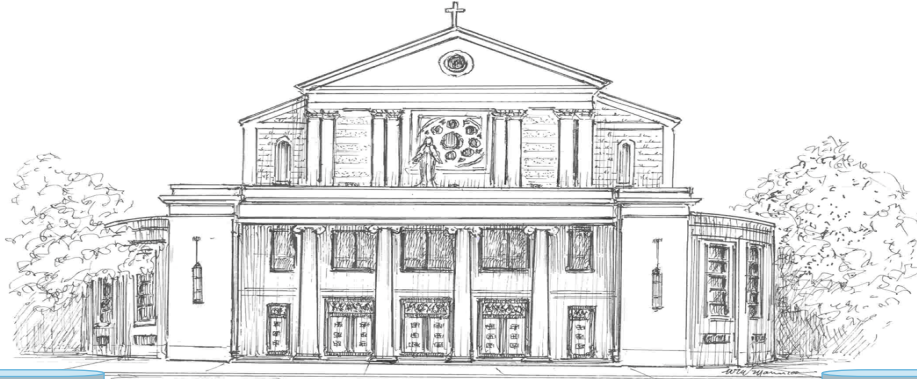


The Church of St. William

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"A WELCOMING COMMUNITY"

"CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS"

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Deacon Felipe Cruz, Permanent Deacon

PARISH DIRECTORY

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: 6:30AM and 12:00Noon
Saturdays: 8:00AM and 5:00PM
Sundays: 7:30; 9:00; 12:00; 8:00PM - Lower Church
10:30AM - Spanish Mass - Lower Church
4:00PM - Pakistani Mass - Lower Church
5:30PM - Haitian Mass - Upper Church

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated in English and Spanish. The normal time for Baptism is Sunday afternoon at 1:00PM in the Lower Church. Please contact the rectory office to begin the process of scheduling your child's Baptism.

PRE - BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Arrangements will be made to register for class after consulting with Deacon Bill Moser (215) 745-1389.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 PM
Eve of Holy Days: 4:00 - 4:45 PM
Eve of First Fridays: After 12:00 (Noon Mass Only)

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Weddings may be scheduled for Saturdays at 11:00AM, 1:00PM or 3:00PM in the Upper Church; and at 2:00PM in the Lower Church. Couples intending marriage are asked to contact our Parish Priest at least *six months* prior to the intended date of marriage. Participating in a Marriage Preparation Program is a requisite for the reception of this holy sacrament.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In case of serious illness, please contact one of our parish priests. Anyone unable to attend Mass due to illness may call the Rectory to make arrangements to receive Communion in their homes.

August 23, 2015



Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

Collections for Sunday, August 16, 2015

Regular: \$8,692.00

Block: \$200.00

Assumption of Mary: \$ 1,780.00

God's Plan for Giving

*Tithing is God's plan to support His Church.
Full tithing means 10% of income to God. We ask half of this, or
5% for your Parish Church.*

From the desk of Fr. Joe...

Papal Mass Live Stream at Saint William

A few weeks ago I announced that I was trying to decide whether or not to have the Papal Mass broadcasted live at Saint William. The biggest factor was figuring out if the live signal could be brought into the church or the hall. I had someone come out to the parish to check to see if it could be done. He looked at both the church and the hall. It was decided that the signal would be better in the church than the hall. With that being said, I am willing to show the Papal Mass live in our lower church.



The Archdiocese has sent out instructions that says “*watching the Papal Mass on TV does not fulfill your Sunday obligation for Mass.*” Therefore, you should try to attend Mass sometime that day or Saturday night. The same instruction also says “*if the Mass is viewed in church then those who could not attend Mass can receive Holy Communion either before or after the broadcast within a Communion Service.*” Communion is not to be distributed at the same time it is happening on TV, I will figure that part out as we get closer to the event.

If you are interested in viewing the Papal Mass on TV in the lower church and participating in a Pot-Luck supper after the Mass, then please call the rectory. Indicate that you will attend the viewing of the Papal Mass and what you intend to bring for dinner to the hall afterward. This could be a great way to build up our parish community.

As always, more details will be following in the coming weeks. Please consider joining together with the parish to experience this historic event for our city and the Catholic Church of Philadelphia.

Sunday, August 23, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00PM (Vigil) Renate G. Koreck
7:30 Catherine Suermann (62nd Anniversary)
9:00 Vincent Castagno (Birthday Memorial)
10:30L.C. Ismael Carrero
12:00 Noon Dean Halbrittle
8:00PM Parishioners of Saint William

Monday, August 24, Saint Bartholomew

6:30 Rob Britt
12:00 Noon Florence VanGuilder

Tuesday, August 25, Saints Louis & Joseph Calasanz

6:30 Guiseppe Morucci
12:00 Noon James Hawe

Wednesday, August 26, Weekday

6:30 Anne T. McKinney
12:00 Noon Anna H. McKenna (38th Anniversary)

Thursday, August 27, Saint Monica

6:30 Joseph Gicondo
12:00 Noon Alice T. Devlin (Birthday Memorial)

Friday, August 28, Saint Augustine

6:30 Salvatore and Angelina Abate
12:00 Noon Linda Maletta

Saturday, August 29, Saint John the Baptist

8:00 Stephen P. Sloane
5:00PM (Vigil) Walter Paulachok (Birthday Memorial)

☪ We Remember those who have Died ☪

Razia Silas ♦ David T. Padgeon

A Will can be a final expression of one's love and concern for family, friends, and the Parish Community.

Remember Our Sick

Michael Adams
Josephine Agozzino
Olga Andrijischjn
Luis Ariza
Beatrice Barnes
Gertrude Boyes
Joseph Bradley
John Byrne
Florence Caputo
Regina Carberry
Jared David Carrasco
Teresa (*Cathy*) Carey
Delia Cassidy
Patricia Cassidy
Karla Castro
Adele Censky
Catherine Clark
Marguerite Clauss
Emilio Colan
Joanne Coleman

Shannon Coley
Anna Creniti
Caroline Darpino
Margaret Donahue
Alaya Diggs
Tim Edwards
Joseph Fenuto
John Flannery
Gilda Ford
Vicki Francis
Brandon Fuscia
Rita and Steve Garry
Ann Geiges
Nellie Grady
Anne Guinan
James Hamilton
Joseph Hearn, Jr.
Elizabeth Heasley
Marte Heil
Frankie & Bob Herbert

John Herbert
Christopher Higgins
Jeffrey Hill
Peggy Hoffner
Denise Horgan
Sheranne Shea-Jubelirer
Luke Kehoe
Mary Kehoe
Ellen Kelly
Anne Krause
Loretta LaBarge
Marcial Leon
Mark Lewis
Teresa Mac Bride
Jeanne Mace
Jerry and Gale Mahoney
Lisa Mathews
Lindsey McManus
Emma Miller
Anne Nyce

Keith Parks
Verna Quigley
Charlie Rehr
Linda Richardson
Martha Schmid
F. Joseph Sullivan
Ethel Thomas
Betty Thompson
Kathleen Thompson
Phyllis Thompson
James Trainor
Rita Marie Unrath
Guillermo Velasquez
Angela Walsh
Betty Wilson
Elizabeth Wismer

Paul reflects on how husbands and wives should reverence and love each other

(Ephesians 5:21-32 [2a, 25-32])

KEEPING OUR COMMITMENTS

In the musical *Fiddler on the Roof*, the husband, Tevye, whose marriage was arranged years and years before, wants to know if his wife really loves him. Was their marriage just an arrangement, a deal? Did his wife, after all these years, ever love him? Does she still?

We need to know if our loving commitments stick. We need to be reminded and reaffirmed. In the first reading, Joshua, Moses' successor, needed to know if the people would remain faithful to their covenant with the Lord. Joshua was going to lead them to a new life - a settled life. Would they be faithful?

Jesus, who identified himself as the very life of his disciples' life, needed to know: Will you also go away or will you stay? We do not often see Jesus this vulnerable. Peter and the apostles chose to stay. What will we do?



Master,
to whom
shall
we go?

REGISTRATION FOR PREP CLASSES

(Grades 1st through 7th)

After Masses: August 23 29 & 30, 2015

First Time Registration: (Please bring the child's Baptismal Certificate).

Tuition: \$40.00 – 1 child

\$55.00 – 2 or more children (Checks are made payable to St. William's Parish).

Class Times: All classes will begin on Tuesday, September 15th from 6:15PM – 7:45PM.

Thank you for your children and for registering them for classes!

PAPAL MASS CHOIR

"From the Parish Music Department"

Congratulations are in order for the 5 members of the St. William Parish Music Ministry who are participating in the Papal Mass Spanish Choir! They are:

Abigail Negron, Beatriz Negron, Gina Christian, Eliza Thillet and Julie Thillet.

It is an honor for our Parish to be represented at the Papal Mass by these fine vocalists!

FATHER JUDGE HIGH SCHOOL

Opening of School Information

Thursday, Sept. 3rd: Freshmen report at 10:00AM (no school for seniors, juniors and sophomores).

Tuesday, Sept. 8th: Freshmen report at 7:55AM for continued orientation (no school for seniors, juniors and sophomores).

Wednesday, Sept. 9th: Freshmen and Sophomores report at 7:55AM (Freshmen to the Gym, Sophomores to the auditorium); Juniors report at 9:30AM and Seniors report at 11:15AM

Regular bell schedule begins on Thursday, September 10th - ALL STUDENTS report. First period begins at 7:55AM.

BASILIAN SPIRITUALITY CENTER

710 Fox Chase Rd.

Fox Chase Manor, PA. 19046

215.780.1227

Learn how to read an icon! This program will highlight the spirituality of an icon. We also will pray and meditate with the icon. Come, be enriched, and enjoy the coffee!

Date/Time: Tuesday, September 15, 2015 / 2:00PM to 4:00PM

Cost: \$20

www.basilcenter@stbasils.com

SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

** Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre **

Lancaster, PA.

Date: Sunday, November 15, 2015

Cost: \$83/person

Includes: Bus

Dinner theatre

Buffet luncheon

Leave: 9:15am / Return: Between 5:00 and 6:00pm

For trip information call Betty Harding at 215.745.7199

DOMINGO VIGESIMO PRIMERO

"SEÑOR, A QUIEN IREMOS? TU TIENES PALABRAS DE VIDA ETERNA"! Ante palabras de Jesús: " MI CARNE ES VERDADERA COMIDA Y MI SANGRE ES VERDADERA BEBIDA," muchos abandonan a Jesús, lo rechazan y dejan de creer en El. La confesión de Pedro es admirable. Es verdad, solo Jesús tiene palabras de Vida eterna. Sus palabras transforman el corazón, dan visión y verdadera vida.

EL PAPA FRANCISCO NOS VISITA. El Santo Padre nos enseña con gestos de humildad y modestia. Y predica la Alegría del Evangelio, el amor por los pobres, la pasión por la justicia del mundo. Pide la bendición antes de otorgar la suya e invita a todos a orar. Preparémonos.

CONFESIONES: Domingo, 10:00 - 10:20AM.

BAUTISMO: Coordina con Diácono Felipe o Hna. Rosa

2° Miércoles del mes a las 7:00PM: **Charla**

3° Domingo del mes a la 1:00PM: **Bautismo**

NOCHE DE GLORIA con Darwin Lechler

Tour 2015 en Concierto

Viernes, 4 de septiembre: 6:30 – 10:00PM

Iglesia Saint William

PREP: EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA (para niños)

Registraziones para los niños: Domingo, el 23 de agosto

Con Certificado del bautismo (para la 1° registración)

\$40.00 – 1 niño

\$55.00 – 2 niños o más

Padres - reunión obligatoria: Martes, 8 de sept. 6:15PM - Hall

PREP - primera clase: Martes, 15 de sept. 6:15PM - Hall

SACRAMENTOS (para Jóvenes y Adultos)

Registraziones para jóvenes: con S. Rose o S. Bernadette

Registraziones para adultos: Con S. Rose o Diácono Felipe

Primera charla: Jueves, 17 de septiembre - Rectoría 7:00PM

MISA PUERTORRIQUEÑA

Jueves 27 de agosto: Catedral

Procesión: 6:30PM; **Misa:** 7:00PM

Celebrante y homilista: Obispo Nelson J. Pérez

CELEBRACIÓN y MISA de la HERERCIA HISPANA

Sábado 29 de agosto: Parroquia Santos Inocentes

Celebración de las familias: 8:30AM – 2:00PM

Presentador invitado: Rev. Domingo Rodríguez, S.T.

Procesión: 2:00PM **Misa:** 2:30PM

Celebrante: Rev. Bruce Lewandowski, C.Ss.R.

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