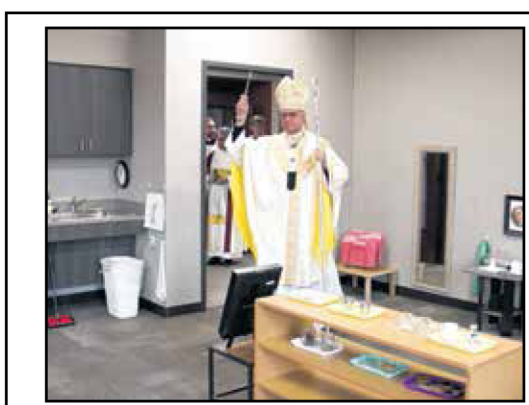




The Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma presented Fr. Christopher Brashears, of Sacred Heart in Hooker, with a check for technology to benefit parishes in the panhandle. *Photo provided.*



The sign at Blessed Sacrament in Lawton received a much-needed makeover recently thanks to the Summit Project, parishioner Sophia Carter and her friends and family, and a generous gift from McCoy's Building Supply. Carter is part of Venture Crew 4173, which is a co-ed division of scouts that allows students ages 14-21 to participate in high-adventure scouting and leadership opportunities. For this project, Carter coordinated removal of trees and existing landscaping materials, secured new materials and coordinated volunteers. She and her family also restored and corrected the parish's Mass times sign. For more information and Mass times at Blessed Sacrament, go online to [www.lawtoncatholic.com](http://www.lawtoncatholic.com). *Photo provided.*



Archbishop Coakley dedicated and blessed the St. Ambrose Center at St. Monica in Edmond on Nov. 25. The building is designed to foster a culture of conversion and discipleship and includes a conference center, discussion rooms, multi-purpose youth rooms and two specially designed areas dedicated to the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program. For more information on ministries, Mass times and adoration, go online to [www.stmonica-edmond.org](http://www.stmonica-edmond.org). *Photos Cara Koenig/Sooner Catholic and Jacqueline Farley.*



Second grade students from the Catholic School of St. Eugene participated in First Reconciliation on Nov. 13. *Photo provided.*



The 2018 Confirmation class for the Church of the Epiphany of the Lord in Oklahoma City. They were confirmed Nov 17. *Photo Cara Koenig.*



The student council at Mount St. Mary Catholic High School hosted "ACTS Week" (Assisting Charities Through Service Activities) to raise money for the Down Syndrome Association of Central Oklahoma. The theme for the week was Dr. Seuss, and the quote for the week was, "Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, nothing is going to get better. It's not." Students raised more than \$6,000. *Photo provided.*



Carrying on an old custom of bishops baptizing a family's 12th child, Archbishop Coakley baptized Olivia Ruth Jackson on Nov. 18 at St. Monica in Edmond. Olivia is pictured with Archbishop Coakley, her parents Jerry and Claudia Jackson, her 11 siblings, Fr. Stephen Hamilton and an altar server. *Photo provided.*

