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## January 19, 2020

### Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Parish Council Meeting**  
**Tues., Jan. 21 @ 5:30 p.m.**  
*Contact a Parish Council member, if you have a suggestion/concern to be addressed by the council*

The Wagoner County Sheriff's Office will be present a free training on "**Defending your House of Worship Against an Act of Violence**"  
**Wagoner Civic Center**  
**Thursday, Jan. 23, 6:30-8:00 p.m.**

mark your calendar for the next  
**Theology on Tap**  
**Tuesday, Jan. 28, @ 6 p.m.**  
Topic and Other Details TBA

**Holy Cross T-Shirts Available**  
Royal Blue with White HHC Logo on front  
Short-sleeve and Long-sleeve Styles—\$10-17  
**Pick up an Order Form and Order by Feb. 2**

ALL WELCOME!  
Please join us for the January Birthdays' Brunch after Sunday Mass **next** weekend!  
Bring your favorite dish and enjoy the fellowship.

<b>Collections from Jan 11-12</b>	
General Collection	<b>\$1,560.00</b>
Capital Improvements	<b>280.00</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,840.00</b>

### Reflection of the Week by Fr. Leo Ahanotu

Today's gospel once more presents the narrative of the baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ that we celebrated last Sunday. John the Baptist describes Jesus as "the lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world." In the Jewish tradition of the time, "lamb" could mean just lamb or metaphorically, "the servant of God." In today's gospel, John describes Jesus as the servant of God, spoken about by the prophets. John depicts Jesus as The Lamb of God, who would sacrifice himself for the salvation of humankind, which He eventually did as the pure lamb that replaces the paschal lamb in the Old Testament. Just like John the Baptist presented Jesus, the Lamb of God to the world, we have the duty of introducing Jesus to those who do not know Him or have forgotten Him as our Savior and redeemer. *Fr. Leo*

**The Knippa Interfaith Lecture**  
Topic: *What is Mormonism?*  
**4:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 26**  
Grace Lutheran Church, 2331 E. 5th Pl., Tulsa

**Ecumenical March for Life This Weekend**  
**Sunday, January 19**  
12 p.m. Mass with Fr. Elkin—Holy Family Cathedral  
1 p.m. March—from Holy Family to Centennial Green  
Followed by Speakers @ the Green

Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in praying for an end to abortion and the protection and sanctity of all human life by participating in  
**9 Days for Life Novena**  
**Tues., Jan. 21 – Wed., Jan. 29**  
Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more.  
**Visit the Holy Cross Website or Sign up at [www.9daysforlife.com](http://www.9daysforlife.com)!**

**Monks' Marketplace**  
at St. Gregory's Abbey  
**is now open from 1:30-4:30 p.m., Monday—Saturday**  
Items include fresh eggs from their hens, honey from their bee hives, craft items made by the monks, their line of jellies/jams, seasonal candies, and baked goods. Plus they sell goods from other monasteries, along with hand-made rosaries, custom jewelry, natural personal care products, and books on spirituality.

In conjunction with the  
**Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18-25**  
there will be an  
**Ecumenical Service of Prayer for Christian Unity**  
**7:00 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 22nd**  
Joy Lutheran Church, Tulsa



**TODAY'S READINGS**  
**Breaking Bread Book**  
Pages 62-63



<b>Daily Mass Readings—Jan 19-25*</b>	
Sunday	Is 49:3, 5-6/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
Monday	1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday	1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday	1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday	1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12
Friday	1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday	Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18
*Daily Readings (and link to full biblical text) also available on Holy Cross Website: <b><a href="http://www.holycross-wagoner.org">www.holycross-wagoner.org</a></b>	

Jan 18	Jan 19		Jan 25	Jan 26
Carolyn Greer Mary Harris	Bill Scrimsher Mike Cucchiara Carlos Sorell	<b>USHERS/GIFT BEARERS</b>	Laura Rodriguez Paul Rodriguez	Vicky Schottel Larry Schottel Elizabeth Sullivan
	Max Herndon Kinney Herndon Elizabeth Sullivan Kinley Herndon	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>		Max Herndon Parker Sullivan Kinney Herndon Kinley Herndon
Theresa Fosburg Kay Rodriguez	Sunny Marsh Jim Marsh	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	Theresa Fosburg Carolyn Greer	Mike Cucchiara Chris Holland
Karol Watson	Chris Holland	<b>READERS</b>	Kay Rodriguez	Mark Sorell

*Happy Birthday!*



**Jessica Soto** 1/2  
**Parker Sullivan** 1/4  
**Seth Yoder** 1/5  
**Jim Harris** 1/7  
**Josh Yoder** 1/8  
**Max Herndon** 1/10  
**Fr. Leo** 1/13  
**Richard Steinheil** 1/13  
**Pat Sanco** 1/14

**FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING**

Richard Hickman	Phyllis Thurman
Janale Harding	Charles Hahn
Rilla Sanco Beudin	Tama Wilson
Walt Mazil	Bertha Ashwood
Joe Rafferty	Mercy Mundadkal
Christine Peake	Vonnie Cullen
Jan Martin	Jean Podeyn
Sam Sanco	Trish Becher
Donna Senner	Sharon Carter
	Harry Hosey



**WE PRAY TO THE LORD**

**Mission Statement/Prayer**

Almighty God, the mission of Holy Cross Parish is to bring the love of Jesus Christ to our community and the world. As your disciples, help us to touch the hearts of everyone in a way that enhances human spirituality and will bring all people into the fullness of your Kingdom. Through Christ, our Lord, Amen!

*Information Sheets for Outreach to The Sick and Homebound are available in the vestibule*

**Stay Connected — Stay Informed**  
 with your Catholic Faith & your Holy Cross Family  
*Daily Readings, Daily Prayer of the Day, Bulletins,*  
*Catholic & Holy Cross News/Events*  
**www.holycross-wagoner.org &**  
**Holy Cross Catholic Church - Wagoner OK (FB)**

**Rosary**—One-half hour before each Mass  
**Weddings**—Please contact the pastor at least 6 months prior to your anticipated date  
**Baptisms**—Please contact the Pastor for Preparation

**BIBLE STUDY** is held each Thursday after 8:30 a.m. Mass. Join us for wonderful fellowship and sharing of our Faith as well as learning and understanding the Bible.

**JOIN US**

Cookies & Coffee are served after Sunday Mass each weekend and a potluck brunch on the last Sunday of the month. Visitors Welcome!

	<i>Altar Linens</i>	<i>Altar Flowers</i>
<i>Jan</i>	Dorene McMahan	Christmas Poinsettias Sherri Moe
<i>Feb</i>	Phyllis Hosey	Phyllis Hosey

**MASS TIMES**

**Saturday Vigil — 5:00 pm**

**Sunday — 8:30 am**

**Tuesday & Wednesday — 5:00 pm**

**Thursday & Friday — 8:30 am**

**First Sat. of Each Month — 8:30 am**

**ADORATION AND BENEDICTION**

**Wednesday following 5:00 pm Mass**

**CONFESSIONS**

**Saturday** 4:30 to 4:50 pm  
**Sunday** 8:00 to 8:20 am  
 or by appointment/request

**Bulletin Deadline**

**TUESDAY 8pm**

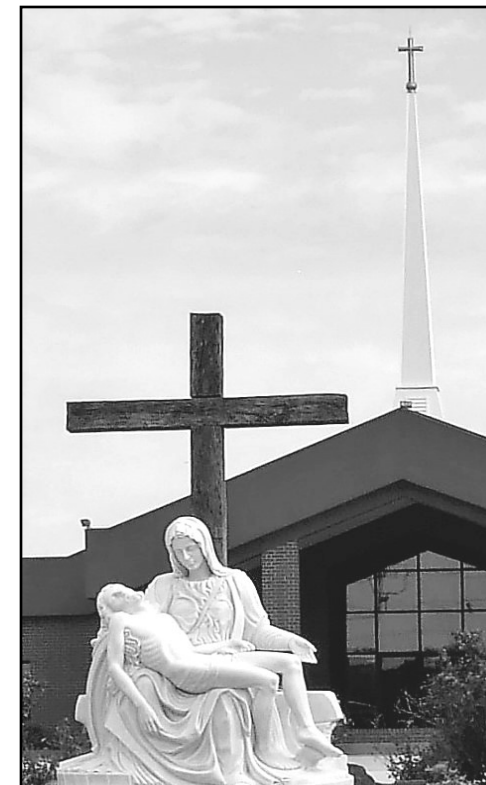
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