



**Welcome to St. William of York Catholic Church:
“An Authentic Catholic Culture”**



☒ **Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 2, 2015** ☒

Mass Intentions for the Week of

August 3rd – August 9th

Monday	7:30 AM	Bob Waller
	9:00 AM	Dominic White
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory ☩
	9:00 AM	Kristina Prebiloc
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Patricia Bettendorf
	6:30 PM	Special Intention
Thursday	7:30 AM	Jacqueline Murray ☩
	9:00 AM	Brooks Reuwer
Friday	9:00 AM	Dave & Libby Kwiatkowski
		50 th Anniversary
	6:30 PM	Maria Carmela Mooney
Saturday	9:00 AM	Anthony Prebiloc
	5:00 PM	Dominick & Christie Dobson
	7:00 PM	Danielle Thompson
Sunday	7:30 AM	People of St. William of York
	9:00 AM	Ellen Carag ☩
	10:30 AM	Bob & Marie Merle
	12:15 PM	Special Intention

+Confession Schedule+

August 3rd – August 8th

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

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

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a process of study and prayer for adults who: wish to join the Catholic Church; were baptized Catholic, but never received the Sacraments of Penance, Eucharist, or Confirmation; are interested in exploring the Faith, but are unsure of joining; or practicing Catholics who wish to learn a bit more about their Faith. Fr. Killian and Fr. DeMartino would like to invite anyone who is interested to join them on Wednesday evening's beginning this Fall. Call the parish office to register at (540) 659-1102.

First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, August 7th, after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue until 6:15 PM. Adoration will resume after the 6:30 PM Mass until 9:00 PM. Please join our parish community every First Friday as we adore Our Lord on the altar. For more information please contact Cindy Armstrong at (540) 220-7344.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Paul said “you should put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God’s way in righteousness and holiness of truth”. Find out God’s way for your marriage on an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on 18-20 September in Herndon or 6-8 November in Herndon. For more information or to apply, visit our website at renewmarriage-vanorth.org or contact us at 703-378-4150 or applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org.

**“For God’s Sake:
Learning to Love Our Neighbor”**

Propter Deum, “For God’s Sake”, that’s the foundation of charity. We love God in our neighbor, and our neighbor, for God’s sake. To be sure, however, this is a learned behavior, and other factors, such as temperament, childhood, location, and most of all, our depth of conversion, have a lot to do with our capacity to learn to love truly.

Classes started on Wednesday, June 17th in the parish center at 7:30 PM and will run for 10 weeks. Everyone is invited to attend and no registration is needed. Each class does build, sequentially, on the class before it, so to get the most out of this series, try to attend all ten classes. But this is not required. As one parishioner put it, you can simply “show and grow.”

Will you be traveling this summer ?

Make sure to keep Sunday the
Lord’s day.



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The St. William of York Youth

St. William of York Catholic School

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SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

9:30 AM to 1:30 PM

Mr. Nicely and Mrs. Keenan will be monitoring their emails throughout the summer.

Part Time Position Available: Teaching Assistant for primary grades. Must have experience/skill working with young children. Send letter of interest and resume to Mr. Nicely: fnicely@stwillsschool.org.

Principal's Message

As I said at Masses last month, FAITHFUL CATHOLIC EDUCATION is a critical key to a bright future for America. I would add "ON A DAILY BASIS".....and invite you to take a closer look at YOUR PARISH SCHOOL to see if it is time to make the big switch to a school where solid academics and RELIABLE MORAL TEACHING in a loving environment would be the daily diet for your kids. God bless you and your family. Hope to see you soon.

Frank Nicely

Applications now being accepted for the 2015-2016 school year!

Email Mr. Nicely for a tour at:

fnicely@stwillsschool.org or call the school office (540) 659-5207.

St. William of York Catholic Preschool

St. William of York Catholic Preschool offers a nurturing learning environment that promotes the development of children ages 3-5 proven to prepare them for academic success in a faithful Catholic environment. Call 540-659-5207 to tour our facilities and meet our staff.

Religious Education

We are back to our regular office hours: Monday-Friday, 9 AM – 3 PM

Name the Saint!

My feast day is August 8th. My motto and life goal was "Truth". Being the youngest child in my family I was taught by my uncle who was a priest. Eventually I grew up to be a priest as well and had it not been for my bishop I would never have left my hometown. On a mission to northern Europe with my bishop I discovered the many heretics in the world whose teachings were so far removed from the Church teachings. The missionaries that were sent by the pope were not making a positive impact on the people because of the manner in which they traveled (luxurious carriages, hotels, etc). I convinced my bishop to try a new way to fight heresy. We went city to city on foot preaching the truth and the Bible, depending on the good will of others for food and shelter. I founded a new religious order for women who would work with women returning to the Church and one for men called the Order of Preachers who took up this way of preaching the truth. The common name for this order is the Dominicans. I died while on a preaching mission. Who am I?

TWO WEEKS LEFT!!

OPEN REGISTRATION PERIOD for 2015-2016 Religious Education classes ENDS AUGUST 14th!

June 1 – August 14: Open Registration period for all members of the parish, new or returning families.

****Tuition payment is expected at time of registration along with copies of any sacramental certificates for student files ****

August 15 – September 8: Late registration (\$20 late fee per family added to tuition)

ANSWER: St. Dominic

Call for volunteers! Are you looking for a way to volunteer in our church community? Perhaps the Religious Education Program is the place for your talents. If you are interested in learning more about how to volunteer in our program as a catechist, assistant, or substitute, please contact us for more information.

In Our Parish

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, August 2

Monday, August 3

10:00 AM: Girls Basketball Open Gym (Gym)

Tuesday, August 4

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

7:15 PM: IFF Meeting (Brent Room)

Wednesday, August 5

9:30 AM: Liturgy of the Hours (Brent Room)

7:30 PM: Fr. DeMartino's-*For God's Sake Class* (Center)

Thursday, August 6

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

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

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

Friday, August 7

9:30 AM: 1st Friday Adoration (Church)

Saturday, August 8

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Evening Prayer

The next Evening Prayer is Sunday, August 9th at 5:00 PM in the church. Please bring a copy of *Shorter Christian Prayer* or a suitable volume of the *Liturgy of the Hours*.

Prayer Request...

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

Ralph Allison, Aaron Burke, Colin Carpenter, Megan Cobb, David Coleman, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Kevin Fallon, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, William Kerriagan, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Tyron Anthony Layug, Josh Marsillo, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Brendon Mooney, Sean Mooney, Emmanuel Morales, 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.

St. William of York Open Gym!

When: Aug. 3 & 10 (Mondays) 10AM - 12 PM

Who: Rising 5th - 8th Grade Girls

This is a drop-in opportunity for any of the girls who would like to work on their basketball skills. There is no cost and no prior registration! Come by for a morning of basketball! If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Crawford at kcrawford@stwillsschool.org or contact Mrs. Schiller at schiller.jennifera@gmail.com.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, August 26th at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, September 12th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

International Fall Festival

Save the Date: September 13, 2015

Plans for the 2015 International Fall Festival (IFF) are underway and we need YOU!! It is not too early to volunteer—the success of the festival depends on preplanning and organization and NOW is the time! Help is especially needed to recruit business sponsors to help offset costs. Anyone willing to organize an ethnic food booth— German, Filipino, Polish, Italian, BBQ, Haitian, Hispanic, etc.— we need your help and your ideas. Volunteer chairpersons are needed for Parking, Trash Pick-Up, Bingo, Volunteer Co-ordination and Supply management. Contact Bob Greczek at rgreczek@comcast.net with any questions or to volunteer to help get the IFF up and running. The next IFF meeting will be on Tuesday, August 4th at 7:15 PM in the Brent Room.

The IFF is now accepting White Elephant donations!

It is time to take a look around the house—in the closets, the attic, the basement and garage—and gather up all those gently used items that are just taking up space! Bring them to the gray trailer! Clean, usable items in good condition can be left in the gray storage trailer located behind the school, on the left as you pass through the gate on the way to the Thrift Shop. Acceptable donations include household items, dishes and kitchen utensils, furniture, toys, books, small appliances, electronics, lawn and garden items, pet items and holiday items. Please, NO clothing, mattresses or box springs, large back televisions or flammable liquids can be donated. Your donations are much appreciated and all proceeds from the White elephant sale will go toward debt reduction.

Special Religious Education Class

The Religious Education Office will offer a class for students who have been unable to attend regular RE classes due to special needs. The class will provide a level appropriate course of instruction that is intended to help prepare special needs children to receive the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation. If you have a child who you believe would benefit from this class, please contact the Religious Education Office for further details.

In Our Parish Continued...

Stitches of Compassion

Our group meets to create items to warm the babies heads, warm seniors shoulders or legs, brighten hospice rooms or warm children from the cold. In 2014 we created and donated over 800 items to brighten someone's life. If you knit, crochet, quilt or sew join us to see how you may help. Our next meeting is August 13th in the Brent Room from 10 AM – 12. All are welcome. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Sponsor of the Week

We would like to thank

“St. William of York Thrift Shop”

This week for sponsoring an ad in our weekly bulletin.

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

Virtus Seminar

St. William of York is hosting a Virtus Training Seminar on Saturday, September 19th at 9:00 AM in the parish center. Protecting God's Children is a mandatory seminar for all volunteers who have substantial contact with children and for all employees of the Arlington Diocese. To be fully compliant with Diocesan policy you must attend the 4 hour seminar and turn in all background check forms. You may pick up forms in the parish office or down load them from the diocese website under the education tab. To register for a seminar go to www.virtus.org. For more information contact Kayla Dittmer in the parish office at (540) 659-1102.

Senior Exercise Group

Join us to gently stretch your muscles, improve flexibility and balance. The exercises are done while sitting in or holding onto a chair to help with balance. Come see how this exercise can help you. Our next meeting is August 6th in the Brent Room from 10 AM – 12 noon. All are welcome. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Around the Diocese

Vocations

“Do not work for food that perishes, but for food that endures for eternal life.” Are you being chosen to help feed and give life to the people of God as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father J.D. Jaffe at (703) 841-2514, or you may email me at j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org.

“No trabajen por ese alimento que se acaba, sino por el alimento que dura para la vida eterna”. ¿Estás siendo escogido para ayudar a alimentar y dar vida al pueblo de Dios como sacerdote, diácono o en la vida consagrada? Llama al Padre J.D. Jaffe al (703) 841-2514 o escríbele a: j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15

The Israelites complain that Moses led them to the desert and there is no food for them there. Then the Lord told Moses he would rain down bread from heaven so the people might know that “I, the Lord, am your God.” God did as he had promised and in the morning the people found the bread that he had given them.

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24

Paul tells the Ephesians that they must give up their old way of life and live in accordance with the truth that Christ has brought them. He reminds them to acquire a spiritual way of thinking, and to remember that they are made in God's image and act accordingly.

Gospel: John 6:24-35

The people Jesus had fed on five loaves of bread follow him, and Jesus tells them they should not be looking for perishable food, but for spiritual food. The people want a sign that they should believe in him. He explains that he is the bread of life, and anyone who believes will not experience hunger or thirst. The people did not fully understand that he was speaking in the spiritual sense, and not of actual food.

The Institute of Catholic Culture

The Institute of Catholic Culture is an adult catechetical organization, faithful to the Magisterium of the Catholic Church, and dedicated to the Church's call for a new evangelization. The Institute seeks to fulfill its mission by offering education programs structured upon the classical liberal arts and by offering opportunities in which authentic Catholic culture is experienced and lived.

ICC Biblical Apologetics Boot Camp

Rev. Deacon Sebastian Carnazzo, Ph.D. Saturday, August 8 @ 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM. St. Agnes Church Hall, 1910 North Randolph Street, Arlington, VA 22207 *RSVP required – email us to rsvp@instituteofcatholicculture.org*

For more info visit us online at www.instituteofcatholicculture.org