## ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH 324 West Bridge Avenue, PO Box 578, Blackwell, OK 74631

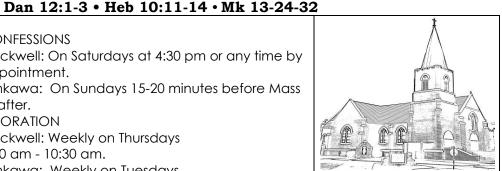
## Rev. Balaswamy Bathini, Pastor frbtnibala@gmail.com

## November 16/17, 2024 **33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**



St.Joseph Church, Blackwell Office Hours-MWF 10am-12pm (580)-363-0441 stjosephblackwellokc@gmail.com

CONFESSIONS Blackwell: On Saturdays at 4:30 pm or any time by appointment. Tonkawa: On Sundays 15-20 minutes before Mass or after. ADORATION Blackwell: Weekly on Thursdays 9:00 am - 10:30 am. Tonkawa: Weekly on Tuesdays 8:30-9:30 am. ROSARY 25 Minutes before all the Masses.



St.Joseph Church, Tonkawa stjosephtonkawa.org (Po Box. 525). 320 W North Ave, Tonkawa, OK 74653 Office Hours-Tuesdays 8:30 am -11:30 am- (580) 628-2416 Can Call Robyn at (580)761-6937 stjosephtonkawaok@gmail.con

Masses in Blackwell			
Sat., Nov. 16, 5:30 pm	Alvaro Rascon - Blessings		
Sun., Nov. 17, 9:00 am	Saul & Arely Rascon Family - Blessings		
Wed., Nov. 20, 5:30 pm	NO MASS		
Thurs. Nov. 21, 9:00 am	NO MASS		
Sat., Nov. 23, 5:30 pm	Perpetua Rector – Blessings		
Sun., Nov. 24, 9:00 am	†Scott Young		
Masses in Tonkawa			
Sun., Nov. 17, 11:00 am	Stanford Family - Blessings		
Mon., Nov. 18, 8:15 am	NO MASS		
Tues., Nov. 19, 8:15 am	NO MASS		
Wed., Nov. 20, 8:15 am	NO MASS		
Sun., Nov. 24, 11:00 am	Parish		

OFFERINGS: Blackwell: Sunday Collection - \$; 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection - \$.00; St. Vincent - \$.00. Tonkawa: Weekly Collection - \$362.52; Building Fund - \$175; Centennial: \$314; St.Vincent De Paul-\$195. Thank you for your generosity to our parishes.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: Please be generous in this week's special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Heman Development. In the United States, over 11% of the population lives in poverty. Through this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins. You can find more information on the CHD in the flyers found at the back of the church or go to: www.usccb.org/cchd.

OCIA (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INIATION OF ADULTS): Meets every Sunday at 4:30 pm at St. Joseph's in Tonkawa. All are welcome to attend.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR-St. Joseph's Christmas Choir will start practices on November 10th right after Mass. Any parish members who would like to sing in the choir or play an instrument are welcome to join until November 24th. After the 24th, new members are required to contact Madison Gutierrez or Cecilia Tarrant. We can't wait to sing with you!

TONKAWA FOOD PANTRY-Every year St. Joseph's helps to provide cake mixes and frosting for Thanksgiving and Christmas meals. If you would like to help by making a monetary donation, you can write Food Pantry on your check or place in an envelope in the collection. (Only monetary donations please.) Thank you for your generosity!

**FATHER BALA'S VACATION:** Father Bala is in India during the month of November visiting family and friends. He will return November 29<sup>th</sup>. Substitute priests for the weekend masses will be Father Tumuhereze (Fr. T), Father Gabriel Emuria and Father Martin. There will be no weekday Masses. Please pray for his safe journey.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY:** Let us wish Happy Birthday to all who celebrate their birthday during the month of **NOVEMBER: (Blackwell)** Vicki Cordell (2), Carmen Miller, Andrew Garcia, Rachel Vowell (19), Aubree W. (4), Patty Traqntham, Silvia Hernandez (3), Osmara Tabor (27), Estafani F., (17), Samantha Vowel (23), Mason R., Blakley W. (7), Haleigh Payne (1), Sophia R. (22), Chance Cordell (8), Natalia H. (7), Emberlea H. (11). **(Tonkawa)** Mary Richards (6), Maria Caughlin (13), Phillip Caughlin (14), Joyce Lenzen (14), Virginia Sigala (18), Linda Merritt (22), Aracelie Sigala (20), Miguel Pando (24), Cathy Haen (28), Jay Bellinghausen (30).

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: (From Blackwell) Adrian Marra, Katrina Hess, Anthony Bahm, Robert & Kitty Fisher, Samantha Ware, Meredith Sookbang, Kimberly Sookbang, David Bradley, Brandon Ward, Frank Evans, Betty Evans, Danny Cassidy MD, Eddie Zimmerschied, Cindy Yinger, Jacob Marra, Emma Sanchez, Elaine Hoober, Jorje Miranda, Kenneth Cookson, Geraldine Phillips, Mike Thomas, Jo Edmisson, Bill Stone, Maan Amaronte, Steve & Sharon Lanie, Julia Stuever, Lorrine McKain, Dorothy Buellesfeld, Ken Wilkey, Leasa Wright, Carmen Miller, Kelsea S. Madenwaldt, & Richard Thomas. (From Tonkawa) Suzy Lenhart, Tony Janssen, Bill Martin, Alan Reed, Mike Jordan, Dineo Heilmann, AnnMarie Stanford, Malakai Boucherie, Daryl Wayne Scheirman, Travis O'Dell, Teresa Zink, Josette Mimbela, Blake Brown, Travis Parker, David L. Martin, Virginia Combrink, Janelle Elfvin, Charla and Rich Allan, Helen Rogers, Dan Pracht, Ann Thornburgh, Alva Mitchell, Sandra Mitchell, Abby Davis, Tyra Gleason, Mary Poskey, Robin McElroy, Candace Brown, Beverly Mazurier Hinrichs, Barry Kausler, Jill Muegge, Monica Ochoa, and Kristi Neighbors, Paula Jones, Barb Overland, Dorothy Davis, Marilyn Pendleton, Jeff, Madea, Connor, Tanner, Makenzie, Ozzie Davis and all military men and women. If names are to be added or deleted, please call Robyn at (580) 761-6937 or email at stjosephtonkawa@att.net with the information (please include "bulletin" in the subject line).

## **CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday, December 23, 2024	Penance Rite	6:30 pm	Blackwell
Tuesday, December 24, 2024	Christmas Eve Concert	6:00 pm	Tonkawa
	Christmas Eve Vigil Mas	6:30 pm	Tonkawa
	Christmas Eve Vigil Mass	8:00 pm	Blackwell
Wednesday, December 25, 2024	Christmas Day Mass	9:00 am	Blackwell
	Christmas Day Mass	11:00 am	Tonkawa

PARISH REGISTRATION-As we begin to prepare for our church's centennial, we will be updating our Parish Registration records. All parishioners are asked to pick up and fill out a registration form from the table at the back of the church.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS-October 2026 will mark the Centennial of our church building. 1). In preparation for our celebration, we will begin having a 2nd collection every second Sunday of the month. This money will be used to fund centennial projects including, but not limited to, dinners, beautification projects, and expenses for planning. Please keep this in mind as you budget your giving each month.

2). We will need everyone to help out in some capacity to make this celebration great. You will find sign-up sheets at the entrance of the church for committees that need help. Please sign-up for at least one committee. If you have any questions, please call Robyn at (580) 761-6937.