## 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 12:30-2:30pm September - May

Instructions in the Catholic Faith - (O.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 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.



September 29, 2024 ~ Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Vernon Luze**, husband of Bitha Luze, who died recently.

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul rest in peace. Amen.





# Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

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

This week's topic is "The Creed & Early Church Councils".

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



We have a novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help each first Wednesday beginning at 6pm in the Church. All are welcome.

There will be a Rosary Thursday, October 3rd, at 6:30pm in the church. All are invited to attend.

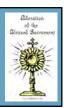


### Knights of Columbus Meeting

Thursday, October 3rd, at 7:00pm in the school cafeteria.

### **First Friday**

First Friday is **October 4th**. It begins after the 8:30am Mass and concludes with Benediction at 10am.



Feast of St. Francis

Blessing of Pets

Friday, October 4, at 6pm

by the playground



Due to Fall Break, please note there will be NO PRE next Sunday, October 6.

### K of C Annual Soccer Challenge

The Knights of Columbus Annual Soccer
Challenge will has been rescheduled and will now
be held on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>October 6</u>, <u>at 12:30pm</u>,
on the grass field by the playground behind the
Family Life Center. This event is for boys and
girls ages 9-14. All are welcome to participate,
even if they don't attend St. William. The
winners will advance to the District or
Regional Soccer Challenges on a later
date. Hope to see you there!





### 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.

# Please join us for upcoming Diocesan Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Classes

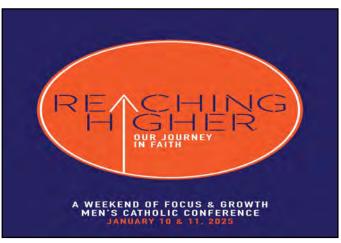
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Class

Saturday, October 19, at 11am Church of the Resurrection

Ministry to the Sick

Saturday, October 19, at 1pm Church of the Resurrection







Our Diocese is a double 2024 award winner of the Catholic Media Association's Communications Award for "Best Book Published by a Diocese" chosen among 196 U.S. Dioceses, including 32 U.S. Archdioceses.

The awards are:

- First Place: Commemorative History and Churches Book
- Second Place: Illustrated Family History Book

The books were produced to celebrate the history of Catholicism, our Diocese, and our Parishes in West Tennessee. One publication is a Commemorative coffee table book and the other is an illustrated family-style book.

To purchase one or both of our Diocese's award-winning books, please call the Parish Office at 872-4099.

	Monday	September 30	8:30am	Spec Int of <b>Jake Simpson</b> by Josie Austin
	Tuesday	October 1	11:30am	+Maggie Atkins by Mike & Ellen Schmall
	Wednesday	October 2	8:30am	Forgotten Souls in Purgatory by Rev. John Hourican
	Thursday	October 3	11:30am	<b>+Louis DiCello</b> by the DiCello Family
	Friday	October 4	8:30am	<b>+Maggie Sauber</b> by the Sauber Family
	Saturday	October 5	8:30am	Spec Int of <b>Fr. Steve Bruno</b> by Rev. John Hourican
			4:30pm	+Linda Fenwick by Charles & Betty Zoccola
	Sunday	October 6	8:30am	Intention of the Parishioners of St. William
			11:00am	Special Intention by the DiCello Family

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH: Guy Avanzi, Earl Baker, James Bishof, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Michael Dalao, Alex Domingo, Ken Gregory & family, Al Harris, Terry Hunt, Angelo LoBianco, Bitha Luze, Evelyn Lynn, the Marcello Family, Butch Moeller, Mary Morrison, Marion Nadrchal, Linda Norman, Howard & Ruthann Olson, Rick Ortiz, Chris Pond, Chase Weston, and John Yetman.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES: Clayton Allen, Eva Allen, Debbie Barkowski, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Donna Cordle, Essy & Dave Cragin, Alberta James, Heather Lewellen, Lana McDowell, Jamie Neal, Michele Neal, M.J. Netzel, Kalynn Pierce, Donald Stephens, Aaron Williams, Todd Williams, Jane & Martin Wiseman, 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, PFC Anna Grace Beckmann, E5 Nate 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, Cody Michael Maglio, Sgt. John Messene, Arthur Metcalfe IV, MAJ Ian A. Netzel, LCDR Leah Ortiz, Joseph Stephens, Turner Weston OSSA, Sgt Amy Winter, and 1SG Nathan Wright.

## WEEKLY OFFERING

#### **WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:**

Offertory Actual \$12,891 Offertory Budget \$6,788

YTD Offertory-actual \$99,169 YTD Offertory-budget \$81,462

### **BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND**

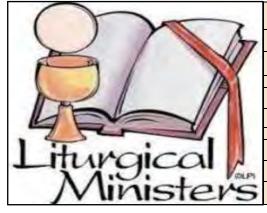
YTD Offertory-actual \$13,514 YTD Offertory-budget \$13,846



The altar flowers this weekend are
In Memory of the
Klipfel—Lamar Family
by Betty Alexander.

Next weekend's second collection is for our Building & Maintenance Fund.

Please be generous.



	October 5	October 6	October 6
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
Lectors	Scott Ewen	Mike McLellan	Wendy Strevel
<b>Ministers of Holy</b>	Scott Ewen*	Margaret Carlson*	Bridget DiCello*
Communion			
Altar Servers	Scott Ewen	Joseph Marcello	Aedan DiCello
	Buddy Kuhstoss	Alex Marlow	Cayleigh DiCello
	Lynnette Morrison	VOLUNTEER	Sophia Rosas