

OUR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Father Sean O'Brien

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2026



Immaculate Conception Church

410 N. Bagwell, Poteau, OK

Sunday Mass – 9 a.m. English, 11 a.m. Spanish

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass

Or by Appointment

Daily Mass: Tuesday thru Friday, 8:30 a.m.

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Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

16526 US Hwy 271 (East of Spiro)

Sunday Mass – 1 p.m.

Confessions by Appointment

Saint Joseph Church

1406 NW 7th St., Stigler, OK

Saturday Vigil Mass – 5 p.m.

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass

Or by Appointment

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Weekly Tithes

April 19, 2026

Immaculate Conception

General Collection - \$ 2,427.00

Weekly Budget Need - 2,075.00

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

General Collection - \$ 1,320.00

Weekly Budget Need 950.00

Saint Joseph

General Collection - \$ 294.00

Weekly Budget Need 607.00



Sunday Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 3

9 AM – For the spiritual benefit of Mandy French; by Kim & David Jones.

11 AM – + For the repose of the soul of Victorino Llemit; by Perlita Cline.



Daily Mass Intentions

Immaculate Conception Chapel

8:30 AM

Tuesday, April 28

For the spiritual benefit of David Bolton; by Dan & Julianne O'Brien.

Wednesday, April 29

For the spiritual benefit of Cindy Cummings; by Dan & Julianne O'Brien.

Thursday, April 30

For the spiritual benefit of David R. Jones; by Kim & David Jones.

Friday, May 1

+ For the repose of the soul of Jane Manning Jones; by David & Kim Jones.

This is 'Called By Name' Sunday

Our faith centers on the Eucharist – the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ. The consecration of the Eucharist requires a priest, and each priest begins as young man who is discerning his vocation. You can help.

This is "Called By Name" weekend in our Diocese, there are response cards in the pews for you to write the name(s) of those whom you know would be good priests. These will be collected, prayed over and become the seeds of new seminarians. Please participate! If you miss out, you can drop your card by the Parish Office or even submit names via <https://www.dioceseoftulsa.org/called-by-name>. Please pray for vocations in general and for those you "nominate."

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First Friday Adoration

The 24-hour Adoration for May will be this first Friday, May 1, from 9 a.m. onward to 9 on Saturday morning. We've been getting inquiries from new people who want to add it to their devotional practice. You can come at any time, but if you wish to reserve an hour, please contact David Jones (918-576-9314) or Melisa Gonzalez (Spanish) at 631-512-7170. There is also a four-hour Adoration period in the IC Chapel, from 5 to 9 PM on Wednesdays. If you would like to regularly commit to one of these hours, please contact David.

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Saint Joseph potluck after Mass

Saint Joseph parishioners are encouraged to bring a dish to share (potluck) after Mass this Saturday, May 2.

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Special treats for moms at Spiro

For mothers attending Mass at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton on May 10, there will be flowers, cake and pan dulce.

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Prayer Warriors Needed

Be part of the solution for those afflicted by illness and injury. Join the new Prayer Ministry team of Sally Hatch. Contact her at 479-234-5350 or Reyna Burgos at 918-208-7684. Your prayers are needed!

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Pope Leo's Intentions for May

That everyone might have food!

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Prayers for Our Sick & Shut-ins

"And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well." (James 5:15)

Itzayana Trejo, Emily Weller, Nicolosa Solis, John Paul, Billy Wood, Rufina Estabillo, Carmen Vasquez, Ana Narvaez, Juan Narvaez, Frances Liddy, Jim Norwood, Yuliana Casildo, Anthony Guerrero, Javier Diaz, Theresa Grafton, Donald Hargrove, Marge Frizzell, Donald Brooks, Vera Trout, Pilar Botello, Genia Harber, Oscar San Juan, Brandon Torres, Bobby Jackson, Robin Jackson, Jill Figari, Brenda Lizzet Cabral, Susan Heavener, Mayra Gavina, Christine Mainard, Anastacio Solis, Katie Malone, John Harris, Lizz Lopez, Roger O'Hara, Cassie Casildo, John Worton, Johnny & Barbara Morris, Nanette Johnson & Russell Tenison.

Daily Mass Readings

27 Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter (W) / Acts 11: 1-18 / Psalm 42:2-3; 43:3-4 / John 10:11-18

28 Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Easter (W) / Acts 11:19-26 / Psalm 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 / John 10:22-30

29 Memorial of Saint Catherine of Sienna, Virgin & Doctor (W) / Acts 12:24 – 13:5a / Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6 & 8 / John 12:44-50

30 Thursday of the Fourth Week of Easter (W) / Acts 13: 13-25 / Psalm 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 & 27 / John 13:16-20

1 Friday of the Fourth Week of Easter (W) / Acts 13:26-33 / Psalm 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab / John 14:1-6

2 Memorial of Saint Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor (W) / Acts 13:44-52 / Psalm 98: 1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 / John 14:7-14

3 Fifth Sunday of Easter (W) / Acts 6:1-7 / Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 / 1 Peter 2:4-9 / John 14:1-12

Notable Upcoming Events

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS information meeting. IC Parish Hall, 4 PM Sunday, April 26 (today). In Spanish.

MOTHERS DAY PRO-LIFE collection at all Masses on Sunday, May 10 (for local pro-life organizations).

MOVIE NIGHT AT IC, at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 15, celebrating the end of the school year. At the IC Pavilion!

BISHOP KONDERLA celebrates 50th Anniversary of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton parish on Sunday, May 17! Sacraments to be conferred. Big event.

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This Week's Schedule

Monday, April 27

– No Daily Mass today.

Tuesday, April 28

– 8:30 AM Daily Mass in the IC Chapel

– 6:30 PM - OCIA at IC

Wednesday, April 29

– 8:30 a.m. Daily Mass in the IC Chapel

– 5 to 9 PM Midweek Adoration in the IC Chapel

Thursday, April 30

– 8:30 AM Daily Mass in the IC Chapel

Friday, May 1

– 8:30 AM. Daily Mass in the IC Chapel

– 9 AM 24-Hour First Friday Adoration, IC Chapel

Saturday, May 2

– 5 PM Vigil Mass at Saint Joseph, Stigler, to be followed by the monthly Pot Luck dinner.

Sunday, May 3 – Fifth Sunday of Easter

– 7:30 AM - Early Bird Bible Study with Zac Patty. IC.

– 9 AM. English Mass at Immaculate Conception, Poteau

– 11 AM Spanish Mass at Immaculate Conception, Poteau

– 1 PM English Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Spiro

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