



✠ **Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time** ✠  
**October 23, 2011**



**The Week of  
 October 24<sup>th</sup> –  
 October 30<sup>th</sup>**

Monday	7:30 AM	Rosemary Maron†
	9:00 AM	Lawrence O'Keefe†
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Mrs. McBride†
	9:00 AM	Lawrence O'Keefe†
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Lawrence O'Keefe†
	6:30 PM	Mary Pasola†
Thursday	7:30 AM	George Ellison†
	9:00 AM	Benjamin Carr
Friday	9:00 AM	George Dragan
	6:30 PM	William Casler Jr.
Saturday	9:00 AM	Allene Doucette
	5:00 PM	Michael McQueeney†
	7:00 PM	Kebin Contreras†
Sunday	7:30 AM	Sara Jane Byrnes
	9:00 AM	Col. Paul Kelly†
	10:30 AM	Pearl McAfee†
	12:15 PM	People of St. William of York



**Thanksgiving Food  
 Baskets**

Once again we are asked to share our bounty with our neighbors in need. We need sponsors to support families in need with Christmas food baskets. If you can sponsor a family, please contact Jim Everett at (540) 720-4337, or email at [jimeverett47@gmail.com](mailto:jimeverett47@gmail.com) or contact Kurt Gibbs at (540) 720-9735 or [kurtgibbs@comcast.net](mailto:kurtgibbs@comcast.net). All food donations are due by Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. Also, monetary donations are also being accepted to offset the cost of the turkeys and other perishable foods. Checks may be dropped off at the parish office, please include Food Basket in memo portion of check.

**†Confession Schedule†  
 October 24<sup>th</sup> –  
 October 29<sup>th</sup>**

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

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

**Sunday Collection for  
 10/16/11**

Offertory:	\$13,923.00
Debt:	\$ 4,693.00
Total:	\$18,616.00

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

**Venerate the Relics of  
 Saint Margaret Mary  
 Alacoque**

*"Here is the heart which has so deeply loved men."* The relics of Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, the saint who had the vision of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, are coming to five parishes in the Diocese of Arlington. You are invited to come to any of these evenings from 6-9 PM for veneration of the relics, the Sacrament of Penance and Mass. Consider venerating the relics at any of the following parishes: Cathedral of Saint Thomas More, Arlington (10/24), Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception, Fredericksburg (10/25), Sacred Heart of Jesus, Winchester(10/26), Our Lady of Good Counsel, Vienna (10/27), Holy Trinity, Gainesville (10/28). Learn more about the diocesan tour of relics, Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque and devotion to the Sacred Heart at [www.arlingtondiocese.org/heartofchrist](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/heartofchrist).

**Baptismal Preparation Class**

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

## Religious Education

Confirmation will take place Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup>. There will be Mass at 10 AM and 2 PM. If you need to know what Mass your Confirmation student is scheduled to attend please call the Religious Education office.

Any 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who are in need of service hours consider helping out in the Religious Education office on Sunday mornings. If interested please call the Religious Education office at (540) 659-5705.

## World Youth Day 2013

*Metal re-cycling collection* - Do you have old metal junk/parts around getting in your way? Car parts, motors, alternator, drills, saws, blades, bolts, stoves, metal lawn chairs, metal deck furniture, wires, extension cords, old faucets, pipes, metal tubing, metal anything... We will pick them up for FREE as a recycling fund raiser for our youth group – proceeds will go toward the World Youth Day 2013 pilgrimage. To schedule pick-up, call Paul (540) 288-9940.

## Senior Brain Train

Please mark Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup> on your calendars, for our next Brain Train event. We will meet in the Brent Room from 1:00-3:00 PM for snacks, socialization and a variety of games and puzzles designed to help stimulate our minds and improve our memory skills. Please plan on coming out to meet your fellow seniors for an enjoyable afternoon of good food and fun.



## Prayer Request...

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

Ralph Allison, John Bernier, OJ Block, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Marc D'Eredita, Mike D'Eredita, Nathan Dobbins, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, Sean Holland, Michael Infanti, Matthew Ingraham, John Koretke, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Marc Mooney, Mike Parrot, Chris Rankin, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Daniel Stone, Gregory Thomas, Julie 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.

## St. William of York Catholic School

\*School Open House: Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM – Come and see us!

\*The Athletic Department is looking for volunteers! If you're looking for an opportunity to volunteer we have two openings to fill for this school year (2011-2012):

(1) Concessions Coordinator - we need someone to manage the concessions at the home volleyball and basketball games, (2) Boy's Varsity Basketball Coach - the basketball season will start in mid-November and run through early February. Interested volunteers should contact the Athletic Director (Tony Greco) at [tonygreco46@yahoo.com](mailto:tonygreco46@yahoo.com) or (703) 675-9061.

**St. William of York Basketball Tryouts** - 8-10 November 2011!

Girls Varsity Basketball Tryouts will be held at the St. William of York gymnasium on the following days: Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> from 4 to 6 PM. Open to all St. William of York Parish Middle School Age Girls (grades 6 through 8 to include CCD and Home Schooled).

Boys JV and Varsity Basketball Tryouts will be held at the St. William of York gymnasium on the following days: Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> from 6 to 8 PM. Open to all St. William of York Parish Boys grades 4 through 8 (to include CCD and Home Schooled). Come dressed for a work-out: T-Shirt, shorts, comfortable sneakers (suitable for court use); feel free to bring a basketball.

For more information, please contact Girls Coach Rob Harris at [rcharris42@verizon.net](mailto:rcharris42@verizon.net) or Boys JV Coach Dan Butler at [dbbigboy@verizon.net](mailto:dbbigboy@verizon.net) or Athletic Director Tony Greco at [tonygreco46@yahoo.com](mailto:tonygreco46@yahoo.com).

## Stitches of Compassion

Stitches of Compassion had a fantastic turn out of stitching hands, teaching, visiting and creating this month. Our next monthly meeting will be November 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Brent Room. Remember bring all your scarves for the baskets. Knitting, crocheting, quilting - focused on providing scarves, caps, blankets and other items to those in need. All ages welcome to join our group. Questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

## Thank you

We have recently received a letter from The Pontifical Mission Societies thanking us for our generous gift of \$2,247.00 on August 8<sup>th</sup>. Rev. Posey wrote "May God Bless you for helping to spread His gospel throughout the world."

## **This week in our Parish**

### **Sunday, October 23**

7:30 AM: Ladies Aux. Coffee and Muffins (Center)

8:30 AM: Adult Ed (Brent Room)

8:45 AM: RE Classes

9:45 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

10:45 AM: RE Classes

1:30 PM: Baptisms (Church)

6:00 PM: CYO Meeting (Center)

6:00 PM: RE Classes

### **Monday, October 24**

4:00 PM: Fiat (Brent Room)

7:00 PM: Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

### **Tuesday, October 25**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

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

3:30 PM: Girls Volleyball Practice (Gym)

7:00 PM: Boy Scouts (Center)

7:15 PM: Cub Scouts (Brent Room)

### **Wednesday, October 26**

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

6:00 PM: Girl Scouts (Art Room)

7:30 PM: Baptism Class (Library)

7:30 PM: RCIA (Center)

### **Thursday, October 27**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Girls Volleyball Practice (Gym)

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

7:00 PM: Choir (Church)

### **Friday, October 28**

No School

5:00 PM: Middle School Dance (Center)

### **Saturday, October 29**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

10:00 AM: Volleyball Tournament (Gym)

10:00 AM: Cub Scouts (Center)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

## **Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)**

Are you a teen interested in information or joining St. William of York's Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)? Contact Tonya Gott at [tonya.gott@gmail.com](mailto:tonya.gott@gmail.com), (571) 485-0473, or stop in for a meeting on Sundays in the St. William of York parish center from 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM!

**RENT-A-CREW** is a CYO service to the parish and a fundraiser (by donation) for the group! We will begin our work October 1<sup>st</sup> and can be hired any Saturday through November 5<sup>th</sup>! Call or email Tonya Gott.

## **Young Adults Corner**

Young Adults (ages 21-40) single and married: Join Fr. Magat this Fall for various events to get to know your fellow Catholic young adults in the area. Fall Lineup:

**Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>: Pilgrimage to National Shrine.** 2 PM – 8 PM: Pilgrimage to National Shrine in DC (for Month of Rosary), followed by dinner. Point of contact is Father Magat - [fathermagat@gmail.com](mailto:fathermagat@gmail.com).

**BOOK CLUB:** Join Fr. Magat at Bella Cafe at 7:30 PM for Monday Night Book Club. The next meeting will be on October 24<sup>th</sup>.

## **Senior Luncheon**

All seniors 50+ years of age are invited to join us in the gym on Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 PM for our Senior Luncheon. Please bring a dish to share or a \$3 donation. In addition, we are asking if you can help support our outreach by bringing a canned food item or a boxed dried food item, it would be greatly appreciated.

## **All Souls Day Novena**

Beginning on Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> and continuing through Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 9 days of Masses and prayers will be offered for the faithful departed. Novena envelopes have been included with you regular monthly envelopes and are also available in the vestibule of the church. These envelopes will be placed on 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 them to the parish office.

## **One Sunday for the Whole World**

Today, October 23<sup>rd</sup> Pope Benedict XVI calls every Catholic in the world to celebrate our vocation to be missionary. It's World Mission Sunday! As Catholics around the world — here at home and in the Missions — gather at the Eucharist around the table of the Lord, we are to pray for the Church's worldwide missionary work. We pray for those awaiting the "Good News" of our Lord's great love for us and for the missionaries who offer the poor and suffering the light of Christ. And we are to offer financial help through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith for more than 1,150 dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands. Donations will be accepted at all exits of the church.

## Pray for a Priest Each Day...

This week please pray for

October 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Rev. Marcus Pollard
October 24 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Lee Roos
October 25 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. James Barkett
October 26 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Michael Duesterhaus
October 27 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Edward Hathaway
October 28 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. John Melmer
October 29 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Carroll Oubre

*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*

## Did You Know???

St. William of York Catholic School offers a Preschool Program open to children who are potty trained and turn 3 by Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, all the way until they are ready to begin kindergarten. We offer a variety of class days and times, but space is limited so please hurry in and check us out. For more information please contact Janet Riccio at (540) 659-5207 or email her at [mrsrstwill@hotmail.com](mailto:mrsrstwill@hotmail.com).

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### First Reading: Exodus 22:20-26

This passage from the book of Exodus enjoins all to adhere to specific religious and social laws. It urges all to act with justice and compassion towards others.

### Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

Paul praises the Thessalonians for receiving the word of God so eagerly and totally. Word of their faithfulness has spread throughout Macedonia and Greece; they have become a model for all Christians.

### Gospel: Matthew 22:34-40

Matthew recounts the incident in which a lawyer, seeking to entrap Jesus, asks, "Teacher, which commandment of the law is the greatest?" With simplicity and authority, Jesus responds that the first commandment is to love God with one's entire being; the second is to love one's neighbor as oneself.

## Fish Fry

The Knights of Columbus will hold a Fish Fry, Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> in the parish center, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. The meal will include fish, slaw, french fries, hush puppies and beverage. Donations will be accepted. Dessert will be available for a nominal fee.

## ALL SAINTS EVE CELEBRATION

*"The Saints have always been the source and origin of renewal in the most difficult moments in the Church's history."*  
-Pope John Paul II

What: A Celebration in honor of our Church's Triumphant. Food, Games, Prizes, and much more!

When: Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 to 8:00 PM.

Where: Parish Center and Gym

The CYO would like to invite everybody in the parish to come join in the celebration!

Please bring a bag of candy and come dressed as your favorite Saint!

RSVP to Kristy Lumley at [wifeochris@msn.com](mailto:wifeochris@msn.com)