

Sunday, August 10, 2025

The Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Wis 18:6-9

Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19

Lk 12:32-48

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

204 E 4th Street, Sand Springs, OK



Mass Schedule—St. Patrick

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:00am

Daily Masses

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

8:00 am Rosary, 8:30 am Mass

Adoration 5:00 pm on Fridays

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Holy Days: As Announced

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Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

450 E Cimarron, Mannford, OK



Mass Schedule for Our Lady of the Lake

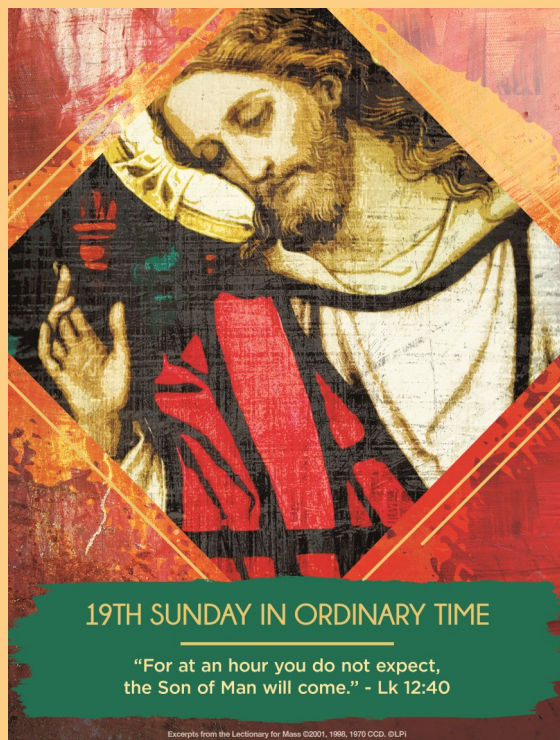
Sunday: 8:00 am

(Confession 7:30 am - 7:45 am)

Wednesday 5:30 pm Adoration

6:00 pm Mass

Holy Days: As Announced

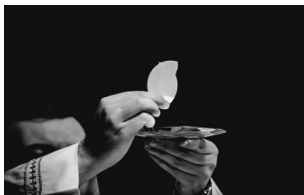


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Understanding the Mass



The Mass now invites us to the altar for the reception of Holy Communion. The priest elevates the Host and Chalice saying, "Behold the Lamb of God; behold Him who takes

away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb." The people respond, "Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed." Those receiving Communion now process to the altar.

As the priest offers us Holy Communion, he says, "The Body of Christ," and we express our belief by saying, "Amen." It is the resurrected, glorified Body and Blood of Christ we are receiving. The Body and Blood of Christ have been united in the commingling. Therefore, the Chalice of his sacred Blood may or may not be offered depending on circumstances.

Mass Intentions

Sat. August 9	† Mark Schumacher by the Men's Club
Sun. August 10	† Mark Schumacher by the Men's Club
Thurs. August 14	† Mark Schumacher by the Men's Club
Sat. August 16	† Loretta Dayer by George Dayer
Sun. August 17	† Roland & Marge Harrison by Cecelia Cameron



Calendar at St. Patrick's

Wednesdays at 11:30 am—The Widows/Widowers (WW) Social Club meet at various restaurants in Sand Springs and Mannford. On Wednesday, August 13 they will meet at Ron's.

Thursdays at 9:00 am—Legion of Mary

Thursday, August 14 at 6:00 pm — Women's Club Business Meeting in Parish Hall.

Friday August 15—Holy Day—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (see page 3 for Mass schedule).

Friday, August 22 at 7:00 pm—Discussion on the policy for Extraordinary Ministers to distribute Holy Communion.

Thursday, August 29 at 6:00 pm—Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting.

At Our Lady of the Lake

Wednesday, August 20 at 7:00 pm—Discussion on the policy for Extraordinary Ministers to distribute Holy Communion.

From the Pastor's Desk

We have many scam text messages and emails going on. Sometimes, the criminals use the names of bishops and priests to send texts and emails to people. Some people have become victims of these scams because of their love for their pastors. Watch out for these.



Last year, Bishop Konderla gave us his policy regarding the distribution of the Holy Communion. The policy is in the foyer for the extraordinary ministers of the Holy Communion to take home and read. We shall meet on August 20th at Our Lady of the Lake Parish and on August 22nd at St. Patrick's Parish to discuss the policy. The meetings will be at 7:00 pm. If anyone cannot make it to the meetings for any reason, please submit your questions and concerns to those who will attend the meeting.

After all the necessary meetings, the staff has proceeded to create a new website for our two parishes to align with the rest of the parishes and the universal church in the use of social media to witness Christ. There will be more on the Website than what we have now, and the purpose is to have more dynamic parishes. I want to use this opportunity to thank Mr. Carlos, who has been taking care of the website for about seven years. He is a remarkable and gentle man. For those who do not know, it takes some money to keep and maintain the Website, and Carlos had been making the payments from his pocket. Please acknowledge his generosity whenever you see him.

Remember that August 15 is the Solemnity of the Assumption. We have 8:30 am and 7:30 pm Masses at St. Patrick's and 6:00 pm Mass at Our Lady of the Lake.

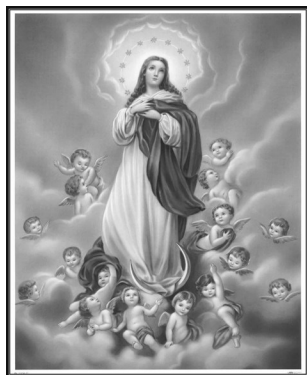
With sadness and thanking God for all the good works Fr. Chuck Swett has done in our Diocese, the chancery announces the passing of Fr. Swett. There will be a Rosary for him this Sunday at 7:00 pm and Mass the next day, August 11, at 10:00 AM at the Cathedral. You would have gotten this information earlier than now if our flocknote were already working, but we will get there. Deacon Todd and I had the opportunity to visit him at St. Francis' hospital and prayed for him on your behalf a day before he passed.

Pray for our children, grandchildren, and teachers as they prepare to go back to school.

Fr. Leo Ahanotu

Holy Day August 15

The Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary



Mass Schedule

<i>St. Patrick's</i>	8:30 am 7:30 pm
<i>Our Lady</i>	6:00 pm

St. Patrick's Collection – August 3

Regular Collection  \$ 2,720.00

Weekly Regular Collection Needed \$ 3,000.00

St. Patrick's Leadership

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**The Automated
External Defibrillator
(AED) at St. Patrick's is
located in the Sacristy.**



Ministers For Mass

St. Patrick's, Sand Springs

Weekend of August 9/10

Sat Ushers Kevin Ikenberry & Frank Pacenza
Readers Claire Ikenberry & Rodney Lay
Rosary Ken Carpenter

Sun Ushers Morris Brandt & Sonny Hollingshead
Readers Andy Copeland & April Slezak
Rosary Sonny Hollingshead

Weekend of August 16/17

Sat Ushers Mark Leonard & Ben Scantling
Readers Gary Curtis & Ken Hill
Rosary Frank Pacenza

Sun Ushers Frank Schuette & Morris Brandt
Readers Natalie Bennett & Frank Mamola
Rosary Morris Brandt

Our Lady of the Lake, Mannford

Month of August

Readers: Sara & Kyle Genzer

Ushers: Sofia Hutchens & Cassandra Kreeb

Gift Bearers: Gary & Nedra Cheney

God's Housekeeper: The Group

Our Lady of the Lake Collection

August 3, 2025

Regular Collection \$ 871.00

Candle \$ 91.00

Weekly Regular Collection Needed \$ 1,000.00

The Second Collection on August 10 is for the Building Fund

Prayer List

The purpose for this list is to request God's immediate blessings for the recovery and well-being of parishioners who are experiencing unexpected illness or crisis. Call the parish office at 245-5840 to add names to the Sick List. Names will list for three weeks.

David Bacon, Terri Beach, Gregg Conway, Gerald Felber, Hudson Holt, Lee McLain, Stella Osborn, Jan Roberts, GL Rose, Jim, Mary, Blake and Niki Schweitzer, Ralph Sunley, Jan Walker, Our Troops.