



✠ **Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time** ✠  
**November 14, 2010**



**The Week of  
November 15<sup>th</sup> –  
November 21<sup>st</sup>**

Monday	7:30 a.m.	Stan Rozmus†
	9:00 a.m.	John Joseph Alger†
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	Anne McCleavey†
	9:00 a.m.	Intention of the J. Bradley Kennedy Family
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Rev. Steve Collins
	6:30 p.m.	George A. Fisher†
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	Raymond McRobie†
	9:00 a.m.	Bernard Niedosik†
Friday	9:00 a.m.	George A. Fisher†
	6:30 p.m.	Florence & Leon Niedosik†
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Margaret & Joe Denton
	5:00 p.m.	Michelle Maraj†
	7:00 p.m.	Maria Merceves Mafla†
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Sienicki/Szafranski Families
	9:00 a.m.	Suzanne Buffington†
	10:30 a.m.	Flo Lowe†
	12:15 p.m.	People of St. William of York

**†Confession Schedule†  
November 15<sup>th</sup> –  
November 20<sup>th</sup>**

Tuesday:	9:30 a.m.
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*
Saturday:	6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

(\*The penitent in the confessional at 4:30 p.m. will be the last confession heard.)

**Sunday Collection for  
11/07/10**

Offertory:	\$14,002.00
Retired Religious:	\$ 4,650.00
<u>Debt:</u>	<u>\$ 5,052.00</u>
Total:	\$23,704.00

Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity.

Dear Friends,

We have been thinking about each of you in these days since leaving Stafford. Please know that you are and will always be in our prayers as we answer the call of the Lord now in different places.

On behalf of the sisters, thank you for all your love and support over these past 12 years. Our reception at the parish was beautiful and we thank all who organized and participated in that moment. May God reward you for all you have done for us over the past 12 years. We felt truly blessed to have been a part of your lives for so long a time...and this was a great gift from the Lord. Thank you for sharing yourselves so generously with us. We felt like "family" and continue to feel a part of you.

It was a joy and privilege to have served among you and beside you in ministry at SWOY and we will never forget you.

Gazing now to the future, as brothers and sisters in the Lord, we are reminded of the words of St. Francis of Assisi as we continue to pray, work and serve in the vineyard of the Lord:

'As they announce peace with their lips, let them be careful to have it even more within their hearts. No one should be roused to wrath or insult on their account, rather all should be moved to peace, goodwill and mercy because of their gentleness...let them acknowledge that all good belongs to the Most High Lord and Ruler of all things. Let them always give thanks to Him from whom we receive all good'. (TOR Rule 30-31)

Blessings we impart to you and may the Lord give you His peace in all it's fullness.

Sr. Mary Lou, Sr. Vilma, Sr. Lisa

**Baptismal Preparation Class**

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, January 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m.** in the Brent Room. It is **mandatory that all parents register** with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

## Religious Education

1<sup>st</sup> Penance Meeting: there will be a MANDATORY meeting for the parents of students receiving their First Penance this year, Tuesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> in the parish center at 7:30 p.m.

If your child is in second grade Religious Education they will be receiving this Sacrament. If your child is in SSII or High school 1 and has not yet received the Sacrament of Penance, you will need to attend the meeting as well.

If your child was Confirmed last Saturday, they are still enrolled in Religious Education until May 2011. If you will not be bringing them back to class, please call the office (540) 659-5705. Our teachers have a great curriculum that each student can learn from. We hope to see you in class.

## Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)

St. William of York parishioners, it is a great joy and honor for me to introduce myself to you! My name is Tonya Gott and I am the new CYO Director! I graduated from Franciscan University of Steubenville this past May with degrees in Theology & Catholic Education. I cannot express how excited I am to use my education & talents to build a relationship with the parents and teens of SWOY and to pursue God's Kingdom together, as one. Feel free to contact me via email at [tonia.gott@gmail.com](mailto:tonia.gott@gmail.com). I can also be reached in my office on Tuesdays and Thursdays or by appointment.

Christ's Peace to you all!

**November 14, 2010:** 4:00-5:00 Tutoring Program  
5:30-6:30 Sunday Supper.  
6:45-8:15 CYO Meeting in the Gym.

**CYO Reminder:** "You Matter" Objection Forms are due no later than 6:15 p.m. We will watch the DVD, allowing time for questions/concerns. We will move into Introductions and begin our journey together.

**Sunday Supper:** Sunday Supper will be Tamales. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Dinner is \$5 a plate or \$20 for a family of 5 or more. Join us in the parish center for food and fellowship!

**Tutoring Program:** Tutoring is in full swing! Our teens are available to tutor Elementary age children on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:15-4:15 p.m. Sunday tutoring (4 p.m.-5 p.m.) will resume for as long as there is active participation. New sign-ups are welcome.

**Rent-A-Crew:** Thanks so much to all of our parishioners who have provided our teens with the opportunity to serve, and thanks to all our teens for their hard work! If you are in need of manual labor our young people are available for community service. Donations support our CYO programs.

## St. William of York Catholic School



### Accelerated Reader Kick-Off

On November 5<sup>th</sup> St. William of York School had a visit from a special guest. The Chik-fil-A cow came to read a book to all the students, for the Accelerated Reader Kick-Off. The Chik-fil-A on Garrisonville Road sponsors the program, and donates trays of nuggets for the top readers.

### Important Dates to remember:

Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> - First Penance Meeting 7:30 p.m. in the center  
Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> - School Open House 9 – 11 a.m.  
Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> - November Birthday Dress Down Day  
Nov. 22 - Picture Retakes  
Nov. 24 - 1/2 Day with NO Ext. Day  
Nov. 25 - Happy Thanksgiving  
Nov. 26 - Happy Day after Thanksgiving  
Nov. 28 - First Sunday of Advent

### Reminder:

\*All parents and families are welcome to join the school every Monday morning for the celebration of Mass at 9:00 a.m.

**Donations:** Do you have a portable piano keyboard that you no longer need? Please consider donating it to the school. Your donation would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off during regular school hours.



## Advent Concert



Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> Advent Concert at St. William of York in the church at 2:00 p.m. to benefit the Guadalupe Free Clinic; featuring our parish choir, the choir of St. Anthony of Padua in King George and soloists Fr. Schultz (St. Timothy's) and his brother John; Michele Ochman; pianist Olga Braga. A silent auction and reception will follow. Items include: religious art; several original paintings; pilgrimage for two to England with Fr. Magat June 16-24 (starting bid is \$5k).

# **This Week in our Parish**

## **Sunday, November 14**

8:00 a.m. K of C Coffee & Donuts (Center)  
8:30 a.m. Adult Ed (Brent Room)  
8:45 a.m. RE Class  
9:45 a.m. Choir (Brent Room)  
10:45 a.m. RE Class  
11:00 a.m. Young Adults (Emmitsburg)  
4:00 p.m. Tutoring (Center)  
5:30 p.m. Sunday Supper (Center)  
6:30 p.m. RE Class  
6:30 p.m. CYO (Loft)

## **Monday, November 15**

3:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Preschool/Art/Brent Room)  
4:00 p.m. Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Athletic Department Meeting (Brent Room)  
6:00 p.m. Boys JV Basketball Practice (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

## **Tuesday, November 16**

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers (Brent Room)  
3:15 p.m. Tutoring (Center)  
4:00 p.m. Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Boys V Basketball Practice (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)  
7:30 p.m. First Penance Parent Meeting (Center)

## **Wednesday, November 17**

9:00 a.m. School Open House  
9:30 a.m. Liturgy of Hours (Brent Room)  
4:00 p.m. Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Boys JV Basketball Practice (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room)  
7:30 p.m. RCIA (Center)

## **Thursday, November 18**

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
3:15 p.m. Tutoring (Center)  
4:00 p.m. Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Boys V Basketball Practice (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Brent Room)  
7:00 p.m. Choir (Church)

## **Friday, November 19**

4:00 p.m. Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)

## **Saturday, November 20**

7:00 a.m. Boy Scouts (K of C Hall & Fire Ring)  
8:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Baskets (Center)  
10:00 a.m. JV Boys Basketball Practice (Gym)  
12:00 p.m. V Boys Basketball Practice (Gym)  
9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)  
6:00 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)  
6:00 p.m. Camp Fire Meeting (Fire Ring)  
6:30 p.m. Spanish Confessions (Church)  
7:00 p.m. NFP Classes (Brent Room)



# **Prayer Request...**

Please keep everyone who is serving in Iraq and Afghanistan and their family members in your prayers.

Ralph Allison, John Bernier, OJ Block, Shawn Cunningham, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Marc D'Eredita, Mike D'Eredita, John Ferry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Richard Garver, Zachary Hafner, Keirsten Hage, Lt. Col. John Heslin, Maj. Jason Heuer, Michael Infanti, Matthew Ingraham, Christopher L. Johnson, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, H.N. Daric Martin, Major Thomas McNally, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Travis Morgan, Mike Parrot, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Christopher Schap, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Gregory Thomas, Mark Thomas, Chris Tolliver, and Vincent Torney.

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen*

If you have a relative serving in Iraq or Afghanistan and would like to have his/her name included in our prayer list, please contact the parish office.

## **Fiat Time Change**

This parish sponsored group is opened to all girls in the parish in grades 5-8. We will meet in Brent Room from **4:00-5:00 p.m.** St. William of York School children will have supervised study hall in the Brent Room from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. The next scheduled meeting is Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>. For more information or to join contact Mrs. Jen Daigneau at [we\\_love\\_tea@verizon.net](mailto:we_love_tea@verizon.net) or (540)720-1299.

## **Young Adults Corner**

Young Adults (ages 21-40) single and married: Join Fr. Magat this Fall for various events to get to know your fellow Catholic young adults in the area. The Fall lineup:

**BOOK CLUB:** Join Fr. Magat at Bella Cafe at 7:30 p.m. for Monday Night Book Club. We'll be discussing George Weigel's "Letters to a Young Catholic." Subsequent meetings will be on November 15, 22, 29 and December 6, 13 and 20.

**Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>** 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.: Pilgrimage to Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception and the Franciscan Monastery in Washington, DC. We'll grab dinner before arriving home.

## Christmas Card Sale!

Please consider supporting the Christmas Card sale of the Guadalupe Free Clinic of Colonial Beach. Cards may be purchased through Fr. Magat at the parish office. Visit [guadalupefreeclinic.org](http://guadalupefreeclinic.org) for more details. All proceeds go to benefit the Clinic. All orders may be either mailed (for an additional charge) or picked up at the parish office (no charge).

## Religious Give Thanks

Women and men religious throughout the country offer heartfelt thanks for your donation to the Retirement Fund for Religious. Your gift makes a tangible difference in the lives of thousands of senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests.

## Bulletin Deadline Change

Due to the upcoming holiday anyone interested in submitting a bulletin announcement for the November 28<sup>th</sup> bulletin will need to submit it no later than closed of business on Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. Please send your announcements to [parishoffice@swoycc.org](mailto:parishoffice@swoycc.org).

## Special Collection

Next week we will have a special collection for the Campaign for Human Development. Please be generous.

## Are You or Someone You Know Looking for Work?

Christians are Networking (“CAN”) is a Catholic Charities-sponsored ministry that assists people who unemployed or under-employed. CAN provides free professional career counseling – including resume reviews and practice job interviews – and opportunities to network with other professionals. Join us every Thursday evening, from 7- 9 p.m. at the St. Martin de Porres Senior Center, 4650 Taney Ave. in Alexandria. For more details, contact Elizabeth Lucas at (703) 683-7704 or [elizabeth22305@verizon.net](mailto:elizabeth22305@verizon.net) or Bill Hummel at (703) 830-5467, [hummel830@cox.net](mailto:hummel830@cox.net).

## Vocation

“By your endurance you will gain your souls.” Are you being invited to gain your soul and the souls of countless others for Christ as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father Brian Bashista (703) 841-2514, or write: [b.bashista@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:b.bashista@arlingtondiocese.org).



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### First Reading: Malachi 3:19-20a

The prophet Malachi warned that the time would come when all the evil people would be punished. He then speaks of the arrival of "the sun of justice, with its healing rays," believed by most to mean Jesus.

### Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Some of the Thessalonians claimed Christ's return was imminent, so they stopped working and asked others for food. Paul describes his willingness to work, so that he would not impose on others. He encourages them to follow his example and earn their own living.

### Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

Jesus warns of the persecution all Christians will face because of him, and how some will even be put to death. Yet He says they will not be harmed because "by patient endurance you will save your lives." If Jesus' followers are loyal, they will be resurrected and their suffering will end.

## ESL Volunteer Needed

Looking for ways to help the immigrant community? Give the gift of English! Catholic Charities- Hogar Immigrant Services is currently seeking volunteer ESL (English as a Second Language) teachers and site coordinators for classes at All Saints, St. Bernadette, St. Leo, St. Joseph, Our Lady of Angels and Holy Family Parishes. Training and materials are provided. No previous experience or second language required! If interested, please contact Lisa Ehm Waller at [lwaller@ccda.net](mailto:lwaller@ccda.net) or (703) 534-9805, ext. 238.

## Give a Gift for Life:

### Support Women, Children and Families

One grateful mother who received prenatal care thanks to 2009 Gift for Life donations wrote, “I really can’t say ‘thank you’ enough to you and everyone at Gabriel Project for your help throughout my pregnancy. Your group is a shining example of the pro-life movement in action, equipping women in tough situations to carry on their pregnancies and keep their babies. I’m staring at my new son as I write this, and I cannot imagine life without him.” Please give a Gift for Life this season to help Gabriel Project fund a mother’s maternity care. Donate online at [www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife).