

The Week of July 26th – August 1st



Monday	7:30 a.m.	Arthur & Roselind Davis†
	9:00 a.m.	John Paul Alger
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	Dave Furnett†
	9:00 a.m.	Mary Porter
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	John Fleckenstein†
	6:30 p.m.	Sam David†
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	Joseph Argenzio†
	9:00 a.m.	Martin Betts†
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Volunteers of St. William of York Catholic School
	6:30 p.m.	Tom Harris
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Becky Alger
	5:00 p.m.	Mario M. Toigo†
	7:00 p.m.	Patricia Coloma†
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Vernon Brinks†
	9:00 a.m.	Sr. Maria Rosalia de Michele†
	10:30 a.m.	People of St. William of York
	12:15 p.m.	Eileen & Michael Cosgrove†

†Confession Schedule† July 26th – July 31st

Tuesday:	9:30 a.m.
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*
<i>No Saturday 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)</i>	

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

Sunday Collection for 7/18/10

Offertory:	\$13,577.00
Little Sisters of the Poor:	\$ 7,011.00
Debt:	\$ 4,328.00
Total:	\$24,916.00

Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity.



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. Magat and Fr. DeMartino would like to invite anyone who is interested to join them on Wednesday evenings beginning **September 8th**. Call the parish office to register at (540) 659-1102.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, July 28th at 7:30 p.m.** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, Sept. 11th at 8:30 a.m.** in the Brent Room. It is **mandatory that all parents register** with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Bishop to Bless Altar

Bishop Loverde will bless us with his presence at St. William of York on August 8th at 5 p.m. for a special Mass to bless the new altar for the church. If you would like to help with the reception to follow by making heavy hors d'oeuvres, please contact Joan Nebel at (540) 659-2091 or gineb@msn.com; or contact Joy Heidmouss at (540) 288-8647 or jheidmour@verizon.net.

Encourage and Teach

Do you have questions about the faith, the liturgy or our diocesan Church? We invite you to read *Encourage and Teach*, a blog with contributions from Bishop Loverde and other Catholic ministry leaders, including members of the diocesan offices for Family Life, Youth Ministry, Respect Life, Communications, Catholic Schools and many more. We know that conversations occur daily on the Web and recognize that the Catholic Church needs to be part of that dialogue. Thank you for reading and please tell your friends and family about this blog as well! You can find *Encourage and Teach* at www.encourageandteach.wordpress.com.

Religious Education

The summer hours are Tues., Wed., and Thur. from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



Prayer Request...

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

Rev. Eric Albertson, Ralph Allison, John Bernier, OJ Block, PFC Phillip Churchill, Capt. James Cleary, Shawn Cunningham, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, John Ferry, 2nd Lt. Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Richard Garver, Sgt. John Gentile, Zachary Hafner, Keirsten Hage, Robert Hein, Lt. Col. John Heslin, Maj. Jason Heuer, Christopher L. Johnson, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, Maj. Brian Marbach, H.N. Daric Martin, Major Thomas McNally, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Darby Noonan, Mike Parrot, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Christopher Schap, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Gregory Thomas, Mark Thomas, Chris Tolliver, and Vincent Torney.

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.

Getting Married?

Have you started your Marriage Preparation (Pre-Cana) yet? Part of your requirement is to attend a Conference for the Engaged. The conference is a one-day workshop designed to stimulate reflection and discussion on key aspects of marriage and family life. Conferences fill up quickly, so please sign up a few months in advance! Before registering for one of the following conferences, please get approval from your marriage prep priest or deacon.

Upcoming 2010 Conferences for the Engaged with openings:

- September 18 (Second Union included)
- October 23
- November 6 (Second Union included)
- December 11

All conferences are held at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Vienna on Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. For more information or to register, please visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/familylife/marriage_engaged.php or call us at (703) 841-2550.



St. William of York Catholic School

Summer Hours: Tue., Wed. & Thur. from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

St. William of York Catholic School Athletic Department is looking for volunteers! If you're looking for an opportunity to volunteer we have three openings to fill for this coming school year (2010-2011): (1) Concessions Coordinator - we need someone to manage the concessions at the home volleyball and basketball games, (2) Girl's Varsity Volleyball Coach - the VB season is from September - October, (3) Girl's Varsity Basketball Coach - the basketball season starts in December and runs through early February. Interested volunteers should contact the Athletic Director (Tony Greco) at grecoathome@verizon.net or (703) 675-9061.

St. William of York Host Virtus Training Seminar

Protecting God's Children is a seminar that is mandatory, for all volunteers who have substantial contact with children and for all employees of the Arlington Diocese. To be compliant with Diocesan policy you need to have gone to the seminar within 6 months of turning in your Virtus paperwork. St. William of York is hosting a seminar on Oct 2nd at 9:30 a.m. in the parish center. To register for the seminar go to www.virtus.org. For more information call the parish office at (540) 659-1102.

Reminder

On Saturday, July 31st there will **not** be 6:30 p.m. Spanish Confessions.

Natural Family Planning Classes

The Couple-to-Couple League offers NFP classes throughout Northern Virginia. Classes usually consist of three 2 ½ hour sessions spaced one month apart. Total cost for course and materials is \$135 per couple. (Spanish courses are \$40.) Register online at: <http://register.ccli.org>.



This Week in our Parish

Sunday, July 25

1:30 p.m. Baptisms (Church)

Monday, July 26

Tuesday, July 27

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)

9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (K of C Grounds & Fire Ring)

Wednesday, July 28

9:30 a.m. Liturgy of Hours (Brent Room)

7:00 p.m. K of C Meeting (K of C Hall)

7:30 p.m. Baptism Class (Library)

7:30 p.m. Fr. Magat's Bible Study (Center)

Thursday, July 29

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)

7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Brent Room)

Friday, July 30

Saturday, July 31

9:00 a.m. Comunita Cenacolo (Brent Room)

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)

10:30 a.m. Young Adults Service Project (Church Front)

3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)

6:00 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)

Mary's Shelter

You are invited to attend a Summer Soirée and Fundraiser in support of Mary's Shelter, homes for women facing a crisis pregnancy. Join us Friday, August 13th from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. Michael the Archangel High School, Fredericksburg, VA. Guest speaker is Ken Cuccinelli, Attorney General of Virginia. Master of Ceremonies is David Bereit, National Director of 40 Days for life. There is no charge for this event, however reservations are required. Table sponsorship opportunities are also available. Please contact infor@maryshelterva.org, visit our website at www.maryshelterva.org, or call (540) 623-5778 for more information.



Vocation Prayer

Lord God, we thank You for the gift of life and ask Your continued blessing upon us. Please help us all to know, love and serve You each day through our faithfulness to our vocations. May all those You are now calling to the priesthood or consecrated life, answer You with hearts ready to make Your will their own. Amen.

Young Adults Corner

July 31st service Project: Join Fr. Magat and the young adults as we venture up to Arlington to do a service project for an elderly friend of the parish who needs our help cleaning her apartment. We'll leave from in front of the church at 10:30 a.m. and be finished by 3 p.m. at the latest. If interested, please email Fr. Magat at fathermagat@gmail.com.

Young Adults Mass and Social with Bishop Loverde

All young adults are invited to our 4th annual Young Adult Mass with Bishop Loverde! It will take place at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alexandria on Sunday, August 1st at 7 p.m. This Mass is a wonderful opportunity to pray with our Bishop, other diocesan priests and young adults from throughout our diocese! Bring your friends! For more information please visit us on the web at the Young Adult Ministry homepage: www.arlingtondiocese.org/yam/young_adult.php.

Assisting Victims of Child Sexual Abuse

The Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator assists victims of child sexual abuse in obtaining counseling, spiritual assistance and healing. If you or someone you know has experienced abuse by anyone representing the church, including employees, volunteers or clergy, help is available. Please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinators, Pat Mudd at (703) 841-2530 or Kathryn Kramer at (703) 841-2759. For more information visit http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/childprotect/child_protection.php.



Will you be traveling this summer?

Please make sure that Sunday remains the Lord's Day!
Every Parish – Every Mass Time.

www.MassTimes.org

1-800-MASS TIMES 1-800-627-7846

St. William of York Catholic Church's International Fall Festival

September 12, 2010 from 1:00 – 7:30 p.m.

White Elephant Sale: The International Fall Festival (IFF) committee is collecting items to be sold at the festival this fall. If you would like to make donations for the festival, we ask that you please drop them off in the gray storage container, located on the left hand side passed the gates on the road to the thrift shop. We ask that you donate only items in good condition and please no clothing or flammable liquids. For more information contact Justin Bettendorf at (540) 752-6970

Prizes: The IFF committee is accepting stuffed animals and other toys that are in new or like new condition for use as prizes for the children's games during the IFF. If you have items that you would like to donate for this purpose, please contact Mike Godbout at godboutmg@juno.com

Volunteers Needed: The IFF committee is in need of additional volunteers to work during the festival. It takes many hands to make this event a success. If you are interested in volunteering to work during the event (even if it is just a couple of hours), please see the contact information below:

General: Shay Martello at shay.martello@commeng.com or (540) 720-3392.

Face Painting: Contact Sharen Johnson at sharenjohnson@ymail.com

Games/Rides: Contact Mike Godbout at (443) 994-7150 or godboutmg@juno.com

IFF Meeting: The next IFF meeting will be Monday, August 9th at 7:30 p.m. in the Brent Room. Anyone interested in helping with this year's IFF please contact Shay Martello at shay.martello@commeng.com or (540) 720-3392.



Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time July 25, 2010

First Reading: Genesis 18:20-32

Abraham pleads with the Lord, who planned to destroy Sodom and Gomorrah because of the evil and sin in those cities. Abraham asks him if He would spare the city if fifty, forty, thirty, twenty or even only ten innocent people were found there. God says that He would spare the cities even for the sake of only ten.

Second Reading: Colossians 2:12-14

Paul explains to the Colossians that through baptism, they are raised to life with Christ because they believed in the power of the God who raised Him from the dead. Even though they once lived in sin, their sins have been pardoned through Jesus.

Gospel: Luke 11:1-13

Jesus' disciples asked him how they should pray. He gave them some phrases similar to those now used in the Lord's prayer. Jesus also reminds the disciples how even men with sins are able to give good things to their children, and explains how much more the heavenly Father wants to give to us.

Pray for a Priest Each Day...

This week please pray for

July 25 th	Rev. C. Donald Howard
July 26 th	Rev. Francis Hull
July 27 th	Rev. Arthur Johnson
July 28 th	Rev. James Kruse
July 29 th	Rev. Lawrence Kutz
July 30 th	Rev. Peter Kwak
July 31 st	Rev. Lopke Ohamamboya

O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, Live in (Name of priest), act in him, speak in him and through him. Think Your Thoughts in his mind, love through his heart. Give him Your Own dispositions and feelings. Teach, lead and guide him always. Correct, enlighten and expand his thought and behavior. Posses his soul, take over his entire personality and life. Replace him with Yourself. Incline him to constant adoration and thanksgiving; pray in and through him. Amen

An Hour a Day ~ An Hour a Week

Parishioners of Saint William of York are challenged to lift their hearts and minds in prayer to the Lord for at least one hour a day. We also are asked to donate at least the equivalent of one hour's wages per household to the regular offertory collection each week.

*Have I prayed for at least one hour a day this week?
Was our weekly offertory donation equivalent to at least one hour's wages?*