

# Saint William Catholic Church

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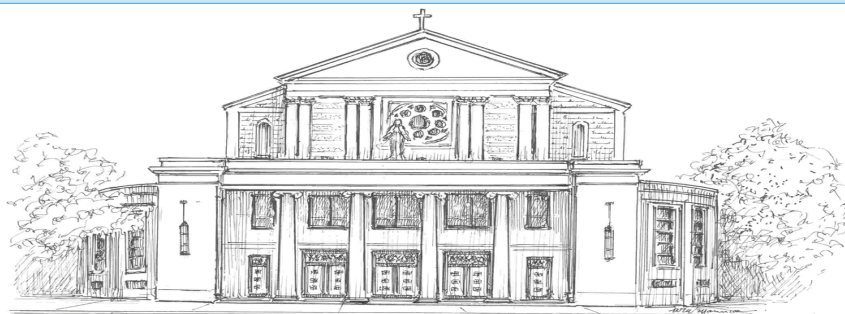
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1920 "Ninety Six Years of Serving The Community" 2016



## PARISH STAFF

*Rev. Alfonso J. Concha (Fr. Al)*, Pastor  
*Rev. Msgr. James E. Mortimer*, Pastor Emeritus  
*Rev. Tariq Isaac*, Parochial Vicar  
*Rev. Augusto Concha (Fr. Gus)* Retired, Resident  
*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 PM  
**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

### 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 Felipe Cruz or Deacon Bill Moser (215) 745-1389.

### 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  
will install Fr. Al Concha  
as a Pastor of Saint William  
Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM Mass**

## PARISH DIRECTORY

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July 31, 2016



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sunday Collection**

July 24, 2016

Regular: \$8,094.00

Thank you for your generous support. God Bless You. 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.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Sometimes the treasures of art can provide us with clues about traditions. Take, for example, the mitre, the conical hat with lappets, or back-flaps that fall to the shoulders. This cap is worn by bishops in the Catholic West. Eastern Catholics favor a crown, but we have this curious headpiece. In Greek, the word means "turban." Old paintings and mosaics provide clues about headgear for bishops, and there is very little artistic evidence for the mitre before the year 1000. Before then, some kind of head covering might have been worn to offset the damp and chill of unheated churches. The pope, as far back as the seventh century, often wore a cap called a *camelaucum*. Around that time, artists painting St. Peter began to portray their subject wearing this hat. By the year 1000 or so, the pope began to grant similar helmet-shaped headgear as gifts to visiting abbots and bishops. They returned home with these new chapeaus, and before long everybody wanted one!

Today, miters are granted not only to bishops, but to certain favored abbots and occasionally abbesses. Pope Benedict XVI set aside the tradition of the papal tiara in favor of the mitre, even on his coat of arms. Pope Paul VI was the last pope to have a coronation. As recently as the 1960s, miters were towering skyscrapers of jewels and rich silks, but now a simplicity of style is favored by bishops. Miters are here to stay, and experienced altar servers know how to await the bishop's removing of the mitre, since he does not wear it when he is saying the presidential prayers or the Eucharistic Prayer. Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

You are invited to the Ordination of  
**Bishop Edward M. Deliman**  
August 18, 2016 at 2:00 PM at the Cathedral



**Sunday, July 31, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00PM (Vigil) John Kratzer  
7:30 Parishioners of Saint William  
9:00 William and Regina Mattia (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary)  
10:30 Theodore Sanchez  
12:00 Noon Robert Inemer (Living)  
8:00PM Mary Ann Hanna

**Monday, August 1, Saint Alphonsus Liguori**

6:30 Frances Kinkaid  
12:00 Noon Frances Kinkaid

**Tuesday, August 2, Saints Eusebius and Peter Eymard**

6:30 Frances Kinkaid  
12:00 Noon Special Intention

**Wednesday, August 3, Weekday**

6:30 Frances Kinkaid  
12:00 Noon Frances Kinkaid

**Thursday, August 4, Saint John Vianney**

6:30 Frances Kinkaid  
12:00 Noon Frances Kinkaid

**Friday August 5, Saint Mary Major**

6:30 Frances Kinkaid  
12:00 Noon Palmenia Peralta

**Saturday, August 6, The Transfiguration of the Lord**

8:00 Harry J. Cotton (Birthday Memorial)  
5:00PM (Vigil) Donald Green

☪ We Remember those who have Died ☪

Dominic DeNofa ♦ Benjamin A. Knapp

*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                 | Caroline Darpino            | Christopher Higgins           | Anne Nyce           |
| Josephine Agozzino            | Alaya Diggs                 | Jeffrey Hill                  | Annamarie O'Donnell |
| Olga Andrijischjn             | Carol DiMaggio              | Peggy Hoffner                 | Keith Parks         |
| Luis Ariza                    | Catherine Duffy             | Denise Horgan                 | Renee Pontuti       |
| Beatrice Barnes               | Margaret Donahue            | Kathleen Boyle Houseman       | Verna Quigley       |
| Gertrude Boyes                | Tim Edwards                 | Sheranne Shea-Jubelirer       | Charlie Rehr        |
| Joseph Bradley                | Joseph Fenuto               | Luke Kehoe                    | Thomas E. Reilly    |
| John Byrne                    | John Flannery               | Ellen Kelly                   | Linda Richardson    |
| Florence Caputo               | Gilda Ford                  | Kathy Kilroy                  | Sally Rodgers       |
| Regina Carberry               | Vicki Francis               | Anne Krause                   | Bautista Rodriguez  |
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| Adele Censky                  | James Gillin                | Teresa Mac Bride              | Betty Thompson      |
| Catherine Clark               | Nellie Grady                | Jeanne Mace                   | Kathleen Thompson   |
| Marguerite Clauss             | James Hamilton              | Jerry <i>and</i> Gale Mahoney | Phyllis Thompson    |
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| Joanne Coleman                | Elizabeth Heasley           | Lisa Mathews                  | Guillermo Velasquez |
| Shannon Coley                 | Marte Heil                  | Lindsey McManus               | Angela Walsh        |
| Charlotte Corcoran            | Frankie & Bob Herbert       | Emma Miller                   | Betty Wilson        |
| Anna Creniti                  | John Herbert                | Jeanne Hite-Mills             | Elizabeth Wismer    |

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Do not spend your life toiling for material gain (*Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23*).

**Psalm** — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (*Psalm 90*).

**Second Reading** — Christ has raised you to new life, so seek now what is above (*Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11*).

**Gospel** — Be on guard against all greed, for your life does not consist of earthly possessions, but of the riches of the reign of God (*Luke 12:13-21*).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday:** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 *or* Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

**Wednesday:** Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday:** Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

**Friday:** Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

**Sunday:** Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Hb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Monday:** *St. Alphonsus Liguori*

**Tuesday:** *St. Eusebius of Vercelli;*  
*St. Peter Julian Eymard*

**Thursday:** *St. John Vianney*

**Friday:** *Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major;*  
*First Friday*

**Saturday:** *The Transfiguration of the Lord;*  
*First Saturday*

## HITTING IT BIG

It seems to be commonly accepted nowadays that everyone wants to win the lottery, hit the slots big at the casino, or be a millionaire. This attitude is akin to what the first hearers of the parable of the successful farmer would have thought: Why, of course he'd want to find a way to preserve his good fortune for the future, to secure for himself a life of leisure, eating, drinking, and merriment. It's exactly the kind of life that the right ticket, hand of cards, or quiz show answer might bring us today. Being surrounded by this "common wisdom" makes the words of Qoheleth, the psalmist, Paul, and Jesus all that much harder to hear today. Perhaps good fortune will be ours, perhaps it will not be. But if we make that fortune or the quest for it the heart, the very center, of our lives, then we will live to regret it. We will not achieve the future security we pursue, and we will lose the present moment in the chase.

**Registration for PREP Classes**  
1<sup>st</sup> grade to 7<sup>th</sup> grade

**Registration**

New/Re-Registration for all grades (including Catholic School Confirmation classes) will take place on Aug. 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> after Masses.

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

**Tuition:** \$45.00 for 1 child and \$55.00 total for 2 or more children (Checks are made payable to St. William's Parish.)

**Class Times**

All classes will begin on  
Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> from (6:15 – 7:45 PM).

\***High School Sacraments and Confirmation** classes begin on Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 AM in the Rectory Basement.

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

**Mother Boniface Spirituality Center**  
3501 Solly Avenue

Is offering a one-day program on  
"The Forgiveness Prayer"  
Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9:00 AM  
Contact Sr. Geraldine Whelan at 267.350.1830

**Announcement**

The Father Judge Parents Association will be hosting their  
Annual Craft Show on Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016.  
Contact the coordinators at [judgefallcraftshow@gmail.com](mailto:judgefallcraftshow@gmail.com)

**Our Lady of Ransom Church**  
6701 Calvert St

HOLY HOUR OF MERCY  
Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM  
Contact information 215.332.6166

**Job Opportunity**

Archbishop Ryan is hiring the position of Accountant. Qualified candidates should have a degree in accounting and a minimum 3 years' experience. If interested, please contact Maureen Fisher at [mfisher@archphila.org](mailto:mfisher@archphila.org).

**Honors: Archbishop Wood High School**

The following student received honors for the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter  
**Carlos Steve Mora-Fallas**

**RCIA CLASS**

**Welcome! Welcome! Welcome!**

**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?** August 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM

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

**Contact:** Sister Bernadette [sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com](mailto:sbernadette@churchofstwilliam.com)

**DOMINGO DECIMO OCTAVO**

"GUADENSE DE TODA CLASE DE CODICIA". La raíz de muchos males es la codicia. Es no tener en cuenta a Dios y el bien de los demás. Es un pecado capital. Es creer que el dinero lo puede todo. Es necedad, insensatez! El rico es necio en bienes materiales y pobre en el amor. Eres rico ante Dios? Tu tienes la respuesta.

**CONFESIONES:** Todos los Domingos: 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**

**PROGRAMAS**

**PREP:** Registración, re-registración para todos los grados 1-6 sería 20, 21, 27, 28 agosto después de las Misas

**Registración nueva:** Traer el certificado del bautismo.

**Costo:** \$45 para 1 niño o \$55 (total) para 2 o más niños.

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

**Classes de PREP comenzarán:**

- 1) Grados 1-6: Martes, 20 de septiembre: 6:15-7:45 PM
- 2) Confirmación y Secundaria: Domingo, 21 de Agosto a las 9:00 AM en la Rectoría

**CÍRCULO de ORACIÓN**

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

**Visitas: ENFERMOS y ANCIANOS:** Coordina con *Ida Jiménez*.

**CELEBREMOS CON NUESTROS AMIGOS DE:**

**Costa Rica:** Nuestra Señora de los Angeles: 2 de Agosto  
**Bolivia:** Nuestra Señora de la Candelaria de Copacabana: 5 de Agosto  
**Bolivia:** Día de Independencia: 6 de agosto

**La Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia** le invita a la Ordenación del Obispo electo *Edward M. Deliman*:  
18 de agosto a las 2:00 PM  
Catedral Basílica de San Pedro y San Pablo.  
Oremos por él!

**GRAN RIFA**

El Sorteo será Domingo, 11 de septiembre  
A beneficio de las obras de la Comunidad Hispana

**Donativo: \$1**

1º Premio: \$200.

2º Premio: \$100.

3º Premio \$50.

4º Premio \$25.

**SANTUARIO MEDALLA MILAGROSA**

Misa, Confesión, Novena, Consagración a María  
Martes, 2 de agosto a las 10:30 AM y 7:00 PM  
500 E. Avenida Cheltenham, Filadelfia

**Año de la MISERICORDIA**

**La Capilla Adoración Perpetua** de St. William está abierta las 24 horas los 7 días de la semana.

COVER SHEET

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