



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



## ✠ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—July 24, 2016 ✠

### Mass Intentions for the Week of

July 25<sup>th</sup> – July 31<sup>st</sup>

Monday	7:30 AM	Peggy Piatt †
	9:00 AM	Michael Reuwer †
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Joan A. Casler †
	9:00 AM	Miranda Mooney
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Mary Rosetta †
	6:30 PM	Special Intention
Thursday	7:30 AM	John Fleckenstein †
	9:00 AM	Maria Carmelo Mooney
Friday	9:00 AM	Ken Reuwer
	6:30 PM	Andrew White
Saturday	9:00 AM	Richard Lombardi †
	5:00 PM	Sienicki/Szafranski Families †
Sunday	7:00 PM	Anita Molina †
	7:30 AM	Mac McClevey †
	9:00 AM	Ellen Carag †
	10:30 AM	John Kratzer †
	12:15 PM	People of St. William of York

### Confession Schedule

July 25<sup>th</sup> – July 30<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	3:30 PM-4:30 PM*
Saturday:	6:15 PM-6:45 PM*

\*(The penitent in the confessional at 4:30/6:45 will be the last confession heard.)

### Business Manager Position Available

We are seeking an individual for the parish Business Manager position. The Business Manager, who reports directly to the pastor, works closely with the Finance Council and School Principal. The Business Manager prepares annual parish budgets, oversees all accounting and financial functions for the church and school, establishes/monitors internal financial controls, supervises human resource aspects of parish operations, coordinates upkeep and maintenance of parish campus with Facilities Supervisor, and manages all vendor contracts.

The successful candidate will have good managerial abilities and possess excellent oral and written communication and problem solving skills. This self-starter will have the ability to organize, prioritize, and manage multiple tasks and to maintain effective working relationships. Must be a fully-initiated and practicing Catholic able to participate in the full sacramental life of the church.

We offer a competitive salary with excellent benefits. Interested candidates should email a cover letter and resume to [richarddavis465@hotmail.com](mailto:richarddavis465@hotmail.com). Please write “Business manager” in subject line.

### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a process of study and prayer for adults who: wish to join the Catholic Church; were baptized Catholic, but never received the Sacraments of Penance, Eucharist, or Confirmation; are interested in exploring the Faith, but are unsure of joining; or practicing Catholics who wish to learn a bit more about their Faith. Fr. Lino and Fr. DeMartino would like to invite anyone who is interested to join them on Wednesday evening’s beginning Wed., September 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM in the parish center. Call the parish office to register at (540) 659-1102.

### International Fall Festival—September 11, 2016

The I.F.F. committee has started meeting to plan this years International Fall Festival on September 11, 2016. Additional members are needed to head several areas this year. Some open positions include coordinators for the following groups:

- Ride and Games Coordinators: it is possible to separate if needed.
- Sponsors Coordinator: Door Prizes– obtains commitment from local business etc., for certificates, gifts for the festival in exchange for advertising in the parish bulletin to parishioners.
- Volunteer Coordinator: obtains and schedules volunteers for different areas of the festival.
- Sanitation Coordinator: Set up and pick up of trash/recyclables during the day of the festival.

Donations of supplies, prizes etc., are also welcome. Please use the contact information below for additional information on how to donate. Please take some time out of your busy schedule to get involved and make our festival a success. Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, August 9, 2016** at 7:15 PM in the Brent Room. Please contact Bob Greczek at [rgreczek@comcast.net](mailto:rgreczek@comcast.net) for more information. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

# The St. William of York Youth



## St. William of York Catholic School

\* Academic Excellence \* Personalized Attention \* Authentic Catholic Culture \*

### Summer Office Hours

Summer hours began June 20<sup>th</sup>.

We will be open:

Tuesday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Wednesday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Thursday 9:30 AM—1:30 PM

### Accepting 2016-2017 Applications

for Grades:

Preschool – 8<sup>th</sup>

Interested families should contact the Admissions Coordinator, Jennifer Schiller at [jschiller@stwillsschool.org](mailto:jschiller@stwillsschool.org) or 540-659-5207 to schedule a tour.

## Religious Education

### Name the Saint!

My feast day is July 26<sup>th</sup>. I grew up and lived in the province of RanRan (now Phu Yen) in Vietnam. I was able to learn about the Catholic faith from a French Jesuit missionary priest. My mother and I were baptized together when I was 15. After my baptism I helped instruct others in the Faith as I had been instructed. In 1644 the government leader of my province was dictated by the king to stop the spread of Christianity. Soldiers came to take my mentor, but instead took me when they learned he was gone. In prison they hurt me to try to get me to give up my faith, but I would not. I was sentenced to die and the last word on my lips was my Savior's name. I am the first martyr of Vietnam. I was beatified in March 2000. Who am I?

ANSWER: Blessed Andrew of Phu Yen

### OFFICE HOURS CHANGE!!

During the week of VBS (August 1-5), the Religious Education Office will only be open for business in the afternoons 1:30 PM-4:30 PM. Regular office hours, Monday- Friday 9 AM-3 PM, will resume the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>.

### Reminder to all Fall 2016 Confirmandi:

If you still owe Confirmation requirements that were due the end of the school year, (i.e. sponsor letter (& you haven't talked to us about it), saint report, Basic Faith Test assessment, or Confirmation Name) you have until August 1<sup>st</sup> to turn them in the RE office. Our July office hours are Tuesday 9-12, Wednesday 2-8, and Thursday 9-12. For any inquiries we can always be reached by email (see front of bulletin).

### Religious Education is an 8 year program; 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

All rising 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students and those in special sacrament classes are expected to return in the fall to continue their education in the Faith. The years in between the second and seventh grades are instrumental years for building upon and expanding knowledge and understanding of your faith

The date of Confirmation for all rising 8<sup>th</sup> graders for the 2016-2017 academic year has been firmly set for **November 12, 2016**. *Eighth grade classes will continue for the entire year ending in May 2017.* All students are encouraged to continue to attend classes and fulfill your commitment to the faith.

### Less than one month left to register for 2016-2017 RE classes!

June 1 – August 15: Open Registration period for all members of the parish

August 16 – September 1: Late registration (\$20 late fee per family added to tuition)

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

## In Our Parish

### This Week in Our Parish

#### **Sunday, July 24**

10:00 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

1:30 PM: Baptisms (Church)

#### **Monday, July 25**

#### **Tuesday, July 26**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

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

#### **Wednesday, July 27**

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

7:30 PM: Baptism Class in English (Library)

#### **Thursday, July 28**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

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

#### **Friday, July 29**

#### **Saturday, July 30**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:15 PM: Confessions (Church)

### **Brain Train**

Join fellow parishioners for 2 hours of fun and games. Enjoy visiting and munching snacks on the last Tuesday of every month in the Brent Room from 1 PM—3 PM. Come July 26<sup>th</sup>, to see what all the fun is about while keeping your mind active. All are welcome. Any questions contact Sharyn Drollinger (540) 720-1734.

### **Baptismal Preparation Class**

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM** in the Library. The next Baptismal Preparation Class in Spanish will be held on **Saturday, August 13<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.

### **Sponsor of the Week**

We would like to thank

*"Sam's Pizza & Subs"*

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.

### **Senior Luncheons**

The time has arrived to start planning for the 2016 fall Senior Luncheon's. Mark your calendars so you will not miss any luncheons the dates have been scheduled. They are as follows Oct 5, 2016, Nov 9, 2016, Dec 7, 2016, Feb 8, 2017, May 10, 2017, and June 7, 2017. I am looking for a team of volunteers that can commit to any or all of these dates to assist in the creating of successful luncheons. The first team meeting will be Thursday Aug 25th in the Brent Room only for those wanting to volunteer their time to the success. The meeting will start promptly at 1:10 PM. Any questions please call Sharyn Drollinger 540-720-1734.



### **Prayer Request...**

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

Ralph Allison, Richard Baffa, Aaron Burke, Colin Carpenter, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, John Ferry, Kyle Fico, Brian Flanagan, Keirsten Hage, Michael Harrison, Jason Heuer, Denise Huff, William Kerriagan, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Tyron Anthony Layug, Josh Marsillo, Orlando Medina, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Brendon Mooney, Sean Mooney, Emmanuel Morales, John O'Hagan, Gavin Reed, Andrew Rodriguez, 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.

### **"ADULT SOFTBALL"**

St. William of York Parish will be continuing co-ed slow-pitch adult (18+) pick-up softball. Consider joining in the fun on an as available basis; there is no commitment as we play for fun and adult socialization. Times are determined weekly as to general consensus but are usually Friday evenings or Sunday afternoons. To be included on the "Softball Email Notification Distribution," please send a request to [reuwers@verizon.net](mailto:reuwers@verizon.net), or send any questions about adult softball to Ken Reuwer at that address.

## Holy Land Christian Carvings

This weekend, July 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>, there will be a display of beautiful olivewood handmade carvings from the Holy Land at our church. These carvings are made by the Christians of Bethlehem who use them as their source of income. These brothers and sisters of ours are enduring hardships at this moment because of the volatile situation in their home country. Christians in the Holy Land used to be more than 30% of the population. There is less than 1% now because of the situation. As Christians of faith, it is our duty to support our brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. YOU can support them by purchasing some of these beautiful carvings after Mass. For more information, please contact us at (202) 302-5889 or you can visit us online at [www.BethlehemCarvings.org](http://www.BethlehemCarvings.org).

## Guadalupe Free Clinic 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Golf Classic Tournament

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Guadalupe Free Clinic Golf Classic Tournament is on August 1, 2016. Proceeds go to the expansion of the clinic. For additional info please call Mylene Sixon at (703) 835-4093.

## Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **First Reading: Genesis 18:20-32**

Abraham pleads with the Lord, who planned to destroy Sodom and Gomorrah because of the evil and sin in those cities. Abraham asks him if he would spare the city if fifty, forty, thirty, twenty or even only ten innocent people were found there. God says that he would spare the cities even for the sake of only ten.

### **Second Reading: Colossians 2:12-14**

Paul explains to the Colossians that through baptism, they are raised to life with Christ because they believed in the power of the God who raised him from the dead. Even though they once lived in sin, their sins have been pardoned through Jesus.

### **Gospel: Luke 11:1-13**

Jesus' disciples asked him how they should pray. He gave them some phrases similar to those now used in the Lord's prayer. Jesus also reminds the disciples how even men with sins are able to give good things to their children, and explains how much more the heavenly Father wants to give to us.

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## Coming soon

## White Elephant Donations!

Next weekend, the gray trailer will open for your White Elephant donations so gather up all those clean, gently used items from the house, the basement, the garage and attic! Bring them to the gray trailer behind the school, on the left side of the driveway that leads to the Thrift Store. Your donations are greatly appreciated and proceeds from the White Elephant sale will be used to reduce parish debt.

Acceptable donations include household items, furniture, dishes and kitchen utensils, small appliances, working electronics, toys, lawn & garden items, holiday items. Please **NO CLOTHING, MATTRESSES OR BOX SPRINGS, LARGE-BACK TELEVISIONS OR FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS CAN BE DONATED.**

## Discount Courses Available through Catholic Distance University

Join the inspiring instructors at Catholic Distance University for a faith-filled journey of discovery. Enroll in an online independent study course of your choice and study anytime, anywhere! Courses include: CHIST N086 Pius XII: In Defense of Truth, CHIST N025 The True Story of the Crusades, SPIR N064 Vatican II: Lay Spirituality, SPIR N156 Classics in Prayer and the Spiritual Life, RELED N066 The Catholic School: Identity and Leadership, and RELED N004 NDC: Vitalizing the Catechetical Ministry. For a full list of courses, browse our catalog at [www.cdu.catalog.instructure.com/](http://www.cdu.catalog.instructure.com/). Use Promo Code CDU15ARLINGTON when registering to qualify for the \$30 rate.

## Race for Seminarians

Run the Marine Corps Marathon/10K on October 30<sup>th</sup> to support the future priests of the Arlington Diocese! Runners and walkers of all experience levels are welcome. For more information on joining or sponsoring the Race for Seminarians team, call (703) 841-2514 or visit: [www.ArlingtonVocations.org](http://www.ArlingtonVocations.org).

## We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith

*Levi Jeffrey Kuker*, son of Michael and Marcy Kuker.

*Eliana Elizabeth Kuker*, daughter of Michael and Marcy Kuker.