



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



✠ The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph—December 27, 2015 ✠

Mass Intentions for the Week of
December 28th – January 3rd

Monday	7:30 AM	Special Intention
	9:00 AM	James David Balot †
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Augustine Harrison †
	9:00 AM	Frederick Lombardi †
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Alma Destreza-Mayo †
	6:30 PM	Maria Carmela Mooney
Thursday	7:30 AM	Special Intention
	9:00 AM	Daniel Dobson
<i>Vigil</i>	7:30 PM	Priest Intention
Friday	7:30 AM	Kathleen Mooney
<i>Solemnity of</i>	9:00 AM	People of St. William of York
<i>Mary, The Holy</i>	10:30 AM	Mike Cook †
<i>Mother of God</i>	12:15 PM	Rose Frances DeMartino †
Saturday	9:00 AM	Cynthia Rolfs †
	5:00 PM	Helen Eberle †
	7:00 PM	Clara Delpozo †
Sunday	7:30 AM	People of St. William of York
	9:00 AM	Cornelia Nispeling †
	10:30 AM	Michael Cook †
	12:15 PM	Mr. & Mrs. Barjam Bega †

+Confession Schedule+

December 28th – January 2nd

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

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

Mardi Gras Gala

To Benefit The Guadalupe Free Clinic

Come out on February 6th to celebrate Mardi Gras and help support The Guadalupe Free Clinic! Enjoy a fun evening at picturesque Potomac Point Winery while sipping wine and dining in the Ballroom. There will be a live and silent auction, raffles, music and dancing. To purchase tickets you may go online to <http://mardigrasgalaforgfc.eventbrite.com>, email mardigrasgalaforgfc@gmail.com, or you may call Susan at (201) 314-5884.

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Friday, January 1, 2016 is the Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God; a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, December 31st at 7:30 PM and Friday, January 1, 2016 at 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM.

First Friday Adoration

Friday, January 1st (First Friday) is the Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God, a Holy Day of Obligation. Therefore, we will **not** have Adoration on First Friday, January 1st.

Parish office Schedule

The parish office will close at 12:00 noon on Thursday, December 31st and will be closed on Friday, January 1st for the New Years Holiday. We will reopen on Monday, January 4th at 9:30 AM.

A Thank You Note

Thanks go out to our Pastor Fr. DeMartino for supporting Our Lady of Guadalupe Mañanitas and to Fr. Killian for celebrating the bilingual Mass. Also, Thanks to the Blessed Sacrament & St. Mary Immaculate Choir for sharing their magnificent music with us. To our parishioners, who without their help we couldn't have made this day a special one. All their help and wonderful food was really appreciated. Once again, a huge Thanks to all of our wonderful St. William of York faithful community. God Bless You All.

Outreach, Thrift Shop & Pantry:

The St. William of York Outreach, Thrift Shop and Pantry will be closed from December 21st through January 2nd. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Our regular schedule will resume on Monday, January 4th. Therefore, we will not be open for our usual First Saturday, January 2nd.

The St. William of York Youth



St. William of York Catholic School

Academic Excellence * Personalized Attention * Authentic Catholic Culture

Dear Parish Families,

Your parish school wishes all of you a Blessed and Joyous Christmas and a grace filled New Year. We look forward to seeing all of you again after Christmas break. Thank you to all who have been so generous as tuition angels. Our school family remembers you daily in our prayers.

Merry Christmas
Your School Family

Preschool Openings for January 2016

Starting in January, our preschool will be adding a Tuesday/Thursday class for three year olds who are fully potty trained. This program is from 8:10 - 11:30. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the program, please contact our Admissions Coordinator, Jennifer Schiller (jschiller@stwillschool.org) or 540-659-5207.

St. William of York Baseball, 2016!

Just a notice for all parishioners that St. William of York Catholic School will once again sponsor youth baseball in the spring. Watch for announcements in January's bulletins regarding sign-ups. The season will go from mid March through the school year, and is open to all parish children grades K-5 (and girls in grade 6). Also, volunteer coaches will be needed, so if you are interested in returning for another year to coach or assistant coach, or interested in becoming one, you are needed and appreciated. Please contact Ken Reuwer at reuwers@verizon.net for further information. All staff must be VIRTUS trained before the start of the season, in accordance with Diocesan rules.

Religious Education

Sundays:

December 27th: NO CLASSES!

January 3rd: NO CLASSES!

January 10th: Classes in Session!



The RE office is CLOSED through January 3, 2016 for Christmas break. If you need to contact us over the holidays, please email us at reoffice@swoycc.org. We will be checking frequently. Our office will resume business hours on January 4th at 9 AM. The RE office staff wishes everyone a wonderful and safe Christmas with family!

Confirmation 2015-16 Schedule – January 16, 2016

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

2:00 PM Mass - Mr. Mooney's RE Class
Mrs. Whitworth's RE Class



MANDATORY REHEARSAL is on Thursday, Jan. 14th

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

2:00 PM RITE 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 January 14th.*

Name the Saint:

Our feast day is December 28th. Not much is known about our lives as individuals, but we were all born to families living in Bethlehem at the time Jesus was born. King Herod heard about the birth of the King of the Jews in Bethlehem and being a jealous man wanted to eliminate the competition. However, when the wise men didn't return to tell him who the King of the Jews was, he got mad and ordered all of us killed. We are martyrs. Who are we?

ANSWER: The Holy Innocents

In Our Parish

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, December 27

6:30 PM: K of C Appreciation Dinner (Brent Room)

Monday, December 28

No School

7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (K of C Hall)

Tuesday, December 29

No school

9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

Wednesday, December 30

No school

No RCIA

Thursday, December 31

New Year's Eve

No school

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

Friday, January 1

Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God

New Years Day

First Friday (No Adoration)

No school

Saturday, January 2

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary will be meeting in the Knights of Columbus Hall on Monday, December 28th at 7:00 PM.

Volunteer Needed

Volunteer needed as parish liaison for Catholic Charities Diocese of Arlington (CCDA) Are you listening to the messages of Pope Francis but just don't know how to get involved with your community? Read on.....

Serve as the interface between our parish and Catholic Charities. Help our parish support the work being done by Catholic Charities (the Corporeal Works of Mercy) in our diocese and bring back to the parish best practices and support for our own ministries. Learn all about Catholic Charities' programs, services, and ministries and serve as the parish point of contact to CCDA. Periodically attend meetings with other parish Liaison Representatives on timely and pertinent topics. Great opportunity to help the needy, build community contacts and relationships, and work with the dedicated and experienced Catholic Charities staff. If interested call the parish office at (540) 659-1102.

Confirmation 2015-16 Shout-out:

Parents of students being confirmed on January 16th should expect a written note or email with more details concerning Confirmation day (i.e. times, pictures, dress code, reception, etc) before Christmas. Please see the RE section of the bulletin for a list of which classes will attend each Confirmation Rite. 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.

Knights of Columbus HONORARY Member Appreciation Dinner

December 27, 2015 (Sunday)

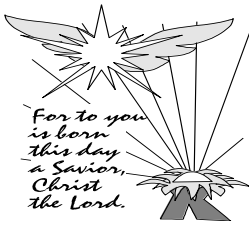
Special Presentations to our newest Honorary Knights ST. William of York parish center – 6:30 PM start Contact: Grand Knight - Dan Bolas, 540-318-6045 or Deputy Grand Knight, Walter Lamb, 571-247-2957 Bring donation for Mary's Shelter (Laundry Softener and detergent (45 oz), Diapers, Sheets Twin Sets, Pillows Twin or Gift Cards to Target and WalMart (\$10-\$25)

Liturgy of the Hours

Liturgy of the Hours will not meet again until Wednesday, January 6, 2016 in the Brent Room after the 9:00 AM Mass. All are welcome!

Jubilee of Mercy With Father Killian

Join Father Killian for a 10 days/9 night Jubilee of Mercy tour leaving Dulles from April 4-14, 2016 touring Rome, Vatican Museums, Papal Audience, Assisi, Siena, Loreto, and Florence. Included in your package: Superior 3* air-conditioned hotels and 16 meals. Price per person \$2995 Airport Taxes/Security Fees included. Single Supplement: \$536. Deposit of \$300 is required now and Final Payment due January 4th. Call Margaret at Fredericksburg Travel (540) 373-6900 for more information and to reserve your spot. Checks should be made payable to Suntours International.



Our beautiful Christmas flowers were donated in memory or honor of:

Joseph Battenfield	Mildred Cavender	Msgr. Theodore Kaczoroski	Clayton Whitworth	Frank, Joseph, Mary & Linda Henry
Patsy Ruth King	Beverly Baker	Sisters Marcella & Joseph, C.R., Mildred Charles Holst	Kelly Austin	John Dortzbach
Ovieda H. Jacokes	Michael Baker, Sr.	Joseph & Emily Rybicki	Rose Martyn	Kay Dortzbach
Debra E. Jones	Jason Baker	Fr. Gary R. Steibel	Brad Peterson	Mary Baker Clark
Frank & Frances Maciejczyk	Jachimczuk Family	Deacon Richard P. Smith	Frank Wiederman	Salina Thibault
Mario & Mary Toigo	Capuano Family	Josephine & William Farrell	Eugene C. Haley	John T. Stakem
John & Susan Turchik	Col. & Mrs. Donald J. Kendall	Stella & Edward Pemerry, Sr.	Angelo Trouzo	Mary Stakem
Frank & Anna Litchowski	Lt. Col. D.J. Kendall, Jr.	Bruno & Mary Stamborski	Theresa Trouzo	Colleen McGonagel
Valentino & Mario Toigo	Mr. & Mrs. Alfred J. Pyke	Robert & Irene Benisek	Naomi B. Tronzo	Jerry Stakem
Leon & Elizabeth Maciejczyk	Gen. & Mrs. A.H. Turnage	Joseph & Antoinette Pasymowski	Catherine Barbato	Gene Stakem
McNulty Family	Mr. & Mrs. Wm. J. Walmsley	Bernard, Margaret & Thomas Galligan	Clarabelle Shilling	Ernestina Suriano
Barry Family	Cary Kendall Mitchener	Arthur, Everly & Gary Belina	Bart Barbato, Jr.	Erlinda Jovel
Jankowski Family	W. Lane Crocker	Chester, Dolores & Dale Mozden	Harry Martinelli	Juan Rosa
Macfalda Family	Carolyn S. Barker	Elmer Lee Fenwick	Laura Martinelli	Hector Luiz Gutierrez
Henry DiStefano	John & Ellen Barker	Floy Bugg Fenwick	John & Helen Polk	Francisco Hernandez
Louis DeLesia	June Irwin	Helen & Peter Polk	Robert C. & Evelyn Schaul, Sr.	Richard Nicolas St. Germain
Maxine Bradley	Peggy Calano	Bobby Nelson	William Humbert	Mary Posta Grave
Nichols & Ahlansberg Families	Eileen Casey	Barbara Nelson	Mary Humbert	Martha Taylor
Albert & Eva Goyette	Evelyn & Jack Regan	Joe Narciso	Susan Freeman Taylor	Margaret Walsh
Henry & Mildred LaMontague	Margaret Casey	Barbara Harrington	William E. Platten	Mollie Flanagan
Donnie Akridge	Sabina Regan	Manuel Narciso	Mr. & Mrs. Frank J. Fallon	James Walsh
John Sabatini	Dortha Cannon	Louise Geiser	Michael & Katherine Buchko	John Flanagan
Merle Family	Robert Cannon	Grandma & Grandpa Jackie Keller Alejos	Florence & John Reynolds	Justine Walsh
Padgett Family	Joseph M. Schureck	Brett Wonders	Tony Vasello	Guillermo A. Cataldo
Lawrence Ward	Patricia A. Cronin	Rosie & Freddy Fontane	Mary Molino	Anita J. Silva
Bernardine Gayda	Perry H. Carman	Raoul P. LaMarche	Mary & Vasil Lapingarden	Weigert Family
John E. Gayda	Ethel M. Carman	Dorothy H. LaMarche	Rosalie & Harry Buchko	Eventess Family
Joseph X. Kennedy	Bobby G. Carman	Charlotte M. Penor	William Jones	Joann & David Weigert
Domingo Demellites	Cathleen Carivey	Rufino Agunat	William Jones	Klingbeil Family
Robert G. McHugh	Hurley	Benita Agunat	Wilma Jones	Matthew & Cecelia Osowski
Betty T. Snyder	Charlotte Wolfe	Otis Hampton	Marroquin Family	Fred & Mathilda Thelen
Christine A. Stamborski	Thomas Kane Family	Teodora Dela Cruz	Molina Aura	Dominic & Emma Berardi
Bruno & Evelyn Stamborski	Alfred Spada	Jennifer Lizardi	Frank & Beverly Arnold & Rickie	Vivian Wood
Anna, John & Adam Bielarczyk	Anne Spada	Helen Mazurek	Edward & Adah Davis	William & Phyllis Miele
Bohumil & Antonia Benisek	Dorothy Dillon	Andy M. Rusnak	Eldon & Helen Reising	S. Messina
Chris & Esther Holst	Eugene Hatcher	Virginia Fien	Michael & Catherine Stadnyk	Huey Beckham
Jeannette Franzen	Phyllis Ttucker Family	Andy Fien	William & Louise Sanders	James Edozie
Charles Rust	Donald Hatcher	Lee Coito, Sr.	Frank Jacko	Rose Edozie
Eric Baumann	Bill Hatcher Family	Katie Coito	Jim & Jessie Harris	Mr. & Mrs. Charles Brindle
William Roets	Larry Hatcher Family	Lawson Fien	Carolyn E. Jones	Mr. & Mrs. Frank Risrovato
Daniel Roets	Barbara Miynarczyk	George Filipovich	Mr. & Mrs. Earl Jones	Anna & Tony Yelick
Victor Jackiewicz	Anne Marie Schramm	Vincent Wesolick	Mr. & Mrs. Charles A. Clary, Sr.	Charles L. Cooke, Sr.
Maxine Jackiewicz	Dowell Dillon	John Wesolick	Mr. & Mrs. TE Duckworth	Jean L. Grogan
Maxine Richardson	Mary Marrero	Martha Wesolick	Mr. & Mrs. Homer Reynolds	Tia J. Armstrong
John & Celestine Fleckenstein	Linda Moler	Mieczkowski Family	Mr. & Mrs. John Indellicate	John, Florence & Kenny Gillis
Loretta R. Beralas	Sophie & Jim Brozena	Cwalinski Family	Mr. & Mrs. Webster Henry	Dolores Fetko
Louis Berales	Jean & Joe Offshack	Albin Greczek	Mr. & Mrs. Harry Kuser	Anthony Sciortino
Homer "Bill" Gibbs	David Pavlick	Helen Greczek	Mr. & Mrs. JF Miller	Gilda & Charles Cannella
Julia Gibbs	Sadie & Joe Rudjak	Mary Ann Repopart	William Coughlin	Joan Cook
Faye E. Whalen	Bernie Beard			Barbara Parente
William Whalen	Bruce Hoffer			
James Cavender, Sr.	Joe & Jeff Beard			
	Ellen Rudjak Feldman			
	Irene R. McGee			
	Bernice & Bill Lawicki			