

ST. EUGENE CATHOLIC CHURCH

BLESSED SACRAMENT (THOMAS)

SACRED HEART (HINTON)

PASTOR: Reverend Kelly Edwards 580-772-3209

Ret. Deacon Joe Dubey



"There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished!" - Lk 12:50

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**20th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

August 18, 2019

WEEKEND MASSES
W'FORD Saturday 5:00 pm
HINTON Sunday 8:00 am
W'FORD Sunday 10:30 am
THOMAS Sunday 12:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES
Tuesday 12:10 pm
Wednesday 6:30 pm

FIRST FRIDAY
Exposition 7:00 am
Adoration 7:00-12:00
Benediction 12:00 pm
Mass 12:10 pm

CONFESSSION
Saturday 4:00 pm

HOLY HOUR
To Be Determined

THURSDAY (HINTON)
HOLY HOUR 5:15 pm
MASS 6:15 pm

ADULT DISCUSSION
Sunday 9:15 am--Classroom

EVENING ROSARY
Tuesday 5:30 pm English

BAPTISM CLASS
By Appointment

MARRIAGE CLASSES
Schedule with Priest
6 months before wedding

PARISH OFFICE INFO
HOURS Monday-Friday
9:30-11:30 & 1:00-4:00
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We Catholics of Blessed Sacrament, Sacred Heart, and St. Eugene Parishes of Western Oklahoma gather as community to continue the mission of Jesus Christ. We Praise the Lord. We proclaim the Good News. We celebrate the sacramental life of faith. We serve others as Jesus taught us. As disciples we follow the Lord and invite others to come walk with us.

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520 N. Oklahoma, Thomas, OK 73669

SACRED HEART (HINTON)
204 N. Clark, Hinton, OK 73047

ST. EUGENE CATHOLIC CHURCH
704 N. Bryan, Weatherford, OK 73096

Parish News/Events



TIME SCHEDULE CHANGE FOR THOMAS WEEKEND

MASS: Effective now, the Thomas weekend Mass is at 5:00, Sunday. There will no longer be a 12:30 PM Mass.

OUR FREE SUBSCRIPTION TO FORMED WILL EXPIRE IN ABOUT 2 MONTHS: There are a multitude of Catholic topics available to explore. Go to steugenes.formed.org, follow the instructions to set up an account using your own e-mail address, and click on the Community banner to start exploring the topics.

PARISH OFFICE WILL CLOSE FOR LABOR DAY, Monday, Sept 2.

WATCH THE BULLETINS FOR ANNOUNCEMENT OF A SOCIAL TO WELCOME FR. KELLY EDWARDS.

ALTAR FLOWERS for last weekend's Masses at St. Eugene were beautiful. They were furnished by L. F. and Sharon Fegel to commemorate their 57th Wedding Anniversary. **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Anyone interested in sponsoring Mass flowers, please contact the office.

There are many occasions for flowers, such as, birthdays, anniversaries, baptisms, weddings, and thanksgiving for prayers answered, to name just a few.



MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Sunday Adult Discussion 9:15;
Monday SVdP Pantry 4:00
Tuesday SVdP Meeting 4:00
Wednesday SVdP Pantry 4:00

August 18-24, 2019
we pray for

Sem. Robert Blaschke

Robert's home parish is

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Lawton

Sem. Blaschke is studying at

Conception Seminary College

P. O. Box 502

Conception, MO 64433-0502

Robert was born 26 Mar 1999

e-mail is: robbydawg@icloud.com

AUGUST VOCATION INTERCESSION: That we may appreciate our gift of faith and support all those who devote their lives to proclaiming the Gospel, we pray to the Lord.

Ministries

Aug 24 21th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Communion Walt Gosnell, Janet Gosnell
Server Nicholas Ramos
Lector Scott Hoffman
Usher Dixie Homer
Gifts Margaret Landrum Family

Aug 25 21th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Communion Mark Hoffman, Matt Hoffman
Bernie Marshall, Laura Marshall
Servers Ana Arrieta, Alberto Arrieta
Sam Hoffman
Lectors Sue Brandhorst, Cindy Ritchison
Mario Banda
Ushers Steve Neece, Diana Neece
Gifts Nick Wald Family
Counters Magda Mercado, Phillip Kixmiller
Theresa Stein

St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart. Our willingness to give of ourselves is one way to measure our discipleship. San Pablo nos anima a no cansarnos ni desanimarnos.

Nuestra Buena voluntad de dar de nosotros mismos es una manera de medir nuestros discipulado. Weatherford August 11 Envelopes \$2750.97, Loose Cash \$275.85, Building Fund \$75.00, R. E. Registration \$80.00, College Lunches \$20.00, SVdP \$149.00.

Hinton August 4 Envelopes \$420.00, Loose Cash \$156.00, Breakfast \$365.10.

Thomas August 11 Contributions \$210.00.

Giving is how we measure our discipleship.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES, 7 Aug 2019

Fr. Kelly Edwards opened the meeting with prayer at 7:00 p.m.

Members present were, Scott Hoffman, Janet Smith, Stacy Bozarth, Jacob Hoffman, Michael Hixson, Edilberto Arrieta, and Dustin Nix. Absent were Jieun Chang, Cathy McCraw and Daniel Elizondo.

The May 2019 meeting minutes were reviewed. Janet Smith, made a motion to accept them as recorded. Edilberto Arrieta Seconded.

Several topics (under New Business) were discussed and centered on Fr. Edwards' goals for St. Eugene Parish:

The Confessional and Counting Room have more light as a result of relocating the banners and priest's mass vestments to other areas. The old Confessional was used for storage and has been cleaned out as well.

Hiring a DRE/Youth Minister is high on Fr. Edwards' parish goals list, and may come to fruition in calendar year 2020. He outlined costs to the parish and the benefits of having a full-time person in the parish dedicated to youth programs. Father praised the work of all youth ministry volunteers and their dedicated service to the parish. You are greatly appreciated.

Next discussion was on the unused space in the basement. Father Kelly presented his ideas on how to partition the space to better utilize the area. His comments included what an incredible bonus it would be to have sufficient space for students. His long-term goal would be for SVdP to have their own building in the parish.

Another observation of our Pastor is how much roof space we have, which could possibly accommodate solar panels.

The rectory's new bedroom furniture arrived. Parishioners in Hinton paid for the set, which is very much appreciated. The old furniture was from the 1970's vintage.

An immediate goal is to establish a Parish Finance Committee. After a committee is formed and a budget is in place, the parish will begin operating within that budget. Pastoral Council Members were asked to submit names of parishioners for a finance committee at the September council meeting. (continue on next column)

Book of Life

MONDAY	Jgs 2:11-19; Mt 19:16-22
TUESDAY	Jgs 6:11-24a; Mt 19:23-30
WEDNESDAY	Jgs 9:6-15; Mt 20:1-16
THURSDAY	Jgs 11:29-39a Mt. 22:1-14
FRIDAY	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Mt 22:34-40
WEEKEND	Is 66:18-21; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30



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Monday, Aug 19: No Mass
 Tuesday, Aug 20: 12:10 Mass (+) Lloyd & Phoebe Kixmiller
 Wednesday, Aug 21: 6:30 Mass (Norma H.)
 Thursday, Aug 22: 6:15 Mass (Hinton) (+) Dorothy Phillips
 Friday, Aug 23: No Mass

(continued from previous column)
 St. Eugene Feast Date Celebration was next on the agenda. Our parish was named after Pope St. Eugene 1, whose feast day is June 2. Next year we will commemorate the event with a big celebration. Meanwhile, the parish is looking for a banner of St. Eugene. More to come on this subject.

The next topic centered on the Council Members ideas of parish needs:

- a. Upgrade the electrical system in the Church
- b. Parish youth need more direction
- c. Better communications with parishioners
- d. Automatic drafts for contributions

A pastor's welcome (social) was discussed for Father to meet and dine with parishioners and get to know the parishes. September 22, 2019, after Sunday Mass, was the date selected. Several celebration ideas were discussed, such as, a tri-parish event, pot luck, outdoor cookout of burgers and dogs, and a TV in the parish hall if there is a football game of interest. Details will be finalized at the September Pastoral Council Meeting.

The final topic was that Thomas, Blessed Sacrament, Sunday Mass time is changed to 5:00 p.m.

The meeting closed with prayer lead by Fr. Kelly. Next meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. Sept. 11, 2019.



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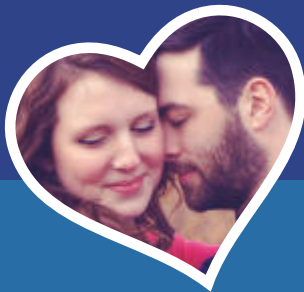
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