

SAINT WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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

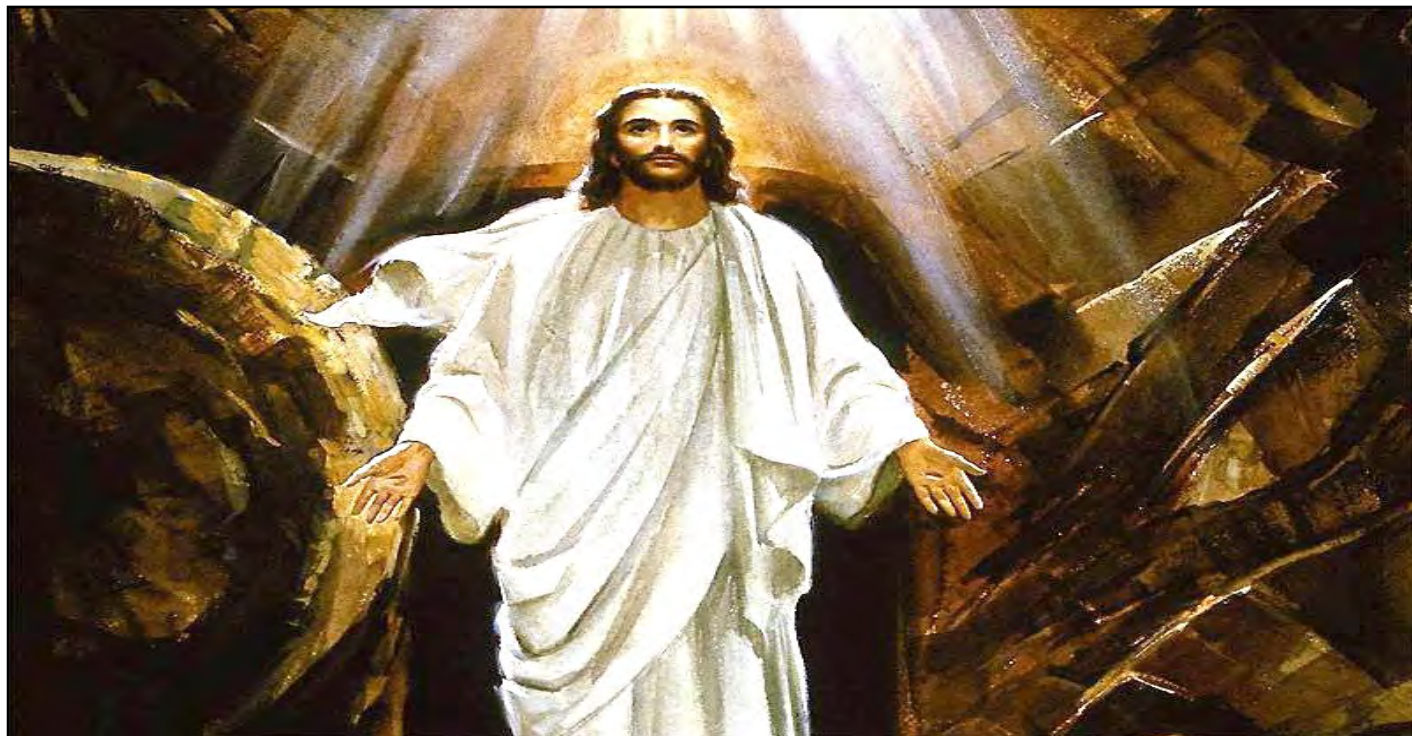
Fridays 9-10am

WEDDINGS

Six months notification required.

BAPTISM

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



April 20, 2025 ~ Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord



Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal. St. William is 92% towards our goal of \$60,800.

If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the Narthex. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

*Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Juan Ayala, who died recently.
His Funeral Mass will be Friday,
April 25, at 11am at St. William.
Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord
and let perpetual light shine upon
him. May his soul rest in peace.*



The Youth Group will be selling t-shirts after the Masses on Sunday to support their summer trip. Also, they will be hosting a pancake breakfast and **Easter Egg Hunt** for kids 2-12 today, Easter Sunday between the Masses.



The Parish Office will be **closed**
Easter Monday, April 21.

Upcoming Meetings:

Finance Council—Wednesday, April 23, @ 4pm

Parish Pastoral Council—Thursday, April 24, @ 4pm

BLOOD DRIVE

There will be a blood drive Saturday, **April 26**, from 10am-1pm in the Family Life Center. Please come out and give the Precious Gift of Life. If you have any questions, contact Ralph Gromley at 476-8667.



"And the Winner Is?"

The Auction will be held on Saturday, April 26, after the 4:30pm Mass in the Family Life Center, with the Knights of Columbus providing a spaghetti dinner. Tickets are \$12 per person regardless of age. The Women's Club is sponsoring this event. Please contact Velda Dedeaux at 901-596-2929 with any questions.



St. William's Knights of Columbus will be hosting a special breakfast on Sunday, May 4, after the 8:30 and 11:00 Masses for our parish mothers. Breakfast will also be available for all others.

There will be an **All Classes Mass** on Sunday, May 4, at 11am. If you normally attend the 11am Mass and don't have PRE age kids, and are able to attend a different Mass that weekend, it might be a good idea. We would really like to have room for all of the PRE students and their families in the church, instead of having to set up in the FLC. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!


The **FLAME OF LOVE**
of the **IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

South 2025 National Conference
GRACE & MERCY
On the Wings of the Holy Spirit

DIVINE MERCY WEEKEND April 25th & 26th
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Germantown TN
8151 Poplar Ave, Germantown, TN 38138

— COST / \$45 per person or \$65 for married couples —

The Blessed Virgin's grace and Jesus' mercy are the heart of the divine plan to return souls to the Father. The plan demands a response from those who love God and through the Holy Spirit and the gifts of grace and mercy, we can rise in this epic moment, united, and say YES!

Join us for a time of illumination, renewal, and readiness as we open ourselves to the grace that will unify us with Jesus and usher in the triumph of the Immaculate Heart.
The Holy Spirit is moving with a torrent of GRACE and MERCY! Souls will be set on FIRE!

Speakers

 Fr. Robert Thorn Keynote Speaker	 Jill Metz National Director	 Deacon Norman Alexander Regional Director	 Teresa Elliott Emcee & State Leader
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Register  www.flameoflove.us

Job Opening: We are currently seeking a candidate for Youth Director at St. William. If you are interested, or would like to know more about what the role entails, please reach out to Fr. Hourican.

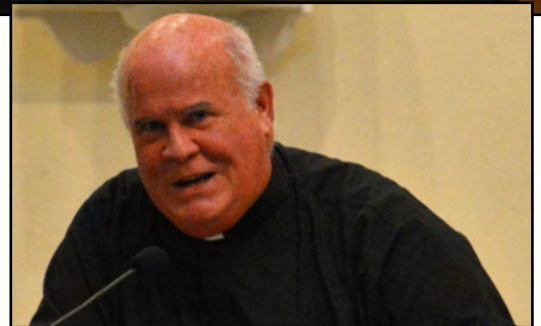


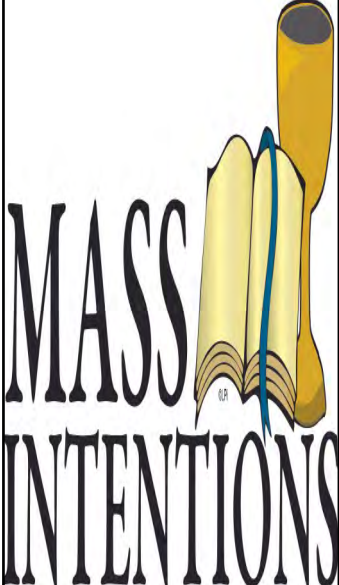
Mission Statement

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.

Parish Lenten Mission with Fr. Brady



	Monday	April 21	8:30am	+Josh Avanzi by Guy Avanzi
	Tuesday	April 22	11:30am	+Emily Maglio by June Patton
	Wednesday	April 23	8:30am	+John Hourican by Rev. John Hourican
	Thursday	April 24	11:30am	+Rita Mekelburg by the DiCello Family
	Friday	April 25	11:00am	Funeral Mass for Juan Ayala
	Saturday	April 26	8:30am	+Rhonda Warner by Jeanne Brannock
			4:30pm	+Alberta James by Joe & Dot Costa
	Sunday	April 27	8:30am	Intention of the parishioners of St. William
			11:00am	+Lois Wilber by Cheryle Jenner, Janet Park, Linda Burchfield & Sandra Tomlinson

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH: Guy Avanzi, Earl Baker, Bill Beckmann, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Evelyn Cox, Alex Domingo, Ken Gregory & family, Terry Hunt, Angelo LoBianco, Evelyn Lynn, the Marcello Family, Mary Morrison, Marion Nadrchal, Linda Norman, Howard & Ruthann Olson, Rick Ortiz, and Chase Weston.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES: Eric Ballou, Debbie Barkowski, Edward & Holly Berger, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Donna Cordle, David & Essy Cragin, Virginia Duff, Dianne Langley, Babette Lopez, Tanya Martchek, Jamie Neal, Michelle Neal, Dennis Stephens, Donald Stephens, 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: 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, and 1SG Nathan Wright.

WEEKLY OFFERING

WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:

Offertory Actual \$6,379
Offertory Budget \$6,788

YTD Offertory-actual \$315,996
YTD Offertory-budget \$278,327

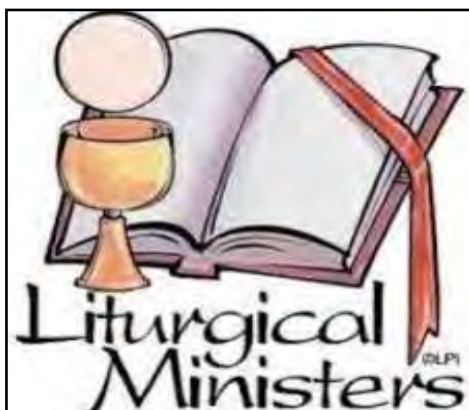
BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND

YTD Offertory-actual \$44,953
YTD Offertory-budget \$47,308

Next weekend's second collection is for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

What should I do with palms after Mass?

Since palms are blessed, they can be returned to the Church before the following year's Ash Wednesday, burned and may be used for ashes; the other way to properly dispose of the palms would be to either burn them or bury them, but never discard them with the trash.



	April 26	April 27	April 27
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
Lectors	Barbara Pettit	Donn Rodocker	"Children's Mass"
Ministers of Holy Communion	Chris Pond*	Mike McLellan*	Bridget DiCello*
Altar Servers	Buddy Kuhstoss Chris Pond	Joseph Marcello Alex Marlow	Cayleigh DiCello Emily Hunter
	COLUNTEER	Delia Rodocker	Luz Maria Rosas