



✠ **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** ✠
January 15, 2012



**The Week of
 January 16th –
 January 22nd**

Monday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i>
	9:00 AM John Bonds
Tuesday	7:30 AM Delia Aliño†
	9:00 AM David Stafford†
Wednesday	9:00 AM Charlotte Buchannon†
	6:30 PM Patricia Presher & Michael Underhill
Thursday	7:30 AM Christine Rechichi
	9:00 AM Edward Ettner
Friday	9:00 AM Katherine Dancause
	6:30 PM Col. Paul Kelly & 11 Fallen Soldiers†
Saturday	9:00 AM Matthew Dungan†
	5:00 PM Wesley M. Horan†
	7:00 PM Special Intention
Sunday	7:30 AM Maryann Ostrander†
	9:00 AM Helen Rosetta†
	10:30 AM Ruth McAfee†
	12:15 PM People of St. William of York

This week on Monday we will be on a modified Mass schedule for the Martin Luther King, JR. holiday.

**†Confession Schedule†
 January 16th –
 January 21st**

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM*
Saturday:	6:30 PM (Spanish)

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

Contribution Statements

Anyone interested in receiving a 2011 Contribution Statement is asked to send their request with a self addressed stamped envelope to the parish office. Our address is:

St. William of York
 3130 Jefferson Davis Hwy.
 Stafford, VA 22554

Thank You.

Join us for a Celebration

All are welcome to join us in the parish center today, January 15th after the 12:15 PM Mass for a reception to celebrate the Diaconate Ordination of James Benisek.

**Super Bowl BBQ Tail
 Gating Package**

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Eastern NC style pulled pork, slaw and baked beans for Super Bowl Sunday. Prices are: 1 lb. of BBQ - \$7.00, pint of slaw - \$3.00, pint of baked beans - \$3.00. We also will have 2 special packages. Package #1 consist of 1 lb. of BBQ, 1 pint of slaw and 1 pint of beans for \$12.00. Package #2 consist of 2 lbs. of BBQ, 1 pint of slaw and 1 pint of beans for \$17.00. Orders will be taken during donut and pancake breakfasts or by calling (540) 720-4337 or emailing Jim Everett at jimeverett47@gmail.com. The food will be available after each Mass on Super Bowl Sunday. A limited supply of BBQ will be available without prior orders.

March for Life

The annual March for Life will be held in Washington D.C. on Monday, January 23rd. Our parish has reserved two (2) buses to provide transportation to and from the March. To reserve a space, please sign up after Mass today or on January 21st-22nd. For those who cannot be present at the March, you can still participate in a very important way by spending extra time in prayer for an end to abortion. Another way to show your support is to help defray the cost of the buses. A donation box will be available at the sign-up table.

Parish Office Closure

The parish office will be closed on January 16th in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on Wednesday, January 25th at 7:30 PM in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on Saturday, March 10th at 8:30 AM in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

St. William of York Catholic School

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Open House

Sunday, January 29th: 12:00-2:30 PM (time change!)

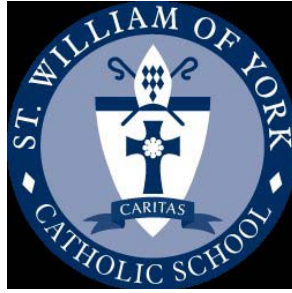
Wednesday, February 2nd: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Calling Religious Education Families

We would like to extend a special invitation to our Religious Education families to our Open House on Sunday, January 29th. Come have another look at YOUR parish school. We have lots of exciting new things to tell you about. Please stop by after RE class or after the 12:15 Mass. God bless and remember this is YOUR parish school. Come and see us!

Part-time Music Teacher Needed

Contact Mr. Nicely, Principal, at fnicely@stwillsschool.org.



Promoting Your Parish School

St. William of York Catholic School is building its image! We “unveiled” our new school logo this past Friday at our school Geography Bee. Our athletic emblem stays the same but we needed a new school logo for our new stationary, brochures, etc. Look for it on our new school website which goes live in a few more days!

Logo Description

The seven diamond pattern in the bishop’s mitre is from the actual crest of our patron, St. William of York. The Gothic cross is like the cross at the tomb of St. William at York Minster Cathedral in England where Father Magat and parish pilgrims took photos last summer. The Latin word “Caritas”, charity, sums up our school mission to respond to our Lord’s command to LOVE God with our whole heart, soul, mind, and strength. You may have met our new logo artist: Michelle McSorley, who is not only a St. William of York parishioner, but is also the parent of one of our fine third graders, our art teacher and instructional aide, and a member of our school parent leadership team.

St. William of York Baseball Tryouts - Come Out and Represent St. William of York on the Baseball Diamond!

Boys Baseball Tryouts will be held at the St. William of York gymnasium on the following days: Thursday, January 26th and Friday, January 27th from 6 to 8 PM. Open to all boys in the St. William of York parish grades 5 through 8 (to include CCD and Home Schooled).

Come dressed for a work-out: T-Shirt, sweatpants or baseball pants, comfortable sneakers (suitable for court use); please bring your baseball glove and wear a baseball hat; bat is optional.

For more information, please contact Boys Varsity Coach and Athletic Director Tony Greco at tonygreco46@yahoo.com or (703) 675-9061.



Religious Education Office

There will be NO CLASSES today, January 15th in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday. CLASSES will resume on January 22nd.

Schedule of CLASSROOM events:

January 22nd MID-TERM REVIEW

January 29th MID-TERM EXAM GIVEN

It is very important that students attend classes on a regular basis.

FOR RE PARENTS

There will be a First Penance meeting held on January 22nd immediately following prayers and dismissal of students to their classrooms. There will be important information given regarding First Penance for your child. We look forward to seeing all parents there.



2012 Catholic Charities Ball “Precious Pearls of Hope”

Join Bishop Paul S. Loverde and the supporters of Catholic Charities for a night of fun to benefit Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Arlington’s many programs and works of mercy in our diocese. Friday, February 10th at the Ritz Carlton Tysons Corner. Consider enjoying the evening with your fellow parishioners by reserving a Parish Table. Black Tie. For more information and donation opportunities, please email Barbara Caudle at cball2012@gmail.com or call (703) 937-3988.

This week in our Parish

Sunday, January 15

9:45AM: Choir (Brent Room)
12:00 PM: Reception for Jim Benisek (Center)
1:30 PM: Baptisms (Church)
2:00 PM: NFP Class (Brent Room)
6:00 PM: CYO Meeting (Center)

Monday, January 16

Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday
Parish Office Closed
No School
7:00 PM: Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

Tuesday, January 17

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)
6:00 PM: Boys JV Basketball Practice (Gym)
7:00 PM: Work Camp Meeting (Brent Room)
7:00 PM: Boy Scouts (Center)

Wednesday, January 18

9:30 AM: Liturgy of the Hours (Brent Room)
12:00 PM: BLA Meeting (Brent Room)
3:15 PM: Girl Scouts (Brent Room)
4:00 PM: Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)
6:00 PM: Boys Varsity Basketball Practice (Gym)
6:00 PM: Girl Scouts (Art Room)
7:30 PM: RCIA (Center)

Thursday, January 19

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
10:00 AM: Stitches of Compassion (Brent Room)
1:45 PM: Market Day Delivery (Center)
5:00PM: Basketball Game (Gym)
7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (Brent Room)
7:00 PM: Cub Scouts (Center)

Friday, January 20

6:00 PM: Cub Scouts (Center)

Saturday, January 21

8:00 AM: Cub Scouts Pinewood Derby (Center)
8:30 AM: Spanish Baptism Class (Brent Room)
9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
10:00 AM: Girls Basketball Practice (Gym)
12:00 PM: Boys Varsity Basketball Practice (Gym)
2:00 PM: Boys JV Basketball Practice (Gym)
3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)
6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Sponsor of the Week

We would like to thank
“R & M Global Enterprises, Inc.”
this week for sponsoring an ad
in our weekly bulletin.

If you are interested in sponsoring an ad in our
bulletin please call 1(800) 883-4343.

Support the Church in Latin America

Next week, you will have an opportunity to support the Church in Latin America. Many unique challenges face the Church in that region. A lack of priests and trained lay ministers, high emigration rates, and the alarming pace at which parishioners are leaving the faith make it difficult for the region's Church to provide for the faithful. It is more important than ever that we keep faith with the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean. Please give generously to the donations being collected next weekend at all exits.

World Youth Day 2013

Tree Removal

Winter is a good time of year for clearing out damaged or dangerous trees. This is a fund raiser for our youth group - donations go toward World Youth Day 2013 pilgrimage. For a free consultation, call Paul (540) 288-9940.

Metal Re-cycling - Free Pick-up

Have old metal junk/parts getting in your way? Anything METAL: Any appliances, cars, car parts, motors, lawn/riding mowers, tools, blades, exercise equipment, bikes, metal lawn chairs/deck furniture, wires, extension cords, old faucets, pipes, metal tubing, metal anything...We'll pick them up for FREE as a recycling fund raiser for our youth group - proceeds go toward World Youth Day 2013 pilgrimage. To schedule pick-up, call Paul (540) 288-9940.

Young Adults Corner

Young Adults (ages 21-40) single and married: Join Fr. Magat this Winter/Spring for various events to get to know your fellow Catholic young adults in the area. The line up for the first part of the New Year is:

Jan. 22: Visit to Richmond's Cathedral of the Sacred Heart and the Museum of Virginia Catholic History

Feb. 10-12: Young Adult Ski Trip with Our Lady of Hope and St. Mark's. Contact Angie Pometto at apometto@stmark.org. We leave on Feb. 10th at 5:30 PM and return by 10 PM on Feb. 12th. Trip is to 7 Springs in Western PA.

Feb. 17: Movie Night

Feb. 25: Trip to Franciscan Monastery in DC

Book/Movie Club: Join Fr. Magat on Monday Nights at 7:30 PM. We will be watching the hit DVD series *“Catholicism”*. We will meet at Charlotte & Karolyn's. For more info., email Father Magat at fathermagat@gmail.com. The next meeting will be on Jan. 16th.

In Celebration of Santo Nino

Join the Filipino Community in celebration of the Feast Day of Santo Nino (Holy Infant Jesus) today Sunday, January 15th. The MASS at 7:30 AM will be followed by brunch at the Hampton Oaks Community Center, located at 80 Northampton Boulevard, Stafford. Questions??? Contact Susie Gehring, (540) 720-1576; Pinky Hudson, (703) 463-8817; Dory Henderson, (540) 659-3872.

Stitches of Compassion

Stitches of Compassion next monthly meeting will be January 19th, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM in the Brent Room. Knitting, crocheting, quilting - working on providing fingerless gloves, shawls, lap blankets and other items for seniors in need. Mark your calendars for future meetings Feb 16, Mar 15. All ages welcome to join our group. Questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Brain Train

It is a new year and time to make your yearly resolution to exercise your brain. Come join us from 1:00-3:00 PM on Tuesday, Jan. 31st in the Brent Room for a game of Mexican Train, Bunco or the game of your choice. What a great way to spend a couple hours meeting new and old friends, fun and mind stretches. Mark your calendar and we will see you there. Call Sharyn Drollinger at (540) 720-1734.

An Hour a Day~An Hour a Week

Parishioners of Saint William of York are challenged to lift their hearts and minds in prayer to The Lord for at least one hour a day. We also are asked to donate at least the equivalent of one hour's wages per household to the regular offertory collection each week.

*Have I prayed for at least one hour a day this week?
Was our weekly offertory donation equivalent to at least one hour's wages?*

Icon Painting

Young women (ages 14-17) are welcome to attend this Fiat Discernment Group event on Saturday, January 28th which begins at 9 a.m. at St. Ambrose Parish Hall in Annandale. You will be guided by a talented artist as you paint icons. The 20 available spots will fill up quickly, so contact the Office of Vocations as soon as possible at (703) 841-2514.



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: I Samuel 3:3b-10, 19

This powerful story describes Samuel, who at the time was the servant of the high priest. The Lord called out to Samuel, who twice thought Eli had called him. They gradually realized that it was the Lord who called for him. So the third time Samuel answered and the Lord remained with Samuel as he grew.

Second Reading: I Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20

Paul explains to the Corinthians that their body is a temple of the Holy Spirit. He tells them to avoid lewd conduct, and glorify God by keeping their bodies pure.

Gospel: John 1:35-42

John told two of his disciples that Jesus is the Lamb of God. They turned and followed him, immediately curious and attracted to him. Andrew told his brother Simon about Jesus. Simon also came to meet Jesus, who renamed him Cephas, or Peter.

Pray for a Priest Each Day...

This week please pray for

January 15 th	Rev. Edwin Perez
January 16 th	Rev. James Poumade
January 17 th	Rev. James Tucker
January 18 th	Rev. Bryan Belli
January 19 th	Rev. Geronimo Magat
January 20 th	Rev. Keith O'Hare
January 21 st	Rev. Michael Weston

Lord Jesus, present in the Most Blessed Sacrament, we your people pray to You for our priests, You have given them to us for OUR needs. We pray for them in THEIR needs. You have consecrated them, set them aside, anointed them, filled them with the Holy Spirit, appointed them to teach, to preach, to minister, to console, to forgive, and to feed us with Your Body and Blood. We know that they are one with us and share our human weaknesses, console and forgive them as they console and grant us Your forgiveness. Grant that the words of Your Priests may be only Your words; that their gestures be only Your gestures; that they may be men who speak to God on behalf of His people, courageous in service, faithful to their commitments; zealous in their vocation and mission, and living the joy of the gift they have received. We pray that Your Holy Mother, Mary, be present throughout our lives, and ever present in the life of Your Priests. Amen

O Mary Immaculate, Mother of Jesus and Mother of priests, pray and intercede for (name a priest).