

# SAINT WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PARISH STAFF

**Rev. John Hourican**, *Pastor*

**Rev. Mr. Scott Ewen**, *Deacon*

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**Mrs. Debbie Breckenridge**,

*Director of Religious Education*

(901) 359-7063

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(901) 628-3207

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 9am-4:30pm

closed for lunch 12:30-1:30pm

## Religious Education/Teen Ministry

Pre-K-8, Sundays 9:45-10:45am

All Teenagers, Sundays 12:15-3:00pm

September - May

## Instructions in the Catholic Faith - (O.C.I.A.)

Tuesdays, 7pm, September - April

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:30 & 11am

## WEEKDAY MASSES & HOLY DAYS OF

### OBLIGATION

as announced

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3-4pm in the FLC & by appointment

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

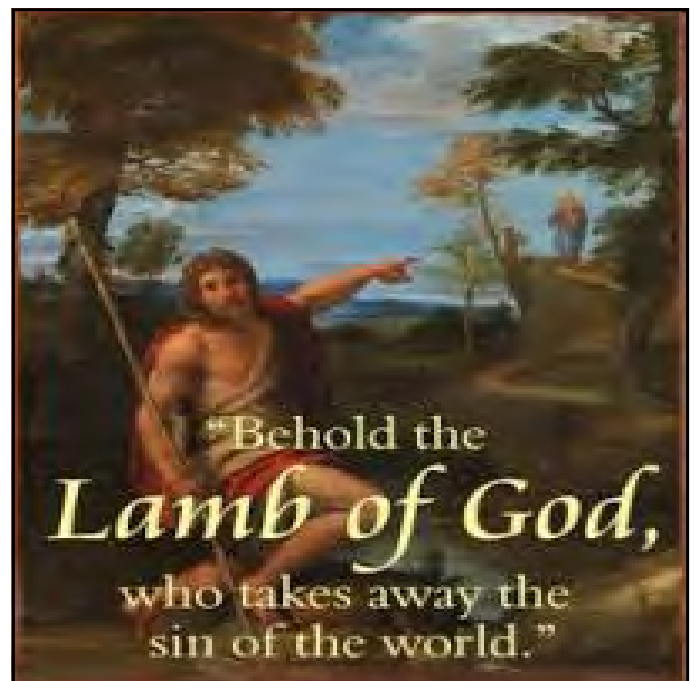
Fridays 9-10am

## WEDDINGS

Six months notification required.

## BAPTISM

By appointment - Parent Class required and must be registered three months in the parish.



January 18, 2026 ~ Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please note the Parish Office will be closed Monday, January 19, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr Day, and Mass will be at 10am.

### Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

OCIA is held on Tuesdays at 7pm in the old school building.

This week's topic is  
**"The Sacrament of Reconciliation".**

You do not have to be a participant in the class to attend.  
 All are welcome!

### **Meeting Reminders**

#### Finance Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 21, at 4pm

#### Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday, January 22, at 4pm

The St. William Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest for boys and girls ages 9—14, will be on Sunday, February 1, at 1pm in the Family Life Center. All are welcome, even if they don't attend St. William. Winners will advance to the District or Regional Free Throw Contest on dates and locations to be announced.



Good luck!

### **IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY**

If you have a grave family emergency and need a priest immediately, contact your parish first at 901-872-4099 or 901-616-9437.

Another option is to talk to the hospital chaplain or a hospital staff member for assistance in reaching a priest after business hours.

There is a team of volunteers that help find a priest for emergencies called AHERT.

If you are struggling with health issues or are anticipating surgery, you are always welcome to call your pastor and request an anointing at your parish.

**VOYAGE RETREAT**

January 30-February 1, 2026  
 \*Can satisfy Diocesan Requirements of Confirmation Retreat

**ALL 7TH & 8TH GRADE STUDENTS WELCOME**

**Journey to Discover Who God Created You to Be!**

Jan. 30-Feb. 1, 2026 (Overnight Retreat)  
 St. Benedict at Auburndale Catholic High School  
 Cost: \$100.00

Questions:  
 sharon.kowalke@cc.cdom.org  
 (901)373-1234



Scan to Register

*Statements of your **2025 financial donations** to the church will be available upon request only. Please call the Parish Office or email [lisa.rhodes@stwilliam.cdom.org](mailto:lisa.rhodes@stwilliam.cdom.org) if you wish to have a record of your donations.*

# Teen Times

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## Prayers and Devotions

Novenas, Litanies, Chaplets, and so many more. Our Catholic faith is rich with prayers and devotions! If you ever feel like you don't know the right words to say in prayer or you want something even more in your prayer life, join us next Sunday to learn about the many scripted prayers our faith has to offer.

Youth Group meeting on January 25<sup>th</sup> from 12:15 till 2:30, all teens welcome!

*Thank you for reading Teen Times, the official Youth Group news outlet.*



### Mission Statement

We the people of St. William Parish, accept as our mission: to love God with all our heart and mind, and our neighbor as ourselves. We seek to know our faith, to live our faith, and to authentically teach our faith by word and example. We carry out this mission by lovingly promoting the traditions and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and through prayer, evangelization, and service to others; while always remembering that the primary mission of the Church is the salvation of souls.

**Out of consideration of our Lord's presence in the tabernacle and for those wishing to pray before or after Mass, please refrain from talking in the church worship space.**

## CALLED BY NAME

Parishioners throughout the Diocese are encouraged to consider who in our midst might have a calling to serve the People of God as a priest, a deacon, or a religious brother or sister, and submit his/her name and information on this card or online by scanning the QR Code



## Te Llame por tu Nombre

Exhortamos a los feligreses a lo largo y ancho de nuestra Diócesis a considerar si conocen a alguien en medio de nosotros que podría servir a Dios como sacerdote, diacono o consagrado, y someter su nombre y datos al reverso o en línea escaneando el código QR



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**BISHOP DAVID P. TALLEY  
MSGR. MARVIN BORGER**

## Pilgrimage to TURKEY & GREECE

Walk in the footsteps of St. Paul and discover the seven churches of the Book of Revelation.

**SEPT 5-19, 2026**



**MAGGIE MCDANIEL 419-290-8782  
MAGGIE@CATHOLICFAITHJOURNEYS.COM**

Discover the magnificent monuments of the Ottoman and Byzantine Empires: the Roman Hippodrome, Hagia Sophia, and the Grand Bazaar. Become immersed in the book of Revelation by exploring Pergamum (Rev. 2: 12-17), Thyatira (Rev. 2: 18-29), Izmir (Rev. 2: 8-11), Sardis (Rev. 3: 1-6), Philadelphia (Rev. 3: 7-18), Laodicea (Rev. 3: 14-22), and Hierapolis (Col 4:13). Visit Ephesus, Patmos, Athens, Delphi, Corinth and Thessaloniki. Final details will be made available once the hotels and airlines publish their rates for 2026. For now, save the date and begin to save for this special pilgrimage with Bishop Talley and Msgr. Berger.

**SAVE THE DATE**

	Monday	January 19	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>+Michael Maglio</b> by June Patton
	Tuesday	January 20	11:30am	<b>+Terry Roelke</b> by Pam Glazer
	Wednesday	January 21	8:30am	<b>Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Memphis</b> by Rev. John Hourican
	Thursday	January 22	11:30am	<b>+Sally Mendola</b> by the DiCello Family
	Friday	January 23	8:30am	<b>+Michael Austin</b> by Josie Austin
	Saturday	January 24	8:30am	<b>Special Intention</b> by Rev. John Hourican
			4:30pm	<b>+Linda Fenwick</b> by Jay Fenwick
	Sunday	January 25	8:30am	<b>For the parishioners of St. William</b>
			11:00am	<b>+Sunny Afton</b>

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH:** *Guy Avanzi, Earl Baker, Bill Beckmann, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Alex Domingo, Holly Dunn-Moon, Ken Gregory & family, Terry Hunt, Angelo LoBianco, Evelyn Lynn, the Marcello Family, Carol McClain, Mary Morrison, Linda Norman, Howard Olson, Rick Ortiz, Bennett Purdy, Anna Stringfellow, and Chase Weston.*

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES:** *Eric Ballou, Debbie Barkowski, Harriet Bordelon, Larry Bragg, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Caroline Clowes, Donna Cordle, David & Essy Cragin, Virginia Duff, Patty Hayes, Beverly Higgins, Dianne Langley, Babette Lopez, Tanya Martchek, Taylor Martchek, Haley Millican, Jamie Neal, Michelle Neal, Carole O'Brien, Marcy Oliver-Arrambide, Donald Stephens, Courtney Stutes, Marie Sublett, Dave Wainwright, Cathy Whaley, Jane & Martin Wiseman, all caretakers, all the unborn babies, and for all abused children.*

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY:** *HMI James Allen, Zachary Andrews, PFC Anna Grace Beckmann, SP4 Patrick Beckmann, BM1 Shane Blevins, LCDR Evan Bower, Airman David W. Brandt USN, CS2 (SW/AW) Michael Domingo, Msgt Jonathan A. Duncan USMC, CS2 (SS) Michael T. Duncan, PFC Dylan Kirkpatrick, Captain Olivia Anne Koehler, Cody Michael Maglio, Sgt. John Messene, Arthur Metcalfe IV, MAJ Ian A. Netzel, LCDR Leah Ortiz, Joseph Stephens, Turner Weston OSSA, and 1SG Nathan Wright.*

## WEEKLY OFFERING

### WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:

Offertory Actual \$7,092  
Offertory Budget \$7,849

YTD Offertory-actual \$231,994  
YTD Offertory-budget \$219,781

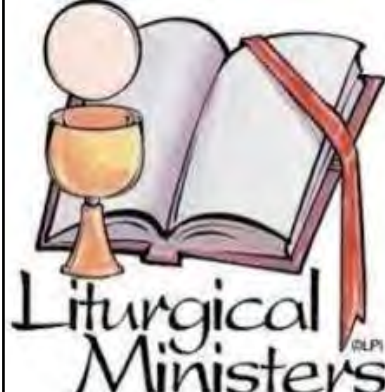
### BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND

YTD Offertory-actual \$39,029  
YTD Offertory-budget \$29,885



*The altar flowers this weekend are  
In Memory of  
Dionesia Francisco  
by the McLellan Family.*

**Next weekend's second collection is for the  
Church in Latin America.**

		<b>January 24</b>	<b>January 25</b>	<b>January 25</b>
		<b>4:30pm</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>11:00am</b>
	<b>Lectors</b>	Lisa Schmidt	Mark Miller	Wendy Strevel
	<b>Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	Chris Pond*	Gary Harper*	Rob Tomlinson*
	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Buddy Kuhstoss Janis Nichols Chris Pond	Annabelle Grassie Jackson Grassie Joseph Marcello	Addison Strevel Cole Strevel Isaac Rosas