

St. Vincent de Paul

Welcome to



Catholic Church

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Mass Times: 10am Sundays, 1st Friday
6:45pm, Holy Days & Holidays TBA
Holy Hour: 1st Friday 6pm
Confessions: Following 10am Mass
and by Appointment

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – September 10, 2017

STAFF

Rev. Leo Ahanotu, Pastor
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Parish Manager: Gretchen Soerries
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Secretary: Sarah Jameson
Music Ministry: Kelli Bogner & Fran MacArthur

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism: Baptismal instructions are required for all parents and Godparents. Baptisms are scheduled as needed.

Confirmation: Instructions integrated in youth faith formation with additional instruction.

Matrimony: Those desiring marriage should contact Rev. Leo Ahanotu at least six months prior to considered date at 918/201-5225.

Anointing: The homebound or hospitalized who wish to receive the sacraments should call Rev. Leo Ahanotu at Holy Cross. Any person wishing to celebrate the sacrament of the Sick should contact Father at 918/201-5225.

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

Grades 1-12 meet Sundays from 11:00am to 12pm in the Youth Room. Faith Formation will resume September 10, 2017.

WEEKLY GIVING

8/27: \$275.00 2nd Collection: Mission Sunday
9/3: \$442.00
9/3: \$ 229.00 2nd Collection: Hurricane Harvey Relief

PAPAL PRAYER INTENTIONS:

Parishes. That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

MASS INTENTIONS

The Unborn (See Father or Sarah for all Mass intentions)

PRAYER REQUESTS

In your charity, please include the following in your prayers: Sherry Hobbs, Shannon Stokes, Rev. John Wade, Jeannie Dalton, Payton Kannarr, Vonnie Minter, Jeanette Tichenor, Leo Nilges, Mary Reamy, Larry O'Daniel, Peggy Tolman, Danny Wybrant, Eric Coday, Paul Jennigan, Terry Minter, Maria Gutierrez, Suzanne Grisham, Tony Read, The Unborn, Our Parish, and for our military and for all our special intentions.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

In your charity, please remember those celebrating birthdays this month: Darrell Minter (9/12); Kim Kannarr (9/19); Jeanne Dalton (9/30)

SERVERS

MINISTERS FOR THIS WEEK	LAY MINISTERS	MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK
Kim Kannarr Eddy LeMay	1ST & 2ND READERS	Danny Grove Blake Jameson
Dick Dalton Jessica Owens	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Darrell & Vonnie Minter
Leah Jameson Joselyn Ramirez	SERVERS	Alyssa Gibbs Angela Lor
Miller Family	GIFT BEARERS	Merciez Family
Mark Jameson Sean Kannarr	USHERS	Josh Lor Christopher Ramirez

- Don't forget your non-perishable food items to help fill the needs of the community year-round. All donations will go to organizations in Coweta for distribution and Catholic Charities.
- September 13, 2017, Deacon Steve Creed will lead adult education focusing on Dr. Mark Miravalle's *Time to Meet the Angels* at 7pm Wednesdays, 9/13-10/4. Sign-up in the back of the Church.
- September 13, 2017, ALL are invited to Sing Praise, an evening that unites the Diocese at nine parishes through talks and Adoration. The closest location is St. Joseph Church in Muskogee. The evening includes dinner at 6:30 and ends at 8:30pm. To RSVP, contact Sarah Jameson.
- September 17, 2017, Women's Club following the 10am Mass.
- September 17, 2017, Live the Love: Couple to Couple League classes begin September 17 at St. John Medical Center. Natural Family Planning series of three monthly classes are offered in the fall and spring. Postpartum class is October 22nd- babies welcome. Live and online courses are available. Visit www.ccli.org for more details.
- September 22, 2017, Bishop David Konderla has approved vespers on the vigil of Rev. Stanley Rother's Beatification at St. Benedict Church, Broken Arrow, at 6:30p.m. All are invited.
- September 23, 2017, The beatification Mass for Rev. Stanley Rother is at the Cox Center, Oklahoma City. All are invited to attend this historical beatification in the state of Oklahoma.
- September 24, 2017, Parish picnic to celebrate the feast day of our patron saint, St. Vincent DePaul. Don't miss out on the fun and fellowship!

FATHER'S REFLECTION

The readings of today remind us that, in addition to believing in our faith, believing in the dogmas of the church, and doing all our prayers and fasting, we are also called to be change agents in our communities by caring and loving one another. St. Paul tells us in the second reading to love one another. Ezekiel reminds us in the first reading that love includes taking care of the soul of our brethren. This includes telling wicked brethren certain things he/she may not like to hear to save his/her soul and save the community. Somebody needs to do the job with love and care. Christ reminds us in the gospel to relate with our brethren with love and care. Through our loving and caring for one another, may we be change agents of our communities, our nation, and the world.

Fr. Leo Ahanotu