

Saint William Catholic Church

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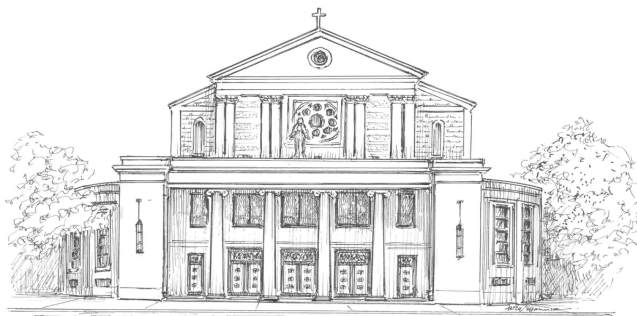
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MASS SCHEDULE

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

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

Pre-baptismal classes

Spanish: 2nd Wednesday at 7:00 PM - Convent.

English: 1st Sunday at 1:00 PM - Church.

Baptism (Lower Church)

Spanish: 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM

English: 2nd or 4th Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 PM

Eve of Holy Days: 4:00 - 4:45 PM

Eve of First Fridays: After Noon Mass Only

Matrimony

Weddings may be scheduled for Saturdays at 11:00AM, 1:00PM or 3:00PM in the Upper Church; and 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 required for the reception of this holy sacrament.

Anointing of the sick

Parishioners in **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.

Bishop Michael J. Fitzgerald to install
Fr. Al Concha as a Pastor of Saint William
Saturday, September 10th, 5:00 PM Mass
All are welcome.

September 4, 2016  Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Collection: August 28, 2016

Regular: \$7,435.

God Blesses the generous giver! Fr. Al

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.

New Ministry at Saint William Parish

The Ministry of Hospitality

This ministry will include Greeters at the door for Mass, Ushers, and on occasion, gatherings after the Mass for coffee hour. There will be an information table in the vestibule on Sunday, September 11th and the weekend of September 17th and 18th.

Stop by and see what it is all about. Greeters and Ushers are an extremely important ministry.

Let's make Saint Williams the most welcoming parish!



Dear Parishioners,

The canonization of Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta on September 4th will broadcast *live* from the Vatican.

You can watch the *Mass* on the Archdiocesan website (www.archphila.org) beginning at 3:00AM EST.

Prayer of Mother Teresa

Dear Jesus, *help me to spread Thy fragrance everywhere I go. Flood my soul with Thy spirit and love. Penetrate and possess my whole being so utterly that all my life may only be a radiance of Thine. Shine through me and be so in me that every soul I come in contact with may feel Thy presence in my soul. Let them look up and see no longer me but only Jesus. Stay with me and then I shall begin to shine as you shine, so to shine as to be a light to others.*

Let's pray for Peace.

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love,

Where there is injury, pardon

Where there is doubt, faith,

Where there is despair, hope,

Where there is darkness, light,

Where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, not so much to be understood as to understand, not so much to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, it is in dying that we awake to eternal life.

--- St. Francis of Assisi

Sunday, September 4, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00PM (Vigil) Marion Bauer
7:30 Margaret Weltz
9:00 Thank you to Saint Joseph
10:30 Rosa Olivo
12:00 Noon James Hawe
8:00PM Parishioners of Saint William

Monday, September 5, Theresa of Calcutta

9:00 Deceased members of the Dick family

Tuesday, September 6, Weekend

6:30 Patricia B. McVeigh
12:00 Noon Margaret Weltz

Wednesday, September 7, Weekend

6:30 Regina J. McVeigh
12:00 Noon Palmenia Peralta

Thursday, September 8, Nativity-Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 Holy Souls
12:00 Noon Robert and Frances Sestito

Friday September 9, Saint Peter Claver

6:30 Margaret and Charles (Deceased)
12:00 Noon Marie Stuart (20th Anniversary Mem.)

Saturday, September 10, Weekday

8:00 John F. Murphy
5:00PM (Vigil) Tian Lun He

☩ We Remember those who have Died ☩

Remember Our Sick

Michael Adams	Caroline Darpino	Peggy Hoffner	Keith Parks
Josephine Agozzino	Alaya Diggs	Denise Horgan	Renee Pontuti
Olga Andrijischjn	Carol DiMaggio	Kathleen Boyle Houseman	Verna Quigley
Luis Ariza	Margaret Donahue	Sheranne Shea-Jubelirer	Charlie Rehr
Beatrice Barnes	Tim Edwards	Luke Kehoe	Thomas E. Reilley
Gertrude Boyes	Joseph Fenuto	Ellen Kelly	Linda Richardson
Joseph Bradley	John Flannery	Kathy Kilroy	Sally Rodgers
John Byrne	Gilda Ford	Anne Krause	Bautista Rodriguez
Florence Caputo	Vicki Francis	Loretta LaBarge	Martha Schmid
Regina Carberry	Brandon Fuscia	Marcial Leon	F. Joseph Sullivan
Jared David Carrasco	Rita <i>and</i> Steve Garry	Mark Lewis	Ethel Thomas
Teresa (<i>Cathy</i>) Carey	Ann Geiges	Teresa Mac Bride	Betty Thompson
Patricia Cassidy	Nellie Grady	Jeanne Mace	Kathleen Thompson
Adele Censky	James Hamilton	Jerry <i>and</i> Gale Mahoney	Phyllis Thompson
Catherine Clark	Joseph Hearn, Jr.	William Marshall, Sr.	James Trainor
Marguerite Clauss	Elizabeth Heasley	Lisa Mathews	Guillermo Velasquez
Emilio Colon	Marte Heil	Lindsey McManus	Angela Walsh
Joanne Coleman	Frankie & Bob Herbert	Emma Miller	Betty Wilson
Shannon Coley	John Herbert	Jeanne Hite-Mills	Elizabeth Wismer
Charlotte Corcoran	Christopher Higgins	Anne Nyce	
Anna Creniti	Jeffrey Hill	Annamarie O'Donnell	

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Who can ever know God's counsel unless God gives wisdom and sends the Holy Spirit from on high? (*Wisdom 9:13-18b*).

Psalm — In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge (*Psalm 90*).

Second Reading — Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus, not as a slave but as a brother (*Philemon 9-10, 12-17*).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-7, 12; Lk 6:6-11, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human Labor," nos. 907-911

Tuesday: 1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-17; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]

Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Monday: Labor Day
 Thursday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Friday: St. Peter Claver
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Saint William Parish - Adoration Chapel

I, (*full name*) _____

(*address*) _____

(*tel.*) _____ (*email*) _____, promise to take time to visit the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

I plan to be in the chapel on (*day*) _____ (*from*) _____ (until) _____.

(*day*) _____ (*from*) _____ (until) _____.

Signature: _____

Today's Date: _____

Office Use Only: _____

Return this form to the Rectory or email to office@churchofstwilliam.com.

Saint William Boy Scouts

Designed for boys 11 to 18 years old. Boy Scouting combines outdoor activities, sports, academics, and more in a fun and exciting program that helps boys test their limits!

Registration: Sept. 8th, 7-9PM in the Hall

Diseñado para niños entre 11 a 18 de edad. Boy scouting combina actividades al aire libre, deportes, académicos y más en un program divertido y emocionante que ayuda a niños a poner a prueba sus límites! Regístrese: 8 de Septiembre, 7-9PM - Hall

RCIA CLASS

What is it? *It is a journey of faith with Catholics who are members of this parish community, and other men and women exploring whether the Catholic Faith is right for them.*

Who comes? *People who want to explore the possibility of becoming a member of the Catholic Church.*

When? *Thursday's beginning Sept. 15th at 7:00 pm.*

Where? *The Convent Basement entrance located to the right of the Church.*

Contact: *Sister Bernadette: sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com*

Clothing and Shoe Drive

St. William parish will host a clothing and shoe drive to benefit *The Society of St. Vincent de Paul* Saturday, September 17, 2016.



Their *GreenDrop Truck* and *attendant* will be in the Rising Sun Avenue parking lot from 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM.

*They cannot accept furniture, large appliances, TV's or computers.

PREP begins

The Parish Religious Ed. Program is beginning classes for children (*Kindergarten through 7th Level*) on Tuesday, Sept. 20th, 6:15 pm-7:45 PM in the *Middle School* across the street from church.

All students must be registered to attend class. Parents of children 8 years and older who have not received Baptism, Penance and First Communion need to contact Sister Bernadette sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com.

Anyone who is 6th grade and older who needs to be confirmed please contact Sister Bernadette.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

All EMHC are asked to attend a brief meeting with Fr. Al on September 24, 2016. Please join us for the 8:00 AM Mass and the meeting to follow.

Help cleanup the Upper Church

Date: Sept. 24th 9 to 12 Noon.

Please call the Rectory with your name *and* phone number.



Senior Citizen News

Renault Winery *and* Resorts Casino trip: \$59/person
Wednesday, October 19th
Monies are due in *full* by September 14th
Contact Betty Harding at 215.745.7199

Note: Anyone can attend if you are 21 and older.

DOMINGO VIGESIMO TERCERO

"Si ALGUNO QUIERE SEGUIRME, QUE SE NIEGUE A SI MISMO..." Jesús quiere realizar el plan de Dios y busca colaboradores. Ellos deben renunciar, abandonar voluntariamente, su familia, sus amistades. Exige esfuerzo, sacrificio y tomar la Cruz cada día. Se trata de un cambio total del corazón al Reino de Dios, a los valores del Evangelio. La Virgen María es el mejor modelo del seguimiento de Cristo.

CONFESIONES: Todos los Domingo: 10:00 - 10:20AM

BAUTISMO: Coordina con Diácono Felipe ó Hna. Rosa.
2º Miércoles del mes a las 7:00 PM: *Charla*
3º Domingo del mes a la 1:00 PM: *Bautismo*

PREP (Educación Religiosa): Grados 1 – 6:

Clases comienzan Martes, 20 de septiembre: 6:15 – 7:45 PM

Nuevo: Registración para jóvenes de los grados 7,8,9 en **PREP Youth Group**

Reunión para los Padress de Familia de Grados 1-5:
Martes, 13 de septiembre, a las 6:30 PM en el Hall.

CÍRCULO de ORACIÓN

Los Viernes a las 7:00 PM en el sótano de la Rectoría.

Visitas y Comunión a los ENFERMOS y ANCIANOS:
Coordina con *Ida Jiménez*.

Instalación del Padre Al Concha:
5:00 PM, sábado, 10 de septiembre.

GRAN RIFA - Donativo: \$1
El Sorteo: Domingo, 11 de septiembre
Premios: \$200; \$100; \$50; \$25

Reunión de Misioneros 18 de septiembre después de la Misa y *Experiencia Multicultural* en el Hall 2 - 4PM

Misas en la Catedral
Puertorriqueña: 22 de septiembre
Herencia Hispana - 9 de Octubre

Misa de la Hispanidad en San Guillermo 9 de Octubre 10:30
Traigan los imagenes de la Virgen y sus banderas nacionales.

Talleres: todos los comités de la comunidad de San Guillermo
29 de octubre a las 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Celebremos Con Nuestros Amigos de
Brasil: Fiestas Patrias: 7 de Septiembre
Cuba: Senora de la Caridad del Cobre: 8 de Septiembre

Celebremos la cultura de la Republica Dominicana
Domingo, 18 de Septiembre 2-4pm en el Hall

CLASES de INGLES - 4 días por semana

IHM Literacy Center: 215.338.3120
Colegio St. Bernard: 7341 Cottage St.

Curso de Formación: Liderazgo y Servicio

Instituto Católico Hispano
Inscripción: con Rolando da Costa ó Sister Rose

COVER SHEET

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