



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



✠ Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 26, 2016 ✠

Mass Intentions for the Week of

June 27th – July 3rd

Monday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM	Mary Ettner
Tuesday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM	Mary Ettner
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Eleanore Tranmer †
	<i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>	
Thursday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM	The Pereira Family †
Friday	9:00 AM	John Franklin Owens
	<i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>	
Saturday	9:00 AM	Tony Bartalo †
	5:00 PM	Lauren Swartz
	7:00 PM	Barbara Symicek †
Sunday	7:30 AM	People of St. William of York
	9:00 AM	Mona Hoppmeyer †
	10:30 AM	Eleanore Tranmer †
	12:15 PM	Ellen Carag †

Little Sisters of the Poor

During the weekend of July 2nd–3rd, boxes will be at all exits for your donations to help the Little Sisters of the Poor, who provide a home with compassionate care for Virginia’s elderly poor since 1874. The Sisters will be present at all the Masses to explain their mission and to ask for your support. Because their Residents are of limited financial means, the Little Sisters depend upon the charity of friends and benefactors to operate their Home. Your generosity will enable the Sisters to continue welcoming the needy elderly and providing them with the love and dignity they deserve. You are invited to visit the website – www.littlesistersofthepoorvirginia.org.

Confession Schedule

June 27th – July 2nd

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	3:30 PM-4:30 PM*

No 6:15– 6:45 PM Saturday confessions

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

Schedule Changes

Since our new Spanish speaking priest will not be available for confessions on Saturday, July 2nd, there will be no 6:15–6:45 PM confessions before the 7 PM Mass on that night.

This week, June 27th– July 1st (Monday - Friday) we will be on a modified Mass schedule while one of our priests is away.

First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, July 1st, after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue until 9:00 PM. Please join Our Lord on the altar. For more information please contact Cindy Armstrong at (540) 220-7344.

International Fall Festival—September 11, 2016

The I.F.F. committee has started meeting to plan this years International Fall Festival on September 11, 2016. Additional members are needed to head several areas this year. Some open positions include coordinators for the following groups:

- Ride and Games Coordinators: it is possible to separate if needed.
- Sponsors Coordinator: Door Prizes– obtains commitment from local business etc., for certificates, gifts for the festival in exchange for advertising in the parish bulletin to parishioners.
- Volunteer Coordinator: obtains and schedules volunteers for different areas of the festival.
- Sanitation Coordinator: Set up and pick up of trash/recyclables during the day of the festival.

Donations of supplies, prizes etc., are also welcome. Please use the contact information below for additional information on how to donate. Please take some time out of your busy schedule to get involved and make our festival a success. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, July 19, 2016 at 7:15 PM in the Brent Room. Please contact Bob Greczek at rgreczek@comcast.net for more information. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Many hands make light work.

The St. William of York Youth



St. William of York Catholic School

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Summer Office Hours

Summer hours begin June 20th.

We will be open:

Tuesday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Wednesday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Thursday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

The school office will be CLOSED July 4th – July 15th.

Accepting 2016-2017 Applications for Grades:

Preschool – 8th

Interested families should contact the Admissions Coordinator, Jennifer Schiller at jshiller@stwillsschool.org or 540-659-5207 to schedule a tour.

Religious Education

Name the Saint!

My feast day is June 29th. My father was the king of Hungary and I assumed the crown after he died. However, many people opposed me because they wanted the crown and our territory for themselves. I stood my ground to keep my country safe. During my reign as king I strengthened my country's borders, instilled in my people a good morality, built churches, encouraged missionaries, and allowed the Jews and Muslims to practice their religions freely. I was to go on the First Crusade, but died before it occurred. I am most known for my zeal, piety, and moral life. I am patron saint of architecture. Who am I?

Religious Education is an 8 year program;
1st - 8th grade.

All rising 3rd grade students and those in special sacrament classes **are expected to return** in the fall to continue their education in the Faith.

The years in between the second and seventh grades are instrumental years for building upon and expanding knowledge and understanding of your faith.

The date of Confirmation for all rising 8th graders for the 2016-2017 academic year has been firmly set for **November 12, 2016. Eighth grade classes will continue for the entire year ending in May 2017.** All students are encouraged to continue to attend classes and fulfill your commitment to the faith.

ANSWER: St. Laszlo

It's Registration Time!

Registration for the 2016-2017 school year is on-going!

Now – August 15: Open Registration period for all members of the parish

August 16 – September 1: Late registration (\$20 late fee per family added to tuition)

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

In Our Parish

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, June 26

10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)
1:30 PM: Baptism (Church)
2:00 PM: Farewell Fr. Killian/K of C Picnic (Outside)

Monday, June 27

Tuesday, June 28

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)
1:00 PM: Senior Brain Train (Brent Room)

Wednesday, June 29

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

Thursday, June 30

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
6:30 PM: Cantors (Church)
7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (Brent Room)

Friday, July 1

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

Saturday, July 2

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)
6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Prayer Request...

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

Ralph Allison, Richard Baffa, Aaron Burke, Colin Carpenter, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, John Ferry, Kyle Fico, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Michael Harrison, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, William Kerriagan, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Tyron Anthony Layug, Josh Marsillo, Orlando Medina, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Brendon Mooney, Sean Mooney, Emmanuel Morales, John O'Hagan, Gavin Reed, Andrew Rodriguez, 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.

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.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, July 27th at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, July 9th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Vacation Bible School

Registration is underway!

Who can attend? Any child who is a rising Kindergartener through 6th grader

When is it? August 1-5, 2016, 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM

What's the theme? "Cathletics!: Training to be Champions for Christ"

What does it cost? \$25 per child

When and how can I register? NOW – July 15; either by stopping by the Religious Education office in person to fill out the forms or by printing them off our website, http://www.swoycc.org/Re_K_12.htm and mailing them in with the registration fee.

Volunteers for VBS needed!

To make VBS the success we envision we need volunteers to help us. Volunteers will fill a variety of positions to help the children have a fun, faith-filled week. If you are interested in helping with VBS, please complete the adult volunteer form either in-person at the RE office or download it from our website above and submit it to the Religious Education office. All adult volunteers must be VIRTUS trained and complete the diocesan background check. ****NOTE:** There are limited VIRTUS training opportunities over the summer. The closest remaining one to us is Queen of Apostles in Alexandria on July 8th. If you are interested in volunteering with VBS, please go to www.virtus.org to see the full list and sign up to take the training course.

WorkCamp Crew Needs

Your Help

We are in great need of the following volunteers or item. If you cannot volunteer or provide the items, please help in our search→ pass the word!

Volunteers:

- male adult security for June 27 only, 2:15 – 7:30 PM ... only about ½ an hour away!!
- make lunches morning of June 27

Item:

- 7-/8-passenger van to use at WorkCamp

Peter's Pence

This weekend, June 25/26 we will accept donations to support Pope Francis in his charitable works. Peter's Pence is taken up worldwide to support our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, the collection is an opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Boxes will be at all exits for your donations. For more information visit <http://www.usccb.org/ppc/>. Please be generous.

New to the Area? Welcome!

Please visit the Parish Office or our website to register with us.

www.swoycc.org

Are you moving this summer?

Please don't forget to contact us so we can update our records.

Thank You!

St. William of York Thrift Shop would like to send a heartfelt thank you to the men of our parish who helped rebuilt the steps to the main shop. Thank you Bob, Robert, and Andrew Connolly, Blaine Donley, Dave Thoma, and Paul Miller. These men spent the entire Memorial Day weekend working on a project that grew more complicated as difficulties emerged during the work. The final result is a more attractive and sturdy set of steps--far exceeding our expectations. Blessings on you all!

Thrift Shop

This weekend the Thrift Shop will be closed for the first Saturday, July 2nd. The next First Saturday opening will be August 6th from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and shop during our normal hours. Proceeds from sales go to help needy clients in Stafford County.

Parish Office Notes

The parish office will be closed on Monday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

Mary's Shelter's 10th Anniversary

Celebration and Fundraiser

Saturday, August 13, 2016 6—10 PM
Fredericksburg Expo and Conference Center
Fredericksburg, Virginia

Featured Speakers: Ms. Star Parker, Founder & President, Center for Urban Renewal & Education (CURE)
Ms. Keiana During, Former Resident of Mary's Shelter, Licensed Insurance Agent

This year's 10th Anniversary Celebration and Fundraiser promises to be a wonderful evening!

Reservations Required * No Cost to Attend * Limited Seating * Reserve Early

Visit our website and make your reservations TODAY!

www.marysshelterva.org

A Holy Land Pilgrimage

A Holy Land Pilgrimage hosted by the St. Jude Catholic Church Building FUNdaisers is planned for October 13–20, 2016. Visit the site of the Upper Room in Jerusalem, renew your wedding vows at Cana, and enjoy a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee and much more. The deposit deadline for booking at the initial price of \$2,399 per person based on double occupancy has been extended until June 30th. The price covers air fare, hotel, breakfast and dinner, and tour. Come with us and walk where Jesus walked. For every booking from St. William of York parish, St. Jude will donate \$125 back to St. William of York Church. Contact Roman Marciniak, Jr. at (540) 850-2737.

Sponsor of the Week

We would like to thank

“Kendall Flooring & Contracting 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.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21

Elijah the prophet followed God's instruction to appoint a man named Elisha as his successor. Elijah threw his cloak over Elisha, who went and said good-bye to his family, then followed Elijah without question.

Second Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-18

Paul reminds us that people were freed from the old law through Christ. But he makes it clear that this freedom does not mean giving in to evil desires. Instead, we must be guided by the Spirit and most importantly love our neighbor as ourselves.

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Jesus set out for Jerusalem, and passed through a town where he was not welcomed. He reprimanded his disciples for desiring vengeance against the town. One man wanted to follow Jesus when he had finished his duties at home. Jesus expressed that a man who begins a task, but constantly looks back is unfit for the reign of God.