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.

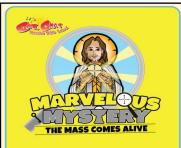
CONFESSIONS Saturday: 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm Thursday after 6:30 pm Holy Hour

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. Mailing Address: PO Box 2546 Lawton, OK 73502 Office Hours: Mon-Thu 9:30 am-4:30 pm Fri-9:30 am-12:30 pm Email: secretary@lawtoncatholic.com Website: lawtoncatholic.com Flocknote: Text Lawton to 84576

May 25, 2025 6th Sunday of Easter Pastor, Rev. Raymond K. Ackerman



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

The Mass Comes Alive will be held

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 <u>holyfamilylawton.org</u>. Hover over Faith Formation, then click on

Vacation Bible School.

Download the forms then email them to <u>catholicvbs@holyfamilylawton.org</u> 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.



This weekend, our St. Vincent de Paul Society is accepting donations after all the Masses. Your generous contributions are used right here, to help

the people of the Lawton Community. This past month SVdP has helped 36 families, 16 with utilities, 10 with rent, and 10 with food. If you or someone you know needs assistance, please call the St. Vincent de Paul Society line at (580)355-7837 and leave a detailed message.

Frassati Society

May 29th at Blessed Sacrament 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm



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**.



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 their lives can inspire your own.

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.



Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.



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 <u>office@lawtoncatholic.com</u>

If you would like to make contributions online, simply scan this QR Code with your smartphone camera. This code will take you directly to our contribution website. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



"Save Time and Donate Online!" WeShare is an easy and convenient way to save time and support our church. If you would like to enroll in Online Giving, please visit <u>www.lawtoncatholic.com</u> and click the "Give Now" tab.

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.



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 Nay 16th-31st

Scott Adam, Alicia Agular, Erica Alog, Adamariz Alvarado, Stephanie Banks, Saul Barrientos, Dustin Boswell, Harper Cabelka, Arwyn Camaso, May Jane Camero, Nicole Campbell, Domingue Carroll, Nicolas Chadwell, Eva Cruz, Jeremy Coe, Ira Daebler, Lydia Dawson, Lyn DelaRosa, Nicolas DelaRosa, Todd Fischer, Emmanuel Garcia, Humberto Garcia, Martha Garcia, Graciela Garrison, Kiley Glowaski, Alicia Gouveia, Brayden Gray, Derek Griner, John Griner, Jarret Hammond, MaryAnn Holman, Jaden Huff, Adrian Kosaka, Ethan Lopez, Lisa Madigan, Jesse Martinez, Sheryl Mather, Mike Mayhall, Heidi Mayo, Lily McClure, Keylei McLinden, Frank Murillo, Felicity Najera, Rochelle Norman, Pia Quinnett, Gabriel Ramirez, Emma Rayos, Maia Rayos, Hannah Renschen, Heith Renschen, Andrew Rine, John Schafer, Modesto Schonchin, Marie Scott, Elizabeth Smith, Kenneth Stewart, Matthew Stufflebean, Jennifer Turner, Briana Whiddon



Our Weekend Mass Offerings May 10 and 11, 2025

General Fund—Envelopes\$7,182.82General Fund Online Giving(464646)\$3,537.51Parish Improvement Fund Online Giving\$789.41

Special Collection Next Week: Parish Improvement Fund

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



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.

MAY 25, 2025 6th Sunday of Easter BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH



Monday, May 26 7:30 am— Daily Mass (For those who have served in the Armed Forces)

Parish Office and Thrift Shop Closed For Memorial Day

<u>Tuesday, May 27</u> 7:30 am— Daily Mass (Intentions of Sofia Lozowski by Heather and John Scotto)

<u>Wednesday, May 28</u> No Daily Mass 6:30 pm—Rosary in Church

<u>Thursday, May 29</u> No Daily Mass 6:00 pm—Young Adults Frassati Society 6:30 pm—Holy Hour-No confessions

Friday, May 30 No Daily Mass

<u>Saturday, May 31</u> 7:30 am—Daily Mass (+James E. Chalk by David and Marie Scott)

3:00 pm—Confessions in the Church until 4:30 pm 5:00 pm—Vigil Mass (+George and +Theresa Murr by Anna Rowland)

Sunday, June 1

8:00 am—Blessed Sacrament (Intentions of the Benke-Bertram Family) 9:45 am—Mass at St. Patrick in Walters

(For Struggling Families)

11:30 am— Bilingual Mass (For the People of the Parish)

Mass Attendance May 10 and 11, 2025

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm had 122 in attendance Sunday Morning at 8:00 am had 174 in attendance Sunday Morning at 11:30 am had 259 in attendance Total Attendance 555





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