

Epiphany of the Lord Catholic Church

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*"Destroy this temple
and in three days
I will raise it up."
John 2:19*



Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

November 9, 2025

Today's Readings: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 ~ 1 Corinthians 3:9-11, 16-17 ~ John 2:13-22

Faith Question: How do your words and actions "build up" or "tear down" the Church?

Next Week's Readings: Malachi 3:19-20 ~ 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 ~ Luke 21:5-19

"Fears That Worry Us"

Fr. Bird and Fr. Vic are preaching a homily series entitled "Fears That Worry Us." This weekend's homilies focus on Money Fears. Saint Pope John Paul II urged us to "Be Not Afraid."

If you miss any of the homilies or wish to hear the 10:00am homily again you can find the videos at

[Facebook.com/epiphanyokc](https://www.facebook.com/epiphanyokc)

[YouTube.com/@EpiphanyoftheLordOKC](https://www.youtube.com/@EpiphanyoftheLordOKC).

Parish Thanksgiving Vigil Mass and Bread Exchange

Join us **Wednesday, November 26** at 6:30pm. Everyone is invited to bring

a loaf of bread (homemade or bakery - please no sandwich bread) and place it on the special table near the altar

before Mass. At the end of Mass, the loaves will be blessed and then each person who has brought bread will be given a loaf to take home to enjoy!

*No 8:00am Mass on Wednesday November 26
or Thanksgiving Day.*



Book of the Names of the Dead

Our Book of the Names of the Dead is located in the church foyer.

We invite you to list any deceased family member or friend to be remembered in prayer during the month of November.

(Only list your family members and friends who have not previously been placed in the book.)



Ordination of Deacon Eric Conrad

Join us after all Masses **this weekend November 8 and 9** for a reception in honor of Eric in Bryce Hall so that everyone has a chance to congratulate him.

Parish Staff**Office 405-722-2110 ~ Fax 405-722-6719****Office Hours: 9:00am-4:30pm****Pastor** - Father Stephen Bird

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Afternoon Receptionist - Kate Micaletti

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Mass Schedule**Saturday:** Vigil, 5:30pm***Sunday:** 8:00am, 10:00am*, 12:30pm**Monday - Friday:** 8:00am**Holy Days of Obligation:** 6:30am, 11:30am, 6:30pm* *Childcare available during Mass in the nursery.***Sacraments****Reconciliation:** Saturday, 6:30pm
and by appointment**Baptism:** Contact Parish Office
during pregnancy**Matrimony:** Contact Pastor at least
6-12 months in advance**Letters of Good Standing/Sacramental Records**

Request must be made a minimum of 14 days in advance.

Contact Geof Archer, 405-722-2110 ext. 110 for a
letter of reference, to be a sponsor or godparent.Contact Cara Koenig, 405-722-2110 ext. 128 or
sacraments@epiphanyokc.org to request a sacra-
mental record. The request for records for anyone 18
and older must be made by the person themselves.**Mass Intentions for the Week****Sunday 10:00am, November 9**✠ *Gail Hinkle*.....*Mary Huffman***Monday, November 10***Nieves Aguilar*.....*Elizabeth Rodriguez***Tuesday, November 11**✠ *Nguyen Thi Raing (St Theresa)*.....*Khan Duong***Wednesday, November 12***Sueræ & Kelly O'Bleness*.....*a friend***Thursday, November 13**✠ *Delores Martin*.....*Ray & Barbara Bauer***Friday, November 14**✠ *Patricia Gallagher*.....*Patricia Gillespie***Saturday, November 15**✠ *Jim McGinley*.....*M. Gross**Lord Jesus,**We lift these people up to you: The healer of the sick, who
raised the dead to life. We praise you for the faith you give
us to keep on hoping and praying for those who are ill.**Amen.* (adapted from: Living Faith)**Please Pray For...**Marcia Brejda, Mary Ann Reheman, Gerald Duke,
Lenny Ortiz, Audrey, Michael, and Penny Antkowiak,
Bernice Koscielniak, Kemsley Sigala, Michael Micaletti,
Mike Stich, Emmie Walkup, Deacon Bob Heskamp, Glinda
Parmley, Alex Davis, Sophie Miye, Emmanuel Tsiambo,
Soren West, Marilyn Jo Simpson, Phyllis Larimer, Sandee
Fitzgerald, Alice O'Brien, Kathy White, Breanna
Gottlieb, Melva Carney, Terri Headrick, Melva Sexton,
Jennce Mariel Melendez.**Epiphany Boards Chairpersons**

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Hospitality	Keri Warren	405-474-4389
Stephen Ministry	David Brambrink	405-659-7625
Property	John Norberto	405-412-7079

Calling All Epiphany Women

All Women of Epiphany are invited to our Women's Club gathering **Monday, November 17.**

Rosary in the church at 6:00pm

Social Time in the Patio Room at 6:30pm

Turkey/Ham BINGO and Meeting at 7:00pm

Bring a bingo prize \$5-\$10 wrapped or in a gift bag.

For more information contact Mary Jane Wittrock, 405-640-1025, or womensclub@epiphanyokc.org.

Please come, bring a friend, and join us to find out more about the Women of Epiphany.

Renewal of Wedding Vows

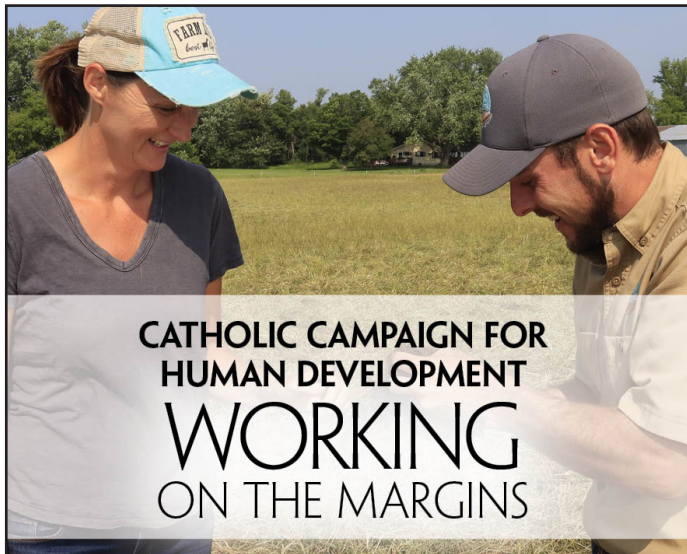
The renewal of vows for all November celebrants will be **this weekend, November 8 and 9**, at all Masses.



Blood Pressure Checks will be taken after all Masses next weekend,

November 15 and 16

by our Health Ministry Team.



Next weekend, **November 15 and 16**, our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Nearly 38 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities.

Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd.

Looking Ahead in Our Parish

Sunday, November 9

Eric Conrady Ordination Reception After All Masses

Renewal of November Wedding Vows at all Masses

Cheese Roll Sale after all Masses

11:15am	Faith Formation (PK4-5th)
11:15am	I Believe
11:15am	Inquiry Session
11:15am	Catechumenate Session
6:30pm	High School Night

Monday, November 10

6:00pm	Cub Scouts
6:00pm	Hospitality Committee Meeting
7:00pm	Men's Club

Tuesday, November 11

9:30am	Tai Chi Session
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Wednesday, November 12

9:00am	Sunday to Sunday Bible Study
10:00am	Senior Walk
11:30am	Classics Lunch
5:45pm	Middle School Faith Formation and Youth Group (6-8th)
7:00pm	Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 13

9:00am	Woodcarvers
9:30am	Tai Chi Session
4:00pm	Youth Scripture Study
6:00pm	Womens Bible Study
6:00pm	Young Adults
6:00pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 14

6:30pm	Marriage Ministry Date Night
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Saturday, November 15

7:00pm	Parish BINGO
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Next Week's Second Collection

The Second Collection for **November 15 and 16** the Campaign for Human Development.

Sacrificial Giving General Support Report

Sunday Envelopes: \$14,106.00

Sign up for auto payments with ParishSoft at <https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/FD-806>

Community Service Turkey and Coffee Drive



The Community Service Board needs your help to make Thanksgiving wonderful for 60 less fortunate families.

Consider donating a turkey and/or a large can of coffee to be distributed to the families on **Saturday, November 22**.

You do not have to sign up to donate, just shop and bring the turkeys and coffee to church and leave them in the carts in the foyer before or after Mass. They can also be delivered to the church office during the week.

If you would like the Community Service Board to shop for you, you may write a check to Community Service Board-Epiphany, and we will get it done!

Men's Club Meeting

Men's Club will meet in the Patio Room **this Monday, November 10**, at 7:00pm (enter through Gym doors). Meeting followed by pizza. For more information contact Jim Fitzpatrick at 405-250-4075 or mensclub@epiphanyokc.org.

All men of the parish 21 years and older are invited.

Join us in discipleship, fellowship and service!

Grief Support Group

If you have lost a loved one and are feeling alone and lost, Epiphany offers a Grief Support Group. With the Holiday Season approaching it can be especially hard when you have lost a loved one. *You are not alone.*

Our next grief support meeting will be

Tuesday, November 18, at 10:30am in Room 2.

For more information call

Marianne Stich at 918-698-9646 or

David Brambrink at 405-659-7625.



Classic's Bunco

(55 years old and older)

Wednesday, November 26 at 12:30pm in the Patio Room.

Call Judy, 405-831-3437 for information.

Epiphany Classics

(over 55 yrs)

Our next luncheon will be **this Wednesday, November 12** at 11:30am in Bryce Hall. We will celebrate Veteran's Day so wear your red, white and blue. There will also be a drawing for a turkey. Tickets will be \$1.00 each. Our speaker will be Ellis Annett on finance.

Please bring: Last Name A-M: side dish; Last name N-Z: salad to share (enough for 8-10 people). Fried chicken and rolls will be provided.

For more information contact Judy at 405-831-3437 or classics@epiphanyokc.org.



Project Gabriel Meeting

Project Gabriel is a Pro-Life Ministry helping women struggling with unplanned pregnancy.

Our next meeting will be

Tuesday, November 25, at

6:00pm in Room 12 (use the gym

entrance). For help, or to volunteer, call 405-534-2621 or email ProjectGabriel@epiphanyokc.org.

Hold Fast Marriage Ministry Date Night

**"Transform your marriage
with this one tip!"**

Plated meal with dessert
Couples games
Marriage Tips & More

Friday, November 14th
6:30 - 8:30pm
Patio Room



Must RSVP by 11/9
to attend
mcorbett76@gmail.com
childcare available



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Food Pantry Donations Needed

The recent government shut down and reduction in SNAP has left many without resources for food. We are seeing an increase in requests for food assistance.

If you are a parishioner of Epiphany and in need of any assistance at this time, call Geof Archer 405-722-2110 ext 110 in the parish office and he will assist you.

As Catholics, we are called to feed the hungry and give drink to the thirsty through the Corporal Works of Mercy. The Frank Kopp Food Pantry at Epiphany answers that call but we need your help. Please consider donating to the pantry. You can leave all donations in designated wooden bins in the foyer.

Pantry Needs: dry milk*, cereal, oatmeal, rice, crackers, peanut butter, jelly, soup, macaroni and cheese, dry beans*, canned fruit*, canned vegetables, canned tuna*, canned chicken*, tuna helper*, spaghetti sauce, pasta. * Most needed



Treasures from the Holy Land

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

Treasures from the Holy Land, olive wood hand carvings, will be available for purchase after all Masses the weekend of **November 22-23**.

Volunteer Coordinators Needed

Epiphany's Saint Vincent de Paul Society needs volunteers to join our group and coordinate Neighbor in Need requests. This involves home phone and computer communication.

Time commitment is approximately 2-4 hours per week. If you are interested or for more information, contact Kelley Cornelius at 405-721-6124 or klcorn@outlook.com.

Children's Christmas Choir

The Epiphany Children's Choir is looking for new members for Christmas and beyond.

We are inviting children from kindergarten through fifth grade who love to sing to help celebrate Christmas at Epiphany! The Children's Choir will be giving a concert at 3:30pm as well as signing at the 4:00pm Mass on Christmas Eve. Rehearsals are on Thursdays from 6:00pm- 6:45pm in the East Meeting Room starting **Thursday, November 13**.

The children's choir will be working on favorite songs like, "Issay, Issay," and some exciting new music as well. Let us know if your child has a solo they would like to offer or can perform with an instrument.

Please let Brent McWilliams or Amy McQuade know if your child is interested in joining or using the QR code.

A festive poster for an Advent Breakfast with Santa. It features a large red bell at the top, a red and white striped border, and a yellow bell at the bottom. The text is in various colors and fonts, including red, white, and blue.

**ADVENT
BREAKFAST
WITH SANTA**

**SATURDAY, DEC. 6
9:00AM
BRYCE HALL**

Join us for a morning of fun for the children.
Parents be sure and bring a camera!!
Reservations are a must.
RSVP by calling or texting to Beth Ortiz,
405-473-6449 or
sign-up at the Welcome Table
by Monday, December 1.

Minister Schedule for November 15 and 16**5:30PM MASS MINISTERS****Altar Servers** - Daniel Corbett, Seamus Corbett, Sean Corbett**Communion Ministers** - Judy Santillie (WW), Ray Janik (W), Judy Hilovsky (WC), Tom Bombardier (EC), Keri Warren (E), George Bradley (B)**Greeters** - Martha Bombardier, Mary Fahy, Ellen Janik, Debbie Story**Lectors** - Melanie Corbett, Sharon Neal**Ushers** - Carol Chimahusky, Joy Dulaney, Bob Hlubin, Nigin Varughese**Mass Coordinator** - Carol Chimahusky**8:00AM MASS MINISTERS****Altar Servers** - Preston Austin, Emmanuel Tsiambom, Jayden Tsiambom**Communion Ministers** - Jan Fair (WW), Carol Brooks (W), Cheryl Childers (WC), Glenda Manley (WC) Melena Keeth (EC), Sister Sona Mathai (E), John Heinen (B)**Greeters** - Nancy Fitzpatrick, Glenda Manley, 2 Volunteers Needed**Lectors** - Vickie Lofgren, David Perez**Ushers** - Ellis Annett, Jim Fitzpatrick, Harley Hintergardt, Martin Storzyszyn**Mass Coordinator** - Nancy Annett**10:00AM MASS MINISTERS****Altar Servers** - Ellie Brinkley, Boston Tilton, Whit Tilton**Communion Ministers** - Joanne Stafford (WW), David Brambrink (W), Cheryl Fennell (WC), Judy Fisher (WC), Sandy Acton (EC), Ruth Deneen (EC), Micah Krausz (E), Susan Hoehner (EE), Teresa Larson* (B)**Greeters** - Sandy Acton, Nancy Baroni, Michiko Dowling, Michelle Krausz**Lectors** - Jeremy Tilton, Carol Wenzl**Ushers** - Eric Meador, Norma Meador, Pat Petersen, Athen Rosales**12:30PM MASS MINISTERS****Altar Servers** - Ugo Iheanacho, Bernard Miye, Jude Tejada**Communion Ministers** - Jolly Poulo (W), Peggy Marlar (WC), Lisa Fleming (EC), Adolfo Pena (E), Judy Boismier (B)**Greeters** - Anjali Poulo, Maria Miye, 2 Volunteers Needed**Lectors** - Emmanuel Iheanacho, Christian Stephens**Ushers** - Shaji Poulo, Luis Torres, 2 Volunteers Needed**WELCOME TABLE**

Women's Club

MONEY COUNTERS**9:00am** - Ken Sullivan, Rich Roman

*Mass Coordinator

Children's Christmas Gift Collection

All the children of the parish are invited to bring gifts for those less fortunate to all Masses the weekend of December 6 and 7. All types of gifts are welcome, but no clothing or used items.



Bring gifts unwrapped for easier distribution.

Around the Archdiocese**Together in Holiness Marriage Conference**

The Together in Holiness marriage conference is **November 15** at The Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Registration: \$64 per couple and \$5 per child for childcare. Visit togetherinholiness.org/oklahomacity or e-mail gabby@forlifeandfamily.org.

Silent Ignatian Retreat

The priests and brothers of Miles Christi are offering a women's silent retreat **November 21-23** at the Catholic Pastoral Center. For more information or to register, call 858-768-0872 or e-mail lorioboyle@mileschristi.org. Visit MilesChristi.org/spiritual-exercises.

Join the team

Applications are open for 2026 summer staff at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Camp. Must be 16 years of age by **June 1, 2026**, to apply. Visit campguadalupe.org/summerteam.

Catholic in Recovery

Catholic in Recovery meetings are at 7:00pm on Tuesdays in the Meerschaert House, second floor, St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 1901 N.W. 18 St. in Oklahoma City. The meetings are for individuals and families seeking recovery from a variety of addictions. For more information, visit catholicinrecovery.com or contact Kendra at 405-709-2895; kmann@archokc.org.

Guatemala Mission Trip

Join a mission trip to Guatemala February 20-March 1, 2026. Adults 21 years of age and older. The price starts at \$2,200 per person. Apply at archokc.org/gua2026. For more information contact Kendra Mann at kmann@archokc.org.

Order of Christian Initiation

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is the process of formation that leads to becoming a Catholic.

Inquiry Sessions

Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

Inquiry sessions are the first part of Journey of Faith and are designed to help answer questions about Catholicism. These sessions are held every Sunday at 11:15am in Room 2.

Catechumenate

After attending Inquiry sessions, the next step is entrance into the Catechumenate.

For more information contact Deborah West at 405-722-0051 or faithformation@epiphanyokc.org.

Adult Faith Formation Opportunities

These faith formation opportunities are open to anyone in the parish. You can join at any time.

Sunday

9:00-10:00am

Breaking Open the Word

in the West Meeting Room
Melanie Corbett
mcorbett76@gmail.com

11:15am-Noon

I Believe

in the West Meeting Room
Melanie Corbett
mcorbett76@gmail.com

Wednesday

9:00-10:00am

“Sunday-to-Sunday” Bible Study

in the Patio Room
John Norberto 405-412-7079

Thursday

6:00-8:00pm

“The Catholic Table” Women’s Video Study

in Classroom 10
Teresa Larson 405-570-3963

Guided Advent Video Session

Join us for “Illuminate, A Guided Advent Journal for Prayer and Meditation,” a four-week journey through darkness into light.

This is a weekly video and discussion session. Encounter the Lord this Advent and let Him illuminate the dark places within you.

Tuesday Sessions

Book and schedule pickup will be **Tuesday, November 18**, 7:30pm-8:00pm in Room 3 and 4.

Sessions will be **Tuesdays, December 2 through December 16** from 6:00pm-7:30pm in Classroom 3 and 4. For more information contact Chris Rolling at 405-503-3596.

Friday Sessions

Book and schedule pickup will be **Friday, November 21** from 10:00am-11:00am in Classroom 3 and 4.

Sessions will be **Fridays, December 5 through December 19** from 10:00am-11:30am in Classroom 3 and 4. For more information contact Tammy Jacobs at 405-405-22-2553.

High School Nights

(Grades 9th - 12th)

Sundays from 6:30-8:00pm

Enter through the Mary Garden
between the rectory and the office doors
on the east side of the church.

High School Scripture Study

(Grades 9th - 12th)

Thursdays at 4:00pm in the Youth Room.

Join as we read and discuss the readings
for the upcoming Sunday Mass.

Contact Sarah Holt at 405-721-1137 or
youth@epiphanyokc.org.

Young Adults of Epiphany

(Ages 18-35 years)

The Young Adults meet monthly, on the **second Thursday** of the month, the next meeting is **this Thursday November 13**, at 6:30pm in the Youth Room. For more information contact Sarah Holt at 405-721-1137 or youth@epiphanyokc.org.

BINGO

NIGHT

CARDS
\$10.00 EACH

Saturday, November 15
@ 7pm

Bingo cards are \$10 each.

Valuable prizes are awarded for each game.
The LAST game of the evening, winning prize is \$250!!! Hot dogs, nachos, popcorn and drinks will be available for sale.

Proceeds benefit scholarships and charity causes of the Men's Club.

Cosponsored by the
Hospitality
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