Hesath Perera, John Paul Torres

Grief Support will not be meeting in December. *The monthly meeting will resume the second Sunday in January on the 8th.*

12/11	Charmal & Deshani Perera	8
12/12	Richard & Susan Saltos	36
12/15	Dillon & Maura Andrews	11
12/17	Frank & Jan Bruehl	27
	Dylan & Samantha Garrett	6
	Sergio & Linda Hernandez	45

OKLAHOMA Catholic WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

GENERAL ADMISSION: $65
STUDENT: $39

Embassy Suites in Norman on March 4, 2023

Okcatholicwomen.com/register

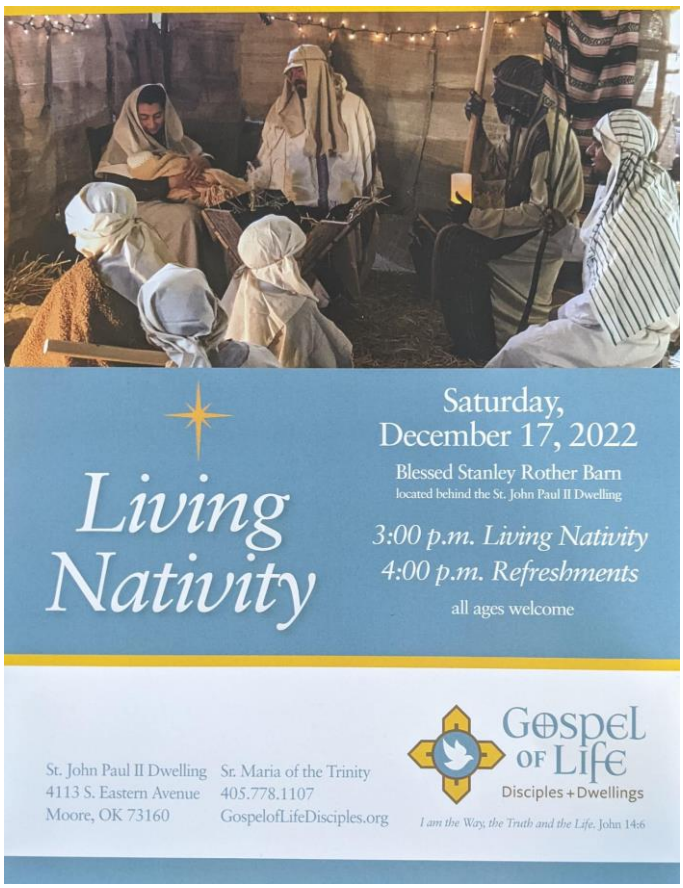
A Reminder to Use Your Christmas Flower Offering Envelopes This Week

Income Comparison for 3rd week of November 2022

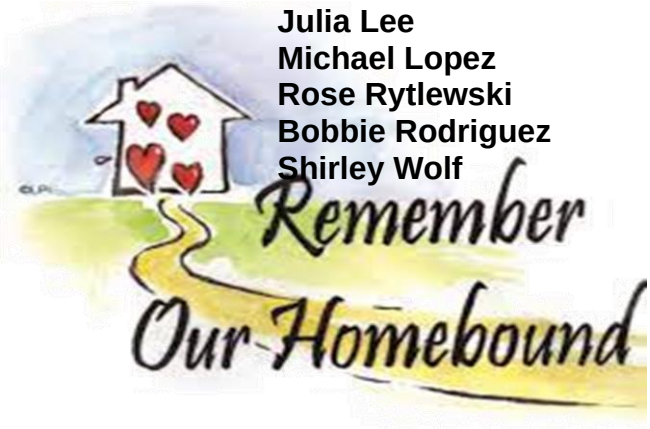
	12/4/2022	Online	12/5/2021	Online
Sacrificial Giving	$ 10,825	$ 3,392	$ 12,372	$ 2,617
Charity	171	395	420	335
Building Fund	2,258	1,195	3,064	660
Other Income	1,764	485	2,579	285
	$ 15,018	$ 5,467	$ 18,435	$ 3,897
	$ 20,485		$ 22,332	

This is a list of parish members who have requested prayer support as they learn to live with and/or recover from injuries or illnesses. If you believe in the power of prayer, keep this list nearby so that you can commend them to God's mercy and love. Please be sure to notify the office when you or a loved one is on the mend so we can make room for others.

Helene Aftafan
Claudio Balderas
Laura Blevens
Karen Corn
Larry Eggleston
Donna Embree
Rick Foley
Kevin Gottsch
Shirley Graham
Larry Harris
Pasquale Inglima
Mia Kolb
Ken Lazier
Michelle Lynch
Michael Marti
Larry Meilleur
Hilary Montoya
George Muñoz
Cody Pogue
Teresa Pontius
Art Quinlan
John Rhoades
Joe Santee
Paul Santos
Ed Tucker
Annette Baldares
Beth Black
Theodore Cook
Fred Crump
Kelly Ellis
Trey Ferguson
Rita Galier
Deborah Guerrero
Jamey Hanson
Carol Hernandez
Larry Kase
Debbie Kamphaus
Lilli Lyon
Chris Manley
Dione McCullough
Janet Melcher
Eugene Moreno
Kay Pillow
Lewis Pontius
Ron Porter
Joe Ramirez
George Santee
Ursula Santee
JoAnn Schoo
Kay Tucker



60th Anniversary T-Shirts on Sale in The Gift Shoppe



Rita Casillo
Julia Lee
Michael Lopez
Rose Rytlewski
Bobbie Rodriguez
Shirley Wolf
Marcie Hoffman
Vernon Leikam
Don & Sharon Mays
Angel Swartz
Roberto Rodriguez
James Kiely
Bill & Donna Lewis
John Minter
Dolores Waas
Blanca & Frank Romero

Most of these individuals are longtime members of our parish. Others are Catholics residing in long term care facilities within our parish boundaries to whom we bring Holy Communion. They could also be aided by your prayers.

Each week during ADVENT we will collect items for those in need. Take a tag from the tree and purchase the item on the tag and then bring the item back to put under the tree the following week.

WEEK-1 ***Nov 26th & 27th***

Women's Sanctuary- Norman

WEEK-2 ***Dec 3rd & 4th***

Center of Family Love- Okarche

WEEK-3 ***Dec 10th & 11th***

Willow Pregnancy Services

WEEK-4 ***Dec 17th & 18th***

The GOLD House- Moore

50/50

RAFFLE

50% TICKET SALES *to The Church*

50% TICKET SALES *Split Between3 Winners*

TICKETS

$5 each

Sanctuary Women's Development Center

We are collecting for our **GIVING TREE** Week-1, for the shelter in Norman.
Bring items back on December 17 & 18.
Listed below are the items needed for the shelter.

Hot Hands
Blankets (Queen Size)
Women's Coats (All Sizes)
Winter Socks, Hats, & Gloves
Travel Size Shampoo, Cream Rinse, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Soap, Lotion, Deodorant
Single Serve Snacks

Center of Family Love- Okarche

We are collecting for our **GIVING TREE** Week-2, for the home in Okarche.
Bring items back on December 17 & 18.
We want to make sure that each resident gets a Team Shirt.

Willow Pregnancy Services

We are collecting for our **GIVING TREE** Week-3, for the office in Oklahoma City, formally called Birth Choice
Bring items back on December 17 & 18.
Listed below are the items needed for the shelter.

Diapers (especially preemie, newborn), Bibs, Baby Bottles, Blankets, Baby Wash (no lotion or powder), Onesies, Baby Books, Socks, Outfits, Hats, Baby Toys

Please Return Items Next Weekend

prayer shawl ministry
knit-crochet-pray

We will meet at 6:30pm on Thursday, December 15th, in the Youth Building

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

If you or anyone would be comforted by receiving a shawl, prayerfully crafted and then blessed by one of our priests or deacons, please let us know. Contact Karen Linch at 405-823-0803 or Janet at the Parish Office

Parents in the Know…
Help their children grow…

Parent Lounge feature this week:
Family Advent Activity and Prayer Books
Free to Good home!

Beginning this Sunday, 12/11/22 RE classes will be ending at 11:15 NOT 11:25.

Our last class for 2022 will be on 12/18/22.
We will have a party on 1/8/23!
ajohnson@standrewmoore.com
405-799-3334

PAC-A-SAC

CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS

ALL ITEMS NEEDED BY DECEMBER 18th

Thanks For Making it Possible to Feed More than 100 Households for Thanksgiving!!
Let's Do It Again for Christmas!

Frozen Turkey (9-12 lbs.)
2 Canned Corn (15 oz.)
2 Canned Green Beans (15 oz.)
1 Can Sweet Potatoes (15 oz.)
1 Can Cranberry Sauce
1 Stuffing Mix
1 Cake Mix
1 Frosting
1 Instant Potatoes (13 oz. or larger box)

You Can Bring Your Items During the Week
The West Doors Are Open Till 4:30
(Place Your Frozen Turkeys in the Freezer In The Kitchen)

ANNUAL ADVENT BAKE SALE

Bring your best Christmas Treats Wrapped & Priced to Sell

DECEMBER 17th & 18th

Is My Child Ready for a Smartphone?

With Christmas approaching, many parents will be buying the children some form of technology. No doubt, a most popular gift will be the child's first smartphone! Before doing that, the title of this article is most important for a parent's reflection.

1. Does your child need a phone to stay connected with you or for emergency situations?
2. Does your child already respect your rules when it comes to time and usage limits for other activities like video games and digital entertainment?
3. Have you talked with your child about the dangers of pornography?
4. Does your child know what types of information are safe to share online?
5. Do you have a filtering/accountability system to protect devices in your home?
6. Do you have a rule for managing which apps can be downloaded? Do you understand that most apps lead to the internet and inappropriate contact cannot yet be clocked from apps?
7. Have you considered both the benefits and the drawbacks of social media?
8. Does your child understand the long-term implications of sexting or re-sending nude photos?
9. Have you developed a list of rules with your kids that covers calling, texting, downloading apps?
10. Does our child get to "own" the device or simply have access to it?

Deliberate parenting in the digital age means giving kids responsibility one step at a time, as they are ready and mature enough It means mentoring your kids with your eyes wide open to the issues and dangers they will face. And it means that even if your efforts are not perfect, they are important for the safety of your kids!

For many other great resources please go to: http://www.protectyoungminds.org

This is an invaluable site for protecting children in the digital age

December 17-18	Altar Servers	Communion Ministers	Ushers	Hospitality	Lectors	Mass Coordinators
Saturday 5pm	Isabella Brown Stephen Houseknecht Lea Houseknecht	Lynn Grant-Yingling Mike Jaques Ed Smith David Imy Dorothea Bradshaw Frank Bruehl	Larry Meilleur Martin Fitzgerald Rudy Espinosa	Sherry Lynn Brian Muzny Carolyn Marcus Karen Linch	Patti Muzny Matthew Walters	Robin Teske
Sunday 9am	Easton McCorkle Aubrey Huebert Abigail Clark	Zeela Snodgrass Rueben Castillo Johnny Clark Donna Galier Lilia Concannon Sam Warnecke Angeline Fombe Michael Varner Amber Johnson Noreen Valadez Pius Jacob John Pillow Burt Renard	Jeffry Snodgrass Teresa Harris Loren Harris Robert Bussa	John Krittenbrink Linda Darnell Mary Earing Nannette McKenna	Anthony Galier William Orland	Sandra Varner
Sunday 11:45am	Rhyen Riley Juliana Marquez Kylie Pichop	John Prati Caryl Prati Nancy Lyle Roy Lyle Ann Grover Hector Denis	James Monk Bryan Baldwin Jane Mitchell	Tammy Baldwin Lyndell Mitchell Bentley Hedges Bonnie Hedges	Claire Powell Brooke Beasley	Joseph Gibbons

LITTLE CHRISTMAS DANCE

TICKETS ON SALE IN COMMONS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8TH
THE FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY
Aka LITTLE CHRISTMAS

Dance to The Music of "SOULED OUT"

NURSERY WILL BE OPEN

GREAT FOOD, FELLOWSHIP & FUN
ONLY $20 PER PERSON
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 PM