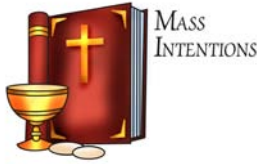


Pentecost Sunday May 31, 2009



Monday	No 7:30 a.m. Mass
	9:00 a.m. John W. Ripley†
Tuesday	No 7:30 a.m. Mass
	9:00 a.m. Bill Grunden†
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. Marie & Aloysuis Geiser & Son†
	No 6:30 p.m. Mass
Thursday	No 7:30 a.m. Mass
	9:00 a.m. Grace Grooterboer†
Friday	9:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Steven Piroshak†
	No 6:30 a.m. Mass
Saturday	9:00 a.m. The Staszak Family
	5:00 p.m. Mr. Richard Rodgers†
	7:00 p.m. Feliciano & Fidela†
Sunday	7:30 a.m. Szafranski/Sienicki Families†
	9:00 a.m. Anne McClevey†
	10:30 a.m. Col. Paul Kelly†
	12:15 p.m. Erlinda Jalipa†
	5:00 p.m. People of St. William of York

This week, Monday thru Friday we will be on a Modified Mass Schedule while one of our Priest is away.

† Confession Schedule † June 1st – June 6th:

Tuesday:	9:30 a.m.
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	No 9:30 a.m.**
Saturday:	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*
Saturday:	6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

(* The penitent in the confessional at 4:30 p.m. will be the last confession heard.)

(** There will be no 9:30 a.m. confessions on Saturday, June 6th due to Diaconate Ordinations.)

An Hour a Day ~ An Hour a Week

Parishioners of Saint William of York are challenged to lift their hearts and minds in prayer to the Lord for at least one hour a day. We also are asked to donate at least the equivalent of one hour's wages per household to the regular offertory collection each week.

*Have I prayed for at least one hour a day this week?
Was our weekly offertory donation equivalent to at least one hour's wages?*



Prayer Request...

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

Rev. Eric Albertson, Ralph Allison, Caesar Camacho, Daniel Castanon, Shawn Cunningham, Rev. Michael Duesterhaus, Lt. Kevin Fallon, 2nd Lt. Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Richard Garver, Lt. Col. Richard G. de Guzman, Lt. Col. Tina Marie G. de Guzman, Keirsten Hage, Lt. Col. John Heslin, Maj. Pete Houtz, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Shane Lambert, Kent Larson, Dyron Anthony Layug, Michael Luther, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Thomas Ryan, Christopher Schap, Daniel Stehm, Capt James Stoltz, Bobby Stone, Col. Rick Swengros, Capt. Richard Swengros, Chris Tolliver, Vincent Torney, Michael Wasilewski, Adam Wright, & Eric Wright.

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.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on Wednesday, June 24th at 7:30 p.m. in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on Saturday, June 13th at 8:30 a.m. in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith

Sulamed Kamara son of Zainab and Ibrahim Kamara.

Gabriel Xavier Pettit son of Nadia and Patrick Pettit.

Brooklyn Romero McGuin daughter of Alexandra Romero and Ronald McGuin.

Vigil of Priesthood Ordination Holy Hour

Friday, June 12th please join us at 7:30 p.m. at Blessed Sacrament Parish for a holy hour.

Help Support Work Camp Teens! Picnic Table Raffle

The CYO teens will be constructing a picnic table in preparation for Work Camp. Please help support their efforts in this weeklong service project by donating \$10 for a Raffle Ticket. Winner will be notified after June 1st. For more info, or to obtain a ticket, contact Gillian Ramsel at 659-5705 x 31 or at youthgroup@swoycc.org. Forms are available online at swoycc.org.

Think about donating to the Thrift Shop

As you clean up, or pack out, or unpack this season think about donating. We depend on your tax deductible donations of clean/good condition clothing, shoes, household items and toys to fuel Thrift Shop sales. Money made there goes directly to support the needy and elderly in Stafford County. When you donate during our store hours—Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., we'll be happy to provide a tax receipt.

The Thrift Shop will be open on Saturday, June 6th from 9:45 a.m. until 12:30 a.m. Come shop and discover our bargain prices and one-of-a-kind treasures. We have books—both paperback and hard cover—at incredible prices from 10¢ to 50¢! Why pay full price for your summer reading? Come peruse our shelves and don't forget to stop by the Kid's Shop for a wonderful selection of children's books.

The Food Pantry depends on your generosity even more as the school year ends and R.E. classes' finish up. While canned vegetable stocks are currently high, we continuously need non-perishable protein items like chili, beef stew, Spam, tuna, and other meat and fish items. Thank you for your continued support.

Vacation Bible School

Registration Now Open! Starts June 22nd thru June 26th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Registration forms are now available in the parish office, the RE office, and online at www.swoycc.org. The deadline is June 12th. Volunteers are needed to teach classes and to assist. For more information, contact Gillian Ramsel at 720-8954 or ramrels@msn.com.

Coffee and Donuts

Everyone is invited to join the Knight of Columbus for coffee and donuts in the parish center after all morning Masses.



St. William of York Catholic School

Registration

St. William of York Catholic School is now accepting **registrations** for the 2009-2010 school year. Please call or stop by the office for information.



Blood Drive

The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Sunday, June 7th from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. in the parish center. Our last blood drive was very successful (62 pints) and your efforts enabled us to exceed our goal. However, recruiting donors to help maintain an adequate supply of blood, during the upcoming summer months, is an extremely challenging task. Won't you join your fellow parishioners to help "Give the Gift of Life" to someone in need? Please remember that a valid pictured ID is required prior to registration. If you have any questions please contact Kathleen or John Hannon 720-1599.

St. Raphael Ministry

June 2nd & June 4th are the last scheduled "Walk In" Clinics. They will resume on September 1st & 3rd. Private appointments can be made by contacting Sr. Mary Lou at raphaelmin2002@yahoo.com or (540) 850-6438.

June 9th (Tuesday) Senior Father's Day Luncheon to be held in gym 12-2 p.m. Please Note: This is the last luncheon until the Senior Oktoberfest on October 13th.

Car Blessing Tailgate Party

Sunday after the 5 p.m. Mass on June 7th in the St. William of York parking lots, we will be having a Car Blessing. Donations of \$20.00 per car will go to the debt reduction fund. Bring your favorite tailgate apparatus, food and beverages. Meet your fellow parishioners, have your car blessed by the priest and enjoy a warm summer evening! Don't go on vacation without having your car blessed.



This Week in our Parish

Sunday, May 31

8:00 a.m. K of C Coffee & Donuts (Center)
 9:45 a.m. Choir (Brent Room)
 6:30 p.m. Adult Ed. (Brent Room)
 7:00 p.m. Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

Monday, June 1

3:10 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art/Brent Rooms)
 6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room)
 6:30 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)
 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (Center)
 7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts (K of C Hall)

Tuesday, June 2

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Clinic (Brent Room)
 9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)
 9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers (Brent Room)
 5:00 p.m. Baseball (Outside/Gym)
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)

Wednesday, June 3

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)

Thursday, June 4

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Clinic (Brent Room)
 9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)
 5:00 p.m. Baseball (Gym)
 6:30 p.m. Cantor Practice (Church)
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Brent Room)
 7:30 p.m. Choir (Church)
 7:30 p.m. Pontifical Bible School (Center)

Friday, June 5

6:00 p.m. Middle School Dance (Center)

Saturday, June 6

9:30 a.m. No Confessions (Church)
 12:00 p.m. Baseball (Gym)
 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)
 5:45 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)
 6:30 p.m. Spanish Confessions (Church)
 7:00 p.m. Spanish Baptisms

International Fall Festival

Anyone interested in helping with this year's IFF please contact Frank Santana at (540) 446-1869.

White Elephant Sale: The International Fall Festival (IFF) committee is starting to collect items to be sold at the festival this Fall. If you would like to make donations for the festival, we ask that you please drop them off in the gray storage container, located between the north school building and the gym. We ask that you donate only items in good condition and please no clothing. For more information contact Justin Bettendorf at (540) 752-6970.

Pontifical Vacation Bible School

Classes will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the parish center on Thursdays starting June 4th thru July 30th. Bring your Bible and a notebook. Father Magat will lead you through many topics from Genesis to the Passion. For more information call the parish office at (540) 659-1102.

Are you interested in adopting?

Children's Services of Catholic Charities will be holding Adoption Information Sessions at 5294 Lyngate Court, Burke, VA 22015. The sessions will be from 6:00-8:30 p.m. on June 11, July 9, September 10, October 8, and November 12. The presentation will cover Catholic Charities' Domestic, International, Interstate and Parental Placement Adoption Programs with emphasis on the home study, placement and supervision of children as well as adoption resources. Registration Fee: \$20.00. Please call (703) 425-0100 to register to attend one of the sessions. (The meeting will be conducted in English but for those who speak only Spanish, please call the office and ask for the Latina social worker.)

Pray for a Priest Each Day...

This week please pray for

May 31 st	Rev. Alexander Drummond
June 1 st	Rev. Thomas Ferguson
June 2 nd	Rev. Richard Guest
June 3 rd	Rev. Donald Rooney
June 4 th	Rev. Vincent Bork
June 5 th	Rev. Ronald Escalante
June 6 th	Rev. Daniel Gee

O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, Live in (name a priest), act in him, speak in and through him. Think Your thoughts in his mind, love through his heart. Give him Your own dispositions and feelings. Teach, lead and guide him always. Correct, enlighten and Expand his thoughts and behavior. Possess his Soul, take over his entire personality and life. Replace him with Yourself. Incline him to constant adoration and thanksgiving; pray in and through him. Let him live in you.

Electronic Giving Program

For your convenience, we offer the opportunity for you to participate in an electronic giving program. Instead of placing an offertory envelope into the collection basket each week, you can authorize us to debit your checking or savings account each month for a specified amount. This practice will save you the effort of writing a check each week and helps us to manage our cash flow more effectively. If you wish to participate in this program, complete the form below and return it to the parish office or place it in the collection basket. If you have any questions please call or stop by the parish office.

I authorize Saint William of York Catholic Church to debit my ___ checking ___ savings account at the financial institution listed below

Bank Draft (Electronic Funds Transfer)

Bank Name: _____

Routing Number: (9 digits on the bottom of your check or deposit slip) _____

Account Number: _____

Name of Account Holder (PRINT) _____

Monthly Donation Amount: _____

Day of Month for Donation (Choose One): 3rd ___ 15th ___ 25th ___

Date of First Donation: _____

Please attach a voided check with this form.

I understand that St. William of York Catholic Church will withdraw funds directly from my bank account as indicated above. I also understand that these donations will continue until I notify the parish to discontinue them. I understand that if I want to make any changes to my donation amount or account information, I must notify the parish office,

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (Print): _____