

Welcome to St. William of York Catholic Church: "An Authentic Catholic Culture"



¥ Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 21, 2014 ¥

Mass Intentions for the Week of September 22nd – September 28th

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Monday	7:30 AM	Flora Bermudez 🕏
	9:00 AM	Megan Amico
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Sally Dancause 🕯
	9:00 AM	Michael LaFratte
Wednesday	9:00 AM	John Prokop
	6:30 PM	Janet Sarsfield 🕈
Thursday	7:30 AM	Charles A. Jankowski 🕈
	9:00 AM	Cheiko Kniery 🕯
Friday	9:00 AM	Mary & George Molyneau 🕯
	6:30 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
Saturday	9:00 AM	Bolton Family Living & 🕈
	5:00 PM	Arthur P. Cotugno 🕈
	7:00 PM	Enriqueta de Gonzalez 🕈
Sunday	7:30 AM	John & Kathleen McNulty 🕈
	9:00 AM	People of St. William of York
	10:30 AM	Roger Swaitek
	12:15 PM	Adela Medina 🕈

Knight of Columbus Presents

"Protestant Reformation...or Revolution!"

On October 14th at 7 PM, St. William of York and the Knights of the Father Widmer Council welcome back Steve Weidenkopf to present "Protestant Reformation... or Revolution!". During this presentation Steve will discuss how early Protestant reformers, such as Martin Luther and John Calvin, are incorrectly portrayed as holy and righteous men who freed the Christian faith from the yoke of an oppressive papacy. The historical reality is they did not return Christianity to an earlier pristine condition, but rather attempted to refashion Christianity in their own image and dramatically affected the Church and western Civilization. Steve Weidenkopf, a lecture of Church history at the Notre Dame Graduate School of Christendom College, is an engaging speaker and calm apologist who will help Knights and fellow parishioners understand the Protestant reformation with an authentic Catholic perspective. All interested adults are warmly invited to attend. Complimentary refreshments will be provided.

Evening Prayer

Join us for our next Evening Prayer on Sunday, September 28th in the Church at 5:00 PM for Evening Prayer. Please bring *Shorter Christian Prayer* or a suitable volume of the *Liturgy of the Hours*.

+Confession Schedule+ September 22nd – September 27th

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.)

Liturgy of the Hours Changing Days

This group meets once a week to pray the Liturgy. We will now be meeting in the Brent Room on Wednesdays after the 9:00 AM Mass please note the **change in days from Fridays to Wednesdays** starting September 24th.

Risk Jesus'14

A Diocesan Evangelization Conference

"The beginning of fall provides us with an opportunity for a fresh start," writes Bishop Loverde. "While you prepare for this new season, will you renew and rediscover your faith?" Join Bishop Loverde at Hylton Memorial Chapel in Woodbridge on September 27 for a unique opportunity to deepen your faith. Former atheist Jennifer Fulwiler and Anglican convert Fr. Dwight Longenecker will talk about the "before" and "after" of their encounter with Christ and His Church, and how this encounter has transformed their lives on a daily basis. Our own Fr. Juan Puigbo will also speak, and music will be provided by acclaimed singer-songwriter Marie Miller. So take the first step - Risk Jesus, and invite a friend, family member, neighbor or colleague to join you! Tickets are \$25, with the option for a second ticket at no cost and additional tickets at \$10 each. For more information or to register, visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/riskjesus.

We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith

Kira Mona Lisa Hadrava, daughter of Jason and Joanna Hadrava.

The St. William of York Youth

Religious Education

Sundays in September:

September 21st: CLASSES IN SESSION September 28th: CLASSES IN SESSION

Confirmation meeting for all 7th grade parents and their students in the parish

Registration Update...

The RE office will NOT be accepting any Returning Family registrations!

The RE office will of course accept those families that are new to the parish:

New/Transferring Family/Students: The following information is required for all new students:

Family registration with St. William of York Parish (Verified)

Baptismal Certificate

First Communion Certificate (if applicable)

Religious Education Records from previous parish

***** Payment IN FULL at time of registration ******

Name the Saint!

My feast day is September 27th. I was from a poor family who lived in France. I was very eager to learn and was educated by priests. When I was 20 I was ordained a priest myself. Once while sailing to Narbonne, France, my ship was overrun by pirates and I was made into a slave. I lived 2 years as a slave before God showed me a way to escape. Upon my return to France, I began to teach about missions and was very involved in charity work. I loved to help those who were less fortunate than me. Sometimes I am referred to as the Apostle of Charity. I am patron saint of charitable societies. Who am I?

ATTENTION ALL 7th GRADE PARENTS (RE, HOMESCHOOL, & CATHOLIC SCHOOL)

There will be a 1st year Confirmation Parent Meeting

next Sunday, September 28th at 6:15PM in the parish center for all parents of 7th grade Confirmation students. This meeting is MANDATORY. Requirements for the sacrament of Confirmation will be discussed.

ANSWER: St. Vincent de Paul

St. William of York Catholic School

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Upcoming Events

September 26—Interims 1/2 Day of School September 29—Box Top Bake Sale October 3—1st Friday Adoration October 13—No School (Columbus Day) October 14—Winter Uniforms

Registrations now being accepted for the 2014-2015 school year!

Email Mr. Nicely for a tour at :fnicely@stwillschool.org or call the school office (540) 659-5207.

Prayer Request...

Please keep everyone who is serving in Iraq and Afghanistan and their family members in your prayers. Ralph Allison, Christopher Bell, David Besachio, Aaron Burke, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, William Kerriagan, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Matthew Kuhns, Tyron Anthony Layug, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, John O'Hagan, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Daniel Stehm, David Stewart, Gregory Thomas, Chris Tolliver, Kyle Traylor and Logan Whitworth.

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.



In Our Parish

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, September 21

8:00 AM: Spanish Breakfast (Center)

8:45 AM: RE Class in Session 10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

10:45 AM: RE in Session 6:00 PM: RE in Session Monday, September 22 Tuesday, September 23

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

4:00 PM: Fiat (Brent Room)

Wednesday, September 24

9:30 AM: Liturgy of the Hours (Brent Room) 4:00 PM: School Soccer Game (Sports Field) 7:30 PM: English Baptism Class (Library)

7:30 PM: RCIA (Center) **Thursday, September 25**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

10:00 AM: Senior Chair Exercise Class (Brent Room)

7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (Brent Room)

7:30 PM: Choir (Church) Friday, September 26

½ Day of School

Saturday, September 27

9:00 AM Youth Soccer Challenge (Athletic Fields)

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)7:00 PM: Saints & Apostles (Center)6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Blessing of Animals

Saturday, October 4th, is *feast of St. Francis*. Join Fr. Killian at 3:45 PM on **Friday, October 3rd** in the upper parking lot for a blessing of the animals. Be sure to bring a plastic baggy, just in case...

Invitation to Fall Social, Legion of Mary

All Legion of Mary Auxiliary and Active members, former members and all interested in knowing more about the Legion of Mary are invited to join us for a light luncheon and short program (1) to celebrate Mary's birthday, (2) to honor our Auxiliary members who pray for the Legion all over the world, and (3) to meet your fellow Auxiliary members. We will meet in the Brent Room on Sept. 28, 2014 after the 12:15 PM Mass. Please come!

Stitches of Compassion

Stitches of Compassion will not be meeting for the month of September. Please continue to work on your projects at home. Through your hard work we have donated 230 pillowcases to conker cancer, hospice and nursing homes. 22 Wheelchair/lap quilts, 30 plus baby items not forgetting other scarves, tissue bags, shoulder wraps and hats that have gone out to those in need. Hope to see you October 16th.

Support Catholic University

The Catholic University of America is the national University of the Catholic Church in the United States, located in Washington, D.C. It provides an academically rigorous education guided by the Catholic intellectual tradition to nearly 7,000 students every year. Over 4,000 students directly receive scholarship aid from this Collection, including many from our diocese. Next week is the National Collection for The Catholic University of America donations will be accepted in the boxes at all exits. Please be generous.

Senior Luncheons

All Seniors 50+. Our luncheons are getting ready to start back up. The first one will be October 8th so mark your calendars and come join us. Anyone wishing to help with the luncheons or in need of more information please call Rosemary Riddle at (540) 659-5472.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>September 24th at 7:30 PM</u> in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>November 8th at 8:30 AM</u> in the Brent Room. It is <u>mandatory that all parents register</u> with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Congratulations International Fall Festival Raffle Winners!

Barbara Smith \$10,000 Ticket No. 13926 Craig Bell \$2,000 Ticket No. 01000 Carol Ann O'Hagan \$1,000 Ticket No. 10594

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Pro Life Corner

Life Chain

The National Life Chain will be held on Sunday, October 5th, across the country, and our parish will be participating. We will be standing along Route 1 in front of our church from 2:00 to 3:30 PM. Signs will be distributed starting at 1:45 PM. Please join us as we peacefully witness and pray for an end to abortion.

Screening of "40"

The Pro-Life Club of St. Michael the Archangel High School cordially invites you to a special, on-campus screening of the movie "40." This free presentation will take place Wednesday, September 24th, at 7 PM. The address is 6301 Campus Drive Fredericksburg, VA. For more information about this prolife movie go to http://www.the40film.com/.

Respect Life Mass

Each month, the Most Reverend Paul S. Loverde, the Bishop of the Diocese of Arlington, leads us in a Saturday Morning Mass and prayer for the forgotten, the abandoned, the weakest and most vulnerable in our society. Mass and rosary times vary according to the parish's daily Mass. Saturday, October 25th- Respect Life Mass with Bishop Loverde will be at 9:00 AM at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More, 3901 Cathedral Ln, Arlington, VA. Recitation of the Rosary will be at Falls Church Healthcare Center, 900 S. Washington St., Falls Church, VA.