



✠ The Second Sunday of Lent ✠ February 24, 2013



Mass Intentions for the Week of February 25th – March 3rd

Monday	7:30 AM	Maryann Doran †
	9:00 AM	Edward Harris †
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Dr. Leo Francis Modi †
	9:00 AM	Deirdre Phoenix
Wednesday	9:00AM	Don & Frances Spring
	6:30 PM	Mary Wahlen †
Thursday	7:30 AM	Marianna Bettendorf
	9:00 AM	George D. McAfee
Friday	9:00 AM	Wendy Mead †
	7:00 PM	In Thanksgiving
Saturday	9:00 AM	Joseph A. Galletta
	5:00 PM	Mary Toigo †
	7:00 PM	Our Lady of Guadalupe
Sunday	7:30 AM	Sienicki/Szafranski Families †
	9:00 AM	Joseph Nelson, Jr. †
	10:30 AM	Edward Harris †
	12:15 PM	People of St. William of York

On Fridays during Lent, Stations of the Cross will be prayed starting at 6:30 PM followed by Mass at 7:00 PM.

+Confession Schedule+

February 25th – March 2nd

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Wednesday:	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Friday:	7:30 PM
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, February 27th at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, March 9th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Did You Know?

We have a twitter page. To follow us on Twitter go to <https://twitter.com/SWOYCC>.

Lenten Soup Supper

Every Friday during Lent, except for Good Friday, different organizations of the parish will sponsor a Soup Supper in the center from 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM. The CYO program will host the soup supper on March 1st. Please join them for a sacrificial meal of homemade soups & sandwiches for a small donation, which will be used to assist individuals needing financial assistance in our area, followed by Stations of the Cross at 6:30 PM in the church.

Car Raffle

Car raffle tickets have been mailed to each family. You should have received them! If you have not received yours, please contact the parish office. The purchaser of each ticket has a chance to win all five cars! This makes selling at work or to family and friends more like an opportunity—just show them the ticket—it will sell itself!

Weekly Rosary During Lent

A Rosary will be prayed in the church on Wednesdays during Lent after the 6:30 PM Mass, except the Wednesday of Holy Week.

The Light is On for You

During the Lenten season, each parish in the Diocese of Arlington will have confessions available every Wednesday evening from 6:30-8 PM. If you have been reluctant to come to the Sacrament or have been away for some time, this is a wonderful opportunity to re-connect with Christ and His Church.

First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, March 2nd after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue until 6:00 PM. Stations of the Cross will follow at 6:30 PM. Adoration will resume immediately after the 7:00 PM Mass until midnight. Please join our parish community every First Friday as we adore our Lord on the altar.

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Email Mr. Nicely for a tour or to schedule a shadow day at: fnicely@stwillschool.org or call 540-659-5207.

Do you want to improve your hoops game?

Come out to the Panther Gymnasium for the first ever St. William of York Basketball Clinic! Participants will learn to develop their skills as they prepare for competitive league play at the middle school level. All members of the parish and school are invited to attend. When: March 4-7 (for all 3-5 graders), March 11-14 (for all middle school girls), March 18-21 (for all middle school boys). Sessions will run from 5:00 – 6:30 PM. For more info contact: Jack Anderson at jackfrom3@yahoo.com or Buddy Pullen at hypo52@aol.com

Position Available

Part time Extended Day Program staff to supervise children after school Monday-Wednesday 3:00-6 PM. Please contact our school office to apply.

Men's Vocation Trip

Join us March 9-10 for an overnight weekend trip to Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. The visit will include a tour of the seminary, Liturgy of the Hours, meals, lodging, and fellowship. All single men 17-45 who are interested should call the Office of Vocations to register at (703) 841-2514 or email vocations@arlingtondiocese.org by February 28th.

Baseball Camp at JP the Great!

Attention all baseball players in grades 6-7-8: You are invited to come train with the Wolves and improve your game by working on the fundamentals of baseball. You'll learn from the coaches at JP the Great, while getting to know guys in middle school and high school. March 2 and 9, from 9AM– 12PM. For more info., and to register, visit: www.jpthegreat.org, or contact Coach Bob Czekaj: bob.cezkaj@jpthegreat.org.

Religious Education News



Thank You!!!!

Deacon Benisek and the RE staff would like to thank all those who assisted with the RE Lenten soup supper on Friday, February 22. It was huge success.

Thanks to all of our Parents/Catechists who supplied delicious homemade soups/sandwiches and/or helped in the kitchen.

To our 7th grade students who worked to earn service hours, we appreciate all of your hard work helping to set up, serve and clean up. Your assistance was instrumental in making the event a success.

First Penance schedule at a glance:

Date	Sacrament	Catechist and Class time
February 24	First Penance	Mrs. Grab (8:45) / Home school
March 03	First Penance	Mrs. Harris (08:45)
March 10	First Penance	Mr. Parkyn (10:45) / Mr. McCormick (10:45)
March 17	First Penance	Mr. Rodriguez (10:45) / Mr. Prebilic (10:45)

Seventh Grade Confirmation Retreat:

Permission forms will be distributed to all 7th grade students for the annual retreat on Saturday, March 23, 2013. Please hand in complete permission forms to the RE office No later than March 10, 2013.

Service Hour Opportunities for all Seventh Grade Students:

1st Saturday at the Thrift Shop – Call and reserve a day
Attending Stations of the Cross or Holy Hour
Visiting the sick or aged

Check the bulletin for information on the St. Patrick's Day dinner coming up in March.



This week in our Parish

Sunday, February 24

8:00 AM: Ladies Auxiliary Coffee/Muffins (Center)

8:45 AM: RE Class

10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

10:45 AM: RE Class

1:30 PM: Baptisms (Church)

6:00 PM: CYO (Center)

6:00 PM: RE Class

Monday, February 25

4:00 PM: Fiat (Brent Room)

6:45 PM: C.S. Den Meeting (Rm #1 & Art Room)

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

Tuesday, February 26

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

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

7:00 PM: Boy Scout Troop Meeting (Center)

Wednesday, February 27

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

3:15 PM: Girl Scouts (Brent Room)

6:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

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

7:30 PM: Baptism Class (Library)

7:30 PM: RCIA (Center)

7:30 PM: Rosary (Church)

Thursday, February 28

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Choir (Church)

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

Friday, March 1

5:00 PM: Soup Supper (Center)

6:30 PM: Stations of the Cross (Church)

7:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

Saturday, March 2

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

10:00 PM: NFP Class (Brent Room)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

7:00 PM: Spanish Baptism (Church)

Senior Brain Train

Enjoy time with family and friends during this joyous holiday. Our next meeting will be February 26th in the Brent Room from 1-3 PM see you then. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

Please Patronize our Sponsors

These Advertisers have been generous with their support of our parish bulletin. Let us say thanks by supporting their businesses.

Praise God in the Memory of St. Patrick

Margaret's Ladies and the Knights of Columbus will host our parish family's annual celebration of the feast of the Patron Saint of Ireland. This year's celebration will be Saturday, March 16th in the parish center. Doors will open at 6:00 PM. Dinner will again feature corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, carrots and soda bread. The fare for the youngsters is Celtic tube steaks (hot dogs) and Irish pie (cheese or pepperoni pizza). Musical entertainment will feature the Celtic group "Moch Pryderi" Tickets: Adults: \$10, Youth 16 and under \$5, Children 3 and under free. Ticket sales will be after all the Sunday Masses in the parish center. Purchase your tickets early, as this event tends to sell out. Contact Bob Ghormley for more information, 540-752-9613.

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, Nathan Dobbins, Dennis Ferry, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, John Gentile, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, Steve Jameson, Lewis Kerr, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Tyron Anthony Layug, Garrett Len, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Mike Parrot, Jr., Joseph Pomeroy, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Nichole Siegrist, Daniel Stehm, Gregory Thomas, Mark Thomas, Chris Tolliver, Kyle Traylor and Theodore Williams.

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.

Black and Indian Missions

Thank you for your donations last weekend. Your financial contribution supports Catholic communities on reservations, in rural areas and inner cities. Your support helps to open the door of faith for our brothers and sisters in Christ in Black and American Indian Communities. Your generosity is appreciated.

St. William of York Outreach

The Thrift Shop monthly first Saturday opening will be next Saturday, March 2nd from 9:30 AM until 12:30 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and shop. Sales proceeds from the shop go to help needy clients in Stafford County.

International Food Festival

Mark Your Calendars! Sunday, September 8, 2013. Plans for the 2013 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, German and NC style BBQ food booths. We would love to have other food groups represented. If anyone is interested in coming forth with another food, please contact one of the following:

Bob Greczek, chairman: rdgreczek@yahoo.com 540-659-7503 Frank Santana at fiifrs@aol.com 540-446-1869
Jim Everett, Drink/Supplies: jimeverett47@gmail.com or 540-720-4337

Volunteers needed in all areas. We are in special need of the following volunteers:

- Sponsor Chairperson (contact and develop sponsors to help offset the cost of IFF)
- Electrician (sets up power to all the tents)
- Clown or magician or both
- Face painter
- White Elephant Chairperson
- Dunk Tank chairperson (to run the dunk tank)
- Cake Walk chairperson (to develop and run a cake walk during the IFF)
- Supply Coordinator (Provides supplies to all the food vendors)

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 starting April 1st.

Stitches of Compassion

Stitches of Compassion next meeting is March 14th in the Brent Room 10-12 creating items for those in need of items to wrap them in warmth from preemies to seniors. We can always use donations of yarn or cotton fabric to help create these items for those in need of comfort and warmth. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger 540-720-1734.

40 Days for Life

The 40 Days for Life prayer vigil is taking place outside of the abortion facility in Manassas from February 13 – March 24. Our parish is covering the 11:00 AM hour on Mondays. Feel free to participate any day during the vigil between 7 AM and 7 PM. Our peaceful, prayerful, pro-life campaign has generated measurable lifesaving results in the past. The vigil is located along Sudley Road, near 9380 Forestwood Lane in Manassas. See www.40daysforlife.com/manassas for detailed information.

CYO Mulch Now Available

High-quality hardwood mulch is now available to pre-order. All proceeds support the CYO program and Work Camp 2013. Order form and payment must be received by the parish office by March 16th. Mulch will be available for pick-up on Saturday, March 23rd. Delivery of mulch is available for an additional \$15. The fee for spreading is an additional \$2.25 per bag.

Thank you for supporting the youth at St. William of York! If you have any questions, please contact Tonya Gott at tonya.gott@gmail.com.

CYO Mulch Pre-Order Form

Return form and payment by March 16th to St. William of York, Attn: Tonya Gott 3130 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Stafford VA 22554

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ VA Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Payment method enclosed: Cash / Check

_____ bags of Mulch ordered @ \$4.25 each = \$ _____

Total Amount Paid \$ _____

Select all that apply:

- 1) I will pick up my mulch at St. William of York on March 23rd between 9:00 AM and 1:00 PM
- 2) Add spreading @ \$2.25 per bag \$ _____
- 3) I would like delivery at a flat rate of \$15 \$ _____

For office use only

Paid Date _____ Pick Up Date _____ Delivery Date _____ Delivered _____ Spread _____