



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



✠ Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time—October 23, 2016 ✠ World Mission Sunday

Mass Intentions for the Week of October 24th – October 30th

Monday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i>	
	9:00 AM	Michael Kwiatkowski †
Tuesday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i>	
	9:00 AM	Charles Pisano
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Fr. DeMartino
	<i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>	
Thursday	<i>No 7:30 AM Mass</i>	
	9:00 AM	Chirstina Reuwer
Friday	9:00 AM	Anita Hoarle †
	<i>No 6:30 PM Mass</i>	
Saturday	9:00 AM	Rocco Filoso †
	5:00 PM	David M. Toigo †
Sunday	7:30 AM	People of St. William of York
	9:00 AM	Teresa Byerley †
	10:30 AM	Jerome Benisek †
	12:15 PM	Ellen Carag †
	2:00 PM	Rosie Betts †

Modified Mass Schedule

This week (October 24-28), Monday through Friday, we will be on a modified Mass schedule while one of our priests is away. Please check the schedule for Mass times.

Invitation to the Legion of Mary Social/Gathering

The Legion of Mary (LOM) invite all auxiliary and active members to join us in the Brent Room on Sunday, **October 30, 2016, from 2:30 PM – 5:00 PM** for our annual social/gathering. We look forward to seeing you there.

“Mercy Changes the World”

This weekend, donations will be accepted for World Mission Sunday in the boxes at all exits. The theme for World Mission Sunday this year is “Mercy Changes the World.” Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve some of the poorest of the poor. Please keep the Mission in your prayers and be generous in this week’s collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith.

Confession Schedule

October 24th – October 29th

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	6:30 PM

Donations Accepted for

Hurricane Matthew

Hurricane Matthew earlier this month devastated significant parts of the Southeast coast of the United States as well as a number of Caribbean nations, particularly Haiti. Many of the Church’s structures have been damaged and local dioceses’ resources have been depleted. This makes it more difficult to provide aid, comfort and pastoral outreach to those in need. In light of this, donations will be accepted on October 29-30 for Catholic Relief Services to support their work in Haiti and other affected nations, Catholic Charities USA to support their efforts in the Southeast, and the Catholic Diocese of Raleigh due to the devastation caused by flooding in eastern North Carolina. Boxes will be at all exits for your donations. Please be generous.

Returning to Ad Orientem

The expression *ad orientem* ([Latin](#) for “to the east”) describes a particular orientation of a priest when celebrating [Mass](#). This year starting the first Sunday of advent St. William of York will change the orientation of Mass to Ad Orientem. To better aid your understanding of this posture you may go online to the parish website (www.swoy.org) or visit www.onepeterfive.com/excellent-video-explains-mass-ad-orientem/. A link to this website will be available on the parish website.

The Election of 2016

Arlington Bishop Paul S. Loverde has published a six-part series on conscience formation for Catholics prior to the November presidential election. Please take some time and read these articles to learn a little of our Church’s social teachings. They can be found online at <http://catholicherald.com/stories/Election-2016-Forming-your-conscience.32332>.

The St. William of York Youth



St. William of York Catholic School

*Academic Excellence * Personalized Attention * Authentic Catholic Culture *

School News and Information

A very heartfelt thank you to our newest Tuition Angels who contributed so generously to our school. Your parish school provides Faithful Catholic Education to families at a time when it is most needed. Your donation to our school will help provide tuition assistance to a family that is looking to surround their child with the Authentic Catholic Culture St. William of York Catholic School provides.

Congratulations to our Junior Varsity and Varsity Girls Volleyball Teams! They will finish their season this next week with their final games at the tournament on October 29th.

To learn more about your parish school, please contact Jennifer Schiller at 540-659-5207 or jschiller@stwilliamschool.org. Thank you for your continued support.



Religious Education

Name the Saint!

Our feast day is October 28th. One of us was called a Zealot, which is a group of people who thought the Messiah would free the Jewish nation from the rule of the Romans. The other one of us was a fisherman with his brother. We both spread the Good News of God around the world (mainly Europe, Africa, & Asia) until we were killed for believing in God. We are martyrs and are two of Jesus' Apostles. Who are we?

ANSWER: Sts. Simon & Jude

Due date approaching for those being confirmed on November 12th!!

By NEXT WEEK you need to submit your robe reservation form to the RE Office so that we can make sure to have a red robe for Confirmation for you (even if you have a robe from an older sibling, you still need to return this form. Check the appropriate box). You may turn it in any time during October so don't wait until the last day. If you've already turned yours in, thank you!

The date of Confirmation for all 8th graders for the 2016-2017 academic year has been firmly set for Saturday, **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.

** MANDATORY REHEARSAL is on THURSDAY, November 10th **

10:00 AM Mass will rehearse from 6:00-6:50 PM

2:00 PM Mass will rehearse from 7:00 -7:50 PM

*If sponsors are local they should attend the rehearsal too. If they are traveling from out of town, a parent should attend rehearsal in their place. **NOTE:** If the sponsor is unable to be present Confirmation day, a proxy, who meets all the sponsor requirements, must be used and provide a sponsor letter from their parish to the RE office by November 10th. *

Confirmation 2016 Schedule – November 12, 2016



10:00 AM Mass - St. William of York School students
Miss Pittman's RE Class
Homeschool students

2:00 PM Mass - Mr. Lovelace's RE Class
Mrs. McGlothlin's RE Class

In Our Parish

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, October 23

8:00 AM: Spanish Breakfast (Center)
8:45 AM: RE Classes
10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)
10:45 AM: RE Classes
11:45 AM: Youth Choir (Brent Room)
6:00 PM: RE Classes

Monday, October 24

Tuesday, October 25

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
1:00 PM: Senior Brain Train (Brent Room)
4:00 PM: FIAT (Brent Room)

Wednesday, October 26

9:30 AM: Liturgy of the Hours (Brent Room)
2:45 PM: School Birthday Celebration (Center)
6:30 PM: RE Class
7:30 PM: Baptism Class in English (Library)
7:30 PM: RCIA (Center)

Thursday, October 27

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
1:00 PM: Young at Heart Meeting (Brent Room)
6:30 PM: Cantors (Church)
7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (Brent Room)
7:30 PM: Choir (Church)

Friday, October 28

No School
6:00 PM: School Dance (Center)
7:00 PM: ESL Class (Brent Room)

Saturday, October 29

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)
3:30 PM: Baptisms in English (Church)
6:30 PM: Confessions (Church)
7:00 PM: Youth Group (Center)

Are You a Teen of St. William of York Catholic Church?

You're missing out on a lot of fun (and funny) meetings! In addition, we have some great outings planned for each month. Come to our Saturday gatherings from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the center for more information. Be sure to RSVP so we have enough food and supplies. Can't wait to meet you! Contact Peggy Nicely at (540) 659-5705 or peggy.nicely@swoycc.org. Come and see!

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, October 26th at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Baptismal Preparation Class in Spanish will be held on **Saturday, November 5th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

All Souls Day Novena

Beginning on Wednesday, November 2nd and continuing through Tuesday, November 10th, 9 days of Masses and prayers will be offered for the faithful departed. Novena envelopes have been included with your regular monthly envelopes and are available in the vestibule of the church. These envelopes will be placed in the altar and the names inscribed will be remembered at all Masses during this period, with a Mass each day offered specifically for their repose. Please place the envelopes in the collection basket at Mass, or bring it to the parish office.

Baby Shower

A baby shower will be held the weekend of **October 29/30** in the vestibule of St. William of York for Birthright of Fredericksburg. Birthright needs:

Diapers - sizes NB, 1 and 2.

Baby Bath towels

Winter Clothing - sizes 0-3 months - 9months
(new or gently used)

Socks

Maternity clothes

A receptacle will be available to collect the above items in the vestibule.

“Formed.Org” - Free Access (The Catholic Faith on Demand)

St. William of York just acquired access to the best Catholic content, all in one place. Are you interested in learning more about your faith? Do you want instruction from world class instructors in areas in which you need more formation? Do you want a source of family friendly Catholic entertainment? Do you want access on your terms, available 24/7? Do you have a computer with an internet connection, tablet or smartphone? Register at Formed.org; Parishioners, enter code QKJG6Z.

WorkCamp 2017 is coming soon... to a place near YOU!

WorkCamp 2017 will be June 24–30 at Massaponax High School. Many volunteer opportunities abound! One such opportunity is for leader/cheerleader, A.K.A. Stakeholder. That person organizes and prepares the group for WorkCamp! Are you the next Stakeholder? Are you the next cheerleader for WorkCam2017?? Contact Peggy Nicely at peggy.nicely@swoycc.org or (540) 659-5705.

Prayer Request...

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

Ralph Allison, Rolando Alvarez, Richard Baffa, Aaron Burke, 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, Orlando Medina, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Brendon Mooney, Sean Mooney, John O'Hagan, Gavin Reed, Andrew Rodriguez, Thomas Ryan, Andrew Sines, 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.

Free "Hands Only" CPR Class

Learn CPR, Save a life! Free "Hands Only" CPR classes being held in the center on Sunday, November 6, 2016 after all Masses. Chris Schoon, an EMT with the Aquia Harbour Volunteer Rescue Squad will be volunteering her time to teach this valuable skill.

Confirmation 2016-17 Shout-out:

Parents of students being confirmed on November 12th, please see the RE section of the bulletin for a list of which classes will attend each Confirmation Mass. Also, if your child's sponsor is unable to be present on Confirmation day, please see the RE section concerning obtaining a proxy. If you have any questions, you can contact the RE office at (540) 659-5705 or reoffice@swoycc.org.

Mass to Pray for Healing for Victims/Survivors of Sexual Abuse

In 2004, Bishop Loverde began a series of diocesan-sponsored Masses for the community to gather together to pray for healing for victims/survivors of sexual abuse. Each Mass is followed by a reception. The next Mass will be Tuesday, October 25th at 7:30 PM at Cathedral of St. Thomas More. Bishop Paul S. Loverde will preside.

Attention Homeschooling Families!

Are you new to the parish and homeschool your children? Do you have children that are preparing to receive sacraments this year? Did you know that we had a meeting about Confirmation on October 2nd? If you have a child that you plan on receiving Confirmation in Fall 2017 or First Communion Spring 2017 and have NOT registered with the RE office, contact the Religious Education Office immediately to get them on our rosters (either our Confirmation or First Communion rosters) and arrange a time for you to pick up their Confirmation Information Materials Packet.

Luncheons for the Young at Heart

Be sure to mark your calendars for the next luncheons so you don't miss out. The dates are Nov 9, Dec 7, Feb 8, May 10 & June 7. The luncheons are held in the school gym at 12:00 noon. November's luncheon will be celebrating and thanking our veterans. We will be listening to the big band music while tasting an array of different American foods, visiting with fellow parishioners, relaxing, having fun and two tickets to Riverside Dinner Theater will be raffled off. Admission to get in is \$5 per person or an entrée, side dish or desert enough for 6 to 8 people. We will have a basket for food donations for Outreach and since it is National Scholarship Month will have a box for monetary donations to our parish school. Look forward to seeing lots of returning and new parishioners at our luncheon. Contact Sharyn Drollinger with any questions at (540) 720-1734.

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 1-3 PM. Our next meeting will be October 25th. Come see what all the fun is about while keeping your mind active. All are welcome. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Respect Life Committee

40 Days for Life

40 Days for Life, the internationally coordinated event to end abortion has begun as of Tuesday, September 27, 2016 and will continue their Fall Campaign till November 6, 2016. The closest vigil outside an abortion facility is at the Falls Church Health Care Center, 900 S. Washington St. in Falls Church, Va. 22046. The official website for more information is <http://40daysforlife.com/>, and <https://40daysforlife.com/browse-campaigns/>.