

# Saint William Catholic Church

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1920 "Ninety Six Years of Serving The Community" 2016



## PARISH STAFF

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*Rev. Alfred Lauricien*, O.M.I., Resident  
*Rev. Mr. Felipe Cruz*, Permanent Deacon  
*Rev. Mr. Bill Moser*, Permanent Deacon

## 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*)

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## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

### **Pre-baptismal classes**

**Spanish:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 7:00 PM - Rectory Basement.

**English:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 1:00 PM - Church.

### **Baptism (Lower Church)**

**Spanish:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM

**English:** 2<sup>nd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> 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 requirement 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.

September 18, 2016 † Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sunday Collection: September 11, 2016**

Regular: \$7,675.25  
Black & Indian Mission: \$1,475.50  
Penny Angels: \$45

**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 the weekend of September 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>. Stop by and see what it is all about. Greeters and Ushers are an extremely important ministry.

*Let's make Saint William the most welcoming parish!*

**AN ACT OF CONTRITION**

Oh my God,  
I am sorry for my sins with all my heart.  
In choosing to do wrong  
And failing to do good,  
I have sinned against you  
Whom I should love above all things.  
I firmly intend, with your help,  
To do penance,  
To sin no more,  
And to avoid whatever leads me to sin.  
Our Savior Jesus Christ  
Suffered and died for us.  
In His name, my God, have mercy. Amen.

*Fr. Al Concha, Pastor*

**Sunday, September 18**

**5:00PM (Vigil)** Rose Kenney (*B'day Memorial*)  
**7:30** Deceased members of *McElroy* Family  
**9:00** Parishioners of Saint William  
**10:30** Cesar Vera, Jr.  
**12:00 Noon** George *and* Sadie Smith (*16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*)  
**8:00PM** Andrijauskas *and* Kuritis families

**Monday, September 19, Weekday**

**6:30** Helen Lubaczewski (*1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary*)  
**12:00 Noon** Mary Kehoe

**Tuesday, September 20, Ss. Tae-gon and Ha-sang**

**6:30** Mary Murray  
**12:00 Noon** Special Intention

**Wednesday, September 21, St. Matthew**

**6:30** Frances Kinkaid  
**12:00 Noon** Anna Nguyen (*24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*)

**Thursday, September 22, Weekday**



**6:30** Edward Allen  
**12:00 Noon** Holy Souls

**Friday September 23, St. Pius**

**6:30** Mary Turnbull  
**12:00 Noon** Stanley Wysoczanski (*12<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*)

**Saturday, September 24, Weekday**

**8:00** Regina McVeigh  
**5:00PM (Vigil)** Roger Cassidy (*B'day Memorial*)

 We Remember those who have Died   
**Gerald McKnight**

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

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** - The Lord never forgets the sins of those who take advantage of the poor (*Amos 8:4-7*).

**Psalm** - Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor (*Psalms 113*).

**Second Reading** - ray to the Lord, who wants everyone to be saved (*1 Timothy 2:1-8*).

**Gospel** - Be trustworthy in all things. Serve God, the only master, not mammon (*Luke 16:1-13 [10-13]*).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: **Prv** 3:27-34; **Ps** 15:2-5; **Lk** 8:16-18  
 Tuesday: **Prv** 21:1-6, 10-13; **Ps** 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; **Lk** 8:19-21  
 Wednesday: **Eph** 4:1-7, 11-13; **Ps** 19:2-5; **Mt** 9:9-13  
 Thursday: **Eccl** 1:2-11; **Ps** 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; **Lk** 9:7-9  
 Friday: **Eccl** 3:1-11; **Ps** 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; **Lk** 9:18-22  
 Saturday: **Eccl** 11:9 — 12:8; **Ps** 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; **Lk** 9:43b-45  
 Sunday: **Am** 6:1a, 4-7; **Ps** 146:7-10; **1 Tm** 6:11-16; **Lk** 16:19-31

### SAINTS *AND* SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

*Sunday:* Catechetical Sunday  
*Monday:* St. Januarius  
*Tuesday:* Ss. Tae-gön and Ha-sang  
*Wednesday:* St. Matthew  
*Thursday:* Autumn begins  
*Friday:* St. Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)  
*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: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: \*\*Return the completed form to the Rectory.**

### The Sisters of IHM

The Sisters of IHM from Saint William Convent will be in the vestibule of the Church *before* and *after* all the Masses October 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> to sell their "Oktoberfest" Chances.

Top Prize: **\$5000**,  
 Second Prize: **\$2000**, and  
 Third thru Sixth Prize: **\$1000**.

This drawing benefits *Camilla Hall Nursing Home* which cares for our sick and elderly IHM Sisters.

**We thank you beforehand  
 for your collaboration.**

**Students and Parents meeting:**

Students from St. William parish attending **St. Cecilia and Presentation** Schools need to attend a meeting on Wednesday, **Oct 12<sup>th</sup>** in the Lower Church 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
Your attendance is essential as your child continues attending Catholic school.

Thank you Fr. Al, *Pastor*

**DOMINGO VIGESIMO QUINTO**

"LOS HIJOS DE ÉSTE MUNDO SON MÁS ASTUTOS CON SU GENTE QUE LOS HIJOS DE LA LUZ." NO PUEDEN SERVIR A DIOS Y EL DINERO." Cuando un administrador reducía el pago de un recibo, disminuía su propia comisión. Jesús alaba su habilidad de previsión. Pero no aprueba su deshonestidad. Desafío para nosotros: ser hábiles, lúcidos y previsores del futuro. No es posible servir a Dios y al dinero. No debemos hacer del dinero un dios. Se debe administrar el dinero bien y poner al servicio de los más pobres. Un reto a nosotros.

**PREP Classes**

PREP begins this Tuesday, **September 20<sup>th</sup>**, 6:15 PM in the Middle School across the street from the church.

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

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

**Are you registered to vote?**

Medical Mission Sisters will be available **Sept 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>** in our Church to assist people to *register* or *update* their registration.

Such as change address, name or political party since the last election. This is a voter registration for any political party or independent. It takes about 5 minutes to fill out forms and will make sure that completed forms get to the Election Board Offices at City Hall.

**PREP (Educación Religiosa): Grados 1 – 9:**  
**Clases comienzan** Martes, 20 de septiembre: 6:15 – 7:45 PM

**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.

**Clean up the Upper Church:** All hands are needed.  
**Date:** Saturday, **Sept 24<sup>th</sup>** from 9 until 12 noon.  
Please contact the Rectory.

**Gracias a los que participaron en la GRAN RIFA**

- 1° Premio, Nro. 751 Jose M. Luciano
- 2° Premio, Nro. 1463 Maribel Hernandez
- 3° Premio, Nro. 1472 Nancy Torres
- 4° Premio, Nro. 1185 Pacifico

**Looking for greeters & ushers.** New members are invited to sign up in the back of the church. Your presence supports the Church community.

*Reunión de Misioneros* hoy 18 de septiembre después de la Misa

**Misas en la Catedral**

*Puertorriqueña:* 22 de septiembre  
*Herencia Hispana* - 9 de Octubre

**Commitment to visit the Blessed Sacrament.** Please sign up in the Rectory to offer your date and time of visits.  
*A temporary code* is available upon registering.

**Misa de la Hispanidad en San Guillermo** 9 de Octubre 10:30  
Traigan los imagenes de la Virgen y sus banderas nacionales.  
**Concierto de Alabanza:** 9 de Octubre  
**Reunión de misioneros:** 9 de Octubre  
**Talleres:** todos los comités de la comunidad de San Guillermo  
29 de octubre a las 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion**

All EMHC are asked to attend a brief meeting with Fr. Al on Wednesday, **September 24<sup>th</sup>**. Please join us for the 8:00 AM Mass and meeting to follow.

**CELEBREMOS CON NUESTROS AMIGOS:**

Chile: Fiestas Patrias: 18 de sept.  
Puerto Rico: Fiestas Patrias: 23 de sept.  
Perú: Nuestra Señora de la Merced - 24 de septiembre

**Adult Faith (Monday evenings in October)**  
**Start time: 7:00 PM in the Middle School on Rising Sun Avenue**

Every Monday in October we will have a program called "Reflections on the Year of Mercy" by Father Michael Renninger. This is a DVD series with 5 sessions and reflection questions to deepen our experience of the Year of Mercy which ends on Nov. 20, 2016. Sessions begin at 7:00 PM on Oct. 3rd. **Cost:** \$5 for the study guide.

Please contact the rectory or email Sister Bernadette at [sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com](mailto:sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com) to register.

COMPARTIR EXPERIENCIAS MULTICULTURALES  
Celebraremos las cultura de la República Dominicana: Hoy día, Domingo, 18 de sept. 2 - 4PM en el hall - todos estan invitados

**La Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia ofrece los cursos:**

**Curso de Formación:** Liderazgo y Servicio  
Formación líderes de Pre-Cana  
**Congreso de Mujeres Catolicas:** Santuario de Czestochowa  
(*Información:* Blanca Herrera 215.667.2820)

Coming in November, "Jesus in the Gospel of John."

Para estar informado acerca de noticias católicas, fotos, artículos sobre la vida católica y expiritualidad, favor visitor:  
<http://catholicphilly.com/>

COVER SHEET

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