

# SACRED HEART CHURCH

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**Our Mother of Mercy Church, Waynoka**

**St. Cornelius Church, Cherokee**

**Office Times : Monday– Friday 9am to 3pm**

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For bulletin entries please e-mail Sarita Simon @ office@sacredheartalva.org, or leave a message at the parish office 327-0339. Bulletin deadline is Wednesday by noon.

## **Parish Council Members**

Tim Ohm (Chairperson)

Jake Kelln

Steve Foster

Sarita Simon

Kim Bogdanovecz

Michelle Newton (vice-chairperson)

Chris Lauderdale

## **Luke 12:40**

***“You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”***



## **Tri-Parish Minister Schedule**

**Date: August 14, 2022**

### **Alva:**

Rosary: Ben S.

LEMHC: Liz B.

Lector: Paul B.

EMHC: Dave F. & Tim O.

Servers: Andrew B.

Ushers: Sarita, Lenette

Gifts:

### **Cherokee:**

Lector: Karen A.

EMHC: John A.

Ushers: John & Mary A.

### **Waynoka:**

Lector: Twyla K.

EMHC: Pete S.

Ushers: Twyla K.

## **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Monday, August 15, 2022 we celebrate the solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year, since it is falling on Monday, the Obligation to celebrate Holy Mass is removed. However, Feast day Holy Mass will be celebrated in Sacred Heart Church, Alva on Monday August 15 in the morning at 9 am. All are welcome. Happy Feast.

### **Parish Council**

Sacred Heart parish council will be meeting Thursday, Aug. 11 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

### **Visit to India**

Fr. Bala will be traveling to India on August 16, 2022 to visit his parents & family. He will be returning on September 21, 2022. He requests prayers for safe travel. In case of emergency, call the parish office at 580-327-0339.

### **Bus Trip to Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine Dedication**

Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine will be dedicated on Friday, Nov. 4, 2022 in OKC. Sacred Heart will take a bus for the dedication. Those who would like to go for the dedication by bus need to register & deposit \$100.00 by August 31, 2022. For registration & more information, please call the church office at 327-0339.

### **Memorial Mass**

A memorial mass to honor the memory of more than 62 million unborn children who have been the victims of abortion will be Sept. 10 @ 9 am at St. Gregory's Abbey in Shawnee. The mass is a part of the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children.

## WEEKEND COLLECTIONS: July 31, 2022

### *Liturgical Schedule 2022*

#### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

##### **Saturday, August 6**

4:30 pm: Sacrament of Confession, Waynoka

5:00 pm: Holy Mass, Waynoka for People

##### **Sunday, August 7**

9:00 am: Holy Mass, Alva, for **+Jane Keller by Gene & Betty Keller**

11:15 am: Sacrament of Confession, Cherokee

11:30 am: Holy Mass, Cherokee, for **John & Kim Austin by John & Mary Austin**

##### **Monday, August 8**

No Mass

##### **Tuesday, August 9**

6:00 pm: Sacrament of Confession, Alva

6:30 pm: Holy Mass, Alva

##### **Wednesday, August 10**

7:00 pm: Holy Mass in prison, Alva

##### **Thursday, August 11**

3:30 am: Holy Mass in prison, Helena

##### **Friday, August 12**

8:30 am: Holy Mass, Alva for **+Mr. & Mrs. Basil Keller by Gene & Betty Keller**

#### Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

##### **Saturday, August 13**

4:30 pm: Sacrament of Confession, Waynoka

5:00 pm: Holy Mass, Waynoka, for People

##### **Sunday, August 14**

8:15 am: Sacrament of Confession, Alva

9:00 am: Holy Mass, Alva, for **+Mr. & Mrs. Basil Keller by Gene & Betty Keller**

11:15 am: Sacrament of Confession, Cherokee

11:30 am: Holy Mass, Cherokee for **Ivan Maldonado by John & Mary Austin**



#### Please Pray for:

Don & Bunny Pfeiffer, +Kathryn Pierce, Guadalupe Torres, Duvigen Torres, Bea Valencia, Tracy Lundy, Tammy Brown, Gary Kilian, +Mary Ellen Turner, +Deacon Gary Means, +Deloris Kilian, LaUna Levings, Wesley Mervine, +Fred Isenbart, +Louise Ewing, Richard Glossip, Tom Reid, Geneva Diefenbach, Albert Blahut, Miguel Geerber, Teresa Ramirez, Inmates in Bill Johnson Correctional Center, Frank Mach, Virginia Snow, +Linda Mathieu, Mika Cahoj, +Beverly Ball, Nanette Rice, +Martha Gardner, Margaret Lavery, Leon May, +Donovan Reichenberger, +Leo Brandt, Phyllis Devery, +Billy Randolph, Janelle Agosti, Joseph Sagili, Antonio Ray, Walter Sadlowski, +Michael Ewing, +Pat McNeil, +Jim Brown, +Douglas Smith, +Diana Hunt, Janet Cook, Taylor Utterback, Amanda Friesenhahn, Scott Brown, +Oringa McGuire, Patty Harkin, Daniel Torres, Susie Schlarb, +David Kovarovic, Jessica Williams, Toni Bender, Jesus Hernandez, Janet Moffatt, +Lillian Friesenhahn, +Leona Young, +Maria Cardonita, Beth Coyle, People of Ukraine & Russia, Anita Dettle, Marie Ratliff, Sparky Hartley

Church Name	Sacred Heart	St. Cornelius	Our Mother of Mercy
Weekly Budget	\$1,260.00	\$340.00	\$260.00
Collection	\$1,921.00	\$112.00	\$226.00
Over/Under	+\$661.00	-\$228.00	-\$34.00
Building Fund	\$263.00		
Candles		29.00	



#### Religious Education

##### 2022-2023 RE Registration

Registration for this school year is available in the church office! We are looking forward to seeing your children in Religious Education this year! Our first class will be August 31 from 6:30—7:30 pm.

##### Family Bingo Night

This will take place on August 21 from 3-5 pm in the parish hall. All parishioners are invited to join in on the fun! RE Registration for the new year will be available and classrooms will be open for tours to see the new updates! There will be prizes for all ages & concessions available. If you are interested in donating to/working the concessions, please contact Madison Williams.

##### Blue Mass

Archbishop Coakley invites everyone to the Blue Mass for law enforcement & first responders at 6 pm Sept. 29 @ The Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 3214 N. Lake Ave. in OKC.

##### Second Collection Basket

The 2nd collection basket for August 14 will go to the Religious Education Fund.

#### Birthday Blessings from Father Bala

##### August 2022



1-Koa Buckhaults, 2-Sarita, 3-Cynthia Samaniego, Tim Lauderdale, 5-Maggie Koppenaal, Thomas Newton, Madison Williams. 6-Tara Owen, 9-Yesenia Buckhaults, Ben Selfridge, Claudia Haltom, 13-Lianne Levetzow, 14-Mary Austin, 15-Liz Bittle, 18-Linda McCoy, Don Diefenbach, 19-John Selfridge, Mark Ramy, 21-Kenny King, Jack Claborn, 24-Tavin Williams, Hazel Claborn, Gene Keller, 25-Kaylee Myers, 27-Taya Beason, Pete Nesseralla, 28-Debbie Skinner, 29-Rita Ramy, 31-Mike George, Summer Foster

Please call the Parish office if your birthday is missing—327-0339.