



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



✠ The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—May 29, 2016 ✠

Mass Intentions for the Week of

May 30th – June 5th

Monday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM John Harmon †
Tuesday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM Holy Trinity Assembly of K of C
Wednesday	9:00 AM Religious Education Volunteers <i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>
Thursday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i> 9:00 AM Joseph DeMartino †
Friday	9:00 AM Augustine Harrison † <i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>
Saturday	<i>No 9:00 AM Mass</i> 5:00 PM Rocco Filoso † 7:00 PM Carla Marie Hatfield
Sunday	7:30 AM People of St. William of York 9:00 AM Joseph John Karcher † 10:30 AM Ellen Carag † 12:15 PM Joseph DeMartino †

Confession Schedule

May 30th – June 4th

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
<i>No Saturday 9:30 AM Confessions</i>	
Saturday:	3:30 PM-4:30 PM*
Saturday:	6:30 PM (Spanish)

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

Schedule Changes

This week, May 30th—June 3rd (Monday—Friday) we will be on a modified Mass schedule while one of our priests is away. Check the schedule for Mass times.

Saturday, June 4th is the Ordination to the Diaconate and Saturday, June 11th is the Ordination to the Priesthood. Therefore, we will need to make the following schedule changes to both days:

- There will be no 9:00 AM Mass.
- There will be no 9:30 AM confessions.

Help Wanted

The parish is looking for a full or part time receptionist. Normal office hours are (Monday– Friday 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM). Responsibilities include answering telephones, taking clear messages, receiving parish visitors & responding to their request, some data processing and duties as assigned in cooperation with other office staff. Send resume and at least 2 references to the parish office, 3130 Jefferson Davis Hwy. Stafford, VA 22554, attention Search Committee. Benefits are available.

International Fall Festival 2016

In April we welcomed 2 new members to the committee. The committee needs additional members to head several areas for this year's IFF to be held on September 11, 2016. Some open positions include the volunteer, ride and games, and clean-up coordinators. Support is needed in all areas for the committee member's. Donations of supplies, prizes etc., are also welcome. 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, June 21st in the Brent Room at 7:15 PM. Please contact Bob Greczek for more information at rgreczek@comcast.net. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Brain Train

Join fellow parishioners for 2 hours of fun and games. Enjoy visiting and munching snacks on the last Tuesday of every month in the Brent Room from 1 PM—3 PM. The next meeting is May 31st. Come see what all the fun is about while keeping your mind active. All are welcome. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith

Samantha Rosa Montero, daughter of Angel and Catherine Montero.

Isabella Marie Denes, daughter of Alexandru and Maria Denes.

June Senior Luncheon

All parishioners 50+ please join us June 8th at noon in the school gymnasium for our Father's Day Luncheon. We ask that you bring a dish to share or a \$3 donation. We are also collecting snack foods for the Outreach pantry. If you have any questions please contact Rosemary Riddle at 540-659-5472.

The St. William of York Youth



St. William of York Catholic School

* Academic Excellence * Personalized Attention * Authentic Catholic Culture *

A Closer Look

Congratulations to our Second Grade Students who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 14th.



Monday, May 16th, our Second Grade students and several home school students led the procession to crown Mary. Throughout the procession, all of the students from Kindergarten – Eighth Grade sang hymns honoring the Blessed Mother.

Accepting Applications for Grades Preschool – 8th 2016-2017

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

Religious Education

Classes are over for the 2015-2016 school year! We hope everyone had a good year, learned new things about our wonderful Faith, and will return in September to learn even more!

Progress reports will be emailed to the parents around the middle of June. If you would like a hard copy of the progress report, please provide our office with a stamped and addressed envelope to mail to you (1 stamp should be sufficient) or you can stop by our office to request one in person.

The Religious Education Office will be CLOSED Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day. We will resume regular business hours Tuesday, May 31st at 9:00 AM.

Name the Saint!

Our feast day is June 2nd. There are no written records of our lives as we lived around the year 300 before history was written down. However, the story of our lives was told orally. One of us was a priest and the other a prisoner. The prisoner, a believer in Jesus (the reason for his incarceration), asked the priest to baptize the jailer and his family whom he'd been teaching about Jesus. The priest accepted the request and baptized them. When the governor found out, he was angry and commanded both of us to worship false gods. We refused so he had us beheaded. Later Emperor Constantine built a large church over our burial site. Who are we?

It's Registration Time!

Registration for the 2016-2017 school year has started.
May 1 – May 31: Registration for returning families in the program during the 2015-2016 school year.

June 1 – 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 **

ANSWER: Sts. Marcellinus & Peter

In Our Parish

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, May 29

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

12:15 PM: Corpus Christi Mass, Procession
& Reception (Church & Center)

Monday, May 30

Memorial Day

No School

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, May 31

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

1:00 PM: Senior Brain Train (Brent Room)

5:00 PM: Chic-fil-A Spirit Night

Wednesday, June 1

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

Thursday, June 2

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

1:30 PM: 1st Grade Play (Center)

7:00 PM: Cantors (Church)

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

7:00 PM: WorkCamp Meeting (Center)

Friday, June 3

9:30 AM: First Friday Adoration (Church)

Saturday, June 4

7:00 AM: K of C (Center & Gym)

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Knights of Columbus Council #7877

**Join on June 4th and receive both 1st and 2nd
Degrees at St. William of York**

All Catholic gentlemen, please plan to join the Knights of Columbus, a charitable fraternal organization, on June 4th and received both the first and second degree on the same day! The 1st Degree ceremony begins at 9 AM (show-time is 8:30) at the St. William of York parish center. If you are already a 1st Degree Knight, plan to obtain your 2nd Degree beginning at 11 AM (show-time is 10:30 AM) and you will be done by 11:45 AM. Contact Dan Bolas (540) 318-6045 or dan3e457@aol.com or any Knight, immediately to apply. Take advantage of this unique opportunity locally. The next 3rd Degree is on June 25, 2016 in Manassas.

Ushers Needed

We are looking for parishioners to volunteer to usher at all Masses especially the 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM Masses. Contact Mario at (571) 425-5392.

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? "Athletics!: 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 ones to us are Holy Family in Dale City on June 7th, St. Patrick's in Fredericksburg on June 11th, and All Saints in Manassas on June 18th. 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.

First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, June 3rd, after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue 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.

St. William of York Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop will be open on Saturday, June 4th from 10:00 AM until 1:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and shop. All proceeds help support Stafford County residents in need.

WorkCamp 2016 will be here soon!

June 25 – July 1, Massaponax, VA

WorkCamp is a week-long opportunity for teens to serve the poor and be with hundreds of like-minded teens to help improve the living quarters for those who need it! We are still in need of a female adult chaperone. If interested, please contact Peggy Nicely at nicely624@hotmail.com or 540-659-5705.

Get your Raffle Tickets and support our WorkCampers in Massaponax, VA!!

WorkCamp helps the underserved by making repairs to homes to make them dry and safe while uniting like-minded teens in a Catholic community. Raffle tickets will be on sale beginning Sunday, May 22nd in the parish center during all morning Masses. Beginning May 29th, sales will take place in front of the church. *Both drawings will be held June 19th at 12 PM. Attendance at drawing not necessary.*

#1 Raffle: Garden Benches – made by our WorkCampers

1 for \$2 3 for \$5

#2 Raffle: Florida Condo Unit near DisneyWorld

1 for \$5 3 for \$12

Questions? Please contact Peggy Nicely @ peggy.nicely@swoycc.org

Holy Land Pilgrimage

A Holy Land Pilgrimage hosted by the St. Jude Catholic Church Building FUNdaisers is planned for October 13 thru October 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 cost of air fare, hotel, tour, breakfast and dinner is \$2,399 per person based on double occupancy if booked before June 10th. 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.

Corpus Christi Celebration

Join us for a reception in the parish center following the Corpus Christi 12:15 Mass, Eucharistic Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament today, May 29th. We will be serving hot meals, with sides of vegetables, salads & desserts. A fruit punch, coffee & ice tea will be offered for drinks. All are welcome!

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 Keriagan, 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.

2016 Car Raffle Winners

Drawing	Winners
1:00—\$100	1 st —Ida Santillan -St. Francis de Sales 2 nd —Martin Bagley- Queen of Apostles
1:30—\$100	1 st — Suzanne Johnson -Nativity 2 nd —Michelle Engler -St. James
2:00—\$100	1 st —Amstutz– St. Theresa 2 nd —Marta Mantoya –All Saints
2:30—\$100	1 st —Bernie & Sharon Grace -Our Lady of Good Counsel 2 nd —Christine L. Scavo– St. Patrick
3:00—\$100	1 st —Roseanna Sinacori –St. Patrick 2 nd —Roger D. Latham—St. Francis of Assisi
3:30—\$500	1 st —Judith P. Nicholas -All Saints 2 nd —Maria Milla—Nativity
4:00—\$500	1 st —Guillermo Navas - Holy Trinity 2 nd —Kurt Cylke– St. Catherine of Sienna
4:30—\$1,000	1 st —Lam Nguyen—Holy Martyrs of Vietnam 2 nd —Deborah Betts –St. Patrick
5:00—\$2,500	1 st —Andy Bauwens –St Francis of Assisi 2 nd —Pam Della Santina - St. Clare of Assisi
5:30—\$5,000	1 st —Dina To –Holy Martyrs of Vietnam 2 nd —Shirley Poldiak –St. Ann
7:00 Honda Civic	Joe Durso—Catherdral of St. Thomas More
7:30 Buick Verano	Rick M. Schoembs—St. Ann
8:00 GMC Sierra Truck	Quoc Tran—Holy Martyrs of Vietnam
8:30 Honda CRV	Jennifer Blume—St. Theresa
9:00 Honda Odyssey Van	Sandra Rivas—Christ the Redeemer