

SAINT WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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(901) 359-7063

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 9am-4:30pm

closed for lunch 12:30-1:30pm

Religious Education/Youth Ministry

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

Grades 9-12, Sundays 2-4pm

September - May

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

Tuesdays, 7pm, August - 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 & by appointment

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays 9-10am

& on First Friday 8:30-11:30am

WEDDINGS

Six months notification required.

BAPTISM

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



November 12, 2023 ~ Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.

Gifts for God's Children

We will once again be participating in Catholic Charities Gifts for God's Children program. If you are interested in adopting a family or child this year, please plan to attend a 15 minute informational session after all Masses **this weekend, November 11/12** in the school cafeteria. With your help, we can provide Christmas for families in need!

Bunco is **this Friday, November 17!** Please mark your calendars and plan to join us! It is a game of no skill and is super easy to play.



Bunco begins at **6pm**. If you have any questions, please call Debbie Breckenridge at 359-7063.

ST. WILLIAM
CATHOLIC
CHURCH

Bake Sale & Craft Fair

In Family Life Center
Saturday 11/18 after 4:30 Mass
Sunday 11/19 after 8:30 and 11:00 Mass

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COME SUPPORT THE
WOMENS CLUB OF ST.
WILLIAM AS WELL AS
LOCAL VENDORS

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN A BOOTH AT CRAFT
FAIR CONTACT MARY HEBURN 215-266-5244



Turkey Day

Greetings fellow parishioners! It is time for our annual Thanksgiving

Meal Project. After 35 years and over 40,000 clients served, we are continuing the tradition of feeding God's lambs. As always, it can only be accomplished with you! We desperately need workers to show up around 6:30-7am on Thursday, November 23. Workers are needed to prepare and package the meals. We will need drivers and clean-up workers to show up around 9am. We need donations of bags of potatoes and store bought pies. We will need some 50 to 75 people to help out and another 15-20 to deliver so please help and make this a family project by joining us from 6am-noon. We promise you that it will be worth it. If you would like to help, just show up.

If you have any questions:

please call or text Bob at 484-7961

or email him at Bobjenallen@yahoo.com

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*Also, please note that Mass will be at 10am on Thanksgiving morning.*

### **Woman of the Year Nominations**

Have you noticed a woman going above and beyond for our parish and wanted to do something special for her? The Women's Club selects one woman as the St. William Woman of the Year based on input from our parish. Nominations for Woman of the Year are now being accepted. If you have a woman you think is deserving of this award, please submit her name to Theresa Cook

([tcookjmj@gmail.com](mailto:tcookjmj@gmail.com)) **by November 27th.**

Your nomination may also be emailed or dropped off to Lisa in the Parish Office. The Woman of the Year will be announced at our Christmas party on December 3rd.





### 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.

## Gifts for God's Children Live Auction and Parish Potluck

PLEASE JOIN US!

Saturday 12/2 After 4:30 Mass  
in the Family Life Center

Bring a dish and a wrapped present you would be happy to receive along with a written hint of what is in the package to entice bidding. Items will be auctioned off to raise money for families in need for Christmas!



### **SCAM!** **ALERT!**

Please be aware that Bishop Talley, Fr. Hourican, or any Priest, Deacon, Seminarian or Church staff member of the Diocese of Memphis will **never** email or text you asking for gift cards, money or any other type of funding. If you do receive what appears to be a scam email or text, please delete them.

**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.**

**HAS YOUR STATUS CHANGED?** Has your name changed? Do you have a new address, new email, home phone or work phone number? Has there been an addition or deletion to your family? If so, please be sure to notify the Church Office by emailing [lisa.rhodes@stwilliam.cdom.org](mailto:lisa.rhodes@stwilliam.cdom.org) or calling 872-4099. In order to serve you, we need to keep our records current. Thank you in advance!

### Rosary Repairs

If you have a rosary in need of repair, please place it in the basket on the table in the Narthex. It will be repaired and placed back in the basket for you to pick up in approximately a week.

## PARENTS NIGHT

*Out!*

St. William Kids Fun Night In!

Friday, 12/8

6:00 PM - 9:30 PM

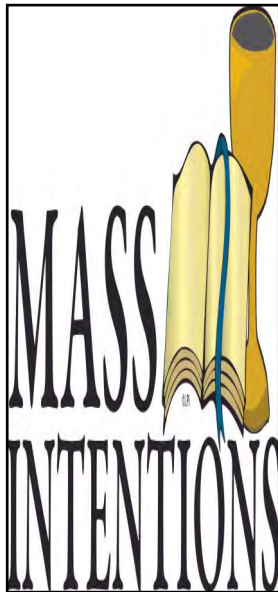
Gamerom School Building

Please RSVP to Debbie At 901-359-7063 for a headcount on dinner, snacks and activities



### *Catholic Diocese of Memphis* **Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse**

Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at 1-877-237-0004, then to the Diocesan Director of Child & Youth Protection at 901-359-2027 or the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 901-652-4066.



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|-----------|-------------|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday    | November 13 | 8:30am  | <b>Anniversaries</b> by Mary Morrison                                  |
| Tuesday   | November 14 | 11:30am | <b>+Deacon James P. &amp; Burma Schmall</b><br>by Mike & Ellen Schmall |
| Wednesday | November 15 | 8:30am  | <b>+Sue Dolan</b> by Rev. John Hourican                                |
| Thursday  | November 16 | 11:30am | <b>+Pat Hunt</b> by Anna Stringfellow                                  |
| Friday    | November 17 | 8:30am  | <b>+Pat Hunt</b> by Charles & Angelo LoBianco                          |
| Saturday  | November 18 | 8:30am  | <b>All Souls' Day envelopes</b>                                        |
|           |             | 4:30pm  | Spec Int of <b>Widows of Departed Knights</b> by Council #6321         |
| Sunday    | November 19 | 8:30am  | <b>+Jody Bach</b> by Yvonne Bach                                       |
|           |             | 11:00am | Spec Int of <b>the Parishioners of St. William</b>                     |

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH:** Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Sarah Cole, Michael Dalao, Al Harris, Mary Harris, Terry Hunt, Gilberto Jaimes, Angelo LoBianco, Mary Morrison, Howard & Ruthann Olson, Rick Ortiz, Deacon Jim Schmall, Chase Weston, and John Yetman.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES:** Clayton & Eva Allen, John Babich, Austin Brewer, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Donna Cordle, Essy & Dave Cragin, Sally & Andy Cuccia, Tim Dorsey, Glenn Hayes, Ronald Hitchcock, Alberta James, Charles LeBlanc & family, Heather Lewellen, Evelyn Lynn, Jamie Neal, Michele Neal, Kalynn Pierce, Claudia Sanders, Gunnar Tombs, Aaron Williams, Todd Williams, all caretakers, all the unborn babies, and for all abused children.

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY:** HM1 James Allen, Zachary Andrews, E3 Nate Beckmann, SP4 Patrick Beckmann, BM1 Shane Blevins, LCDR Evan Bower, CS2 (SW/AW) Michael Domingo, Msgt Jonathan A. Duncan USMC, CS2 (SS) Michael T. Duncan, PFC Dylan Kirkpatrick, SrA Andrew Kurtzman, Cody Michael Maglio, Sgt. John Messene, Arthur Metcalfe IV, MAJ Ian A. Netzel, LT Leah Ortiz, Joseph Stephens, Turner Weston OSSA, Sgt Amy Winter, and ISG Nathan Wright.

**\*\*If any names can be deleted, please call the Parish Office. Thank you.\*\***

## WEEKLY OFFERING


**WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:**

Offertory Actual \$8,291  
 Offertory Budget \$6,731

YTD Offertory-actual \$127,480  
 YTD Offertory-budget \$127,885

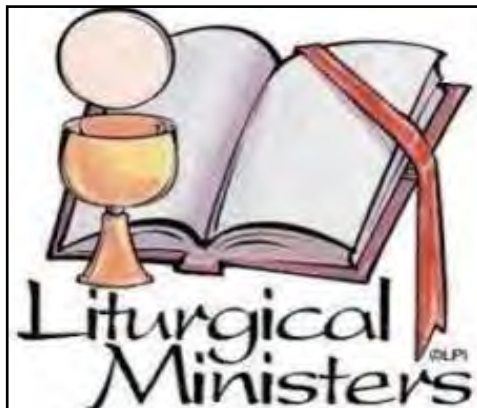
**BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND**

YTD Offertory-actual \$18,748  
 YTD Offertory-budget \$21,923



*The altar flowers this weekend are  
 In Memory of  
 Ron Roberts.*

**Next weekend's second collection is for the  
 Catholic Campaign for Human Development.**



|                                    | November 18                  | November 19                       | November 19                     |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|                                    | 4:30pm                       | 8:30am                            | 11:00am                         |
| <b>Lectors</b>                     | Scott Ewen                   | Theresa Cook                      | "Children's Mass"               |
| <b>Ministers of Holy Communion</b> | Scott Ewen*                  | Margaret Carlson*                 | Paula Ogletree*                 |
| <b>Altar Servers</b>               | Cindy Beckmann<br>Chris Pond | Joseph Marcello<br>Delia Rodocker | Caden Asbill<br>Addison Strelve |
|                                    | VOLUNTEER                    | VOLUNTEER                         | Cole Strelve                    |