SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 22, 2019

MON, JULY 22:
8:30 AM  † BARKER & CHADDO FAMILIES BY THE BARKER FAMILY
† JARED HAMILIN
SI RENEE PAGAN
5:30 PM  † DOLLY WOODY BY THE WOMEN’S GUILD
SI CAROL LUTZ
† DR. PAUL PELOQUIN BY RENEE PAGAN

TUES, JULY 23:
8:30 AM  † RICHARD LA VANDA BY THE MEDLOCK FAMILY
† MARGUERITE GEISSLER—3RD ANNIVERSARY BY HENRY
† ARNOLD MUEHL BY JIM & PAULINE NEY
5:30 PM  † LOUISE PACHELLI BY TONY PACHELLI
SI FR. NATHAN LÓPEZ BY DEACON PAT & KERRIE SENA
SI COURTNEY MANFIELD

WED, JULY 24:
8:30 AM  † VALERIA STREFF
† BERNICE NEWSMAN
SI ST. THERESE & THE BLESSED MOTHER BY MARGARET SMITH
5:30 PM  † PEGGY MOSER BY JR. NEDDY GUAN, FDCC
† LOUISE PACHELLI BY TONY PACHELLI
† CATHERINE NEUBAUER BY THE CALT FAMILY

THURS, JULY 25:
8:30 AM  † JANICE BUSTOS, BEN ROYBAL & RUDY GONZALES BY THE ROYBAL FAMILY
† ANNIE BACA BY THE BACA FAMILY
SI GUERRIN-DURAN FAMILY
5:30 PM  † JACK CONNOR—1ST ANNIVERSARY BY ROSE
† LOUISE PACHELLI BY TONY PACHELLI
SI FR. TIMOTHY MEYER BY DEACON PAT AND KERRIE SENA

FRI, JULY 26:
8:30 AM  † BERLINDA & ROBERT J. MARTINEZ BY THE MARTINEZ FAMILY
† RALPH, MILDRED & BOB ROTHGEB
† EVELYN BERRY BY JOHN HUMBEL & FAMILY
5:30 PM  † TONY PACHELLI BY TONY PACHELLI
SI ROSE HALEY BY THE HEGEMEIER FAMILY
SI SPECIAL INTENTION

SAT, JULY 27:
5:00 PM  SI FOR THE PEOPLE
7:00 AM  † RICHARD DONALDSON BY THE FAMILY
† HELEN JUDE FAZZONE BY ARTHUR & CATHERINE ARENOHLZ
† WILLIS BERRY
9:00 AM  † CATHY SHEYKA BY RICK & RENEE PAGAN
† JOHN HUMBEL (AFF) BY LESLIE MONETTE & RENEE PAGAN
† KATHERINE ABADZAK BY HER SISTER
10:30 AM  † GENE CAILT BY STEVE & CAROL MARKHAM
† DINA ANAYA BY NANNY & JOSE JARAMILLO
† IN THANKSGIVING
12:00 PM  † BYRON MACHEE BY THE HULING FAMILY
† JOHN SANCHEZ BY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS (12:00PM)
† SANDY STAGHONE BY THE DREBING FAMILY
5:30 PM  † ANNA QUINN BY MARY LOUISE GANLEY
† FRANK J. BARELA BY DEACON PAT & KERRIE SENA
† MARIA MONTOYA-CHAVEZ BY THERESA, ELIZABETH & JOSEPH

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 28, 2019
Gn 18:20-32  COL 2:12-14  Lk 11:1-13

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
Our Lady of the Annunciation Roman Catholic Parish is a people of living faith rooted in the Gospel, centered on the Eucharist and led by the Holy Spirit.
We are inspired by the example of Mary to continue the mission of Jesus Christ by ministering to all.
Annunciation Parish Website: www.annunciationparishabq.org

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
The Sacred Scriptures often call us to a life of prayer and this weekend’s liturgy does so very clearly. The gospel text in LK 10:38-42 tells us about Jesus’ encounter with the sisters Martha and Mary, who along with their brother Lazarus, become close friends of Jesus. Martha is busy with the work of hospitality and resentful of her sister Mary who is seated, listening to Jesus. While Martha asks Jesus to get her sister to help her, the Lord makes it clear that his greater concern is for the spirit. While we are often worried and concerned for many things in this world, we would do well to focus first on our relationship with God in prayer so that all these other realities will fall into their proper place. Yes, we are called to service, but without prayer we may find ourselves in danger of our action being empty. Prayer really is the soul of our service. In Colossians 1: 24-28, St. Paul makes a seemingly outrageous claim that in his sufferings he was making up in what was lacking in the sufferings of Christ. Now we know that Jesus gave his all on the Cross as the head of the mystical Body of Christ. What is lacking is our part as other members of the mystical Body of Christ. In prayer, you and I can unite our own sufferings to the Cross of Jesus for the good of others and for the transformation of the world. Let us take this serious calling to prayer and choose the better portion, which Mary chose, by means of adoration, worship, song and silence at the feet of the Lord Jesus.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING WEEK
The theme for this year’s Natural Family Planning Week, July 21-27, is: “Love Naturally: Natural Family Planning, Cooperating with God’s design for Married Love.” We want to celebrate and reverence God’s vision of human sexuality rather than the world’s view. God designed marriage as an “intimate partnership of life and love” (cf. Gaudium et Spes, no. 48). In God’s design, marriage is a unique union of one man with one woman for the good of the world. Marriage is oriented to the good of the spouses and to the creation and nurture of new human life. Making decisions about having and raising children is a sacred responsibility entrusted to parents. Responsible parenthood is a calling to discern God’s will for your marriage while respecting God’s design for life and love. We offer NFP classes here in the parish monthly through the Couple to Couple League sympto-thermal program. To learn more about NFP and how it promotes a culture of marital love and life, you may go to their website at www.cci.org or go to the Catholic Bishops’ website at www.usccb.org and search for Natural Family Planning.

45TH SOUTHWEST CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE
This year’s Charismatic Conference will be held next weekend, July 26-28 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel here in Albuquerque. The theme from Isaiah 66:1 is “The heavens are my throne and the earth is my footstool.” The renowned speakers are Fr. Daniel Balzun from Santa Fe, Maria Vadia with the Magnificat women’s organization, and Barbara Heil, a former Evangelical pastor. In order to register, you may go to www.abqccc.org for more information.
PARISH LIFE & PASTORAL OUTREACH

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
Sr. Nevy Guan, FRCJ, Director
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299-9111

Jesus’ response to the apostle Peter — “what I do and say is for your good and benefit” — finds its full significance in reference to teenagers. In the very words of Jesus, that word which illuminates and supports all that we are and what we do. We go to pray, for example, before the Crucifix, and we talk, talk, talk, and then we leave, we do not allow him to speak to our heart. Listen, this is the key word. Do not forget.
— Pope Francis, Angelus, July 17, 2016

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS / ACTIVITIES

July 22
Monday
Masses
9:30 - 10:30 AM
SPH

July 25
Thursday
Compassion Visits to the Sick & Homebound
9:30 - 10:00 AM
SDB

July 27/28
Sat/Sun
Distribution of Religious Education Supplies
All Masses
Parking Lot

July 28
Sunday
Marriage Matters Ministry
6:30 - 8:30 PM
Gym/CC

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A ROMAN CATHOLIC?

At Annunciation we welcome inquirers who would like to learn more about what it means to be a member of the Catholic Church. If you or someone you know wants to become Catholic or complete the Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation and Eucharist), you are invited to the first stage of the RCIJ called Inquiry. It will start on Sunday, August 30, 2019 at 7:00 - 9:00 PM in St. Magdalene Hall. Registration is ongoing.

If you are interested, please call Sr. Nevy at 299-9111 or pick up the flyer on the book rack in the vestibule and drop-off the registration portion at the parish office.

CONCILATION MINISTRY

Conciliation Ministry offers Mass every second Thursday of the month at 5:30 PM followed by prayer and fellowship for all conciliated members of our parish, families, and friends. This Thursday, July 25th at 6:30 PM at St. Joseph Hall in the Parochial House. Contact Kim at 299-7297 for details.

RESPITE LIFE MINISTRY

Explores lives of people who have lived with dementia. The group meets every first Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM in St. Francis Hall. Contact Kim at 299-7297 for details.

MARITAL MATTERS MINISTRY

Marital Matters Ministry strives to strengthen the Domestic Church — the building blocks of the Universal Church. Next meeting is Sunday, July 28th at 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM in the Gym. Contact Dea. Tony Rivera (405-410-9790) or Dea. Pat Tuma (405-228-4959).

Religious Education

Family Centered
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Religious Education Programs

THE ‘MARKS’ THAT SHOULD MAKE CATHOLIC FAMILIES DIFFERENT

Adapted from an essay by Dr. Greg Popcak — Our Sunday Visitor, Published on May 24, 2015

Are Catholic families supposed to be different? What would that difference look like here in the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City? The people we serve, and the people we are, all need to know that Catholics are called to have a different kind of family. Catholic families are called to intimacy. Most importantly, the Christian life is a call to intimate communion (cf. Jn 17:21). Catholic families serve that goal by being schools of faith and loving (CCC 1687) where we learn how to love God and each other with our whole hearts, minds and strength. To do this, we constantly seek new ways to be even more loving to each other as husband, wife, parents and children.

Catholic families put family first. Because our family relationships are the primary means God uses to help us become the people he created us to be, we treat family life itself as the most important activity in our week. We create and protect family rituals that give us regular time to play, talk, pray and value these activities over others that would seek to compete with them.

The Catholic family is a witness and a sign: We recognize that God wants to change the world through our families. We actively participate in this plan by (1) working hard to be witnesses of the love, joy and intimacy that every human heart longs for in both good times and bad and (2) to carry this love and joy outside the home by serving our community in a manner that keeps families together through the practice of the corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

Religious Education

Elementary Religious Education
Pre-K (age 4) through 8th grade
Wednesdays at 4:15 to 5:45 PM
Annunciation School Classrooms

Middle School “The NET”
6th, 7th and 8th grade
Saturdays at 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Gym and School Classrooms

First Eucharist & Reconciliation
For children in the 3rd grade. Must be enrolled in Religious Education or at Annunciation Catholic School.

RCIA/Sacramental Prep
For children age 7 to 15 who are not baptized or missing Sacraments. Details in upcoming bulletins. Contact Leslie at 296-0411.
LECTIONARY READINGS: Monday, July 22nd, 2019 — Saturday, July 27th, 2019

MONDAY:  St. Mary Magdalene  
Sg 3:1-4b  Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

TUESDAY:  St. Bridget, Religious  
Ex 14:21-15:1  Mt 12:46-50

WEDNESDAY:  St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest  
Ex 16:1-5, 9-15  Mt 13:1-9

THURSDAY:  St. James, Apostle  
2 Cor 4:17-7,15  Mt 20:20-28

FRIDAY:  St. Joachim & St. Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Ex 20:1-17  Mt 13:18-23

SATURDAY:  Weekday; Blessed Virgin Mary  
Ex 24:3-8  Mt 13:24-30

MUSIC & LITURGICAL MINISTRY
Dr. Jane Smith, Director  
298-9636  
Rose Marie Vigil, Administrative Assistant

MINISTRY & MUSIC HAPPENINGS

MUSIC
Cantor Rehearsal: Thursday, July 25 @ 7:00 pm, in the church
5:30 PM Music Ensemble Rehearsal: Before Mass @ 4:15 pm in the church

MINISTRY
Current Altar Servers: Please check your schedules carefully and serve when scheduled. Also, please return the form about serving for funerals and other special events during the summer.

High School Altar Servers: If you are going away to college, please let us know; we will take you off of our Server List. Also, please inform us as soon as possible if you will be unable to serve during the upcoming school year. We depend on our experienced Servers, so please continue serving if you are able.

ORDINARY TIME
After the great feasts of Pentecost, Trinity Sunday, Corpus Christi and the Sacred Heart, we find ourselves in Ordinary Time. This name comes from assigning the weeks from now until the end of the Church Year numbers rather than names. It is well for us to remember, however, that each and every celebration of the Eucharist is an extraordinary event; at each and every Mass, we are reminded of God’s great love for us as revealed in the Paschal Mystery of Christ’s Passion, Death and Resurrection. There is nothing “ordinary” about the Mass, whether on Sunday or a weekday. Bring your whole heart to this “extraordinary” celebration whenever you are at Mass!

Please keep the sick and homebound of our parish in your prayers.

Anointing of the Sick: Wednesday, July 24, 2019 after the 8:30 AM Mass

The Liturgical Minister Schedule Annunciation Parish Website:  
www.annunciationparishabq.org/litschedule.html

Have you ever considered how much God wants us to be hospitable to him? Today’s readings challenge us to look at how we invite the Lord into our hearts each day. Are we as gracious and open as a hospital host, or do we go through most of our day forgetting to keep company with the Lord, rushing from one thing to the next? Many of us Christians are so busy trying to serve in our families, our children’s schools and activities, and even our local churches, that we forget who we are serving. We often lose sight of the Lord himself. The Gospel reading for today portrays this beautifully in the person of Martha, who is so busy serving her guests that she becomes upset and loses sight of why she is serving in the first place: to make a place of welcome for Jesus. It isn’t that we are unwilling to offer hospitality to God. It’s just that so often the Lord comes in disguise, as a poor child, someone in need. If we aren’t alert, we can miss the Lord as he passes by. Each day we need to reflect on the willingness we have to show hospitality to God. And our willingness to see him in the many disguises he wears.

For more reflections like this go to FORMED.ORG
To watch/listen to good Catholic programming, go to the website and use our parish code: BRNTF6 and enjoy a variety of movies, studies, books and audio for free, as a gift from our parish to your home!

YOUTH EVENTS CALENDAR
High School Youth Ministry is Taking a Break in July.
Confirmation Registration is now Open. Visit the Youth and Young Adult website to sign up.

WED 07.24  Troop 280 Meeting  6:00 pm Hike the Sandra Foothills
Pack 280 Kick-Off / Registration  Sunday, September 10th
AHG Kick-Off / Registration  To Be Determined

SUN 07.21  Sunday Night Rosary  6:30pm—Check YYAWWebsite/
MON 07.22  Bible Study—Mark  7:00pm—Don’s, Monroe/Central

Young Adult Ministry

Ordinary Time
There’s nothing ordinary about it.

HOSPITALITY TO GOD

The first kind of sociability is directed to the individual. It is a matter of listening to someone who is sharing his very self in what he says. A sign of this willingness to listen in the time we are ready to spare for others. More than the amount of time we spend, it is about making others feel that they are in our time, that they have all the time they need to say everything they want. The other person must sense that I am listening unconditionally, without being offended or shocked, tired or bored. We see an example of this kind of listening in the Lord; he was alongside the disciples on the way to Emmaus, even though they are going in the wrong direction (cf. Lk 24:13-32). When Jesus says he plans to go farther, they realize that he has given them the gift of his time, so they decide to give him theirs by offering their hospitality. Appropriate and unselfish love is a sign of our respect for others, whatever their ideas or their choices in life.

SPECIAL EVENTS

COME TO CHRIST

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Thursday, August 1, 2019  
John Vianney Church

Please keep the sick and homebound of our parish in your prayers.