



✠ **Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** ✠  
**January 29, 2012**



**The Week of  
January 30<sup>th</sup> – February 5<sup>th</sup>**

Monday	7:30 AM	Anna Tranmer
	9:00 AM	Geoff & Victoria McAfee
Tuesday	7:30 AM	Eleanore Tranmer
	9:00 AM	Col. Paul Kelly✠
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Stan Lobo✠
	6:30 PM	Turner Family
Thursday	7:30 AM	James & Patricia Bettendorf
	9:00 AM	Raymond L. Phoenix
Friday	9:00 AM	Barbara Lobo✠
	6:30 PM	Marianna Bettendorf
Saturday	9:00 AM	Kathleen Hannon✠
	5:00 PM	Holy Souls in Purgatory✠
	7:00 PM	Frances Buhrdorf✠
Sunday	7:30 AM	Mary Ann Rapoport✠
	9:00 AM	John McNulty✠
	10:30 AM	Frederick Lombardi✠
	12:15 PM	People of St. William of York

**✠ Confession Schedule ✠  
January 30<sup>th</sup> –  
February 4<sup>th</sup>**

Tuesday:	9:30 AM
Thursday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	9:30 AM
Saturday:	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM*
Saturday:	6:30 PM (Spanish)

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

**Pray for a Priest Each Day...**

This week please pray for

January 28 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Andrew Heintz
January 29 <sup>th</sup>	All Seminarians
January 30 <sup>th</sup>	All Diocese of Arlington Priests
January 31 <sup>st</sup>	Rev. James Searby

*O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, Live in (Name of priest), act in him, speak in him 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 thought and behavior. Posses 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. Amen*

**Letters to Father  
DeMartino**

“And the winners are...”

**Samuel Bettendorf:**

*Why I want to be a priest.*

**Rebekah Born:**

*Why I want to be a nun.*

**Justin Hart:**

*Why I love my Catholic School.*

**Joseph Manhire:**

*Why I love St. William of York Parish.*

**Father DeMartino:** “What a great exercise this was, to encourage our parish children to write letters, seemingly a lost art, but one that I’ve always cherished. Picking the winners was the hardest part, but I had plenty of help from my wonderful staff. I hope you enjoy reading the winners’ letters as much as I did. I want to thank all the children for writing to me. The following parish children deserve...”

**Honorable Mention**

Isabel Born	Sarah Born
Mackenzie Dickinson	Anna Dragan
Monica Trujillo Figueroa	Taylor Flieg
Madeline Guilloux	Fiona Jameson
Dominic Manhire	Frank Manhire
Sophia Manhire	William Manhire
Madeline Rose Moloko	Felicity Moran
Maeri Nash	Isabella Porter
Lloyd Sabino	Dulanda Saintcyr
Itzabella Santana	Raichael Spellane
Mary Catherine Williamson	Meg Williamson

**Bishop’s Lenten Appeal**

In mid-January, many of us will receive a mailing from Bishop Loverde regarding the 2012 Bishop’s Lenten Appeal (BLA). The theme for the 2012 BLA is *Love One Another with the Heart of Christ!* After reflecting upon the importance of the vital initiatives funded by the BLA, please prayerfully consider Bishop Loverde’s request for support and give generously to assist the many programs and ministries that serve the people in need in our diocese.

# St. William of York Catholic School

Academic Excellence \* Personalized Attention \* Authentic Catholic Culture

## Catholic Schools Week in Your Parish School

Theme: Faith, Academics, Service

**Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> - St. Thomas Aquinas Day**  
Knights of Columbus Basketball Free Throw Contest in the gym (boys & girls ages 10-14)  
Decades Dance in the parish center

**Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup>**  
Open House: Gym and Center

**Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup>**  
Crazy Hat Day!  
Box Top Bake Sale  
Report Cards come home!

**Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> St. John Bosco Day**  
Catholic Book Fair: Daughters of St. Paul

**Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Open House

**Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> Feast of the Presentation of the Lord**  
School Mass & Breakfast for Parents and Grandparents  
Vocations talks: Daughters of St. Paul

**Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> - St. Blaise Day**  
Crazy Socks or Tie Day  
Pizza for Everyone!  
Blessing of Throats  
Faculty vs Eighth Grade Volleyball Game  
Family Fun Night: "Elephant Bingo"



## Parish School Open House

When?

**Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at Noon and  
Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 10 AM**

### Why Come to Open House?

- Have another look at YOUR parish school!
- Meet teachers, parents, and students
- See our curriculum
- View our Writing Program
- Hear our School band
- Win fun prizes!
- Most of all: Let us meet YOU!

## Religious Education Office

### Schedule of CLASSROOM events:

TODAY January 29<sup>th</sup> - RE MID-TERM EXAM

\*\*It is very important that students attend classes on a regular basis\*\*

### February 2012 schedule:

Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> - Classes in Session

Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> - Classes in Session - Progress Reports go home.

Feb. 19<sup>th</sup> - President's Day Weekend - NO CLASSES

February 26<sup>th</sup> - Classes in Session

## Sponsor of the Week

We would like to thank  
**"Aquia Car Care Center"**  
this week for sponsoring an ad  
in our weekly bulletin.

If you are interested in sponsoring an ad in our bulletin please call 1(800) 883-4343.

## Arlington Catholic Herald

The second collection next weekend will be for both the Debt Reduction as well as the Arlington Catholic Herald (the diocesan weekly newspaper). If you receive the Herald each week, please help the parish offset the annual diocesan assessment of \$22 per subscription. Last year the diocesan assessment was \$13, 552. If you do not receive the paper and would like to begin receiving it, please call the parish office.

## First Friday Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will begin on Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, after the 9:00 AM Mass and continue until 6:15 PM. Adoration will resume after the 6:30 PM Mass until midnight. Please join our parish community every First Friday as we adore our Lord on the altar.

Please join others for a Holy Hour to pray especially for the teens and young adults in your life and in the world on First Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM. Meditation sheets will be provided in the vestibule.

## **This week in our Parish**

### **Sunday, January 29**

Catholic Schools Week

7:30 AM: Ladies Auxiliary Coffee & Muffins (Center)

8:45 AM: RE Class

9:45 AM: Choir (Brent Room)

10:45 AM: RE Class

12:00 PM: School Open House

6:00 PM: CYO Meeting (Center)

6:00 PM: RE Class

### **Monday, January 30**

6:00 PM: Boys Varsity Basketball Practice (Gym)

7:00 PM: IFF Meeting (Brent Room)

7:00 PM: Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

### **Tuesday, January 31**

8:00 AM: Pauline Sister's Book Fair (Center)

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

9:30 AM: Rosary Makers (Brent Room)

1:00 PM: Senior Brain Train (Brent Room)

7:00 PM: Boy Scouts (Center)

7:15 PM: Finance Meeting (Brent Room)

### **Wednesday, February 1**

9:30 AM: Liturgy of the Hours (Brent Room)

10:00 AM: School Open House

3:15 PM: Girls Basketball Game (Gym)

5:15 PM: Boys Varsity Basketball Game (Gym)

6:00 PM: Girl Scouts (Brent/Art Rooms)

6:00 PM: Boy Varsity Basketball Practice (Gym)

7:30 PM: RCIA (Center)

### **Thursday, February 2**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

7:00 PM: Legion of Mary (Brent Room)

### **Friday, February 3**

1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration

Memorial of St. Blaise

6:00 PM: Family Fun Night (Center)

### **Saturday, February 4**

9:30 AM: Confessions (Church)

3:30 PM: Confessions (Church)

6:30 PM: Spanish Confessions (Church)

7:00 PM: Spanish Baptism (Church)

## **Divine Mercy Care Donations**

The Catholic Culture Committee at St. William of York School is collecting new baby items for Divine Mercy Care (see [www.divinemercycare.org](http://www.divinemercycare.org) for monetary donations). The collection runs from January 23<sup>rd</sup> until February 14<sup>th</sup>. Please bring items to a donation box in the school lobby. Divine Mercy Care is a non-profit Catholic-faith based pro-life organization that was founded by Dr. John Bruchalski. Divine Mercy Care's principal program is Tepeyac Family Center, an OB/GYN medical practice that treats patients regardless of individual financial circumstances.

## **St. William of York Outreach**

Financial Assistance is now done on Thursdays. Interviews begin at 10:00 AM but the lines form earlier. Typically financial assistance is provided for utility cut-offs and eviction notices. Clients must be Stafford County residents. For more information on how to apply please call (540) 720-6652 or visit our website at <http://mysite.verizon.net/stwilliamofyorkoutreach/>.

## **Blessing of the Throats**

Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> is the Memorial of St. Blaise. Blessing of throats will be done at the 9:00 AM and 6:30 PM Masses.

## **Baseball Camp**

Baseball players in grades 6 – 11 are invited to participate in the Third Annual Spring Training Baseball Camp at Pope John Paul the Great Catholic High School. Coaches work with players on the fundamentals of hitting, throwing, and fielding. February 18-19 and 25-26. To register, please visit [www.jpthegreat.org](http://www.jpthegreat.org) or contact the baseball coach, Brian Dunleavy by phone at (703) 445-0331 or you may email him at [brian.dunleavy@jpthegreat.org](mailto:brian.dunleavy@jpthegreat.org).

## **A Valentine Luncheon Invitation**

Seniors 50 and over please join us for our February Luncheon. Please bring your favorite dish to share or a \$3.00 donation. See you February 14<sup>th</sup> at noon. The Outreach donation this month is laundry or dish detergent.

## **Church in Latin America**

Thank you for your generous donations to the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Your gifts will continue to keep faith in the region by supporting evangelization, developing lay leadership programs, and strengthening religious and seminarian formation. The future of the region's Church is brighter today because of your help. To learn more about how your donations are making a difference keeping the faith, please visit [www.usccb.org/national](http://www.usccb.org/national) collection.

## **IFF Meeting**

Anyone interested in helping with this year's IFF (International Fall Festival) is welcome to join us for a meeting in the Brent Room on Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM.

## **Gabriel Project Volunteer Training**

The Gabriel Project Volunteer Training is a free event to learn how to assist expecting mothers in our parish. Our next training will take place on February 4<sup>th</sup> from 9AM to 12:30 PM at St. Rita Catholic Church in Alexandria. If you would like to attend, please register online before February 3<sup>rd</sup> at [arlingtondiocese.org/gpvolunteer](http://arlingtondiocese.org/gpvolunteer). Your prayers for this ministry are appreciated. Kay Glymph, GP parish coordinator for St. William of York (571) 265-3451.

## ***We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith***

*Ciaran Bradley Goins*, son of James and Pasqualine Goins.

*Edgar Imanol Jimenez*, son of Edgar Jimenez and Catllina Martinez.

*William Alexander Jimenez*, son of Edgar Jimenez and Catalina Martinez.

*José Angel Montesinos*, son of José Montesino and Ada Cartagena.

*Anna Josephine Price*, daughter of Scott and Holly Price.

*Catherine Elizabeth Segovia*, daughter of Marco and Mandi Segovia.

*Isabel Catherine Segovia*, daughter of Marco and Mandi Segovia.

## **Young Adults Corner**

**Young Adults (ages 21-40) single and married:** Join Fr. Magat this Winter/Spring for various events to get to know your fellow Catholic young adults in the area. The line up for the first part of the New Year is:

Feb. 10-12: Young Adult Ski Trip with Our Lady of Hope and St. Mark's. Contact Angie Pometto at [apometto@stmark.org](mailto:apometto@stmark.org). We leave on Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM and return by 10 PM on Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>. Trip is to 7 Springs in Western PA.

Feb. 17: Concert w/Allan Palacios Chan at the Cathedral at 8 PM. Meet at the parish at 6:40 PM to travel up. Cost: is a free will offering.

Feb. 25: Trip to Franciscan Monastery in DC

**Book/Movie Club:** Join Fr. Magat on Monday Nights at 7:30 PM. We will be watching the hit DVD series "Catholicism". We will meet at Charlotte & Karolyn's. For more info., email Father Magat at [fathermagat@gmail.com](mailto:fathermagat@gmail.com). The next meeting will be on Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>.

## **Prayer Request...**

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

Ralph Allison, Gary Anderson, John Bernier, OJ Block, George Davis III, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Marc D'Eredita, Mike D'Eredita, Nathan Dobbins, John Ferry, Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Keirsten Hage, Jason Heuer, John Koretke, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Marc Mooney, Travis Morgan, Mike Parrot, Howard Pavlat, Jr., Chris Rankin, Gavin Reed, Thomas Ryan, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Daniel Stone, Gregory Thomas, Chris Tolliver, Vincent Torney and Steve Wasilewski.

*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.*

## **Brain Train**

It is a new year and time to make your yearly resolution to exercise your brain. Come join us from 1:00-3:00 PM on Tuesday, Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> in the Brent Room for a game of Mexican Train, Bunco or the game of your choice. What a great way to spend a couple hours meeting new and old friends, fun and mind stretches. Mark your calendar and we will see you there. Call Sharyn Drollinger at (540) 720-1734.

## **Catholic Book Fair**

All are invited to a Catholic Book Fair hosted by the Daughters of St. Paul in the parish center. Throughout the school day (8:20 AM - 3:00 PM) on Tues, Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>, Sr. Andrew will be showing a variety of Catholic books, CDs, DVDs, etc. (suitable for preschoolers - adults) to students/visitors and taking orders. Come visit the school and take advantage of this great opportunity.

## **Thanksgiving/Christmas Food Baskets**

The generosity of parishioners was so overwhelming this year that contributions significantly exceeded perishable food expenses for the 206 families who received food baskets. Recently, it was suggested that the excess funds be given to the St. William of York Outreach to help them assist the less fortunate. Fr. DeMartino has accepted this suggestion and will send a check for \$4,477.88 to the Outreach next week. Again, thank you for your continued support and prayers.