Saint William Catholic Church

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PARISH STAFF

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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
First Sunday: 9:30-11am & 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.

November 1, 2026 ~ All Saints

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

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

This week's topic is "*The Church*".

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

All Souls' - If you would like your loved ones remembered at the Masses during the month of November, please list their names on the envelopes, which may be found in the Narthex, and drop in the collection basket.

There will be a Rosary Thursday, November 5th, at 6:30pm in the church. All are invited to attend.

Knights of Columbus Meeting

Thursday, November 5th, at 7:00pm
in the school cafeteria.

Training for Existing Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Date: Sunday, November 15
Time: after the 11am Mass

We will hold a training session for all current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy communion to review the process for distributing the Precious Blood and to prepare for receiving Communion under both species during the weekend Masses. This is only for existing Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If you are interested in becoming one, watch for announcements regarding future diocesan training sessions. We will post them when they become available.

Please note that Masses this Monday, November 2, will be at 8:30 and 11:30am for All Souls' Day.

There will be NO Mass this Wednesday, November 4.

And Mass this Friday, November 6, will be at 5pm, not at 8:30am.

The Women's Club is now **accepting donations** of new and gently used, clean items for the upcoming Silent Auction and Harvest Dinner. Donations can be given to any active club member or dropped off in the Parish Office during the week. You also have the option of dropping your donations off after any of the weekend Masses. We will be accepting donations through November 4. For more information, contact Sharon Hunter at 503-970-7707 or Kathy Masters at 901-634-7475.

Teen Times

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Adoration Afternoon

Sunday, November 8th from 12:00 - 2:30pm we will have lunch followed by Adoration.

Our next Youth Group breakfast is Sunday, November 15th. We will begin cooking at 8:00am and will serve food after both Masses. Clean up should finish around 12:30.

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.

ST.WILLIAM ANNUAL THANKSGIVING MEALS PROGRAM

Thanksgiving Morning | Thursday | November 26th
Family Life Center

Food Needed NOW - 11/22:

Stuffing Potatoes Canned Green Beans & Cranberry Sauce

Food Needed on Sunday 11/22:

Store bought pies & Rolls

Our plan is to Start Preparing Meals @ 7:00 am
Packaging 1st round of Meals @ 8:30 am

Please come help us be the hands & feet of Jesus!

How Can I Help

Donate Food
Help Prepare Food
Help Box Meals
Help Clean Up

Monetary Donations Welcomed

If you need more info or know someone in need of a meal, call parish office

May we all be thankful today and always for all of God's blessings.

Family • Work • Marriage • Home • Faith • Community • Relationships • Love

A Wise Woman Builds

(Prov. 14:1)

Each year the St. William Women's Club recognizes a female parishioner for her commitment to our church and community. This award is presented to an individual that lives the gospel message in her everyday life. Nominees should exemplify service to the Catholic Church as well as to the community at large. She should be someone who assumes a leadership role in parish activities and has the ability to inspire others through her actions.

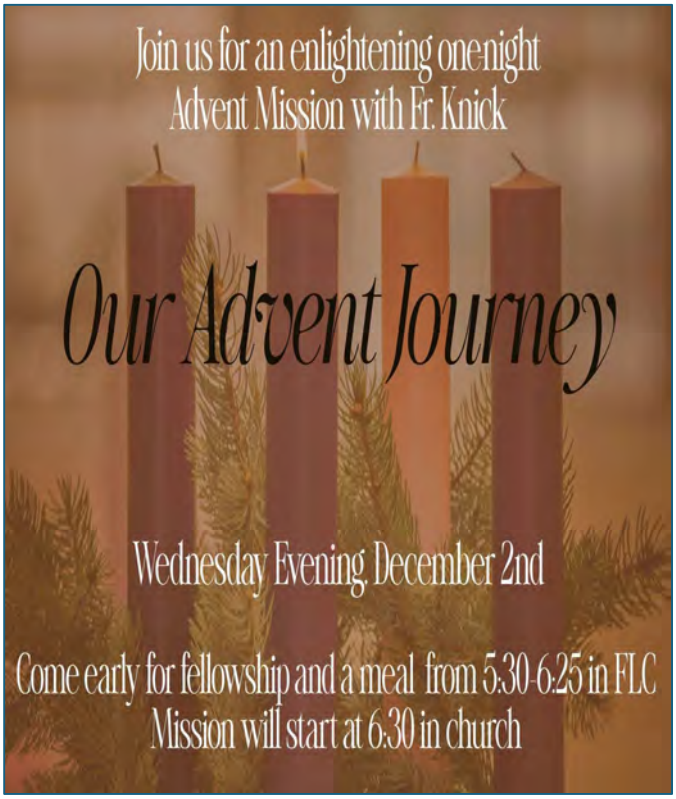
If there is someone that you would like to nominate for this award, please text your nomination to 901-359-7063 or email Debbiebreckenridge@earthlink.net with the name of who you want to be the 2026 St. Williams Women of the Year. A name is all that is required for a nomination, but feel free to add any information about the person you are nominating. If you would rather drop your nomination off at the office with Lisa that is fine as well. All nominations need to be submitted no later than ***November 21, 2026.***

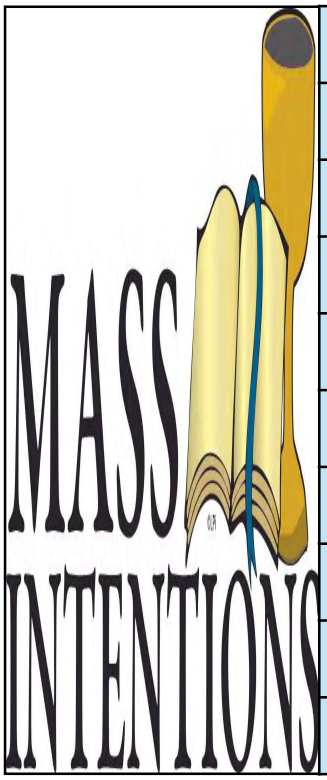
Please note that past recipients of the Woman of the Year award are not eligible for further nomination.

Past Honorees:

2003– Ruth Ann Olson	2004 – Bea Schaller	2005 – Hollye Burger	2006 – Millie Quigley
2007 – Rose Brown	2008 – Kathleen Bryant	2009 – Anna Bernil	2010 – Lisa Schmidt
2011 – Becky Ramberg	2012 – Bitha Luze	2013 – Shirley Maes	2014 – Judi Harper
2015 – Susan Howard	2016 – Debbie Breckenridge	2017 – Shirley Harris	2018- Debi Yetman
2019 - Anna Stringfellow	2020 - Monette Ray	2021 - Mary Heburn	2022- Sandra Kirk
2023 - Teresa Elliot	2024 – Evelyn Cox	2025- Janis Nichols	2026-

One Nomination per person.





Monday	November 2	8:30am	***All Souls' Day envelopes***
		11:30am	***All Souls' Day envelopes***
Tuesday	November 3	11:30am	**+Mary Sue Whelan** by Evelyn Cox
Wednesday	November 4	------	*~NO MASS~*
Thursday	November 5	11:30am	Spec Int of **Aunt Florence Marcello** by the Marcello Family
Friday	November 6	**5:00pm**	**+Linda Fenwick** by Charles & Betty Zoccola
Saturday	November 7	8:30am	**+Michael Hourican, Jr.** by Rev. John Hourican
		4:30pm	**+Kathleen Crowell** by Anna Stringfellow
Sunday	November 8	8:30am	**+Raul Martinez** by the Jenner Family
		11:00am	**For the parishioners of St. William**

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH: *Stacey Asbill, Guy Avanzi, Earl Baker, Bill Beckmann, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Holly Dunn-Moon, Ken Gregory & family, Charles LoBianco, the Marcello Family, Janelle Martinez, Carol McClain, Mary Morrison, Marion Nadrchal, Linda Norman, Howard Olson, Rick Ortiz, Frank Stephens, and Chase Weston*

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES: *Eric Ballou, Harriet Bordelon, Larry Bragg, Fr. Bill Burke, Brenda Cline, Caroline Clowes, Donna Cordle, David & Essy Cragin, Virginia Duff, Regina Garrard, Beverly Higgins, Annie Longoria, Florence Marcello, Tanya Martchek, Taylor Martchek, Haley Millican, Michelle Neal, Carole O'Brien, Marcy Oliver-Arrambide, Lynette Reed, Erica Roszler, Jerome Schlitt, Carol Smith, Courtney Stutes, Marie Sublettt, Bob Van Allen, Dave Wainwright, all caretakers, all the unborn babies, and for all abused children*

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY: *HM1 James Allen, CMCN Frank Amato Jr., 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, MAJ Andrew Snell, Joseph Stephens, Turner Weston OSSA, and 1SG Nathan Wright.*

WEEKLY OFFERING

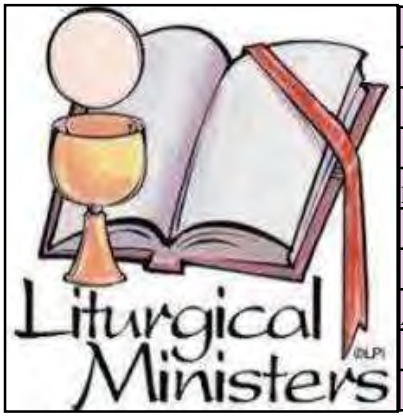
WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:
Offertory Actual $7,454
Offertory Budget $7,942

YTD Offertory-actual $140,882
YTD Offertory-budget $135,019

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND
YTD Offertory-actual $21,508
YTD Offertory-budget $19,615

The altar flowers this weekend are In Honor of Servando Gabriel Pagulayan's 100th Birthday.

BLOOD DRIVE There will be a blood drive Saturday, November 14, from 10am-1pm in the Family Life Center. If you have any questions, contact Ralph Gromley at 476-8667.



	November 7	**November 8**	**November 8**
	4:30pm	**8:30am**	**11:00am**
Lectors	Lisa Schmidt	Frank Stephens	"Children's Mass"
Ministers of Holy	**Deacon Scott Ewen***	**Deacon Scott Ewen***	**Deacon Scott Ewen***
Communion			
Altar Servers	Lynnette Morrison	Gavin Bulthuis	Annabelle Grassie
	Thomas Morrison	Alex Marlow	Jackson Grassie
	Tom Morrison, Sr.	Madison Roberts	Rafael Ortiz