

# *Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church*



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## 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  
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## PARISH INFORMATION

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**February 2, 2025**  
**The Presentation of the Lord**  
**Pastor, Rev. Raymond K. Ackerman**

**From the  
Parish Council**



Our Parish Council advises and makes recommendations to our Pastor regarding the planning, and evaluation of the ministry of our parish. Current voting representatives are Bob Bryant, Zari Conway, Joe Glanzer, Jeff Moore, John Scotto and Lisa Wade. Exofficio members are Father Ackerman, Alicia Brierton and Deacon Bob Quinnett. We welcome any suggestions or questions from the parish members as to how we might better serve as an advisory board. Please send us your input to [lwade@lawtoncatholic.com](mailto:lwade@lawtoncatholic.com).

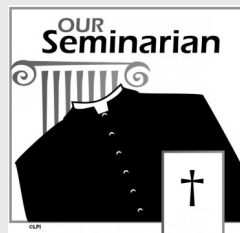
Our seminarian Robert is in his 6th year of seminary. He is humbly thankful for the prayers and support of the parish. If you would like to send Robert a card letting him know of your prayers or you would like to give a small financial gift it would be welcomed.

Please keep Robert in your prayers.

In Christ,  
Fr. Ray

The address is:

Mr. Robert Blaschke  
Mount St. Mary's Seminary  
16300 Old Emmitsburg Road  
Emmitsburg, MD 21727



**First Friday Adoration**  
**February 7th**

Following the 7:30 am Mass there is all day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Vespers and Benediction beginning at 6:45 pm.

**Please sign up** in the back of the church to spend some quiet time in prayer with Our Lord.

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

Deacon Bob Quinnett  
Email: [DeaconBob@lawtoncatholic.com](mailto:DeaconBob@lawtoncatholic.com)

**CAMERON CATHOLICS**

Billy Gonsler Campus Minister  
Email: [youthdirector@lawtoncatholic.com](mailto: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 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday from September - May at 6:00 pm in the Church

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DIRECTOR**

Director: Alicia Brierton  
Email: [re@lawtoncatholic.com](mailto:re@lawtoncatholic.com)

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT**

Director: Alicia Brierton  
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**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**

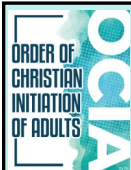
(580) 355-7837 (Help Line)  
Meets the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall

**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](mailto: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 seven 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](mailto:DeaconBob@lawtoncatholic.com).





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Religious Education and Bible Study are meeting on Wednesday, February 5th from 6:15 pm until 7:30 pm.

RE meets in the St. Joseph Building and Bible Study meets in the Parish Hall.

Everyone is invited to the Bible Study.

## PROMISE to Protect Pledge to HEAL



### Abuse of Minors and Vulnerable Adults Pastoral Response Hotline (405) 720-9878

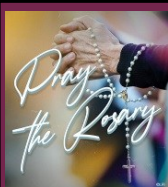
The Archdiocese of Oklahoma City through its programs, organizations and events, has numerous daily contacts with many minors and vulnerable adults. It is, therefore, important that all Archdiocesan personnel, clergy, seminarians, religious, employees, and volunteers, protect the rights of children and vulnerable adults and be alert to the possibility for child abuse and abuse of vulnerable adults. Under Oklahoma State law, all individuals MUST report an incident or suspicion of sexual abuse of a minor (person under 18 years of age) to the civil authorities immediately. The Oklahoma Department of Human Services has established a statewide abuse hotline for reporting: **1-800-522-3511**. This number is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

**If you have reason to believe a child is in immediate danger of harm call 911.**

For the safety of children and vulnerable adults and the healing of victims, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City provides an Abuse of Minors and Vulnerable Adults Pastoral Response Hotline for reporting the abuse of minors and vulnerable adults (in the past or presently) by a member of the clergy or other church personnel:

**1-405-720-9878.**

The Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, a licensed professional counselor, will respond to calls to the Archdiocesan Pastoral Response Hotline. A report to the Archdiocese does not relieve the individual of the duty to report child abuse to civil authorities as required by Oklahoma State Law. In Oklahoma, failure to report child abuse is a misdemeanor punishable by law.



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.

Come Encounter the Lord  
Come and join the fun!!

# The Upper ROOM

Small Groups  
Chapel Reflections  
Ice Breakers

Testimonies  
Fellowship  
Food

Wednesday, Jan. 8th @ Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church 6:15-7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Feb. 5th @ Holy Family Catholic Church 6:15-7:30 p.m.  
For POST-Confirmation Grades 7th & 8th



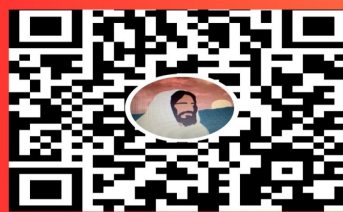
## Frassati Society

THURSDAY, FEB. 6TH & 20TH  
FEB 6TH : @HOLY FAMILY 6-8  
FEB 20TH: @HOLY FAMILY 6-8



## Catholic Youth Group of Lawton

**Sunday from 6-8 PM**  
**Feb. 2nd @ Blessed Sacrament**  
**Feb. 16th @ Holy Family**



### 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.



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!"

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Welcome, we are glad you are here today!  
 If you are new to our parish, please ask  
 an usher for a registration form or go to  
[lawtoncatholic.com](http://lawtoncatholic.com) to print out a form.

## Birthdays February 1st-15th

Crystal Arevalo, Moriah Arevalo,  
 Eva Judith Barrientos, Charles Benke, Heather Benke,  
 Aaron Borrego, Natas Bonifield, Monica Borrego,  
 Bart Butemeyer, Bret Butemeyer, Romeo Cao,  
 Tadeo Carreno-Juarez, Bernardita Cash,  
 Erica Castillo, Veronica Castillo Kirk, Aleia Catalan,  
 Araceli Cruz, Tommy Estep, Flor Fagan, Cody Flood,  
 Francis Furtado, Samantha Galaviz, Jose Garcia,  
 Brittany Gonzalez, Jamie Gonzalez, Miguel Gonzalez,  
 Yolanda Gonzalez, Christine Goodwin, Dale Gordon,  
 Taylor Green, Mackenzie Harmon, Vera Harris,  
 Sabrina Harroun, Anne Marie Johnson,  
 Romina Juarez, Shelby Jung, Elizabeth Little,  
 William Kitchen, Rashaun Labeau, KimChi Le,  
 Lourdes Martinez, Philip Meza, Althea Morales,  
 Ashley Morales, Valerie Onan, Brian Ortiz,  
 Anna Pena, Allyson Pendergrass, Hunter Ramirez,  
 Hilda Rodriguez, Duane Rodriguez, Janet Sessom,  
 Catherine Shelton, Masyn Shipp, Anne Strong,  
 Guillermina Suazo, Cecilia Tanner, Stephen Taylor,  
 Enrique Van Sichel, Eva Velasco, Tammy Vigil,  
 Ray Wilbanks

## Thank You

### Our Weekend Mass Offerings January 18 and 19, 2025

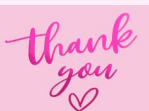
General Fund—Envelopes	\$4,528.96
Respect Life	\$1,688.00
General Fund Online Giving(464646)	\$1,629.90
Parish Improvement Fund Online Giving	\$183.69

No special collection next week.

**With grateful hearts, we extend our  
 deepest thanks for your continued support.**

### St. Patrick Catholic Church in Walters Weekend Mass Attendance and Offerings

Sunday, January 19, 2025  
 Operating Fund \$509.05  
 Attendance 20



## FEBRUARY 2, 2025 BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH



### Monday, February 3

**7:30 am— Mass** (+Stephen Conner by Cathleen Conner)

### Tuesday, February 4

**7:30 am—Daily Mass** +(Daniel Norman Hayes by Basilia Leah Hayes)  
 6:00 pm—St. Vincent de Paul Meeting in Parish Hall

### Wednesday, February 5

**7:30 am—Daily Mass** (+David Perez Aguon by His Family)  
 6:15 pm—RE and Bible Study Meeting until 7:30 pm  
 6:15 pm—Upper Room Meeting at Holy Family  
 6:30 pm—Rosary in Church

### Thursday, February 6

**7:30 am— Daily Mass** (Intentions of Fr. Phil Seeton)  
 6:00 pm—Young Adults Meeting at Holy Family  
**6:30 pm—Holy Hour, followed by confessions**

### Friday, February 7

**7:30 am— Mass** (+Randy Conner by Cathleen Conner)  
 8:00 am—All Day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
 6:45 pm—Vespers and Benediction

### Saturday, February 8

**7:30 am—Daily Mass** (Intentions of Jose Verde by the Verde Family)  
**3:00 pm—Confessions in the Church until 4:30 pm**  
**5:00 pm—Vigil Mass** (For the People of the Parish)

### Sunday, February 9

**8:00 am—Mass** (+Rafael Verde by Alexander Verde)  
**9:45 am—Mass at St. Patrick in Walters**  
 (Intentions of Robert Blaschke)  
**11:30 am—Bilingual Mass** (+Terrie Kraft by Donald Kraft)

### Mass Attendance January 18 and 19, 2025

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm had 143 in attendance  
 Sunday Morning at 8:00 am had 120 in attendance  
 Sunday Morning at 11:30 am had 190 in attendance  
 Total Attendance 453



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