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Bishop's Journal – 2014
The Rt. Rev. Dr. Edward J. Konieczny
Sacramental Acts

November 2013 - October 2014

Confirmations:	206	Receptions:	26	Reaffirmations:	24
Ordinations:	10	Weddings:	1	Funerals:	1
Baptisms:	17				

November - 2013

Visitations: St. Mark's, Perry Ascension, Pawnee

Other: Diocesan Convention- Tulsa Investment Committee - OKC
Oklahoma Council of Churches Annual Dinner - OKC
Earthquake Disaster Support – Haiti Installation – Grace, Ponca City
Board Meeting – Ardmore Village Board of Trustees – Holland Hall
Executive Committee – Saint Simeon's Ordination - All Souls', OKC
Episcopal Night at Thunder - OKC Tulsa Lawyers Association - Speaker

December – 2013

Visitations: St. Barnabas, Poteau St. Matthew's, Sand Springs
St. Martin's, Pryor Christmas Eve, St. Paul's Cathedral

Other: Oklahoma Council of Communion Leaders Meeting - OKC
Holland Hall's Lesson and Carols– Tulsa Finance Committee – Diocese, OKC
Installation -St. Andrew's, Stillwater Board Meeting - Casady
Saint Simeon's Joint Board Meeting– Tulsa St. Crispin's Board Meeting
Installation – St. Andrew's, Stillwater Executive Committee - Casady

January – 2014

Visitations: Good Shepherd, Sapulpa St. Mark's, Hugo

Other: Diocesan Council Retreat, St. Crispin's Wedding – Waco, Texas
Ordination – St. Peter's, Coalgate Installation – St. Stephen's, Guymon
Anglican Consultative Council – London Ordination – CDSP, California
Saint Simeon's Foundation Meeting - Tulsa

February – 2014

Visitations: St. Luke’s, Ada St. Luke’s, Chickasha
 Christ Church, Tulsa

Other: TEC Executive Council – Baltimore St. Crispin’s Board Meeting
 Casady Strategic Planning Retreat – St. Crispin;s

March – 2014

Visitations: Emmanuel, Shawnee St. Basil’s, Tahlequah
 St. Augustine of Canterbury, Oklahoma City

Other: Diocesan Finance Committee – OKC Vestry Academy, St. Crispin’s
 House of Bishops, Camp Allen, Texas Diocesan Council, OKC
 Oklahoma Council of Communion Leaders, Oklahoma City
 Board Meeting – Casady Executive Committee – Casady
 Catholic Charities Green Tie Gala – OKC

April – 2014

Visitations: Palm Sunday, St. Paul’s Cathedral Good Friday, St. Paul’s Cathedral
 Maundy Thursday, St. Paul’s Cathedral Easter Vigil, St. Paul’s Cathedral
 Easter Day, St. Paul’s Cathedral

Other: Rain Drop House Annual Dinner – OKC BACAM, St. Crispin’s
 Executive Committee Meeting - Casady Board Meeting – Casady
 Reclaiming the Gospel of Peace Conference – OKC
 Diocesan Finance Committee – OKC Board of Trustees – Holland Hall
 Renewal of Clergy Vows – OKC Clergy Spouse Retreat, St. Crispin’s
 Guild of St. George - OKC St. Crispin’s Board Meeting
 Saint Simeon’s Board Meeting - Tulsa Casady Golf Tournament – OKC
 ECW Annual Meeting & Bishop’s Day - Norman

May – 2014

Visitations: All Souls', Oklahoma City
St. Dunstan's, Tulsa - Bishop Ohl
St. John's, Tulsa

St. Patrick's, Broken Arrow
Trinity, Tulsa

Other: Presiding Bishop Transition Committee Meeting – Chicago
Cursillo Clausura – St. Crispin's
Diocesan Standing Committee
Casady Leadership Circle Gathering – OKC
DOK Spring Assembly – Norman
Baccalaureate – Holland Hall
Baccalaureate – Casady
Iron Gate Founder's Dinner – Tulsa
Diocesan Council – OKC

Diocesan Budget Committee Meeting
Executive Committee – Casady
Casady Board of Visitors – OKC
Board of Trustees – Casady
Graduation – Holland Hall
Graduation – Casady
Ordination – Holland Hall
Honorary Degree – CDSP, California

June – 2014

Visitations: St. John's, Woodward – 120th Anniversary Celebration
St. Andrew's, Stillwater
Grace, Ponca City – Bishop MacPherson
St. Matthews, Enid - Bishop MacPherson

St. Mary's, Edmond
Trinity, Guthrie
St. Andrew's, Stillwater

Other: Board of Trustees – Holland Hall
IONA Graduation – Camp Allen, Texas
Anglican Gathering, North Carolina
National Happening – Edmond
Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation

Executive Committee - Casady
Ordinations – St. Paul's Cathedral
Board Meeting – Ardmore Village
Bishop McAllister Memorial Service
Vince Gill Charity Golf Tournament

July – 2014

Visitations: St. Christopher's, Midwest City

Other: OKC Rotary Annual Meeting – OKC
Diocesan Council – OKC
Board Meeting - Ardmore Village

Holy Land Pilgrimage Jordan / Israel
Executive Committee - Casady

August – 2014

Vacation

Other: Board of Trustees - Saint Simeon's
Ordination – St. John's, Norman
Board of Trustees - Casady

Hope Center Open - Edmond
Board of Directors – Ardmore Village
Executive Committee - Casady

September – 2014

Visitations: Oakerhater Celebration, Whirlwind Mission, Watonga
St. Paul's Cathedral, Bishop's Consecration Anniversary
St. John's, Norman – Bishop Ohl

Other: Saint Simeon's Western Days Priest's Dinner – Tulsa
House of Bishops, Taipei Executive Committee - Casady
Oklahoma Council of Churches – OKC Diocesan Council - OKC
Bishop's Lecture Series - OKC Saint Simeon's Western Days - Tulsa
Board of Trustees – Holland Hall Board of Trustees - Casady

October – 2014

Visitations: All Saints', McAlester – Bishop Ohl All Saints', Miami
St. John's, Oklahoma City St. Peter's, Tulsa

Other: Clergy Conference - St. Crispin's Casady Leadership Circle - OKC
Disaster Preparedness Symposium – OKC Liturgy Leadership Festival - OKC
TEC Program, Budget & Finance - Baltimore Board of Directors - Ardmore Village

The following consents were given:

- To the election of Allen K. Shin to be Bishop of the Diocese of New York on January 6 2014.
- To the resignation of The Rt. Rev. Nathan D. Baxter, The Bishop of Central Pennsylvania on January 8, 2014.
- To the resignation of The Rt. Rev. James J. Shand, The Bishop of Easton, on January 22, 2014.
- To the election of a Bishop Coadjutor in the Diocese of West Texas, on March 3, 2014
- To the election of Alan M. Gates to be Bishop of the Diocese of Massachusetts, on June 3, 2014.
- To the election of Heather Elizabeth Cook to be Bishop of the Diocese of Maryland, on June 17, 2014.
- To the election of Brian R. Seage to be Bishop of the Diocese of Mississippi, on June 24, 2014.
- To the election of Robert Stuart Skirving to be Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, on July 8, 2014

**Administration - Governance
Diocesan Council**

This report contains the actions and positions taken by the Diocesan Council at its regular meetings: January 10-11, 2014 at St. Crispin's; March 13, 2014 at The Episcopal Church Center in Oklahoma City; May 15, 2014 at The Episcopal Church Center; July 31, 2014 at The Episcopal Church Center; and September 11, 2014 at The Episcopal Church Center.

Members of the Council:

Diocesan Bishop	The Rt. Rev. Dr. Edward J. Konieczny
Chancellor	Mr. William Cathcart
Treasurer	Mr. Henry Baer
President of the Standing Committee	Mr. Gary Derrick

Standing Committee Members	Mr. Jim Menzer The Rev. Bill Carroll Mr. Field Griffen The Rev. Everett Lees The Rev. Bill Holly
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President ECW	Ms. Bebe Dotter
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Regional Representatives

OKC	Dr. Ulli Nollert The Rev. David Stock
Tulsa	Mr. Thomas Karman The Rev. Shelby Scott
Northwest	Ms. Jackie Saylor The Rev. Mary Davis
Southwest	Mr. John Kinslow The Rev. Shelley Forrester
Northeast	Ms. Becky Liehr The Rev. Kay Boman-Harvey
Southeast	Ms. Ruth Dickinson The Rev. Stephen Bilsbury

In their capacity as Diocesan staff members, the following attended meetings of the Council: Ms. Sabrina Evans, Director of Christian Formation, The Rev. Canon José McLoughlin, Canon to the Ordinary, The Rev. Canon Michael P. Stephenson, Canon Missioner, Ms. Erin Morgan, Comptroller, and The Rev. Tony Moon, Congregational Consultant.

The members of the Executive Committee of the Council are by Canon: Chairman, the Diocesan Bishop, President of the Standing Committee, the Treasurer, the Chancellor, and a member elected by Council to serve as Vice-Chairman. The Rev. Shelby Scott was elected to serve as Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.

The following actions were taken:

- The Rev. Shelby Scott was elected to serve as Vice-Chair of Diocesan Council.
- Elected Ruth Dickinson Recording Secretary of Diocesan Council.
- Approved new Board of Trustees for St. Simeon's Home and Foundation
- Approved new Board of Trustees for Ardmore Village (all renewing).
- Amended Bylaws, St. Simeon's Home
- Ardmore Village to Refinance Debt
- Request to expend in excess of \$1,500 by St. John's, Woodward
- Two requests to expend in excess of \$1,500 by Christ Church, Tulsa,
- Bishop Ed was given authority to negotiate up to \$250,000 for purchase of a property containing a house for St. Crispin's on adjacent land.
- Active fundraising for St. Crispin's to begin the month of January, 2014
- Authority to schedule ground breaking for Phase I at St. Crispin's on April 21, 2014
- Designation to St. Crispin's of \$3 million in the endowment fund for long term maintenance.
- Restore mission status to St. Paul's Claremore
- St. Simeon's Auxiliary, begun in 1961, will dissolve and be replaced by an organization of St. Simeon's Volunteers
- St. Simeon's Volunteers bylaws for their new Volunteer Organization/
- St. Paul's Claremore: revised bylaws for a mission congregation
- Holland Hall: list of nominees for officers and trustees of their board.
- Casady School: list of nominees for trustees of their board
- St. John's Durant: revised bylaws for a mission church.
- St. John's Durant: restored to mission status.
- St. Paul's Claremore: request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for termite damage and control.
- Ardmore Village: refinance their loan with Landmark Bank of Ardmore.
- Emmanuel Shawnee: purchase of land adjacent to their property
- St. Augustine of Canterbury, Oklahoma City: request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for repairs and additions.
- St. Patrick's of Broken Arrow: loan for building expansion project.
- St. Augustine of Canterbury, Oklahoma City: 1) revision to bylaws for parish congregation; and, 2) change of status from mission to parish congregation.

- St. John's Oklahoma City's approved that negotiations for their property sale to proceed and for them to accept a minimum of \$250,000.
- Oak Hall School's list of nominees for trustees of their board
- Casady School's nominee for trustee of their board
- Santa Maria: MAPs sidewalk project. Purchase of permanent easement from Oklahoma City.
- St. Augustine Oklahoma City's request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for: 1) termite infestation; 2) replacement of landscaping; 3) website redesign; 4) new office furniture; and 5) new carpeting for Narthex.
- St. Luke's Idabel: request to expend in excess of \$1,500 to replace roof.
- Christ Church Tulsa's request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for new HVAC unit.
- St. Thomas of Pawhuska's request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for a new roof.
- St. Crispin's Project Contractor Bids: Permission to accept bid from W.L. McNatt from Oklahoma City.
- St. Mark's Seminole's request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for a new fence.
- Ardmore Village's newly revised bylaws.
- Grace Church Yukon's request to expend in excess of \$1,500 for a new stained glass window.
- The proposed 2015 Budget is approved to forward to Convention for Approval.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA
Report of the Standing Committee
to the 77th Convention of the Diocese

The Standing Committee is the Bishop's council of advice and serves as the Ecclesiastical Authority if the Diocese has no Bishop. Under canon law, the Committee consents to the ordination of bishops-elect or the elections of coadjutor or suffragan bishops within the Episcopal Church, receives the Bishop Diocesan's resignation, conducts the election of all Bishops within the Diocese, and interviews and approves all Diocesan candidates for ordination to Holy Orders. Its consent is required in various matters: for the formation or change of status of a congregation, to permit a congregation or institution to borrow money or encumber or transfer property, to oversee the dissolution of a congregation, and to approve borrowing by the Diocese.

The Standing Committee is comprised of three clergy and three lay members, each of whom serves a three-year term. The members are elected by the Convention.

Since the 76th Convention, the Committee has consented to the ordination or election of bishops in the following dioceses: Dominican Republic, East Carolina, Fond du Lac, Maryland, Mississippi, New York, Southeast Florida, and West Texas.

The Committee has interviewed and approved 16 Candidates for Holy Orders, including seven who are to be ordained. The Candidates are identified on the attached list.

September 24, 2013

DIOCESAN STANDING COMMITTEE

Gary W. Derrick (Chair), St. Paul's, Oklahoma City, 405-235-1900 (term expires 2015)

The Rev. Bill Carroll, St. Emmanuel, Shawnee, 405-273-1374 (term expires 2016)

Field Griffen, St. Patrick's, Broken Arrow, 918-629-1649 (term expires 2014)

The Rev. Everett Lees, Tulsa, 918-299-7510 (term expires 2014)

The Rev. Bill Holly, St. Aidan's/St. Simeon's, Tulsa, 918-261-9742 (term expires 2015)

James Menzer, Grace, Ponca City, 580-363-0800 (term expires 2016)

List of Candidates Approved by the Standing Committee for Holy Orders

Since the 76th Convention, the Standing Committee has approved the following Candidates for Holy Orders:

• Bryan Beard	Bi-Vocational Priest	St. Patrick's, Broken Arrow
• Laura Blazek	Deacon	St. Michael's, Norman
• Nathan Carr*	Priest	All Souls, OKC
• Thomas Dahlman	Priest	Trinity, Tulsa
• Elizabeth Davis*	Deacon	Emmanuel, Shawnee
• Sean Ekberg	Priest	St. Matthew's, Enid
• Glenda Ford-Lee	Bi-Vocational Priest	Redeemer, OKC
• Pat Gonzales*	Deacon	Whirlwind/Oakerhater
• Suzanne Mollison	Bi-Vocational Priest	St. John's, Norman
• Larry Rogers	Bi-vocational Priest	Grace, Muskogee
• Art Scrutchins*	Bi-Vocational Priest	Holland Hall
• Twila Smith*	Priest	St. John's, Norman
• Joyce Spurgin*	Deacon	St. Philip's, Ardmore
• Gloria Walters*	Bi-Vocational Priest	St. John's, Durant
• Mike Watkins	Deacon	St. Luke's, Bartlesville
• Jim Welch	Deacon	St. Patrick's, Broken Arrow

* In addition, these Candidates were approved for ordination.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA
Report of the Constitution and Canons Committee
to the 77th Convention of the Diocese

The Constitution and Canons Committee consults with the Bishop, Standing Committee and Diocesan Council regarding the Constitution and Canons of the Church and Diocese. It also maintains the Diocesan Canons through periodic amendments to ensure their currency, effectiveness and compliance with the General Canons and reviews amendments proposed by others to confirm their proper form. The Committee has also prepared and maintains a model form of parish bylaws for use by congregations and institutions and advises congregations and institutions that are amending their bylaws.

The Committee is proposing no amendments to the Diocesan Canons at this Convention. Since the 76th Convention, it reviewed and revised proposed bylaws for five congregations and one institution.

The Committee encourages input about the Diocesan Canons and its work.

September 23, 2013

DIOCESAN CONSTITUTION AND CANONS COMMITTEE

Gary W. Derrick (Chair), St. Paul's, Oklahoma City, 405-235-1900

Preston G. Gaddis, St. Paul's, Oklahoma City, 405-235-7715

John Henry Rule, St. John's, Tulsa, 918-595-4843

Mark A. Robertson, All Soul's, Oklahoma City, 405-848-1944

William R. Cathcart (Chancellor, Ex-Officio), All Soul's,
Oklahoma City, 405-524-1110

2014 Convention Report on Oklahoma Council on Indian Ministry:

The Oklahoma Council on Indian Ministry (OCIM) is the oldest Indian outreach council in the national Episcopal Church. Its mission is to spread the Gospel, educate the public about American Indian/Alaska Native issues, and serve Indian ministry needs. A major focus of the council has been the completion of a church-community center in Watonga for the Whirlwind Mission of the Holy Family, erected in 2008. The Indian Missioner's move to a new job in Texas created a gap in leadership during 2014.

OCIM actively seeks new members to enlarge its outreach. Meetings have led to contacts in northeastern Oklahoma, with an August gathering there at St. Basil's in Tahlequah. The retirement of Rev. H. Barnett Jackson, Jr., from the Cherokee Scholarship Committee of OCIM led to a reorganization of the committee membership. The committee oversees annual college undergraduate scholarship support for qualified enrolled members of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma. In addition, members co-hosting Paths Crossing in 2014.

OCIM helped host in Watonga at the mission grounds the Twenty-seventh Annual Honor Dance on a weekend date (September 6) near David Pendleton feast day on the national Church calendar. Oakerhater is the Anglicized version of the Cheyenne word for Making Medicine. The dance is open to all and pays honor to his ministry as well as those who help with Indian ministry everywhere. Many people travel long distances each year to attend the Eucharist, the dancing, and to enjoy the food and fellowship. Bishop Ed Celebrated and preached for the Eucharist held indoors at the Mission. This year's Honor Dance well attended and enjoyed by those present in spite of cool, wet weather. Members of the Cathedral's Oakerhater Guild also participated.

The dance spreads the message of OCIM and recognizes the role Oklahoma American Indian saint David Pendleton in the Episcopal Church. His fellow missionary in the territory, Harriett Bedell is also now a saint, listed in "Holy Women, Holy Men." She worked in the region before going to Alaska and Florida. Individual members of OCIM also take part in a much wider range of Indian diocesan activities throughout the year, helping to spread the word about Indian ministry. As one example, individuals participate in their church Vacation Bible School held in Watonga during July. Thank you for the opportunity to share the Oklahoma Council for Indian Ministry story. We welcome your ongoing support and prayers.

Yours in Christ, Buzz McDonald, Chair, OCIM



THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN

2014

OUR MISSION:

*We are Sisters in Christ. We are **every** Episcopal Woman – lay or ordained. We are committed to prayer, listening, leadership, study, service, giving and fellowship.*

The Episcopal Church Women's organization is comprised of all women of the church. The absence of a formal, organized women's group within individual churches does not preclude the women in that church from membership in this state-wide organization.

The Episcopal Church Women of the Diocese of Oklahoma offers programs throughout the year for the women of this diocese and their guests.

Examples of these offerings include our Women's retreats – held twice a year. In addition to our retreats, programs are presented in the regions of the diocese. We serve as an organizational resource for women involved in formation of ECWs in their parishes. Our Annual Conference and Bishop's Day brings women together from around Oklahoma for prayer, education and fellowship.

Retreats held in Spring and Fall at St. Crispin's Conference Center are well attended by Episcopal women. Retreats have also served as an excellent opportunity for outreach as attendees often recruit women outside the Episcopal Church to join them in experiencing the spiritual renewal and study offered at these events. Our Devotional Life Chair, The Rev. Debora Jennings has continued to instruct and entertain with topics and activities very popular with our members and their guests. During our Spring retreat many women arrived early at St. Crispin's and set up a sewing room. Our work that afternoon produced 100 colorful pillowcases. The pillowcases with new pillows included were gifted to attendees of the two “New Hope” summer camps this year to remind those campers that they are loved and valued.

Episcopal Women of Oklahoma support many ministries within the state and across the nation. Annually we publish our yearbook. The “Blue Book”, distributed to all clergy, churches, and diocesan leaders catalogs organized ECWs, key women, churches and the diocesan structure. In addition, the women of the church support the greater community including New Hope, Whirlwind Mission, United Thank Offering, Church Periodical Club and others. Episcopal church women traveled to St. Crispin's to treat the camp staff to a luncheon in between camp

sessions to affirm our appreciation for their hard work serving the youth of the diocese.

St. John's in Norman hosted our Annual Conference and Bishop's Day last April. Our theme - "Lift Up Your Hearts – A Celebration of our Common Ministries" gave inspiration for wonderful messages from our keynote speaker Dean Justin Lindstrom. He spoke of personal challenges and triumphs along his own spiritual path. The Reverend Debora Jennings did not disappoint. We are blessed repeatedly with her thoughtful worship which adds so much to our fellowship weekend. Bishop Konieczny celebrated the Eucharist. He stressed the importance of the work of women in our churches as we marvel at the great opportunity available to us for service.

Sabrina Evans and Diane Ellsworth at the office of the diocese have been extremely helpful in disseminating our information and helping us announce our events as we are still short a webmaster. We've found our Facebook page to be a quick way to get information out concerning upcoming events. Be sure to check us out on Facebook.

It's our mission in the upcoming years to bring more women into the fold and introduce them to the opportunities for fellowship and growth that our events provide. We encourage individual churches with organized groups of women or churches just beginning to organize to contact us and we'd love to help in any way we can.

Mark Your Calendars

February 20-21, 2015	ECW Spring Retreat, St. Crispin's
April 24-25, 2015	Annual Conference & Bishop's Day Grace Church, Ponca City
May 1-2, 2015	Province VII Synod, Kansas City
June 25-July 3, 2015	Triennial & General Convention Salt Lake City, UT
October 2,3,4, 2015	ECW Fall Retreat, St. Crispin's

Respectfully submitted,

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St. Crispin's Episcopal Conference Center

Nestled in the rolling oak covered hills of Seminole County, St. Crispin's Episcopal Conference Center is loved by all who visit. A centerpiece of the mission of the Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma, St. Crispin's has provided a restful place for individuals and groups for over 50 years.

St. Crispin's Mission is to provide a peaceful space for all guests where they will experience hospitality, nourishment and an opportunity to grow in the grace of God.

Under the St. Crispin's protective umbrella, we host a myriad of programs: Summer Camp, EfM, IONA, Episcopal Church Women's Retreats, etc... are just a few. St. Crispin's unique environment offers a respite from busy schedules and provides a place free from the pressures of day-to-day business, where creativity can blossom and you can become your best self again. On our 450 unspoiled acres of lakes, hills and forest, you can enjoy spiritual reflection and time with God during an experience never to be forgotten.

Working with youth and providing kids with meaningful, fun and life changing experiences has long been a focus of St. Crispin's. A large number of past and current leaders in the Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma credit their experiences at St. Crispin's with helping to shape their life choices and career paths. Over the past year, St. Crispin's has served over 800 youth and their group leaders through St. Crispin's Summer Camp, hosting camps for other churches and organizations, and hosting both Episcopal and Non-Episcopal Elementary, Middle and High School groups from across the state.

There are a number great things happening at St. Crispin's:

- 2 new water wells have been drilled.
- Philip Newcomer, former camper and Summer Camp Staff member, will be interning at St. Crispin's for the year.
- Improved and lengthened the hiking & Mountain Biking trails to a total of 8.2 miles.
- Guests attending a Summer Camp Alumni Retreat helped build boxes for the new raised beds in our garden.
- Our garden produced over 100 lbs of vegetables over the summer, which were prepared in our kitchen, and consumed during our Summer Camp meals.
- Daniel Chapman was able to acquire the donation of a Pottery Kiln for use during Summer Camp and possibly retreat programs.
- On October 19th, we hosted the St. Crispin's Day Massacre Mountain Bike Race. This race was a part of the Tour de Dirt State Mountain Bike Championship series and provided great exposure for our facility and trails by bringing in riders from across the state.
- Purchase of a Director's home, located on adjacent property, in order to make way for building the new Dining Hall next to Oakerhater Lodge and overlooking the upper lake.
- The building project is moving forward and we fully anticipate the new Summer Camp buildings to be open for camp in 2016.

Our family continues to feel blessed to live and work in an environment where we can use our talents. We strive to serve you and provide a setting that will encourage your personal

relationships, nourish your body and soul, and nurture your spiritual growth. We are also pleased that Daniel Chapman will be staying on at St. Crispin's full-time. His spirit and willingness to give of himself exemplifies the St. Crispin's Mission.

So whether you grew up at St. Crispin's, attend retreats in one of the lodges, or have never had the opportunity to stay, we hope that you plan to visit soon and experience not only the beauty of St. Crispin's Episcopal Conference Center, but see and experience the improvements and new activities. St. Crispin's is a place for people of all ages to grow, play, and participate in Christian formation in a safe and nurturing community. We will work hard to provide a quality, positive environment for all who choose to attend. Come experience the ministry of St. Crispin's and feel the magic of our conference center - your home away from home.

Respectfully Submitted by:
Joanne Kovac-Roberts & Mike Roberts

Christian Formation
Annual Report, 2014

Each year when I write this report, I always wonder, "Could this year have been any busier than the last one?" And for some reason, I am always surprised that it was! I pull out the 2013 calendar to remind myself of things past, and each penciled in event reminds me of the joy and excitement of sharing formation events in the diocese.

Our youth gathered for the "This is Me" lock in event Friday night of convention. There were workshops which were led by participants of the Episcopal Youth Leadership Academy. There was a good 40 kids and numerous college students and adults who stepped up to serve as chaperones for this event. Then on Saturday morning the group led Morning Prayer. At the end of the time, we recognized the graduating class of the 1st EYLA Class. They were: Jenna Elmer, Victoria Dina, Haley King, Madison Crider, Lily Rain Cummings, Sara Barr, John Zuk, Braxton Carole, Rachael Carroll, Maggie Jones, Abby Bilsbury, and Keifer Kehl.

We have a new group ready to take on the EYLA program and look forward to presenting them at Convention. The 2014-15 group for Episcopal Youth Leadership Academy (EYLA) will begin on September 29, at St. Crispin's. We have 11 youth registered. We will be visiting Grace, Muskogee, St. Philip's. Ardmore, St. Christopher's, Midwest City, and the diocesan offices.

Safeguarding God's Children continues to be a priority in this diocese. We have over 2,050 people trained. We have also set it up on-line for clergy to take their re-training and the diocese serving as the administrator.

Safeguarding God's People – Sexual Harassment of Church Workers and Sexual Exploitation in Communities of Faith has had 427 people trained.

New Beginnings was offered January 18 – 19 and sixteen individuals participated. We are working with two new individuals,

National Happening Leadership Conference – We were honored to serve as host for this event, which was held at UCO in June. I was able to do much of the "leg work" here in town as a Board Member and those who were coming were mainly from out of the state. Ashley Haggard, Savannah Lyne, Caitlin Kenney, and Kevin Rysted attended the event, and Caitlin was elected to serve on the Board.

During this time, Del Mages, the creator of the Happening curriculum, was present. He indicated he was not aware where the materials had gone or what the impact of his materials until 2 or 3 years ago.

Happening was offered August 1 – 2 at Canterbury Norman. This event had more participants than space and the group had to use the facilities at St. John's Norman, for sleeping purposes. We were honored to have 5 individuals from the Diocese of Utah attend Happening. They had met some of our kids at EYE14 and were encouraged to come and experience Happening. And they did! It has been some 17 years since the Diocese of Utah has had a Happening event and we were glad to have them come. We anticipate working with them on getting Happening back up and running in Utah in the near future.

We were honored to have Del Mages come to the Closing Worship on Saturday from Texas, and bring several of his friends with him.

Episcopal Night with the Oklahoma Thunder was offered October 29. We only had 125 +/- tickets and sold out quickly.

Mission Camp was held March 18 – 20, and we used Christ Memorial, El Reno, as our home base. Nine participants went to the American Red Cross and stuffed Emergency Kits, which were to be distributed in the Moore area, Went to Tulsa to work at New Hope, setting up the Computer Room and sorting out supplies, and finally, shopping and preparing a meal at the Church for workers and homeowners in the El Reno area.

Our annual **Acolyte Festival** was held October 19, 2013, at St. Paul's Cathedral. We will be making a change in Acolyte Festival for 2014 and offering a Liturgy Leadership Festival and have ten workshops available for those who serve in various parts of worship.

We financially supported two congregations who attended the National Cathedral Acolyte Festival in Washington,

D.C., in October – St. John’s, OKC, and St. Christopher’s, Midwest City.

Summer Camp was incredible this year. We had more children there this year than last, and I was at camp almost every Sunday for registration to meet the campers and their families.

We implemented the new on-line registration application in March. This caused us to be later in offering Camp registration than usual but the wait was worth it.

Debbie Konieczny, The Rev. Joseph Alsay, and I were deans at the ABC Camp.

Altered/(formerly Vocare) held its gathering March 27 - 30. This event is open to young adults ages 19 – 30 and was well-attended. They are scheduled for October 31 – November 2, 2014, and in March of 2015, both gatherings at St. Crispin’s.

Education for Ministry – We held our annual Mentor’s Training at St. Crispin’s in August. We offered 4 classes to help provide the required annual re-training of our Mentors.

We will be holding our first EfM Retreat, October 18 – 19, at St. Crispin’s, hosting The Rev. Dr. Christopher Bryan, Professor at the School of Theology at the University of the South. Dr. Bryan is the author of one of the reference books currently used by EfM participants.

Godly Play – We offered two training this year for this children’s Christian Formation program – in OKC and Tulsa. A total of 19 people participated. This was a new type of offering in that we were a pilot program for material making. I am working with a couple of congregations to get their materials up to date and individual trainings.

ChurchNext – we are running a Pilot Program with ChurchNext with six congregations using their videos as Christian Formation offerings for their adult program.

EYE14 – We sent 2 vans, 4 adults and 18 youth to EYE14. It was an incredible experience for them all. They were great representatives of the Diocese and came back changed from the event. Special thanks to Aaron Mooney, Beth Canaday. Michael Riden, Nancy Scott for driving the vans, and Chuck Evans for seeing that all the luggage made it there and back.

Cultural Awareness Training - I attended a week-long training in the Diocese of Los Angeles, from the Kaleidoscope Institute, with regards to cultural awareness and will be working on an outline for training for our clergy. Cultural awareness (anti-racism) training is required for all clergy. Our new clergy are getting this training in seminary.

Bishop’s Lecture Series – I am pleased that have offered our first Bishop’s Lecture Series. There were several things I wanted to see happen with this event:

1. That a mixture of clergy and lay would come together for a unique experience of learning.
2. That it would provide some of the best thinkers, practioners, and leaders in diverse fields
3. That our presenters would offer skills that you could use in your own congregations/lives.
4. That it would be reasonable in cost
5. That our first event would set the tone for all of this and excite people to look forward to this being a continuous option in formation.

I am confident that our first speakers did this.

Drs. Lisa Kimball and Patricia Lyons were our presenters, speaking on the topic: The Once and Future Church: Passing on Faith from Tradition to Hashtags. This event was hosted at St. Paul’s Cathedral. We had 20+ on Friday night and 35 on Saturday. We will continue working with these individuals to offer resources and help our congregations look at ways to make their formation part of the “Great Epic.”

Next year’s speaker will be Kristin Lindeen, daughter of author John G. Miller. Her father founded and Kristen grew up with “Question Behind the Question” or QBQ, and they specialize in training on personal accountability. It will be held September 11 and 12, 2015.

We have scheduled Diana Butler Bass for 2016.

Personally - I attended two workshops led by John Roberto in the Diocese of Dallas. He was helping people see who they are serving, which groups are not being served and providing options on how to make this change.

I have coordinated three meetings of Province VII Christian Formation leaders.

I am currently serving on the Interfaith Alliance on the Advisory Commission.

Sabrina Evans
Director of Christian Formation

St. Crispin's Summer Camp

St. Crispin's Summer Camp is a collaborative effort across a widely diverse body of Episcopalians of various generations, theologies, and stations of life that creates a safe, spiritually healthy camp experience for our children and youth. This year Summer Camp theme was based on our 2013 Convention, "Embrace Christ, Engage the World."

There were 427 campers this summer from ages Kindergarten thru 12th Grade. The camp leadership consisted of 14 Paid Staffers and 51 Volunteers (27 Volunteer Counselors and 24 CITs).

The Paid Staffers were; Director, Fr. Tim Sean Youmans (Casady School and St. Paul's OKC), St. Crispin's Conference Center Staffer Daniel Chapman (Episcopal Church of the Epiphany, New Iberia, LA), return Summer Staffers Austin Lawhorn (St. John's Tulsa), Philip Newcomer (St. Luke's Ada and OU Canterbury), Kirsten Rysted (OU Canterbury and St. Paul's OKC) , Kelsey Brass (OSU Canterbury), Caity Miller (St. Luke's ADA), and new Staff Counselors Gable Krebsbach (Roman Catholic), Willy Bernston (St. Aiden's Tulsa), Ben Abila (St. John's Norman), Jacob Rhinehart (Trinity Tulsa), Sammantha Birchall (Emmanuel Shawnee), Katie Gallion (St. Patrick's Broken Arrow and OU Canterbury), Rebekah deCosier Emmanuel Shawnee).

Deans volunteer to create the spiritual formations curriculum for each week and enlist a Priest and/or deacon to lead the worship for the week. This year's Deans were Sabrina Evans from St. Augustine OKC, Debbie Konieczny from St. Paul's OKC, Kate Huston and Ian Bass from St. Paul's OKC, Laura Beth Woods from OU Canterbury/St. John's Norman, Terry Prather from All Souls OKC, Beth and Michael Canaday and Nancy Reese Barrett from Emmanuel Shawnee, Karen Langley from St. Peter's Tulsa, Karen Woodliff from St. Andrew's Stillwater, Becky Moseman and Melissa Stirling from Trinity Tulsa and Holland Hall, Dana Orwig and HL Watson from St. John's OKC, Jennifer Burris from Grace Yukon, Andrew Roberts from Christ Church Tulsa.

The ordained clergy who came to camp this summer were Fr. Joseph Alsay (St. Augustine OKC), Fr. Jeff Huston (St. Andrew's & OSU Canterbury Stillwater), Mthr. Kirsten Baer (Grace Yukon), Fr. Charles Blizzard (All Souls and Casady School), Fr. Steve Bilsbury (St. Philip's Ardmore), Fr. Blake Woods (OU Canterbury), Fr. David Stock (St. John's OKC), Fr. Everett Lees (Christ Church Tulsa).

The medical staff who volunteered were Linda Newcomer R.N., from St. Luke's Ada, Dr. Elisa Davis from St Andrews & OSU Canterbury, P.A. Tricia Iven Trinity Tulsa & Roman Catholic Church, Katie Hamilton R.N. Trinity Tulsa, Dr. Rowena Baumgartner, Christ the King Catholic, Tulsa, Dr. Steve Orwig St. John's OKC, Dr. Gil Haas St. Paul's Cathedral OKC.

The cost for a week of camp remains \$315 for the week. This is considerably lower than any other Episcopal Camp in the nation, which are at least \$400 for the week and higher, and the Diocese turns no children away from a week of camp through partnerships with parishes and Diocesan scholarships. What these counselors and volunteers do with the resources they have to create the week our kids experience is an extraordinary feat. I give my sincerest gratitude to the people of the Diocese for your multi-faceted support of the Summer Camp program at St. Crispin's. The return on your investment is rich and expansive.

Fr. Tim Sean Youmans
St. Crispin's Summer Camp Director, 2014
Assistant Priest and Theology Instructor, Casady School



BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW
EXECUTIVE BOARD AND NATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT FORM

OK Diocesan Coordinator Brotherhood, Bob Baker

For the Year Ending 2013 – 2014

Summary of Activities, Including National Service Day: _____

Oklahoma Diocesan Men's Retreat at St Crispin's Episcopal Retreat Center near Seminole,
OK lead by Bishop Bruce MacPherson, May 1-3, 2014

Joint Meetings of Tulsa BStA Chapters with St Luke's, St Peter's and St John's groups meeting at:

St Luke's Saturday, April 12, 2014

St John,s Holy Saturday, April 19, 2014

St Peter's Saturday, May 10, 2014

Summary of Special Events: _____

Pentecost Picnic-BStA members cook hamburgers and hotdogs Spring 2013 and 2014

Independence Day Celebration Brunch and Patriotic Talk July 4, 2013

Chili Cook-off at St John's/Tulsa supporting Boy Scout Troup #153 Feb 7, 2014

New Initiatives planned: _____

Future BStA Men's Retreats scheduled for: April 30-May 2, 2015 St Crispin's

May 5-7, 2016 St Crispin's

New or revitalized BStA Chapters in the Diocese of Oklahoma:

All Souls' Church/Oklahoma City
Grace Church/Ponca City
St Andrew's Episcopal/Stillwater

Please email to Cindi Davies, Brotherhood National Office cindidavies@verizon.net.
If returning by postal mail, the address is: Brotherhood of St. Andrew, P.O. Box 632, Ambridge, PA
15003-0632. The fax number is 724-266-9577.

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

REPORT TO ANNUAL CONVENTION, 2014

“The Order of the Daughters of the King is a religious order for baptized women who are communicants of the Episcopal Church, churches in communion with it, or churches in the historic episcopate but not in communion with it. Today our membership includes women in the Anglican, Episcopal, Lutheran (ELCA) and Roman Catholic churches. The Order was founded in 1885 by Margaret J. Franklin at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher in New York City (now the Church of the Resurrection). Our Anglican tradition includes episcopal oversight, recognizes that Holy Scripture contains all things necessary for salvation, acknowledges the gift of the Holy Spirit in baptism, the real presence of our Lord in the Holy Eucharist, and worship according to The Book of Common Prayer.

Members undertake a Rule of Life, incorporating the Rule of Prayer and the Rule of Service. By reaffirmation of the promises made at Baptism and Confirmation, a Daughter pledges herself to a life-long program of prayer, service, and evangelism, dedicated to the spread of Christ’s Kingdom and the strengthening of the spiritual life of her parish.

-----Excerpted from The National Handbook of the Daughters of the King

There are, according to my most recent information, 278 Daughters in Oklahoma, most of whom are members of their local chapters which currently number seventeen. For those Daughters who live too far from an organized chapter to be involved regularly with them, we have the classification of Daughters at Large. These women commit themselves to living out their vows in their homes and the local communities near them. They currently number about 30 in the state of Oklahoma.

As the years pass, some chapters, especially those founded in smaller churches, and in more remote communities, sometimes literally “die out”, due to the advanced age of their membership. Such was the fate this year of St. Anne’s Chapter in Clinton and St. Andrew’s Chapter in Stillwater. The good news is that a Daughter who moved to Stillwater last year is working to found a new chapter there. The single Daughter remaining in Clinton has transferred her membership to the closest chapter to her, the chapter of Saints Mary & Martha in Altus. Currently, Trinity chapter located at Trinity Church, Tulsa, and St. Agnes chapter located in Muskogee are rebuilding.

A new chapter, Emmanuel Chapter, at St. Mary's Church, Edmond, received their charter the first weekend this past January.-----Yes, that was the weekend of the snow and ice storm in the greater Oklahoma City area that closed I-35 to all traffic. Another new chapter is in formation currently at St. Matthew's Church, Enid, under the tutelage of their interim priest.

This past May I had an unusual privilege, which may have been a "first" for Daughters in the United States. I witnessed three women, three generations in one family----a young woman, her mother, and her grandmother----taking their vows together to become Daughters of the King. This occurred at Miriam Chapter at St. John's Church in Oklahoma City. Our national DOK office had been notified of the planned event and requested that pictures be taken and sent to them for future publication in The Royal Cross, the quarterly magazine of the Order.

Daughters also sponsor many junior chapters for girls, 7-21 years of age, in our country. Oklahoma has a single Junior Daughters Chapter at St. John's Church, Norman. This Junior Chapter was founded last year and is thriving under the leadership of two Senior Daughters. One of their leaders recently reported that they have seven or eight more girls who are interested in joining them.

I am happy to say that due to a rise in the number of Senior Daughters who have recently voiced interests in attending a DOK Retreat at St. Crispin's, we are planning and looking forward once more to again having an annual fall retreat, beginning in October of this year.

Respectfully submitted,

Sylvia Cruet, Diocesan President

Daughters of the King

2014 St. Anselm of Canterbury Annual Report

The Episcopal Church of Oklahoma is committed to the lifelong formation of Christians throughout the Diocese, and the ministry of St. Anselm of Canterbury is an important part of that mission. Campus ministry is uniquely positioned to be a guidepost at one of the most important crossroads of young adulthood.

This past year proved to be a great start for my Chaplaincy to the University of Oklahoma. Canterbury was blessed with a large incoming class of freshmen who have grown up knowing the strength of intentional Christian community in the Diocese of Oklahoma through our retreats and camp programs. What this means is that we were able to spend less time getting “buy in” and more time committing ourselves to exploring what our motto means. Faith seeking Understanding.

St. Anselm’s motto undergirds everything we do from worship to Christian education. Sunday evenings you will find 20-30 of us worshipping from the Book of Common Prayer and singing out of the Hymnal to the organ. You will find us in discussion about the lectionary, seeking to understand the Word in a way that informs our modern context. Wednesday evenings is Canterbury Compline at 9:30 and preceded by Explore, our weekly Christian Education offering where we take a look at the intersection of college life and faith. This past year we tackled subjects like Sex, Drugs and Alcohol, Discernment, Pacifism, Materialism, and What is Grace to name a few. The participation has been wonderful with anywhere from 15-20 students showing up each week.

This past year we also expanded our outreach by participating in several large events sponsored by the University of Oklahoma. We were involved in The Big Event, a campus wide day of service as well as Relay for Life, raising enough money to finish in the top 20 of all student organizations. These events had great participation and we hope to continue that this next year.

One of the hardest parts of campus ministry is saying goodbye. This past year we graduated several of our leaders at Canterbury, but we couldn’t be more proud of the ministry and leadership they are continuing after college. Former Student President Phillip Bedford joined Teach for America and is teaching science in Oklahoma City and John Putnam joined the Episcopal Service Corps in Denver. We can only hope that this kind of service and leadership continues to be a part of our mission at St. Anselm of Canterbury.

Respectfully submitted,

Fr. Blake Woods

2014 Annual Report

St Augustine Canterbury Center at Oklahoma State University

Ministry to the Campus

- **Wednesday evening Eucharist/dinner.** An informal Eucharist (at 5:30pm) held at the Canterbury Center followed by a meal provided by a St Andrew's parishioner. Attendance has increased
- **Sunday evening fellowship.** We meet at the Canterbury Center 5:30PM to discuss current issues, The role faith plays in our public and private lives, and whatever else comes up. We share a meal provided by a St Andrew's parishioner before closing our evening with compline, evening prayer, or night prayer. So far we are averaging 12-15 students and parishioners for fellowship and we have no reason to believe that number will not continue to grow
- **Hosting meetings.** Currently we host a bi-weekly yoga class led by a St. Andrew's parishioner, the horn studio of one of the instructors at OSU, an a capella group composed of OSU voice students, and the monthly meeting of Stillwater's PFLAG chapter. We are hoping to expand our hospitality to other groups and organizations.
- **Ashes to Go.** On Ash Wednesday this year we posted ourselves outside the student union offering a brief service of prayer, psalm readings, and imposition of ashes. 35+ students and faculty took time to share in the service.

Canterbury/St Andrew's shared ministry

- students joined the Lenten soup and supper series at St Andrew's in lieu of meeting at our regular time.
- many students are active in the life of St Andrew's including serving on the vestry, singing in the choir, lay reading, and attendance on Sunday mornings.
- 25 families from St Andrew's have signed up to provide meals for Canterbury program on Wednesday and Sunday throughout the semester!

Ministry Partners

- We are grateful for the continued support of the St Andrew's Thrift Shop, whose support annually helps offset operating expenses
- Thank you to the Diocese and this convention for supporting our ministry financially and enabling this important ministry
- Thank you to the support and excitement from the people of St Andrew's as we continue this new chapter of shared ministry.
- Finally, thank you to all of the parishes and missions in the Diocese of Oklahoma for raising up such wonderful students. Please keep us in the loop when you have a graduate heading our way.

We'd love to hear from you!
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Respectfully Submitted,
Fr. Jeff Huston
Campus minister/associate rector

Diocesan Music Commission

The Diocesan Music Commission seeks to be of service to our parishes and missions, especially as a resource for information and advice on musical aspects of our life together in community.

Like all commissions, our members come from all over the diocese. If a parish or mission is in need of help from a member of the commission, please feel free to call on us - there is someone in your area willing to help.

Members of the Diocesan Music Commission are: Laura van der Windt (All Souls, OKC), H. Scott Raab (St. Paul's, OKC), Casey Cantwell (Trinity, Tulsa), Cynthia Cortright (St. John's, OKC), Dolores McCreary (St. Luke's, Bartlesville), and Michael Bedford (St. John's, Tulsa).

Respectfully submitted,

H. Scott Raab, Chair

Oklahoma Commission of Episcopal Schools

“We will strive for justice and peace among all people and respect the dignity of every human being.” The member schools of the Oklahoma Commission of Episcopal Schools strive to be places where this part of the Baptismal Covenant comes alive. Episcopal schools are specifically created to be communities that honor and celebrate all of life and creation. In our schools we seek to integrate religious and spiritual formation into the overall curriculum and life of each school community.

The commission meets regularly during the academic year to provide mutual cooperation and support among the member schools. The OCES provides assistance to the Bishop and Diocesan Council for insuring that member schools adhere to diocesan standards.

The commission is comprised of the following six schools, all meeting the diocesan standards for certification:

Casady (Oklahoma City) Holland Hall (Tulsa) Oak Hall (Ardmore) □ St. John’s (Oklahoma City) St. Mary’s (Edmond) □ St Dunstan’s (Tulsa)

The OCES strongly encourages all certified schools to seek accreditation and/or to meet the standards of at least one area, state, or national agency to insure quality environments for our young people. Every school in the OCES is dedicated to encouraging academics and creativity. We concentrate on the physical, emotional and spiritual development of our children.

The Rev. Arthur Scrutchins Chair, OCES

Prison Missioner's Advance Report to 2014 Diocesan Convention

on behalf of the
Commission on Prison Ministry

Jesus said: "I was in prison and you visited me." – Matthew 25:36

Although the residents of correctional facilities are usually invisible to most people, in fact, the operations and effects of our Criminal Justice System create many statewide impacts. These range from the economic burden shouldered by Oklahoma taxpayers—(our Legislature spent over \$475 Million Dollars in budgeted and supplemental funds for the Department of Corrections in Fiscal Year 2014)—to the irreversible, personal losses suffered by victims of crimes, the incarcerated—(27,500 persons in Oklahoma, as of July 31, 2014)¹ -- and their families. And there is no sector of society more affected by these matters than those struggling with poverty.

The mission of the Commission on Prison Ministry is

*to bring the reconciliation, redemptive grace and compassion of our Lord Christ Jesus
to the incarcerated, their families and victims, those charged with their detention,
and to others at risk for or affected by the criminal justice system;
so that people may be restored to God, their families and communities;
and for the sake of the healing and restoration of our greater society at large.*

Thank you for your continuing support of our Prison Ministries! There are many ways in which you may become involved:

- Serve as one of our 30+ Prison Ministers who assist in leading St. Patrick's Community worship services or rehabilitative programs inside Oklahoma prisons. *
* *Requires training and a badge issued by the Oklahoma Department of Corrections.*
- Serve as a Team Member in, or attend the Closing Ceremony of, a Kairos Weekend (a program similar to Cursillo, designed for correctional center residents). *
- Attend a "Bridges Out of Poverty" Training, and/or a "Getting Ahead in a Just-Gettin'-By World" Facilitator Training – and then collaborate with others toward addressing issues of poverty that so often affect families of incarceration.
- Assist with New Hope Oklahoma's ministries to children of incarceration.
(See New Hope's website for contact information: www.newhopeoklahoma.org)

For more information, please contact Prison Missioner Nancy Brock:

Rev. Nancy Brock, Diocesan Prison Missioner; Email: nbrock@EpiOK.org; Ph.: 405-232-4820

Other Members of the Commission:

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| - The Rev. Alan Barrow | - Ms. Debbie Mahaffey (United Methodist Representative) |
| - The Rev. Gerald Butcher | - Mr. John Pearson |
| - Ms. Karen Curtis | - Rev. Mary Lu Walker, Interim Chair of the Commission |
| - Ms. Camille Gann | - Ms. Sue Way (ELCA Diaconal Minister) |

¹ Source of inmate statistics: "Facts At a Glance," published July 31, 2014, by the Okla. Dept. of Corrections. Retrieved Sept. 15, 2014 from: http://www.ok.gov/doc/documents/DOC_Facts_At_A_Glance_July_%202014.pdf

The Diocese of Oklahoma

2014 REPORT ON THE OLDER ADULTS (SENIOR) MINISTRY

An overall purpose of the *Older Adults Ministry (Senior Ministry Committee)* continues to be education, to raise awareness about aging and quality of life issues. The OAM addresses negative “ageist” stereotypes with education about lifelong spiritual formation, as well as health promotion, vocation and volunteerism. Today, over one in three Episcopalians is age 65+ and they range from very active to homebound members. Moreover, by 2020, the high risk age 85+ population will increase by 40%, exacerbating a crisis in caregiving. This unprecedented rapid growth of the older adult population nationwide and worldwide and the resultant challenges to the social and economic system demands responses from the church.

This year, In the Oklahoma Diocese, the Belzers assisted Sabrina Evans in planning for the third annual “Mind, Body & Spirit in the 2nd Half of Life” conference, held on August 7th, bringing in experts in various aging topics. There were a series of workshops to choose from, including:

The Messy Paperwork of Spiritual Life—What does the church do to help you prepare for end of life issues? Have you made your desires for a funeral known? What about ethical issues of dying, or even asking for Last Rites?

Tai Chi: Moving for Better Balance— Walks you through the ins and outs of Tai Chi, meditation in motion in an eight form developed for better balance and fall prevention.

Guest Lunch Speaker - Aging is Changing - What does aging look like today? What is aging and what it is not? What are the myths and realities about aging?

The Messy Paperwork of Legal Life—This workshop will focus on end of life legal documents related to health care decisions including Advance Directive for Health Care, Durable Power of Attorney with Health Care powers, and the Do not Resuscitate (DNR) consent forms.

Using Medications Safely - Discussion will include factors as the use of multiple medications, inappropriate medications and changes of aging, leading to “America’s other drug problem.”

Understanding the World of Alzheimer’s Disease While Not Neglecting You—A frank discussion about Alzheimer’s disease and the importance of caregiver self-care.

Praying with Photographs—How can photographs reflect your prayer life? Using images can be an easy way to connect your emotions to your everyday life.

There were 35 participants at this year’s event. One outcome was that although the conference was well advertised through the diocesan newsletter there were some indications that not everyone had heard about the conference. One goal in the future is to assure that word is passed on at the parish level on this and other senior events.

It is the goal of the Drs. Belzer to serve as consultants to parishes across the state in developing helpful programs for older members. The plan is to recruit an individual from each parish to act as a point-of-contact for their particular church in matters related to aging issues. For more information, the Belzers can be contacted at jabelzer@allegiance.tv.

Saint Simeon's Report – Diocese Convention 2014



Saint Simeon's Episcopal Home in Tulsa continues its tradition of excellent care for over 54 years. We are the preferred home for men and women of all faiths who wish to live their later years in an environment with dignity, individuality and the highest attainable level of independence. We offer eight levels of care: Independent Living, four levels of Assisted Living, Memory Care,

Health Care, and Skilled Nursing. Saint Simeon's is home to 180 Residents and employs 200 people.

This year, Saint Simeon's has implemented several changes that will allow us to remain on the cutting edge of healthcare. In January, Saint Simeon's incorporated Skilled Nursing for individuals in need of acute care short-term stays. If a Resident has a hospital stay that requires Skilled

Nursing for up to 100 days, Saint Simeon's is able to accommodate the Resident through a temporary stay in our Skilled area covered by Medicare Part A. It is Saint Simeon's aim to be able to care for our Residents no matter what health needs should arise. Saint Simeon's also accepts short-term stays from patients outside our campus on a limited basis.



Another recent change the Saint Simeon's nursing staff has undergone this year is the implementation of Electronic Medical Records. Throughout each level of care, Saint Simeon's staff now has access to all Residents' computerized records, allowing for a more seamless and modern approach to caregiving.



Thanks to generous gifts from patrons totaling more than \$77,000, Saint Simeon's Foundation was able to purchase a new transportation vehicle for Residents this year. Funds were raised at the "Moveable Feast" event, held in the wine cellar of Polo Grill in Tulsa on Sunday, February 9, 2014. Debbie and Bishop Ed Konieczny shared their personal recipes and culinary talents to make the evening special. The new vehicle is equipped with a state-of-the-art wheelchair lift and seating for 20 passengers.

The Saint Simeon's Auxiliary, a group of dedicated volunteers, has undergone significant changes this year. The Saint Simeon's Auxiliary began in 1961 as an extension of the Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma. The Auxiliary officers proposed the following changes to their organization, to which Bishop Ed *Konieczny gave his blessing and the Auxiliary approved on April 8*: 1) The organization is no longer a dues-paying organization. 2) Rather than electing Auxiliary officers and holding monthly meetings, the organization will volunteer under a capable, unpaid Volunteer Coordinator. 3) The Auxiliary has changed its name to Saint Simeon's Volunteers.

Saint Simeon's continues to enjoy partnerships with local Episcopalian churches. In February, St. John's Episcopal Church in Tulsa held a special "Saint Simeon's Day" in correlation with the Feast of the Presentation. Lindsay Hurley Fick offered information about aging services during the service. Saint Simeon's staff is always eager to share our knowledge of senior health topics with local Episcopalian parishes.

The Saint Simeon's Foundation hosted its 18th Annual Western Days. Western Days 2014: *OKLAHOMA! Our Home is Grand!* and was attended by more than 700 guests. The September 9, 2014 evening featured live and silent auctions, as well as live musical entertainment centered around *Oklahoma!* the musical.

Saint Simeon's completed a \$1.6 million renovation on the 5,300 sq. ft. Bishop's Plaza of the HealthCare Center. Approximately 55 Saint Simeon's Residents live in the HealthCare Center, which provide our most significant assistance in daily needs. These Residents now enjoy more natural lighting in their living areas, as well as live cooking demonstrations.

It has been an eventful, successful year for Saint Simeon's. It is, however, the heart of our mission to provide daily care to frail and elderly individuals. Our success is measured in large part by the responses we receive from Residents and family members. Letters such as the following are the most telling feedback we receive as a senior care community:



Dear Ms. Fick,

Saint Simeon's is such a special place. The little things the Saint Simeon's staff do mean so much to me and my family. I recently watched the vegetable garden grow with my mom, Pat, a Resident in the Memory Center. We had such fun touching plants, finding bugs, and eating tomatoes off the vine.

Luckily, your magnificent peacocks and pigeons cooperated with "wheelchair access spying," which my dog Guinevere also enjoys. My mom tells me Saint Simeon's is the most beautiful home she has ever lived in.

Sincerely,

Barbara Ann

2014 REPORT TO THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA
FROM
ARDMORE VILLAGE OF OMNIA, INC.

It's a haven, a harbor, a respite, a sanctuary.

It's an ADVENTURE!

For the past 30 years, Ardmore Village has enriched the lives of senior citizens from across southern Oklahoma and beyond, as evidenced in part by it being voted Ardmore's Favorite Retirement Community in 2014.

In the beginning, Ardmore Village's creator/ideator, the Rev. Charles H. Brown, had the dream "to provide quality, affordable residence for elders and to promote health, social, educational, enrichment services that elders may live out their years by God's grace with as much independence, dignity, productivity and meaning as health and circumstances will allow."

That mission has been met and more than exceeded through Ardmore Village's many programs, activities, services and educational opportunities, and its officials are looking to the future to surpass those dreams and more.

To acquaint you with our esteemed campus, we offer a bit of history:

The first phase of Ardmore Village included the construction of 54 single-story cottages arranged in four-plexes. Each centrally heated and air-conditioned cottage has its own kitchen, living area, bedroom and bath and is furnished with a range and refrigerator. Laundry facilities and a centrally located community building – Village Hall at 2401 Village Lane – were part of the first level of construction.

Phase 2 saw the addition of 38 more cottages in 1986, followed by a 20-unit apartment complex in 1989, a larger community building – The Creative Living Center (currently renamed The Sutton Center) – in 1996, and a 54-suite assisted-living residence named The Lodge at Ardmore Village in 2002. All of these facilities are located on an 18-acre campus in northeast Ardmore, and includes 16 two-bedroom townhomes one block over on Shenandoah Drive.

In 1999, Ardmore Village joined with other Ardmore agencies to assist in the creation of the Adult Day Services of Southern Oklahoma (ADS), a program for adults who live in their own homes, but need special day care and various enrichment activities. Owned and managed by a separate Board of Directors, ADS is still very much a part of Ardmore Village. It sits on land donated by Ardmore Village, adjacent to the campus.

Because the great things happening on the Ardmore Village campus were too much to be contained within its 18-acre borders, and the waiting list for seniors who want to move in stretches from nine months to a year, sharing the wealth with others was the charitable way to go.

The Ardmore Village Assembly – a self-sustaining governing body made up of residents and off-campus members guided by a four-office board – facilitates what is called Club ACTIVE, offering seniors in the surrounding communities the opportunity to take advantage of all the same activities and programs open to those who live at the Village. Presently, the off-campus list numbers more than 160 members. Club ACTIVE is broken down into six focus areas:

- A – Arts & Crafts
- C – Concerning Health
- T – Togetherness & Socials
- I – In-Richment
- V – Volunteerism
- E – Empowerment Through Faith

Under this umbrella, a myriad of programs is offered to residents and off-campus members, including volunteer activities like baking 200 cookies annually for the Southern Oklahoma Children's Shelter's Prevention Program Christmas Party. For the past two years, the Village Assembly has honored local members of the police and fire departments, ambulance service and first responders with a "heroes" luncheon on Patriot Day. And its Chinese New Year Party in 2012 provided International Rotarian Exchange Students from China a little relief from homesickness.

The activity centers are host to local bridge and Bunco groups, garden club members, the Can-Can cancer survivors group and the Southern Circle Square Dancers. Ardmore Village has been an active participating agency in United Way for many years.

In an effort to encourage and foster healthy living, Ardmore Village provides 77 food boxes to residents through Southern Oklahoma Nutrition Program, as well as a week-day meal program for \$2 a lunch. An annual health fair draws 35-plus vendors and flu shots are offered annually to residents and staff. Residents also participate in weekly blood pressure clinics, monthly blood glucose testing and free annual mammogram screenings. Diabetes education programs and a partnership with the OU Dental Geriatrics Program also add to an Ardmore Village senior's opportunity to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

Currently, thanks to a financial restructure, Ardmore Village has been able to concentrate on a number of campus-wide improvements, such as converting all resident gas appliances to electric, updating the air-conditioning and replacing storm doors on every cottage.

Ardmore Village is made up of three 501(c)(3) non-profit corporations – Omnia Incorporated; Ardmore Village Housing Corporation, Inc.; and Omnia Assisted Living Residences, Inc. Each corporation owns part of the campus. Omnia, Incorporated, however, manages all of the properties. In 1987, Ardmore Village became an institution of the Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma.

An 11-member Board of Directors governs Ardmore Village. The Diocesan Bishop nominates and the Diocesan Council elects these directors for a three-year term.

Ardmore Village is home to an eclectic group of men and women of diverse backgrounds, religious affiliations and personal interests, including a former professional wrestler (Cowboy Bob Ellis), a former clown (Dan Summers) and four State Volunteerism Award winners through the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (the Rev. Steve and Roberta Harris, Erma Applewhite and Dorothy Beavers). Steve Harris has served as Ardmore Village's resident security officer for many years. In 1993, he was named Outstanding Police Chaplain while serving in that capacity for the Ardmore Police Department. He also was a former Grand Marshal of the Southern Oklahoma Children's Christmas Parade in Ardmore.

The Rev. Charles H. Brown, who served many years as Ardmore Village Executive Director was named Oklahoma's Outstanding Older Worker for 2004 by Experience Works, Inc., the nation's largest provider of training and employment services for older workers.

The staff also boasts two local United Way "Heroes" Award winners – maintenance personnel Richard Needham, who is a first-responder and has saved the lives of several Ardmore Village residents; and Bobby Richardson, who went above and beyond the call of duty in her role as Night Monitor of the Ardmore Village Apartments and enriched the lives of apartment residents through activities and companionship. Richardson is now retired and is herself a resident in one of the Ardmore Village townhomes, living with her mother, Molly Jones.

The Village Hall Activity Director Leah J. Simmons is a 25-year journalist who earned a Governor's Arts Award from former Oklahoma Gov. Brad Henry and the Oklahoma Arts Council, titled the Media in the Arts Award, which recognizes an individual member of the media who demonstrates commitment to the arts in Oklahoma through reporting.

She and Ardmore Village's Certified Occupancy Specialist Lisa Cowan are members of the local community theater group, Ardmore Little Theatre, acting onstage and serving as members of the board of directors. Cowan is a familiar face in the community, having previously worked for the Ardmore Chamber of Commerce and is still active in chamber activities and programs.

Mary Lou Bennett, Service Coordinator for Ardmore Village, is a member of the Senior University Advisory board through the Ardmore Higher Education Center, designed to keep older citizens active in the community. She was recently certified as a Tai Chi instructor and offers a Moving for Better Balance class twice a week. She also is a former president of the Ardmore Sunrise Rotary Club.

And at The Lodge at Ardmore Village, Activity Director Brenda Green – a long-time local florist – and Dining Services Manager Lori Jiminez – who was named the winner of a Texas Top Chef competition at Brookdale Senior Living in Dallas, Texas – combine their creative talents to offer special programs and events for the assisted-living residents at the Lodge.

While the accomplishments of its residents and staff are evidence in itself of the high level of quality expected and maintained by the Ardmore Village executive director's office, the true testament to its success lies in the words of its own seniors.

Cottage resident Sue Wilson lived at Ardmore Village for two years. She likes to read and play cards. Sue is always giving rides, cooking or shopping for her neighbors and taking care of them. She believes in living by the life rule of John F. Kennedy – "To whom much is given, much is expected."

"I was so eager to get here, I was afraid that in three days they would find someone else," Sue said. "I like my neighbors. I like to visit my neighbors and take care of them. I do believe in giving back. I love living out here."

Hilda Neasbitt in who lives in Apt. 15 said of Ardmore Village, "This is the nicest place. You can live alone and still have your own space, but have people near you to keep you company."

Resident Cathy Bishop lives in Apt. 2 and has been active in recruiting volunteers to help in a variety of programs and activities on the campus. It's a job she takes on with pride. Before she moved to Ardmore Village, Bishop was the head of the senior center in Sulphur and was on the board of the nutrition program.

"Apartment living feels like a family. I'm just blessed to be here," she said. "God wants me to be here for some reason. I think it's just to agitate these old women. I love living here. It's the best move I've made in my life. I'm able to get out and do things. If I want to watch a movie or something, I can go out and ask someone here to join me."

Barbara Tynes, who lives in the cottages, is one of the Ardmore Village residents who likes to keep to herself most of the time. But if she needs a little company, she knows right where to find it.

"I'm perfectly content. I love this place. I love my neighbors. I can get out and do what I want," she said. "At my age, at nearly 90, I can do everything I want to do. I've got my good little dog (a Yorkie named Bentley) to keep me company. I've always lived out in the country and I'm not a mixer. I like being able to keep to myself if I want to. But I've made some of the best friends here. If you're lonesome, it's your fault."

Diocesan Report for Holland Hall

Holland Hall begins its 92nd year with 970 students enrolled in preschool through high school. The Episcopal identity remains at the core of school life, as “we teach both freedom and responsibility, belief and open mindedness, social conscience and individual integrity . . . Our Episcopal affiliation reflects our belief that individual character unfolds in two important ways: by respecting tradition, and by thinking for oneself.” (*Excerpted from an article by the Rev. Robert L. Bibens, Primary and Middle School Chaplain*) *Should this be noted?*

Students and faculty attend weekly chapel services conducted in each academic Branch of the school with age appropriate formats. While the chaplains are responsible for organizing and conducting many of the chapel services, other faculty and students participate in a variety of roles: leading prayers, reading lessons, making presentations. Chapel services are conducted as worship not assemblies. Eucharist is also offered every Thursday morning before school for those who choose to attend, and there is a hearty band of regular early morning participants.

In addition to their chapel functions, the chaplains divide their responsibilities between the three Branches of the school. They teach courses in comparative religions, Biblical studies and ethics, provide spiritual guidance to the school community, and inspire various outreach activities.

Several student organizations and activities put our Episcopal identity into practice. Dutch for Christ (“Dutch” being the school nickname) is an upper school organization that meets weekly for Bible study and discussion. EPIC, Expanding Possibility for Inclusive Culture, conducts programs and activities that promote awareness and respect for diversity. Other community service programs include partnering with local public schools to provide tutoring support and working with Iron Gate, a downtown outreach of the Church that provides meals for the homeless.

Holland Hall is an active member of the National Association of Episcopal Schools and the Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools. The school values its relationship with the Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma and appreciates the constructive role that the Bishop provides on its Board of Trustees.

During the 2013-2014 academic year and through the summer, the school renovated its historic Barnard Commons, a gathering place for students to meet every day for Morning Meeting, installed a new wireless network that allowed us to launch our One-to-One Initiative in grades six through eight where every student was issued a school-owned iPad Air, created two Design Centers (one in the middle school and one in the upper school), and, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary of Lessons and Carols, a holiday service held downtown at historic Trinity Church.

Submitted by J.P. Culley, Head of School
September 8, 2014

CASADY SCHOOL

Head of School's Office

Annual Report to Convention
September 2014

As we finish the summer of 2014 we are happy to report that Casady has had one of the busiest and most successful summer programs to date. In addition to more offerings for the children, we have had record attendance.

We have been busy this summer preparing our facilities for the opening of school and are pleased to report that Casady's new twenty-two thousand-square-foot Dr. John W. Records Science and Art building is ahead of schedule. Our children will enjoy the benefit of this state-of-the art facility when school opens in August. Visual art classes will be incorporated into the main Upper Division campus, and we are excited about the cross-curricular collaboration opportunity that exists between the science and art disciplines.

Additionally, we have worked our long-term master campus plan by completely remodeling our Upper Division English and History building. This project is an example of our desire to maintain the facilities so that all children who go through the buildings have a similar experience; one of a safe and nurturing environment and not one in need of repair. We continue to work a plan that, over the next five years, projects us to be in position to remodel a significant number of the buildings that call for renovations.

Because of the incredible generosity of our community we also have the funds to complete a new multi-purpose building located between the Primary and Lower Divisions. This building will serve our after-school program, serve to allow Primary students to have a space for gross motor skills development during inclement weather, and serve as a location for many of the grade level productions and programs. In addition to these programmatic activities the building will be constructed as a "safe room" that will accommodate the entire Primary and Lower Divisions in the event we experience inclement and threatening weather. This building underscores our commitment to campus life safety and our desire to maintain a safe and nurturing environment for our children. Completion is scheduled for early January 2015.

During the summer we asked the Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management to review the construction documents of the Middle Division in order to identify any improvements or suggestions for this building's inclement weather procedures. We are happy to report that their findings did offer us helpful suggestions as well as to confirm that we do have places in the Middle Division that serve us well in the event of inclement weather. We will be adjusting our procedures to reflect their findings.

An Episcopal Day School

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We are excited to welcome twenty-one new faculty members for the 2014/15 school year. In summary, over fifty percent of our new faculty hires come from outside Oklahoma; places like Florida, Illinois, and California with our farthest this year heralding from France. Additionally, four new faculty members hold bachelor degrees, thirteen hold master's degrees and four hold Ph.D.'s in their respective fields.

Faithfully,

Nathan Sheldon
Interim Head of School



2014 Annual Report to Diocesan Convention

Founded in 1977, Oak Hall became an 'Episcopal' school in 1990, and since then, has been fortunate to have the ongoing support of the Diocese. With the help of the Bishop, the Rector of St. Philip's Episcopal Church, and a dedicated Board of Trustees, the School is positioned to continue developing a strong reputation in the Ardmore community.

Since 1996, the School has been situated in a 33,000 square foot purpose built facility. Educating children, three years old through the Eighth Grade, Oak Hall Episcopal School offers the traditional list of subjects, both core and elective, with the opportunity for every student to exercise a servant ministry through a variety of service projects.

The School was the first private school in the nation to be named a Great Expectation Model School. We are accredited by the Oklahoma State Department of Education, the Southwest Association of Episcopal Schools, and hold membership of the Oklahoma Commission of Episcopal Schools, the National Association of Episcopal Schools, and the National Association of Independent Schools.

Like most years, the 2013-2014 school year had its ups and downs. Our enrollment was up and we continued, with the help of the Diocese and two local foundations, to be able to offer a substantial amount of needs based financial aid.

We continued to offer a variety of different activities in our after school program 'Owl University'. In addition, as we consolidate our academic programs, we piloted Math in Focus in our Kindergarten class, and in collaboration with the Ardmore YMCA, our Physical Education program included two weeks of swimming for every class, First – Eighth Grades.

Creating great emotional stress to the School community was the news that three members of faculty/staff were diagnosed with three different kinds of cancer. And although two have finished treatments and are in remission, I sadly report the death of Mrs. Marilyn Bray, our Kitchen Assistant and Upper School Extended Day teacher. *Requiescat in pace.*

As we continue to develop and live into our Episcopal identity, a faculty committee was convened during the year to review our morning procedures including Opening Exercises and the weekly Chapel service. The Committee contacted Episcopal schools in Oklahoma and Texas. From their research it became obvious that we were one of a very small number of schools holding Chapel only once a week. It was the recommendation of the Committee that a short form of Morning Prayer be introduced Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. Wednesday remains 'Big' Chapel, conducted by The Reverend Stephen Bilsbury, Rector of St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Ardmore. An additional change was that one Wednesday each month was to become Eucharist celebrated at the School.

The importance of these changes can not be overstated. OHES does not have a large Episcopal population – less than 10% of families, and less than 15% of employees identify themselves as Episcopalian. The introduction of daily worship is a big step forward for our community.

We believe that Oak Hall Episcopal School is demonstrating the very best of Episcopal education, to be comprehensive and inclusive – where children of all faiths, or none, are welcomed and celebrated as children of God.

Ken Willy
Headmaster of Oak Hall Episcopal School
Respectfully submitted



ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL
School and Child Development Program

St. John's Episcopal School

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73112

Report to 77th Annual Diocesan Convention

St. John's believes in educating the intellect and enriching the individual knowing that the best education is for the whole child. In addition to the core curriculum St. John's has enrichment classes of art, music, band, computer lab, Spanish, physical education, and Sacred Studies. The mission of St. John's Episcopal School is to provide an excellent Christian education, set in the Episcopal Tradition that instills a lifelong love of learning and achievement with a lasting habit of caring and contribution to the community. The teacher's guide the students to learn through research, discovery, and exploration. Character building skills are learned through the teachings of the Fruit of the Spirit, Galatians 5:22-23, *Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control*. These are all taught by each individual teacher in the classrooms as well as in the students sacred studies.

Through grant funding and personal donations the school has acquired two additional smart boards, two new computers for classrooms, and new carpeting in two of our classes. Five new trees grace our grounds thanks to Oklahoma Beautiful.

Our Child Development Program, which began in 2005, services children ages 6 weeks through 3 years of age. We are licensed by the Oklahoma Department of Human Services. The staff is experienced in early childhood philosophies and approaches to education.

St. John's is accredited by and an active member of the Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools, a member of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce and has a membership in the Oklahoma Commission of Episcopal Schools.

The administration, faculty, vestry and Board of Trustees have been working diligently on keeping pace with the strategic plan. The teams are building the vision of St. John's to provide the school an opportunity to assemble a multi-representative group of people who provide a wide-range of viewpoint, memories and great hopes for the future of St. John's. These leaders are inclusive of the school community, have the ability to address a wide variety of issues, and, with their collective thinking, are committed to compel the school to articulate a visionary plan.

St. John's Episcopal School has taken steps to ensure that the pedagogy practiced in the school addresses the multiple modalities of student learning and facilitates students identifying and understanding their most productive learning process. We are implementing and refining the process for curricular development and the evolution of the educational program of the school.

St. John's is working on institutional diversity. Education occurs within the distinctive social and cultural contexts. Our students encompass both genders, and all racial, ethnic, religious, socio-economic, sexual-orientation, and national groupings. Each of these human dimensions contributes significantly to our school environment.

We have fostered a sense of belonging, pride, mutual support and partnership through effective communication among faculty, staff, school board, church vestry, and patrons of both church and school.

Our Child Development Program is currently servicing 30 children ages six-weeks through 3 years of age. We are licensed through the Oklahoma State department of Human Services. The hours of operation are 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The program offers various activities for the parents to take part in.

In the Episcopal tradition, SJES is committed to high academic standards, partnered with a commitment to the artistic, physical, spiritual, social, and emotional growth of our students. The intellectual journey is at the heart of the SJES experience.

Warm Wishes,
Joe Norton
Head of School

July 16, 2014

St. Mary's Episcopal School

Edmond, Oklahoma

St. Mary's begins its 37th year as the Parish Day School of St. Mary's Episcopal Church. The school's roots formed at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in downtown Edmond with just preschool and kindergarten in 1977. As the children grew so did the school. Today, the campus is located on 51 acres just a mile north of our church campus and houses preschool through fifth grade.

As a school, our mission provides students with a quality academic program fostering respect for faith, family, others and self. St. Mary's Episcopal School attracts families because of the educational environment, Christian values, and a culture of respect that fosters learning.

A spiritual influence is reflected in everything that is done. Christian principles, moral values, and responsibility skills are instilled and reinforced through weekly chapel services (lead by St. Mary's Church Rector, The Rev. Dr. Mark Story) and extended throughout the school program through our exceptional service learning program, religious studies, classroom activities and special events.

SMES is committed to developing students who have compassionate hearts and will become active, contributing citizens to our community and nation. St. Mary's is the only private school in Edmond that offers stimulating enrichment experiences in the areas of science, music, fine arts, Spanish, technology skills, service learning and a before and after school program for children of all levels.

St. Mary's School is an accredited and active member of the Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools and values its relationship with the diocese through membership in the Oklahoma Commission of Episcopal Schools.

Submitted by: Pamela Dockter, Head of School



**Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma - 2015
BUDGET BY PROGRAM**

Income/ Expense	2015 Gross Budget	2014 Budget	2013 Actuals
Common Investment Fund	(\$2,400,000)	(\$2,298,367)	(\$2,110,500)
Mutual Ministry Support	(\$2,400,000)	(\$2,246,000)	(\$2,407,807)
Summer Camp Registration	(\$103,000)	\$0	\$0
Program Registration & Income	(\$119,200)	(\$397,924)	(\$243,268)
Diocesan Center	\$371,195	\$308,823	\$397,597
Bishop's Office	\$375,749	\$393,619	\$294,799
Canon to the Ordinary's Office	\$236,921	\$239,414	\$175,288
Communications	\$99,344	\$9,530	\$0
Comptroller's Office	\$385,057	\$510,107	\$334,336
Planned Giving Officer	\$0	\$104,375	\$81,144
Archives	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$0
Chancellor	\$8,000	\$8,000	\$1,961
Commission on Schools	\$2,000	\$2,230	\$227
Deputies to General Convention	\$20,000	\$19,976	\$18,984
Diocesan Altar Guild	\$200	\$400	\$197
Diocesan Conventions	\$52,250	\$15,150	\$48,932
Diocesan Council	\$3,750	\$7,250	\$1,094
Keyman Life Insurance	\$2,258	\$1,600	\$2,152
Lambeth Conference	\$1,500	\$1,515	\$0
Ordinations & Special Services	\$3,200	\$525	\$2,564
Province Seven Synod	\$4,800	\$5,437	\$3,905
Safeguarding Policy	\$150	\$750	\$946
Vestry Academy	\$5,150	\$2,200	\$3,621
African American Missioner	\$103,731	\$101,967	\$91,171
Congregational Development Office	\$123,601	\$58,738	\$60,770
Congregational Support	\$824,573	\$932,579	\$803,382
Curacy	\$208,000	\$0	\$174,897
Peer Chaplaincy (Interns)	\$0	\$9,500	\$0
Hispanic Missioner	\$131,854	\$171,877	\$100,553
Indian Missioner	\$153,904	\$161,429	\$128,361
OSU Chaplaincy	\$138,318	\$123,568	\$95,876
OU Chaplaincy	\$112,468	\$94,927	\$103,994
Acolyte Festival	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$401
Altered	\$5,500	\$1,500	\$4,452
Bishop's Program Funds	\$0	\$2,500	\$1,545
Christian Formation	\$125,170	\$129,621	\$83,938
Committee on Stewardship	\$0	\$2,600	\$0
Cursillo	\$4,952	\$3,717	\$3,468
Daughters of the King	\$500	\$1,200	\$87
Education For Ministry	\$13,700	\$3,250	\$13,194
Episcopal Youth Event	\$1,500	\$2,700	\$0
Episcopal Youth Leadership Academy	\$3,000	\$1,500	\$2,771
Girls' Weekend	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0
Guitar Weekend	\$0	\$3,000	\$0
Happening	\$1,580	\$2,500	\$1,580
Mission Camp	\$7,250	\$2,500	\$4,266
National Acolyte Festival	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
New Beginnings	\$5,650	\$650	\$5,440
Oakerhater Celebration	\$5,500	\$4,400	\$4,512
Senior Ministries	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$0
Summer Camp	\$145,200	\$185,776	\$136,464
Youth Board	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$71
Aspirancy	\$5,100	\$3,140	\$4,551
Clergy & Spouses Meeting	\$0	\$1,250	\$0
Clergy Aid & Rehabilitation	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$4,558
Clergy Conference	\$11,000	\$9,400	\$10,023
Clergy Spouse Program	\$4,600	\$4,300	\$3,338
Commission on Ministry	\$600	\$17,200	\$438
Deacon Retreat	\$2,400	\$4,000	\$2,161
Fresh Start	\$800	\$6,700	\$194
IONA Deacon/Bi-Voc Training	\$55,500	\$38,200	\$43,997
Seminarian Support	\$25,000	\$30,000	\$29,963
Supplemental Insurance for Retired	\$7,200	\$5,500	\$3,733
Ardmore Village	\$39,996	\$39,996	\$37,500
Casady Religion Chair	\$21,600	\$21,600	\$21,600
Casady School	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000
Episcopal Relief & Development	\$12,850	\$12,850	\$803
Financial Aid to Parish Schools	\$30,000	\$21,000	\$21,000
Holland Hall Religion Chair	\$24,500	\$24,500	\$24,500
Holland Hall School	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000
Oak Hall School	\$42,500	\$42,500	\$42,500
Roy Lytle Endowed Chair	\$52,500	\$52,500	\$52,500
St. Crispin's Conference Center	\$152,500	\$142,500	\$142,500
St. Simeon's Senior Community	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000
Bishop's Outreach	\$35,000	\$26,000	\$29,875
Canterbury Living Center Chaplaincy	\$13,200	\$13,400	\$13,200
Oklahoma Council on Churches	\$15,750	\$15,750	\$15,000
Oklahoma Council on Indian Ministry	\$200	\$39,107	\$35,912
Prison Ministry	\$123,229	\$123,952	\$78,674
The Episcopal Church	\$414,000	\$369,996	\$354,050
Companion Relationship	\$23,000	\$22,850	\$17,121
TOTALS	\$0	\$0	(\$390,444)

2013 Vital Statistics of Congregations & Missions

DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA		MEMBERSHIPS & SERVICES					BAPTISMS & CONFIRMATIONS		
City	Name	Members	Communicants	Others in Congregation	Sunday Attendance	Sat & Sun Eucharist	Baptisms 16 & Older	Baptisms 16 & Younger	Confirmed or Received
Ada	St Lukes Episcopal Church	148	134	16	77	50	0	1	0
Altus	St Pauls Episcopal Church	58	50	0	35	51	0	0	7
Antlers	St James Episcopal	51	51	2	24	14	1	2	4
Ardmore	St Phillips Episcopal Church	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Bartlesville	St Lukes Episcopal Church	390	390	11	101	102	0	0	8
Broken Arrow	St Patricks Episcopal Church	550	394	9	230	118	2	8	2
Chickasha	St Lukes Episcopal Church	83	83	8	37	103	0	2	1
Claremore	St Pauls Episcopal Church	130	125	2	52	48	2	5	8
Clinton	St Pauls Episcopal Church	54	30	21	24	33	0	3	2
Coalgate	St Peters Episcopal Church	16	23	0	15	52	0	1	0
Cushing	St Albans Episcopal Church	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Duncan	All Saints Episcopal Church	131	107	2	57	58	1	2	5
Durant	St Johns Episcopal Church	96	81	8	46	86	0	1	0
Edmond	St Marys Episcopal Church	754	474	0	205	151	3	8	9
El Reno	Christ Memorial Episcopal Church	59	31	1	22	47	0	0	5
Enid	St Matthews Church	200	200	0	62	75	0	0	0
Eufaula	Trinity Episcopal Church	74	26	7	16	51	0	0	0
Grove	St Andrews Episcopal Church	185	185	0	82	53	0	4	0
Guthrie	Trinity Church	114	129	2	28	52	0	0	0
Guymon	St Stephens Episcopal Church	19	19	0	11	34	0	0	0
Holdenville	St Pauls Episcopal Church	11	11	0	9	43	0	0	0
Hugo	St Mark Episcopal Church	43	24	7	23	30	0	0	0
Idabel	St Luke the Beloved Physician	22	16	0	7	13	0	0	0
Langston	Holy Family Episcopal Church	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawton	St Andrews Episcopal Church	252	196	56	46	105	1	5	0
Lindsay	St Michael & All Angels	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
McAlester	All Saints Episcopal Church	116	106	11	57	51	0	0	0
Miami	All Saints Episcopal Church	103	103	0	30	47	0	0	0
Midwest City	St Christophers Church	226	166	2	83	104	0	3	7
Muskogee	Grace Episcopal Church	235	235	0	92	86	0	1	0
Norman	St Johns Episcopal Church	1018	644	0	256	156	2	17	0
Norman	St Michaels Episcopal Church	261	240	0	175	165	0	6	0
Oklahoma City	All Souls Episcopal Church	1667	1314	0	493	193	6	16	31
Oklahoma City	Church of the Redeemer	152	152	0	60	60	0	7	4
Oklahoma City	Church of the Resurrection	317	228	15	88	104	0	3	7
Oklahoma City	Santa Maria Virgen	863	863	13	235	207	74	3	27
Oklahoma City	St Augustine of Canterbury	247	210	50	156	103	2	3	11
Oklahoma City	St Davids Episcopal Church	52	52	6	25	49	0	0	0
Oklahoma City	St James Episcopal Church	121	81	0	52	52	0	2	0
Oklahoma City	St Johns Episcopal Church	296	279	19	131	105	1	2	1
Oklahoma City	St Patricks Episcopal Prison Congs	45	45	75	55	238	7	0	0
Oklahoma City	St Pauls Cathedral	1070	882	116	301	160	5	19	31
Okmulgee	Church of the Redeemer	44	28	0	13	17	0	0	0
Owasso	Church of the Holy Cross	47	47	2	18	37	0	0	2
Pauls Valley	St Timothy Church	23	23	0	11	52	0	0	0
Pawhuska	St Thomas Episcopal Church	44	31	1	24	51	0	1	0
Pawnee	Church of the Ascension	11	11	0	7	23	0	0	0
Perry	St Mark Episcopal Church	22	17	0	17	44	0	1	0
Ponca City	Grace Episcopal Church	208	208	4	103	80	0	2	0
Pryor	St Martin of Tours Episcopal Church	65	65	0	28	49	0	1	4
Sand Springs	St Matthews Episcopal Church	27	20	0	15	39	0	0	0
Sapulpa	Church of the Good Shepherd	191	191	0	49	55	2	0	0
Seminole	St Marks Episcopal Church	21	21	0	9	20	0	0	0
Shawnee	Emmanuel Episcopal Church	345	260	14	109	96	1	6	22
Stillwater	St Andrews Church	397	383	13	124	105	5	1	20
Tahlequah	St Basils Episcopal Church	81	75	15	45	48	0	1	0
Tulsa	Christ Episcopal Church	148	198	112	107	103	1	3	4
Tulsa	St Aidans Episcopal Church	35	30	2	15	52	0	3	1
Tulsa	St Dunstons Episcopal Church	523	390	501	203	110	3	5	0
Tulsa	St Johns Episcopal Church	1186	944	78	268	150	6	10	20
Tulsa	St Lukes Episcopal Church	124	110	3	66	56	0	1	0
Tulsa	St Peters Episcopal Church	89	89	5	42	52	0	1	3
Tulsa	Trinity Church	1859	1890	0	400	249	4	21	19
Vinita	St Johns Church	51	51	6	33	54	0	1	0
Wagoner	St James Church	41	47	6	22	50	2	3	1
Watonga	Whirlwind Mission	64	64	7	34	46	0	1	0
Westport	St Bedes Episcopal Church	55	31	14	18	52	0	0	0
Woodward	St Johns Episcopal Church	73	50	1	25	45	0	0	0
Yukon	Grace Church	54	42	6	32	49	0	1	0

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2013 Financial Statistics of Congregations & Missions

DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA		REVENUE			EXPENSE			
City	Name	Plate & Pledge Income	Operating Revenues	Total Revenues	Operating Expenses	To Diocese	Outreach & Development	Total Expenses
Ada	St Lukes Episcopal Church	203,902.00	246,371.00	274,504.00	252,834.00	42,140.00	16,032.00	268,866.00
Altus	St Pauls Episcopal Church	59,211.00	61,211.00	61,211.00	13,554.00	9,454.00	200.00	13,754.00
Antlers	St James Episcopal	19,317.00	21,617.00	21,617.00	18,159.00	3,396.00	0.00	18,159.00
Ardmore	St Phillips Episcopal Church	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Bartlesville	St Lukes Episcopal Church	373,505.00	393,893.00	673,963.00	389,281.00	66,017.00	161,234.00	550,515.00
Broken Arrow	St Patricks Episcopal Church	510,110.00	575,221.00	741,042.00	531,404.00	86,852.00	91,969.00	623,373.00
Chickasha	St Lukes Episcopal Church	52,175.00	138,654.00	153,278.00	118,602.00	13,458.00	17,084.00	135,686.00
Claremore	St Pauls Episcopal Church	74,638.00	74,642.00	83,200.00	64,580.00	13,435.00	5,359.00	69,939.00
Clinton	St Pauls Episcopal Church	10,337.00	13,315.00	13,315.00	10,090.00	150.00	0.00	10,090.00
Coalgate	St Peters Episcopal Church	11,377.00	26,525.00	26,525.00	14,722.00	3,400.00	1,931.00	15,747.00
Cushing	St Albans Episcopal Church	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Duncan	All Saints Episcopal Church	141,246.00	151,871.00	186,198.00	172,560.00	25,858.00	23,656.00	196,216.00
Durant	St Johns Episcopal Church	94,879.00	120,493.00	126,915.00	103,928.00	18,278.00	14,167.00	118,095.00
Edmond	St Marys Episcopal Church	455,461.00	499,369.00	1,081,952.00	492,377.00	88,685.00	175,819.00	668,196.00
El Reno	Christ Memorial Episcopal Church	44,475.00	55,943.00	84,300.00	63,988.00	8,408.00	20,130.00	84,118.00
Enid	St Matthews Church	176,227.00	176,227.00	211,024.00	170,291.00	36,579.00	0.00	170,291.00
Eufaula	Trinity Episcopal Church	51,110.00	51,110.00	51,345.00	38,637.00	9,208.00	7,735.00	46,372.00
Grove	St Andrews Episcopal Church	138,395.00	150,895.00	172,002.00	165,916.00	18,979.00	23,357.00	189,273.00
Guthrie	Trinity Church	86,039.00	116,442.00	144,657.00	141,304.00	19,159.00	5,687.00	141,634.00
Guymon	St Stephens Episcopal Church	11,453.00	53,583.00	53,825.00	47,323.00	2,763.00	9,043.00	56,366.00
Holdenville	St Pauls Episcopal Church	22,161.00	34,796.00	39,913.00	19,222.00	3,949.00	11,319.00	30,541.00
Hugo	St Mark Episcopal Church	17,016.00	20,066.00	20,066.00	21,895.00	3,063.00	0.00	21,895.00
Idabel	St Luke the Beloved Physician	6,727.00	9,852.00	12,176.00	14,911.00	1,917.00	0.00	14,911.00
Langston	Holy Family Episcopal Church	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lawton	St Andrews Episcopal Church	213,955.00	246,113.00	264,359.00	246,113.00	35,699.00	17,615.00	263,728.00
Lindsay	St Michael & All Angels	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
McAlester	All Saints Episcopal Church	127,828.00	162,999.00	181,889.00	145,356.00	22,184.00	16,922.00	162,278.00
Miami	All Saints Episcopal Church	76,497.00	149,472.00	289,497.00	152,315.00	26,015.00	21,000.00	173,315.00
Midwest City	St Christophers Church	146,228.00	152,424.00	163,407.00	168,542.00	0.00	2,815.00	171,357.00
Muskogee	Grace Episcopal Church	306,883.00	307,044.00	541,488.00	318,587.00	27,365.00	495,741.00	814,328.00
Norman	St Johns Episcopal Church	450,241.00	450,241.00	707,487.00	454,606.00	76,332.00	38,309.00	492,915.00
Norman	St Michaels Episcopal Church	288,410.00	308,148.00	454,311.00	314,080.00	55,467.00	150,172.00	464,252.00
Oklahoma City	All Souls Episcopal Church	1,921,274.00	2,004,820.00	2,390,208.00	1,972,163.00	365,551.00	234,213.00	2,206,376.00
Oklahoma City	Church of the Redeemer	2,088.00	4,816.00	7,164.00	600.00	250.00	5,200.00	5,800.00
Oklahoma City	Church of the Resurrection	227,278.00	227,496.00	277,481.00	261,762.00	40,820.00	23,589.00	285,351.00
Oklahoma City	Santa Maria Virgin	15,461.00	0.00	15,461.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oklahoma City	St Augustine of Canterbury	328,461.00	337,273.00	378,468.00	313,978.00	60,577.00	39,583.00	353,561.00
Oklahoma City	St Davids Episcopal Church	33,957.00	51,648.00	58,560.00	54,616.00	7,991.00	808.00	55,424.00
Oklahoma City	St James Episcopal Church	51,401.00	51,401.00	59,471.00	52,802.00	9,531.00	3,673.00	56,475.00
Oklahoma City	St Johns Episcopal Church	307,890.00	311,463.00	445,356.00	313,865.00	55,225.00	390,206.00	704,071.00
Oklahoma City	St Patricks Episcopal Prison Congs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oklahoma City	St Pauls Cathedral	952,399.00	1,072,922.00	1,745,691.00	1,163,840.00	189,998.00	1,483,514.00	2,647,354.00
Okmulgee	Church of the Redeemer	17,518.00	61,146.00	61,571.00	32,122.00	325.00	102.00	32,224.00
Owasso	Church of the Holy Cross	32,974.00	39,370.00	39,370.00	30,126.00	5,313.00	0.00	30,126.00
Pauls Valley	St Timothys Church	13,886.00	16,898.00	17,229.00	18,513.00	3,464.00	0.00	18,513.00
Pawhuska	St Thomas Episcopal Church	31,934.00	48,959.00	50,137.00	53,485.00	5,519.00	2,535.00	56,020.00
Pawnee	Church of the Ascension	8,335.00	8,335.00	8,335.00	8,679.00	300.00	0.00	8,679.00
Perry	St Mark Episcopal Church	15,293.00	18,293.00	24,619.00	23,931.00	3,056.00	17,541.00	41,472.00
Ponca City	Grace Episcopal Church	261,905.00	279,094.00	358,400.00	293,865.00	50,141.00	79,306.00	373,171.00
Pryor	St Martin of Tours Episcopal Church	65,402.00	129,570.00	135,602.00	145,066.00	4,332.00	0.00	145,066.00
Sand Springs	St Matthews Episcopal Church	29,230.00	32,259.00	32,926.00	33,936.00	2,944.00	254.00	34,190.00
Sapulpa	Church of the Good Shepherd	99,468.00	149,343.00	167,350.00	145,841.00	5,590.00	111,181.00	257,022.00
Seminole	St Marks Episcopal Church	11,761.00	14,761.00	16,931.00	18,061.00	2,305.00	2,536.00	20,597.00
Shawnee	Emmanuel Episcopal Church	295,597.00	296,997.00	371,576.00	303,156.00	53,372.00	90,022.00	393,178.00
Stillwater	St Andrews Church	271,955.00	319,695.00	319,695.00	324,849.00	53,050.00	0.00	324,849.00
Tahlequah	St Basils Episcopal Church	67,109.00	67,187.00	67,187.00	58,297.00	12,138.00	21,437.00	79,734.00
Tulsa	Christ Episcopal Church	188,659.00	349,784.00	349,784.00	306,954.00	35,022.00	30,491.00	337,445.00
Tulsa	St Aidans Episcopal Church	32,977.00	48,643.00	51,977.00	68,115.00	5,927.00	13,409.00	81,524.00
Tulsa	St Dunstons Episcopal Church	486,824.00	486,824.00	504,207.00	482,133.00	84,351.00	19,853.00	501,986.00
Tulsa	St Johns Episcopal Church	1,113,502.00	1,176,002.00	2,135,129.00	1,141,401.00	211,680.00	553,533.00	1,694,934.00
Tulsa	St Lukes Episcopal Church	117,785.00	140,850.00	146,936.00	144,987.00	4,000.00	3,156.00	148,143.00
Tulsa	St Peters Episcopal Church	81,069.00	134,543.00	135,961.00	134,621.00	14,709.00	1,427.00	136,048.00
Tulsa	Trinity Church	831,886.00	1,539,359.00	1,598,026.00	1,544,767.00	263,066.00	103,662.00	1,648,429.00
Vinita	St Johns Church	52,072.00	93,982.00	97,037.00	98,059.00	13,560.00	970.00	99,029.00
Wagoner	St James Church	8,736.00	26,736.00	26,736.00	24,692.00	4,812.00	0.00	24,692.00
Watonga	Whirlwind Mission of the Holy Family	925.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Westport	St Bedes Episcopal Church	26,342.00	26,372.00	27,141.00	26,117.00	4,365.00	319.00	26,436.00
Woodward	St Johns Episcopal Church	74,123.00	115,806.00	120,823.00	120,267.00	16,346.00	0.00	120,267.00
Yukon	Grace Church - Episcopal	50,034.00	51,184.00	57,905.00	64,726.00	8,876.00	43,481.00	108,207.00

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DIRECTORY OF CHURCHES

of Parishes, Missions, and Congregations of the
Diocese together with their clergy and lay officers

The number in brackets after the name of the church is the date of establishment; the number in parentheses is the date it became a mission; the last date (in the clear) is the date it became a parish.

ADA - St. Luke's (Parish) [1907] (1908) 1939 580-332-6429
110 East 17th Street
Mail: P.O. Box 890, Ada, OK 74820

Rector: The Rev. John Norvell
Deacon: The Rev. Bobby Saunkeah
Sr. Warden: Christopher Kenney
Jr. Warden: Randy Taylor
Treasurer/Clerk: Barbara Suess

ALTUS - St. Paul's (Parish) [1904] (1904) 1962 580-482-2102
721 North Thomas, Altus, OK 73521

Deacon-in-Charge: The Rev. Suzanne Mollison
Sr. Warden: David Braddock
Jr. Warden: John Womack
Treasurer: Phillip Brandon
Clerk: Jeremy Hunn

ANTLERS - St. James (Mission) [Re-established 1941] (1980) 580-298-5123
600 North High Street, Antlers 74523

Priest: The Rev. Gloria Walters
Lay Leader: Mark Gardner
Sr. Warden: J.D. Denton
Jr. Warden: James D. Gardner
Treasurer: Patricia Gardner
Clerk: Gretchen Frederick

ARDMORE - St. Philip's (Parish) [1893] (1894) 1907
516 McLish, Ardmore, OK 73401

508-226-2191

Rector: The Rev. Stephen Bilsbury
Deacon: Joyce Spurgin
Sr. Warden: Mark Ellis
Jr. Warden: Dr. Eugene Litteken
Treasurer: Bill Rahhal
Clerk: Mike Hobson

BARTLESVILLE - St. Luke's (Parish) [1905] (1905) 1914
210 Southeast Ninth, Bartlesville, OK 74003

918-336-1212

Rector: The Rev. Dr. T. Lee Stephens
Deacon: The Rev. Douglas Freebern
Deacon: The Rev. Lauri Watkins
Sr. Warden: Ellen Heald
Jr. Warden: Jim Liehr
Treasurer: Robert Wesneski
Clerk: Robert Babcock

BROKEN ARROW - St. Patrick's (Parish) [1961] (1962) 1982
4250 W. Houston St., Broken Arrow 74012-4538

918-294-9444

Rector: The Rev. Shelby H. Scott
Curate: The Rev. Laura Beck
Deacon: The Rev. Cindy Ritter
Sr. Warden: Amy Best
Sr. Warden-Elect: Field Griffen
Jr. Warden: Jay Powell
Jr. Warden-Elect: Steve Tryon
Treasurer: Jim Fuente
Clerk: Robert Yadon

CHICKASHA - St. Luke's (Parish) [1893] (1899) 1952
124 S. 6th Street, Chickasha 73018

405-224-1296

Rector: The Rev. Justin Fletcher
Sr. Warden: Ruth Baker
Jr. Warden: Chris Crosley
Treasurer: Gail Donnellan
Clerk: Betsy Brothers

CLAREMORE - St. Paul's (Mission) [1910] (1910) 1990 (2014) 918-341-0168
1310 North Sioux, Claremore, OK 74017

Interim Vicar: The Rev. Bob Gates
Sr. Warden: Ron Hinds Jr.
Jr. Warden: Mark Stork
Treasurer: Staby O'Brien
Clerk: Sara Shreck

CLINTON - St. Paul's (Mission) [1915] (1916) 580-323-2160
321 South 7th, Clinton, OK 73601
Mail: P.O. Box 144, Clinton, OK 73601

Sr. Warden: Amanda Jones
Warden: Stephanie Bryan
Treasurer/Clerk: Annabelle Taylor

COALGATE - St. Peter's (Mission) [1915] (1916) 580-927-3310
107 Hanover Street, Coalgate

Vicar: The Rev. Neal Servais

CUSHING - St. Alban's (Mission) [1929] (1961) 918-352-4292
112 South Thompson
Mail: P.O. Box 1248, Cushing, OK 74023

Deacon: The Rev. Karen Hansen
Sr. Warden: Howard "Mitch" Johnson
Jr. Warden: Kathleen Livsy
Treasurer: Deborah Watson

DUNCAN - All Saints' (Parish) [1932] (1935) 1956 580-255-6165
809 West Cedar Avenue, Duncan, OK 73533

Rector: The Rev. Anita Slovak
Deacon: The Rev. Gary Templeton
Sr. Warden: John Edwards
Jr. Warden: Diana Rawls
Clerk: Sandy Chatfield
Treasurer: Kathy Sherrill

DURANT - St. John's (Mission) [1896] (1897) 1976 (2014) 580-924-1332

515 West Beech Street
Mail: P.O. Box 1168, Durant, OK 74702

Vicar: The Rev. James Blagg
Sr. Warden: Vicki Mills
Jr. Warden: Lance Patterson
Treasurer: Shane Patterson
Clerk: Jackie Harms

EDMOND - St. Mary's (Parish) [1937] (1937) 1969
First at University 405/341-3855
Mail: 325 East First Street, Edmond, OK 73034

405-341-3855

Rector: The Rev Mark Story
Assisting Priest: The Rev. Scott Lee
Deacons: The Rev. William Hesse
The Rev. Nancy Bridges
The Rev. Scott Lee
Sr. Warden: Gail Warne
Jr. Warden: Bill Lambert
Treasurer: Debbie Smith
Clerk: Alice Norton

EL RENO - Christ Memorial (Mission) [1894] (1948)
500 South Barker, El Reno, OK 73036

405-262-1710

Vicar: The Rev. Sylvia Shirley
Sr. Warden: Dennis Moran
Jr. Warden: Miles Gillidette
Treasurer: Carolyn Thompson
Clerk: Sharon Dailey

ENID - St. Matthew's (Parish) [1893] (1894) 1929
518 West Randolph, Enid, OK 73701

580-237-4737

Interim Rector: The Rev. Dr. Douglas Johnson
Sr. Warden: Dean McCollough
Jr. Warden: Roger Henneke
Treasurer: Avadelle Hibbets
Clerk: David Hume

EUFAULA - Trinity (Mission) [1926] (1930)

918-689-2369

South Third and High Streets
305 W. High Street
Mail: P.O. Box 759, Eufaula. OK 74432

Priest: The Rev. Bill Ellington
Deacon: The Rev. Therese Starr
Sr. Warden: Luke Sharpe
Jr. Warden: Ray Duke
Treasurer: Alice Duke
Clerk: Mary Burnham

GROVE - St. Andrew's (Mission) [1967] (1975) 918-786-4113
555 East Third Street
Mail: P.O. Box 2559, Grove, OK 74344

Sr. Warden: Bob Altmiller
Jr. Warden: Paul Allsup
Treasurer: Scott Potter
Clerk: Jim Corbridge

GUTHRIE- Trinity (Mission) [1889] (1976) 2002 (2013) 405-282-0982
110 East Noble Avenue, Guthrie, OK 73044

Vicar: The Rev. John Borrego
Sr. Warden: Peggy Lockett
Jr. Warden: John Pearson
Treasurer: Kathy Foley
Clerk: Christy Smith

GUYMON - St. Stephen's (Mission) [1955] (1963) 580-338-8747
1803 North Lelia Street
P.O. Box 1952
Mail: 6080 Sunset Dr., Guymon 73942

Vicar: The Rev. Sandra Castillo
Sr. Warden: Andrew McCulloch
Jr. Warden: Paul Faris
Treasurer/Clerk: Michael Stone

HOLDENVILLE - St. Paul's (Mission) [1913] (1913) 405-379-5879

8th and Oak Streets
120 E. 8th St.
Mail: P.O. Box 69, Holdenville, OK 74848

Deacon: The Rev. Cynthia Gilks
Sr. Warden: Dr. Tom Williams
Jr. Warden: Camille Gann
Treasurer: Jacklyn Patterson
Clerk: Beverly Rodgers

HUGO - St. Mark's (Mission) [1941] (1941) 580-513-6685

803 South Third, Hugo, OK 74743

Priest: The Rev. Gloria Walters
Sr. Warden: Mike Ford

Jr. Warden: Linda Rabon 580-326-5214
Treasurer: Frank Hinton
Clerk: Mary Ann Gahagan

IDABEL - St. Luke the Beloved Physician (Mission) [1952] (1952) 580-286-3672
211 Southeast Avenue N, Idabel, OK 74745

Priest: The Rev. Gloria Walters
Sr. Warden: Kemp Fuller 580-245-2255
Treasurer: John Grimes
Clerk: Allene Grimes

LANGSTON - Holy Family (Congregation) [1967]

LAWTON - St. Andrew's (Parish) [1901] (1901) 1947 580-355-9543
1313 Southwest D Avenue
Mail: P.O. Box 1256, Lawton, OK 73502

Rector: The Rev. Shelley Forrester
Deacons: The Rev. James P. Holley
The Rev. Kitty Dutcher
The Rev. Pat Kardaleff

LINDSAY - St. Michael and all Angels (Mission) [1958] (1959) 405-756-3433
1501 Northwest 7th Street
Mail: P.O. Box 134, Lindsay, OK 73052

Sr. Warden: Ann Pratt

McALESTER - All Saints' (Parish) [1894] (1895) 1942 918-423-1915
325 East Washington Avenue
Mail: P.O. Box 534, McAlester, OK 74502

Rector: The Rev. Stephanie L. Swinnea
Sr. Warden: Wayne Hanway
Jr. Warden: Jon Lewis
Treasurer: Christine Matkin
Clerk: Shelly Walker

MIAMI - All Saints' (Parish) [1918] (1918) 1959 918-542-3662
225 B Street, Northwest
Miami, OK 74354

Interim Rector: The Rev. Ally Perry
Deacon: The Rev. Kay Boman-Harvey
Sr. Warden: Ed Dudgeon
Jr. Warden: Mary Susan Whaley
Co-Treasurers: Julia and Joel Hart

MIDWEST CITY - St. Christopher's (Parish) [1953] (1953) 1972 405-732-4802
800 South Midwest Blvd.
Mail: P.O. Box 10722, Midwest City, OK 73140

Rector: The Rev. Emily J. Schnabl
Deacon: The Rev. Paul Snyder
Sr. Warden: Bill Welch
Jr. Warden: Mike West
Treasurer: John Schatz
Clerk: Sandy Lewis

MUSKOGEE - Grace (Parish) [1893] (1893) 1904
218 North 6th Street, Muskogee, OK 74401

918-687-5416

Rector: The Rev. Bob Wickizer
Deacons: The Rev. Tom Harrington
Sr. Warden: Jason Green
Jr. Warden: Jennifer Sparks
Treasurer: Van Odom
Clerk: Lora Sellers

NORMAN - St. John's (Parish) [1892] (1892) 1952
Asp at Duffy 405-321-3020
Mail: P.O. Box 2088, Norman, OK 73070

Rector: The Rev. Dwight Helt
Sr. Warden: Byron Jackson
Jr. Warden: Colby Burress
Treasurer: Robert Terry
Clerk: Brad Wilson

NORMAN - St. Michael's (Parish) [1976] (1976) 1980
1601 West Imhoff Road, Norman, OK 73072

405-321-8951

Rector: The Rev. Alan Sutherland
Deacon: The Rev. Nancy Wakely

OKLAHOMA CITY - All Souls' (Parish) [1944] (1945) 1947
6400 North Pennsylvania Av., Oklahoma City, OK 73116

405-842-1461

Rector: The Rev. Patrick Bright
Pastoral Assoc: The Rev. Dale Petley
Deacon: The Rev. Jim Easter
Curate: The Rev. Mac Stewart
Sr. Warden: Brooke Harry
Jr. Warden: Steve Marden
Treasurer: Jean Hartsuck
Clerk: Libby Nelson

OKLAHOMA CITY - Redeemer (Parish) [1902] (1904) 1971 405-427-2106
2100 Martin Luther King Avenue
Mail: P.O. Box 11272, Oklahoma City, OK 73111

Rector: The Rev. Morgan Ibe
Sr. Warden: Stanley Williams
Jr. Warden: Todd Parrish
Treasurer: Nancy Blackshire
Clerk: Bridgett Mitchell

OKLAHOMA CITY - Resurrection (Parish) [1961] (1962) 1967 405-721-2929
13112 North Rockwell Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73142

Rector: The Rev. Michael Jasper
Deacon: The Rev. Beth Bell
Sr. Warden: Bob Ridle
Jr. Warden: Bill Teater

OKLAHOMA CITY - St. Augustine of Canterbury (Mission) [1980] (1980) 405-751-7874
14700 North May Avenue
Mail: P.O. Box 77374, Oklahoma City, OK 73177

Vicar: The Rev. Joseph Alsay
Deacons: The Rev. Robby Trammell
The Rev. Tony Moon
Sr. Warden: Marian Moon
Jr. Warden: Jan Tipton
Treasurer: Pete Mather

OKLAHOMA CITY - St. David's (Mission) [1953] (1954) 1959 405-942-1740
3333 North Meridian, Oklahoma City, OK 73112

Vicar in Charge: The Rev. Tracey Carroll
Sr. Warden: Christine Quinton
Jr. Warden: Johnny Hughes
Treasurer: Patsy Staton
Clerk: Angie Cape

OKLAHOMA CITY - St. James (Mission) [1931] (1931) 1999 405-682-3405
8400 South Pennsylvania, Oklahoma City, OK 73159

Priest-in-Charge: The Rev. Hal Greenwood
Sr. Warden: Jamie Carroll
Sr. Warden: Rob Phillips
Treasurer: Deanna Debus
Clerk: Susanne Waters

OKLAHOMA CITY - St. John's (Parish) [1918] (1918) 1921 405-943-8548
5401 North Brookline Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Rector: The Rev. David Stock
Deacons: The Rev. Dana Orwig
The Rev. Lisa Chronister
Sr. Warden: Henry Baer
Jr. Warden: David Loudenback
Clerk: Martha Smith
Treasurer: Victoria Humphrey

OKLAHOMA CITY - Santa Maria Virgen (Congregation) [1988] 405-631-6747
5500 S. Western Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73109

Vicar: The Rev. Natividad Menjivar
Sr. Warden: Daniel Gudino
Treasurer: Claudia Estrada

OKLAHOMA CITY - St. Paul's Cathedral (Parish) [1891] (1893) 1903 405-235-3436
127 NW 7th, Oklahoma City 73102 [Cathedral 1908]

Dean: The Very Rev. Justin Lindstrom
Associate: The Rev. Canon Susan Colley Joplin
Associate: The Rev. Tim Sean Youmans
Deacons: The Rev. Marilyn Robertson
The Rev. Gerald Butcher
Sr. Warden: Molly Tolbert
Jr. Warden: Mike Murphy
Treasurer: Rick Hill
Clerk: Amy Fischer

OKMULGEE - Redeemer (Parish) [1901] (1901) 1916 918-756-2384
213 North Seminole
Mail: P.O. Box 1012, Okmulgee, OK 74447

Sr. Warden: John McConnell
Jr. Warden: Dee Hennigan
Treasurer/Clerk: Rick Spring

OWASSO - Holy Cross (Mission) [1980] (1980) 918-272-1035
9309 N. 129th East Ave.
Owasso, OK 74055

Sr. Warden: Wesley Mitchell
Jr. Warden: Eddie Kelley
Treasurer: Danise Glavin
Clerk: Sharon Curfman

PAULS VALLEY - St. Timothy (Mission) [1953] (1953) 405-238-2133
1816 South Walnut
Mail: P.O. Box 485, Pauls Valley, OK 73075

Supply Priest: The Rev. Rick Burris
Sr. Warden: Molly Layton
Jr. Warden: Paul Dean Wall
Treasurer: Bob Rodgers
Clerk: Kathryn Bragg

PAWHUSKA - St. Thomas (Mission) [1895] (1900) 918-287-3513
817 North Leahy
P.O. Box 1476, Pawhuska, OK 74056

Vicar: The Rev. Andrea Jones
Sr. Warden: Stewart Conner
Jr. Warden: Carla Brown
Treasurer: Andrea Conner
Clerk: Patty Gambell

PAWNEE - Ascension (Mission) [1901] (1902) 918-762-2771
PO Box 113, Pawnee, OK 74058

PERRY - St. Mark's (Mission) [1954] (1954) 580-336-9720
701 N. 7th Street, Perry, OK 73077
Mail: P.O. Box 507, Perry, OK 73077

Sr. Warden: Audrey Cross
Jr. Warden: Jack Cross
Treasurer: Faye McQuiston
Clerk: Judy Clay

PONCA CITY - Grace (Parish) [1898] (1908) 1937 580-765-7609
109 North 13th Street, Ponca City, OK 74601

Rector: The Rev. Dee Bright
Deacon: The Rev. Steve Mallory
Sr. Warden: Jim Menzer
Jr. Warden: Richard Winterrowd
Treasurer: Debbie Winterrowd
Clerk: Vicky Purdy

POTEAU – St. Barnabas' 918-647-9092
500 College Avenue, Poteau, OK 74953

Sr. Warden: DeAnn Jacobs

PRYOR - St. Martin of Tours (Mission) [1953] (1954) 918-825-1115
612 Southeast First Street
Mail: P.O. Box 1153, Pryor, OK 74362-1153

Vicar: The Rev. William Martin
Treasurer: Dana Lamb
Clerk: Susie Embry

SAND SPRINGS - St. Matthew's (Mission) [1958] (1959) 2001 [2009] 918-245-7552
601 Lake Drive, Sand Springs, OK 74063

Sr. Warden: Chris Hart

SAPULPA - Good Shepherd (Mission) [1901] (1901) (1950) 1998 [2009] 918-224-5144
1420 East Dewey
P.O. Box 335, Sapulpa, OK 74067

Vicar: The Rev. Joseph Farber
Deacon: The Rev. Nancy Brown
Sr. Warden: Joe Faulkner
Jr. Warden: William Barnes
Treasurer: Patricia Hare
Clerk: John Harlan

SEMINOLE - St. Mark's (Mission) [1923] (1936) 405-382-2192
Highland and Walnut
Mail: PO Box 1304, Seminole, OK 74818

Sr. Warden: Jay Gammill
Jr. Warden: Steve Nelson
Treasurer: Betty Bell
Clerk: Mary Bryan

SHAWNEE - Emmanuel (Parish) [1892] (1896) 1927 405-273-1374
501 North Broadway Street (74801)
Mail: P.O. Box 1905, Shawnee, OK 74802

Rector: The Rev. Bill Carroll
Deacon: The Rev. John Belzer
Sr. Warden: Randy Birchall
Jr. Warden: George Moore
Treasurer: Cindy McVey
Clerk: Cathy Kinkade

STILLWATER - St. Andrew's (Parish) [1892] (1893) 1958 405-372-3357
516 West Third, Stillwater, OK 74074

Rector: The Rev. Jim Cook
Associate: The Rev. Jeff Huston
Sr. Warden: Scott Dean
Jr. Warden: Adam Naff
Treasurer: Vina Spickler
Clerk: Brecca Farr

TAHLEQUAH - St. Basil's (Mission) [Re-established 1959] (1959) 918-456-3649
814 North Vinita, Tahlequah, OK 74464

Vicar: The Rev. Debora Jennings
Sr. Warden: Al Mutzig
Jr. Warden: Sam McCombs
Treasurer: Nita Hayes
Clerk: Phillis Mutzig

TULSA – Christ Church [2005] (Mission) 918-299-7510
10901 South Yale, Tulsa, OK 74137

Vicar: The Rev. Everett Lees
Deacon: The Rev. Judy Gann
Sr. Warden: Don Dyer
Jr. Warden: Will Mahoney
Treasurer: Larry Evans
Clerk: Lorna Plummer

TULSA - St. Aidan's (Mission) [1972] (1972) 918-425-7882
4045 North Cincinnati Drive, Tulsa, OK 74106

Priest: The Rev. William Holly
Deacon: The Rev. Steve Lewis

TULSA - St. Dunstan's (Parish) [1963] (1964) 1967 918-492-7140
5635 East 71st Street, Tulsa, OK 74136

Rector: The Rev. Mary Ann Hill
Deacon: The Rev. Alan Barrow
Sr. Warden: Bill Young
Jr. Warden: Terry Watts
Treasurer: John Prince
Clerk: Barbara Lowell

TULSA - St. John's (Parish) [1945] (1945) 1954
4200 South Atlanta Place, Tulsa, OK 74105

918-742-7381

Rector: The Rev. Irving Cutter Assistant
Asst. Rector: The Rev. Susanne Methven
Curate: The Rev. Kenneth Orsburn
Sr. Warden: Tim Hicks
Jr. Warden: Tom Owens
Treasurer: Bill Chevaillier
Clerk: Karen Abney

TULSA - St. Luke's (Parish) [1942] (1942) 1951
4818 East Ninth Street, Tulsa, OK 74112

918-834-4800

Rector: The Rev. Georges Jallouf
Sr. Warden: Justin Vivion
Jr. Warden: Dick Holler
Treasurer: Linda Holler
Clerk: Yvonne Baker

TULSA - St. Peter's (Parish) [1955] (1956) 1968
9100 East 21st Street, Tulsa, OK 74129-1421

918-627-2713

Rector: The Rev. Heber Papini
Sr. Warden: Sharon Day
Jr. Warden: Ray Chance
Treasurer: Steve Raiber
Clerk: Glenda Caldwell

TULSA - Trinity (Parish) [1903] (1903) 1909
501 South Cincinnati Avenue, Tulsa, OK 73103

918-582-4128

Rector: The Rev. Stephen McKee
Associate: The Rev. Kristi Maulden
Deacons: The Rev. Linda Paul
The Rev. Bert Bibens
The Rev. Deborah Underwood
Sr. Warden: Patricia Woodrum
Jr. Warden: Robert Scott
Treasurer: Harry Dandelles
Clerk: Joseph Woltz

VINITA - St. John's (Mission) [1892] (1898)
522 West Canadian, Mail: P.O. Box 165, Vinita 74301

918-256-3766

Sr. Warden: Vicki Johnson
Jr. Warden: Jeremiah Grossman
Treasurer: Elizabeth Welch
Clerk: Carolyn Frasure

WAGONER - St. James' (Mission) [1893] (1894)
303 Church Street, Wagoner, OK 74467

918-485-5681

Supply: The Rev. Edmund James

WATONGA - Whirlwind Mission of the Holy Family (Congregation) [1961]
PO Box 26, Watonga, OK 73772

580-623-5585

Deacon: The Rev. Pat Gonzales
Sr. Warden: Daisy Starr
Jr. Warden: Pat Gonzales
Treasurer: Anna George
Clerk: Kathryn Kiester

WESTPORT - St. Bede's (Mission) [1963] (1968)
1/2 Miles North, Highway 64 on Westport Road
Mail: Rt. 3, Box 4A, Cleveland, OK 74020

918-743-2686

Supply Priest: The Rev. John Powers
Sr. Warden: Douglas Laird
Jr. Warden: Dave Hutson
Treasurer: William Brookman
Clerk: Margaret Speegle

WOODWARD - St. John's (Mission) [1892] (1893)
923 Texas St., Mail: 917 Texas, Woodward, OK 73801

580-256-7713

Vicar: The Rev. Mary A. Davis
Sr. Warden: Lindsay Judkins
Jr. Warden: Jim Gorton
Treasurer: T.Z. Wright
Clerk: Dianne Wooton

YUKON - Grace (Mission) [1994] (1997) (Re-Start 2013)
720 S. Yukon Parkway, Yukon, OK 73099-4585

405-354-7277

Co-Vicars:	The Rev. Tim Baer The Rev. Kirsten Baer
Deacon:	The Rev. Helen Waddle
Sr. Warden:	Roger Everett
Jr. Warden:	Theresa Williams
Treasurer:	John Schmelke

