



☒ Fifth Sunday of Easter ☒

May 6, 2012



Mass Intentions For The Week of

May 7th – May 13th

Monday	7:30 AM	Sally Mernah
	9:00 AM	Chris McAfee
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Kathy Davis
	9:00 AM	Ryan Anderson
Wednesday	9:00 AM	David London †
	6:30 PM	Margaret Niessing †
Thursday	7:30 AM	Kathy Davis
	9:00 AM	Angelina Begovoich †
Friday	9:00 AM	In Thanksgiving
	6:30 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
Saturday	9:00 AM	Helen Colvin †
	5:00 PM	Rita Spinola †
	7:00 PM	Eduardo Aliño
Sunday	7:30 AM	Donna DeLorenzo †
	9:00 AM	For All Mothers Living & Deceased
	10:30 AM	Betts Family Living & Deceased
	12:15 PM	People of St. William of York

+Confession Schedule+

May 7th – May 12th

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.)

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, May 23rd at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, May 12th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Mother's Day Mass

Mother's are a special gift sent by Our Lord. A special Mass will be celebrated for Mother's on May 13th at 9:00 AM. Envelopes have been included in your envelope mailing or you may pick one up in the main entrance of the church. Include her name on the envelope and place it in the collection basket or return it to the parish office.

Mother's Day Brunch

Come enjoy a meal with your mother and help support the St. William of York seminarians. The brunch will be held on May 13th from 8:30 AM to noon in the parish center. The cost for the brunch is \$6.00 per adult and \$5.00 per child. Fee will be paid at the door. Menu sample: eggs to order, pancakes, French toast, sausage, bacon and more. This event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Up Coming Anniversary Celebrations

SAVE THE DATE: On June 10th, after the 12:15 PM Mass join your fellow parishioners for a reception celebrating the 20th anniversary of Fr. DeMartino's ordination and the 10th anniversary of Frs. Magat and Belli. Most importantly, we'll be celebrating the feast day of our patron saint, *St. William of York*, which is on June 8th.

Summer Theology Courses at Christendom Graduate School

Enrich your life and learn more about the Faith by taking a summer course at the Christendom Graduate School! The six-week session runs from June 25 – August 4. At our convenient Alexandria campus (on Queen of Apostles Parish grounds) we are offering Old Testament (Tues & Fri evenings), and Moral Theology (Mon & Thurs evenings). We also have a special "Greek in Two Weeks" course running every weekday evening from May 21 – June 1. We welcome both degree-seeking and casual students, on either a part-time or full-time basis. We have low tuition rates and discounts for seniors, catechists, and Catholic school teachers. *WE ALSO HAVE ONLINE COURSES.* For more information, please visit www.christendom.edu/grad, call (703)658-4304, or email us at NDGS@Christendom.edu.

Kovar

There will be a Tootsie Roll Drive outside of church today. The proceeds go to the Knights of Columbus assisting the intellectually disabled in Virginia. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Volunteers are needed for the Tootsie Roll Drive at area stores on Friday, May 18th and Saturday the 19th. This is for the intellectually disabled in Virginia. If you can spare a couple of hours on one of those days, please contact Steve Gross at (540) 693-6436/ (571)499-8582 or steve.skgross@gmail.com.

The Youth

ST. WILLIAM OF YORK CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Academic Excellence * Personalized Attention * Authentic Catholic Culture

Celebrating Academic Achievement



8th grade A/B Honor Roll

Samuel Bettendorf Alex Dragan
Abigail Harris Anton Martin

7th grade A/B Honor Roll

Janise Beckham
Regan Flieg
Niaema Bozeman

6th grade Principal's Honors

Anjanette Manandic

6th grade A/B Honor Roll

Camila Chisari
Helina Yared

5th grade Principal's Honors

Madeline Moloko

5th grade A/B Honor Roll

Fiona Jameson John Kelly
Taylor Flieg Lloyd Sabino

David Dittmer

4th grade Principal's Honors

Jessica Baker Sean Sirks
Zachary Elliott Sophia Sirks

Teodor Niepogodzinski

4th grade A/B Honor Roll

Rachel Garrison Frank Manhire
Olivia Givens Ashley Stoltz
Felicity Heins Bridget Walker
Jordyn Jackson

Twentieth Anniversary Gala News

Many thanks to all who made our Gala such a great success! We are grateful to all our school parents, friends and benefactors for their generosity.

The Month of Mary

Our school family started the Month of Mary with special prayers and hymns on May 1st. The parish Pilgrim Virgin statue made a special visit to our school that day. Our May crowning will be outside on Thursday May 10th at 2:15 PM. All Parishioners are welcome to join us.

Operation Rice Bowl

Each year, the students partake in Operation Rice Bowl which invites us to pray with our families and faith communities; fast in solidarity with those who hunger; learn more about our global community and the challenges of poverty overseas; and give sacrificial contributions to those in need. This year our students collected \$622.67 that was sent to the Catholic Relief Services.

Religious Education

MAY 06, 2012 - CLASSES IN SESSION-LAST CLASS** Regular attendance is very important and required **

CONGRATULATIONS to our new First Communion Recipients.....We are so proud of all of you. **Religious Education is strongly encouraged for the grades between First Communion and Confirmation. There is much more to learn about the Faith and your child's religious education is more than to simply receive the sacraments. **Continued Religious Education helps form a good and complete Catholic, who will one day achieve the ultimate goal; Heaven.** We look forward to seeing you all back next year for 3rd Grade.

The Religious Education staff would like to wish all of our parents and students a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing you all back in the fall for continued religious instruction. It has been a pleasure serving you.

Policies have been adopted. In order to have a smooth transition to the 2012-2013 academic year, Out-standing tuition balances for the current year MUST BE PAID IN FULL. If not paid, it can effect enrollment for next year.

Please call the RE Office for your balance status and further information.

Please refer to the bulletin weekly for information regarding changes to: OFFICE HOURS, RE PAYMENTS, REGISTRATION OPENING AND CLOSING DATES FOR THE UPCOMING 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR, etc. These new policies WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED. If you have any question or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the office during normal business hours.

We are looking for individuals who would like to Teach/ Assist/Sub for the upcoming school year. If interested, please see the office for details and requirements.

Effective 04/23/12 the RE office will be closed on Fridays unless otherwise posted in the bulletin. If in doubt, please call the office before making a trip in to make sure someone is here to assist you.

In Our Parish

This week in our Parish

Sunday, May 6

7:30 AM: K of C Donuts (Center)

8:45 AM: RE Classes

9:45 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

10:45 AM: RE Classes

1:30 PM: Baptism (Church)

6:00 PM: RE Classes

Monday, May 7

1/2 Day of School

3:10 PM: Girl Scouts (Art/Brent Rooms)

6:00 PM: Varsity Baseball Practice (Gym)

6:45 PM: Cub Scouts (Brent Room)

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

Tuesday, May 8

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

12:00 PM: Senior Luncheon (Gym)

6:00 PM: JV Baseball Practice (Outside)

7:00 PM: School Band & Ice Cream Social (Center)

7:00 PM: Boy Scouts (Gym)

7:00 PM: Work Camp Meeting (Brent Room)

Wednesday, May 9

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

6:00 PM: Varsity Baseball Practice (Gym)

6:00 PM: Girl Scouts (Art Room)

7:00 PM: K of C Meeting (K of C Hall)

7:15 PM: Fr. Magat's "Catholicism" Class (Center)

Thursday, May 10

9:30 AM: Confession (Church)

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

7:30 PM: Choir (Church)

Friday, May 11

6:30 PM: Sports Reception (Center)

Saturday, May 12

8:00 AM: Cub Scout Leader Meeting (K of C Hall)

8:00 AM: Basketball open Gym (Gym)

8:30 AM: Spanish Baptism Class (Brent Room)

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

10:00 AM: Varsity Baseball Practice (Gym)

12:00 PM: JV Baseball Practice (Gym)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Confession (Church)

Catholicism

Watch and discuss the hit series by Fr. Robert Barron. Classes meet in the parish center from 7:15-9 PM. Study guides (optional) are available on wordonfire.org

May 9: The Indispensable Men –

Peter, Paul and the Missionary Adventure

Father Barron calls Peter and Paul “two indispensable men, the ones without whom the Church never would have emerged and survived.” In telling each man’s story, Father Barron shows how the Holy Spirit worked through apostles and disciples to build the Church.

May 16: A Body Both Suffering & Glorious – The Mystical Union of Christ & the Church

May 23: Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven–The Mystery of the Liturgy & the Eucharist

May 30: A Vast Company of Witnesses – The Communion of Saints

June 4 (Mon): The Fire of His Love – Prayer and the Life of the Spirit

June 13: World Without End – The Last Things

Confession Schedule Change

There will be **no** 9:30 AM confessions on Tuesday, May 15th due to a mandatory priest meeting with Bishop Loverde.

Stitches of Compassion

Mark your calendars, our next meeting will be May 17th in the Brent Room from 10:00 AM—12:00 Noon. All ages and expertise levels welcome to join our group. Questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Senior Luncheon

All Seniors 50+ years of age, join us on Tuesday, May 8th at noon in the gym to honor Our Lady and all Mother’s. Please bring a dish to share or a \$3.00 donation. We will have a basket to raffle off and the proceeds will go to the Outreach. So take a chance and help those less fortunate.

Sponsor of the Week

We would like to thank
“Patriotic AdVANTures”
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.

Young Adults Corner

Young Adults (ages 21-40 single and married) Book/Movie Club: Join Fr. Magat on Monday Nights at 7:30 PM at Belle Cafe. We will be reading “*Story of the Soul*” by St. Therese of Lisieux. For more information contact Father Magat at father-magat@gmail.com. The next meeting will be on Monday, May 7th.

A Look Ahead

Join Scouting Spring Roundup

St. William of York offers several programs from the Boy Scouts of America which provide age appropriate activities designed to achieve the overall aims of character development, citizenship training, and personal fitness. Programs include:

Cub Scout Pack 142 provides a year-round, family-oriented program for boys in grades 1-5. Boys who are nearing completion of kindergarten may join the Cub Scouts on or after June 1.

Boy Scout Troop 142 provides a year-round, youth-lead program for boys in grades 6-12 (ages 11-17). Boys who are nearing completion of the fifth grade may join the Boy Scouts on or after June 1.

Venture Crew 142 provides a youth development program for boys and girls of high school and college age (ages 14-20) that provides positive experiences to help young people mature and to prepare them to become responsible and caring adults. Youth nearing completion of the eighth grade may join Venturing on or after June 1.

To learn more about these organizations, please come to our spring member round up on Monday, May 21, 2012, at 6:30 PM in the St. William of York parish center. You may also direct your questions to our Chartered Organization Representative, Andy Walker, at [\(540\) 288-2059](tel:5402882059) or email COR@pack142.org.

Catholic Home Missions Appeal

Thank you for your generous support to help strengthen the Church at home. Your help will provide training for priests and lay persons in parishes that desperately need help attending to the unique needs of their faith communities. Your contribution helps ensure that parishioners in mission diocese will continue to worship well here at home. To learn more about Home Missions funding and who the Appeal helps, please visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.

Special Parish Needs Collection

The second collection next weekend will be for both the Debt Reduction as well as the Parish Special Needs. The contributions for the Parish Special Needs will go to offset the cost of repairing/repaving/restoring our parking lot. If you would like to make a donation please use the envelopes provided in your mailings as all other donations will go to the debt reduction.

St. William of York's 2012 International Fall Festival

Mark Your Calendars! Sunday, September 9, 2012. Plans for the 2012 IFF are underway. We are especially interested in hearing from the contact person for each food group. Last year we had American, Hispanic, Filipino, Polish and NC style BBQ food booths. We are pleased to announce that the German Food Booth will be back for 2012. Elizabeth Hall will be chairperson for the group. She is in need of volunteers to assist her in preparing the food and to man the booth. Please contact Elizabeth at cw5hall@hotmail.com or by phone at 540-720-8756. If anyone is interested in reviving the Italian food booth, please contact one of the following IFF personnel:

Bob Greczek, chairman: rdgreczek@yahoo.com
540-809-0194

Frank Santana, co-chairman: fjifrs@aol.com
540-446-1869

Jim Everett, Drink/Supplies: jimeverett47@gmail.com
540-720-4337

Volunteers needed in all areas. We are especially in need of a Volunteer Coordinator. Please consider coming out to our next meeting Monday, May 14, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Brent Room. We need your ideas and input!

Reminder, we will need items for the White Elephant Sale; as you complete your spring cleaning, set aside those White Elephant items and bring them to the storage trailer.

Offer Your Prayers

Prayer Request...

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

Jeff Abramaitys, Ralph Allison, Gary Anderson, John Bernier, Denise Bilodeau, OJ Block, Phillip Churchill, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Marc D'Eredita, Mike D'Eredita, Nathan Dobbins, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, John Korretke, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Travis Morgan, Mike Parrot, Howard Pavlat, Jr., Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Daniel Stone, Gregory Thomas, Chris Tolliver and Steve Wasilewski.

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.