Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church



PARISH STAFF

Rev. Raymond K. Ackerman, Pastor Email: frray@lawtoncatholic.com Rev. Thomas Nallapatti, Assoc. Pastor Email: frthomas@lawtoncatholic.com Deacon Bob Quinnett Deacon Howard Harper

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm Sunday Masses: 8:00 am and 11:30 am Sunday Mass: 9:45 am at our Mission, St. Patrick Catholic Church in Walters Daily Masses: Monday-Saturday 7:30 am Check Mass Schedule for any changes.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm Thursday after 6:30 pm Holy Hour

PARISH OFFICE STAFF

Joanne Linville, Office Manager Michelle Benke, Secretary Jo Ann Landoll, Records

PARISH INFORMATION

Phone: (580)355-2054

Address: 12 S.W. 7th St., Lawton, OK 73501 Corner of 7th Street & Gore Blvd.

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Lawton, OK 73502

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Fri-9:30 am-12:30 pm

Email: secretary@lawtoncatholic.com

Website: lawtoncatholic.com Flocknote: Text Lawton to 84576

June 1, 2025 The Ascension of the Lord Pastor, Rev. Raymond K. Ackerman



In every Catholic church where the Eucharist is reserved, Jesus is truly present—Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. He waits in love for each of us to visit Him in the Blessed Sacrament.

As the Catechism teaches, "In the most blessed

sacrament of the Eucharist 'the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ... is truly, really, and substantially contained'" (CCC 1374).

Come and visit Him during

<u>First Friday Adoration June 6th</u>
immediately after the 8am daily Mass
until 6:30pm, followed by
Vespers and Benediction until 7pm.

Come Celebrate With Us!

Blessed Sacrament was established in 1902

making this the 123rd

Anniversary of Our Parish.

Please join us after all Masses the weekend of

June 7th and 8th in the Parish Hall

for refreshments, a display of historic photos and learn illuminating facts about

Our Parish.



Blessed Sacrament Prison Ministry is feeding offenders at

6:00 pm on June 5th

at First United

Methodist Church 2602 NW Ferris Ave. Anyone can volunteers to bring side dishes, salads, or desserts.

Contact Charles Benke at 580-353-5011, and leave a message if you wish to help.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Deacon Bob Quinnett

Email: DeaconBob@lawtoncatholic.com

CAMERON CATHOLICS

Billy Gonsler Campus Minister

Email: youthdirector@lawtoncatholic.com

ALTAR SOCIETY

Meets the second Monday of the month, September through May only

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS, COURT ST. JUDE

Meets the third Saturday of the month

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

Meets the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the St. Mary Cafeteria

MARRIAGE

At least six months preparation time is required and one party must be registered in the parish. Please call the parish office to begin this preparation.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Meets every 1st Saturday in St. Mary's Cafeteria following the 7:30 am Mass

MUSIC MINISTRY

Choir rehearsals are the 1st, 3rd and 4th Tuesday from September - May at 6:00 pm in the Church

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DIRECTOR

Director: Alicia Brierton Email: re@lawtoncatholic.com

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Director: Alicia Brierton

Email: safe@lawtoncatholic.com

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents should call for an appointment at least three months prior to the desired date of Baptism. Parents must be registered parishioners. Please call the parish office for more information.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

(580) 355-7837(Help Line)

Meets the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall

THRIFT SHOP

(580) 581-1309

Currently Open Mondays and Wednesdays from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

YOUTH DIRECTOR

Director: Billy Gonsler

Email: youthdirector@lawtoncatholic.com



ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO... Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Has a child over the age

of 7 who has not been baptized? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? For information please contact Deacon Bob (580) 583-0271, **DeaconBob@lawtoncatholic.com.**

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their lives can inspire your own.

Summer Saints

As the summer season approaches, filled with warm days and busy schedules, take a moment to pause and enrich your spiritual life by joining **Summer with the Saints!** This **fun 12-week journey** is perfect for all ages—offering weekly opportunities to celebrate the feast days of incredible saints through movies, shows, and inspiring content on **Formed**. Each week highlights a new saint, inviting you to reflect on their virtues and discover how

With faith-filled videos, family-friendly activities, and easy-to-follow plans, it's simple to make space for spiritual growth this summer. Whether you're hosting a birthday party for St. John the Baptist (yes, cake is encouraged!), planting a garden in honor of St. Kateri, or just cozying up for a movie night, there's something for everyone.

Bonus! By signing up, you'll be entered to win weekly giveaways and a **grand prize drawing** featuring a huge collection of kids' books and other great items from **Catholic Market**.

Here's what you'll get when you join:

- •A downloadable calendar that shows each week's featured saint
- •Creative activity ideas to bring the saints to life
- •Inspiring content delivered right to your inbox

Whether you're deepening your personal spiritual journey or helping your kids get to know their

heavenly friends, Summer with the Saints will make this your most meaningful—and memorable—summer yet.

Sign up now to begin your summer journey with the saints.



Scan to Sign Up



The Parish has purchased assisted listening devices to help parishioners during Mass. If you would like an assisted listening device, please call the parish office at 580-355-2054.



Join in praying the rosary, every Wednesday, at 6:30 pm in the church. Rosario...Todos están invitados a rezar el rosario, cada miércoles a las 6:30 pm en la iglesia.

JOIN FLOCKNOTE

Join our online messaging. Text **Lawton** to **84576** to sign up for Flocknote and keep informed with bulletins, announcements, volunteer opportunities and upcoming events.





Blessed Sacrament has an opening for a part time, 25 hours per week, property caretaker.

The property caretaker maintains a clean working environment for all staff and visitors, ensuring all areas are safe.

Provides cleaning services for all Church buildings/ property (except the rectory). The property caretaker also performs a variety of building and facility maintenance duties throughout the Parish buildings and property. Work performed may include carpentry, electrical, plumbing, mechanical duties and groundskeeping.

The successful candidate is expected to follow rules of conduct that will protect the interests and safety of all, including standards and policies. An Archdiocese of Oklahoma City safe environment background check is required.

Please contact Joanne Linville, office manager, at office@lawtoncatholic.com

Come join us for some
Faith and fun at Holy
Family Parish for
Catholic Vacation Bible
School.





Monday-Friday, June 23-27, 8:30-11:30am for kids age 4 to kids that just finished Grade 5.

No cost this year due to a gift, and space is limited. Fillable Registration forms may be found online at holyfamilylawton.org. Hover over Faith Formation, then click on

Vacation Bible School.

Download the forms then email them to catholicvbs@holyfamilylawton.org Forms are also available on the credenza next to the Religious Education Office at Holy Family. For more information contact Lisa Butler, VBS Coordinator, at 580.512.1218 text or call, or Vicki Gable, DRE at 580.536.6355.

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Welcome, we are glad you are here with us today!

If you are new to our parish, please ask an usher for a registration form or go to lawtoncatholic.com.

Birthdays June 1st-15th

Samantha Alcala, Bailey Allgood, Ray Andreoli, Naythan Archuleta, Armando Aguilar, Rosie Arnett, Isaac Barrientos, Tynnlee Bernal, Andrew Borrego, Casey Caddell, Alexander Carbajal, Angela Carreno-Juarez, Rose Anne Cao, Rogelio Cardona, Rachel Carmin, Amrid Clay, Phillip Conway, Katie Cooper, Victor Corpuz, Maite Cossio, John Crain, Archer Crouch, Jack Crouch, Patty Cupit, Ellen Davis, Patrick Donahue, Elisa Garcia, Yasmin Garcia, Reid Garrett, Heidy George, Carrie Glanzer, Sarah Gonzales, Troy Guimond, Taylor Heck, William Helon, Florence Hergenrether, Sharon Hubbard, Marco Ibarra, Maria Jantzen, Nathan Johnson, Marina Krawetzke, Richmond Launte, Margarita Lopez Solis, Sandy Mayhall, Ricardo Mendoza, Wilma Meyer, Holly Monostori, Brian Moore, Jasmin Moors, Brody Morris, John Morris, Eliel Munoz, Christopher Nededog, Dianne Nededog, Victoria Nunez, Roye Pendergraph, Vincent Pham, Kristi Pratt, Brody Pratt, Hye Pruchnicki, Carmen Puga, Maria Rivera, Diana Rodriguez, Eric Rojo, Kalisa Stancil, Marsha Taylor, Hailey Tillery, Esther Young

THANK YOU

Our Weekend Mass Offerings May 17 and 18, 2025

General Fund—Envelopes \$5,800.73 Catholic Communication Campaign \$1,779.00 General Fund Online Giving(464646) \$1,763.55 Parish Improvement Fund Online Giving \$124.51

No Special Collection Next Week

With grateful hearts, we extend our deepest thanks for your continued support.
Your generosity helps sustain our parish.

JUNE 1, 2025 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH



Monday, June 2

7:30 am— Daily Mass (+Lahoma Bertram-Benke by Charles Benke)

Tuesday, June 3

7:30 am— Daily Mass (Intentions of Joed Morris by Sammy Morris)

6:00 pm—St. Vincent de Paul Meeting in Parish Hall

Wednesday, June 4

7:30 am— Daily Mass (Intentions of Bill Doolin by Sammy Morris) 6:30 pm—Rosary in Church

Thursday, June 5

7:30 am— Daily Mass (+Thomas Beck by

Charles James Ralph)

10:00 am—Youth Group at Blessed Sacrament 6:00 pm—Prison Ministry Feeding

6:30 pm—Holy Hour, followed by confessions

Friday, June 6

7:30 am— Daily Mass (+Henry P. Brandt by His Family)

10:00 am—Youth Group at Holy Family

8:00 am—All Day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

6:30 pm—Vespers and Benediction

Saturday, June 7

7:30 am—Daily Mass (+Randy Conner by

Cathleen Conner)

3:00 pm—Confessions in the Church until 4:30 pm

5:00 pm—Vigil Mass (+Felipe and +Andrea Hernandez by Jesusita Ozuna)

Sunday, June 8

8:00 am—Blessed Sacrament (+Robert Dickinson by Heather and John Scotto)

9:45 am—Mass at St. Patrick in Walters

(For the People of the Parish)

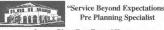
11:30 am— Bilingual Mass (+Juan R. and +Rosario Saquing by Josie Oliveros)

Mass Attendance May 17 and 18, 2025

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm had 118 in attendance Sunday Morning at 8:00 am had 142 in attendance Sunday Morning at 11:30 am had 223 in attendance Total Attendance 483

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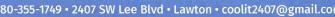
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