



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



✠ **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 28, 2015** ✠

Mass Intentions for the Week of

June 29th – July 5th

Monday	7:30 AM	Paul Sikorski
	9:00 AM	Sallie Allegrinni †
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Edward Murray †
	9:00 AM	Marcela Burson †
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Special Intention
	6:30 PM	Mary Porter †
Thursday	7:30 AM	Dominick Miles
	9:00 AM	Jonah Dorfler
Friday	9:00 AM	Nolan Banks
	6:30 PM	Norma Stark †
Saturday	9:00 AM	Cecilia Rohlfs
	5:00 PM	June O’Gea †
	7:00 PM	Milton Reuwer
Sunday	7:30 AM	Special Intention
	9:00 AM	Louise Head †
	10:30 AM	People of St. William of York
	12:15 PM	Ellen Carag †

+Confession Schedule+

June 29th – July 4th

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.)

Seeking Tuition Angels!

Would you be willing to give the gift of Education to a student? We have some families who need a little help in paying for part of their tuition. Tuition for parishioners with a single child is \$5,126 with discounts for subsequent children. If you feel called to this special role, please contact our principal, Mr. Nicely. May God bless you for considering this act of generosity.

Parish Office Notes

The Parish office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd in observance of Independence Day.

First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, July 3rd, after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue until 6:15 PM. Adoration will resume after the 6:30 PM Mass until 9:00 PM. Please join our parish community every First Friday as we adore Our Lord on the altar. For more information please contact Cindy Armstrong at (540) 220-7344.

Thrift Shop First Saturday Opening

This weekend the Thrift Shop will be **closed** for the first Saturday, July 4th, due to the Holiday weekend. The next First Saturday opening will be August 1st from 9:30 AM until 12:30 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and shop during our normal hours. Proceeds from sales go to help needy clients in Stafford County.

**“For God’s Sake:
Learning to Love Our Neighbor”**

Propter Deum, “For God’s Sake”, that’s the foundation of charity. We love God in our neighbor, and our neighbor, for God’s sake. To be sure, however, this is a learned behavior, and other factors, such as temperament, childhood, location, and most of all, our depth of conversion, have a lot to do with our capacity to learn to love truly.

Classes started on Wednesday, June 17th in the parish center at 7:30 PM and will run for 10 weeks. Everyone is invited to attend and no registration is needed. Each class does build, sequentially, on the class before it, so to get the most out of this series, try to attend all ten classes. But this is not required. As one parishioner put it, you can simply “show and grow.”

Golf Charity Event

The 2nd Annual Guadalupe Free Clinic (of Colonial Beach) Golf Classic will be held at Augustine Golf Club in Stafford, VA on August 3rd. Contest prizes will include \$5,000; an HDTV; a brand new set of Taylor Made clubs. Register at guadalupefreeclinic.org or call (804) 224-0571. Foursomes play for \$500; singles play for \$150.

The St. William of York Youth

St. William of York Catholic School

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SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

June 23rd to June 25th-9:30AM to 1:30PM

June 30th to July 2nd-9:30AM to 1:30PM

August 4th to August 6th-9:30AM to 1:30PM

August 11th to August 13th-9:30AM to 1:30PM

August 18th to August 20th-9:30AM to 1:30PM

August 25th to August 27th-9:30AM to 1:30PM

Mr. Nicely and Mrs. Keenan will be monitoring their emails throughout the summer.



Registrations now being accepted for the 2015-2016 school year!

Email Mr. Nicely for a tour at:
fnicely@stwillschool.org or call the school office
(540) 659-5207.

Religious Education

Starting July 1st we will begin operating on reduced hours for the month. The following will be our weekly schedule.

Summer hours for July

Sundays: Closed

Mondays: Closed

Tuesdays: 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Wednesdays: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Thursdays: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Fridays: Closed

Saturdays: Closed

Call for volunteers! Are you looking for a way to volunteer in our church community? Perhaps the Religious Education Program is the place for your talents. If you are interested in learning more about how to volunteer in our program as a catechist, assistant, or substitute, please contact us for more information.

Name the Saint!

My feast day is June 28th. I was born in Turkey and spent most of my childhood there. St. Polycarp was my teacher throughout my childhood and teen years. He in turn was taught by St. John the apostle so all of my teachings were the true teachings of Jesus. Eventually I traveled to France and it was here that I was made a bishop of Lyons. It was my greatest passion in life to spread the true teachings of Jesus even though so many were spreading lies. Some people were even writing their own gospels! I wrote 5 volumes about the true teachings of Jesus with the hope of winning over the heretics. I am a martyr for the faith. Who am I?

ANSWER: St. Irenaeus

Open Registration Continues!

June 1 – August 14: Open Registration period for all members of the parish, new or returning families.

** Tuition payment is expected at time of registration along with copies of any sacramental certificates for student files **

August 15 – September 8: Late registration (\$20 late fee per family added to tuition)

In Our Parish

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, June 28

1:30 PM: Baptisms (Church)

2:00 PM: K of C Picnic

5:00 PM: Evening Prayer (Church)

Monday, June 29

Tuesday, June 30

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

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

Wednesday, July 1

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

7:30 PM: Fr. DeMartino's-*For God's Sake Class* (Center)

Thursday, July 2

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

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

Friday, July 3

First Friday Adoration (Church)

Parish Office Closed

Saturday, July 4

Independence Day

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, August 26th at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, July 11th at 8:30 AM** in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

Help the Iraqi Christians

Our brothers and sisters are in desperate need. Please pray fervently for them. You also have an opportunity to help them by way of a donation over the world wide web at <http://www.helpiraq.org/>. The web site is sponsored by the Chaldean Catholic Eparchy of the USA and all funds go directly to supporting the refugees. Alternatively, you may make a donation by mail, checks should be made payable to "Adopt a Refugee Family Program" and mailed to Help Iraq, 25603 Berg Road Southfield, MI 48033.

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Prayer Request...

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

Ralph Allison, Aaron Burke, Colin Carpenter, Megan Cobb, David Coleman, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Kevin Fallon, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, William Kerriagan, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Tyron Anthony Layug, Josh Marsillo, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Brendon Mooney, Sean Mooney, Emmanuel Morales, John O'Hagan, Ron Penninger, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Daniel Stehm, David Stewart, Gregory Thomas, Chris Tolliver, Kyle Traylor and Logan Whitworth.

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.

Peter's Pence

This weekend, we are supporting Pope Francis in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. This is an opportunity to join with our Holy Father, Pope Francis, and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous. Boxes will be at all exits for your donations.

Missionhurst

Next weekend, July 4th & 5th we will accept donations for Missionhurst. Boxes will be at all exits for your donations. Missionhurst seek to serve in those areas that are particularly affected by political instability, climate harshness and or lack of social and natural resources. We help and serve the poorest of the poor. Missionhurst supports a variety of projects around the world from pastoral, economic development, health care and relief. These projects are all initiated by our priests, brothers, and sisters in their local parishes.

Evening Prayer

The next Evening Prayer is tonight June 28th at 5:00 PM in the church. Please bring *Shorter Christian Prayer* or a suitable volume of the *Liturgy of the Hours*.

Around the Diocese and more



“Religious freedom is not just a matter of thought or private devotion; it is the freedom to live – both privately and publically – according to the ethical principles that are a consequence of the truth found.” **Pope Francis**

According to Catholic teaching, as explained in the Second Vatican Council’s document *Dignitatis Humanae*, the foundational principle of religious freedom is the dignity of the human person, who is endowed with reason, free will, and a conscience. Religious liberty is protected in the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution and in federal and state laws. Our freedom includes more than our ability to worship at Mass on Sundays or pray the Rosary at home; it also encompasses our ability to contribute freely to the common good in accord with the fullness of our Faith.

For Your Marriage

For your Marriage is an initiative of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Marriage is a gift from God to men, women, children, and society. Marriage makes a difference, especially for the Kids and the whole community. For resources to strengthen your marriage and family, please visit the For Your Marriage website: www.foryourmarriage.org.

Natural Family Planning (NFP) Classes

The Couple-to-Couple League offers NFP classes throughout Northern Virginia. These consist of three 3-hour sessions spaced one month apart. Total cost for course & materials is \$160 per couple (Spanish courses are \$55). For more info, visit www.nfpvirginia.com. For virtual classes, visit <http://register.ccli.org/virtual>. For Spanish classes contact Cesar & Blanca Marius at (703) 332-1054.

Mary’s Shelter 6th Annual Summer Soiree & Fundraiser

Please join us on Saturday, August 1st at the Fredericksburg Expo Center from 6 PM to 10 PM. There is NO COST to attend, however, reservations must be made. Visit our website at www.marysshelterva.org for more information. Support the sanctity of life and the women who make the choice for life in extremely difficult circumstances! Keynote speakers: Dr. Haywood Robinson, 40 Days for Life Mr. Art Bennett, President of Catholic Charities – Arlington Diocese. Seating is limited – Reserve today – A special evening not to be missed! (540) 374-3407.

Race for Seminarians

Run the Marine Corps Marathon/10K on October 25th to support the future priests of the Arlington Diocese! Runners and walkers of all experience levels are welcome. For more info on joining or sponsoring the Race for Seminarians team, visit ArlingtonVocations.org or call (703) 841-2514.

In Our Parish Continued...

Virtus Seminar

St. William of York will be hosting a Virtus Seminar on Saturday, September 19th at 9:00 AM in the parish center. This is a mandatory 4 hour training seminar for all those who volunteer with children. To register for the seminar please go to www.virtus.org. For more information contact Kayla Dittmer in the parish office at (540) 650-1102.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

This reading relates how death of the spirit entered the world by the envy of the devil, but those not in his possession will not experience it.

Second Reading: II Corinthians 8:7-9, 13-15

Paul exhorts the Corinthians to contribute to the poor of the Jerusalem church in accordance with their means. He explains that if people help each other, they will one day be helped when they are needy.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

“Do not be afraid, only have faith.” Jesus’ power over sickness and death requires absolute trust and absence of fear.