

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/Youth Ministry

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

Grades 9-12, Sundays 2-3:30pm

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 8:30am-5:45pm

WEDDINGS

Six months notification required.

BAPTISM

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



May 7, 2023 ~ Fifth Sunday of Easter

Congratulations to our 8th graders being confirmed this weekend by Bishop David!



The St. William Women's Club will meet this **Wednesday, May 10th, at 7pm** in the Family Life Center. Newcomers are welcome!

Please note that Mass this Thursday, May 11, is at 8:30am, not the usual 11:30.

Altar Server Training

Saturday, May 13, at 10am

Training will be held in the Church for all those who have received their First Communion.

Please mark your calendars!

Don't forget "**Share Sunday**" next weekend, May 13/14. The items donated are given to the poor. The following items are needed and used each month: paper towels, toilet tissue, napkins, feminine products, coffee, tea bags, creamer, sugar, cooking oil, laundry detergent, dish detergent, cleaning supplies, and soap (they receive plenty of food).

Please bring your items to the Family Life Center and place in the wooden boxes in the gym.

Thank you for your generosity.

Are you doing your spring cleaning and have things you no longer need or want? The Women's Club will be holding a yard sale and are taking donations. The sale is scheduled for **May 20th** from 7am-1pm and will be in the Family Life Center. Donations may be taken to the parish office during the week or brought to the Family Life Center after Mass.

For more information, please contact Shirley Maes at 901-647-6111.



Commemorative & Illustrated Books

As part of the Diocesan Year of the National Eucharistic Revival, our beautiful "That All May Be One" Commemorative and Illustrated books have arrived and are available for purchase. These faith-filled books cover the start of Catholicism in Memphis, past the establishment of our Diocese in West Tennessee and through our Diocese's 50th Anniversary.

Cost of the books are:

History Book of the Diocese of Memphis—\$35

Graphic Novel Softcover—\$15

These books may be purchased after Mass or during the week in the Parish Office.

Come support our Seminarians

Angelo Lucchesi Seminarian Dinner

June 30, 2023—St. Benedict at Auburndale

8250 Varnavas Dr., Cordova, TN 38016

Tickets on sale now online or call 373-1244.

Get tickets early, seating is limited.

All payments due in advance, NO payments at the door.

The Catholic Diocese of Memphis invites all married couples, celebrating 25, 40, 50 or 50 plus years of marriage in 2023, to celebrate their **Wedding Anniversary Mass** with Bishop Talley.

June 24, 2023 at 10am

St. Ann Catholic Church, Bartlett

Everyone must sign up online. Click on the link Diocesan Anniversary Mass.

If you have any questions about this event, please contact Sharon Kowalke at 373-1234.

Memphis Italian Festival

Mark your calendar for this year's Memphis Italian Festival at Marquette Park, 4951 Park Ave., June 1-3. For more details, go to MemphisItalianFestival.org.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

Tired of cards from Hallmark? Why not give your spouse a gift that will last a lifetime? Spend a weekend away with your spouse talking about what really matters. Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on June 2-4, 2023 at Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center, Stanton, TN. A WWME Experience gives you all the tools you need to have the best marriage ever! Application fee is \$200 per couple. Discount available with early registration.

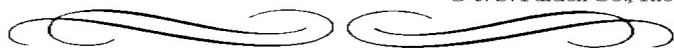
To register or for more information, visit our website at WWME.org or call Andy and Chris at 901-409-4570.

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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.

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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.

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 or calling 872-4099. In order to serve you, we need to keep our records current. Thank you in advance!

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.

Guidelines for Receiving the Eucharist

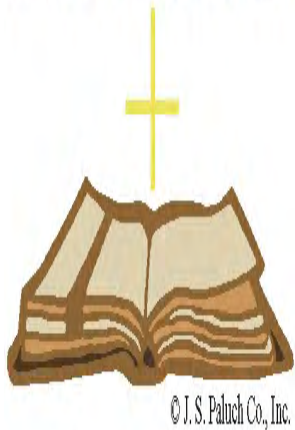
Catholics should make spiritual preparation before receiving Holy Communion. We do this by abstaining from food and drink (except water and medicine) for at least one hour before receiving Communion (see Can. 919: §1). Be aware that chewing gum breaks the Eucharistic fast. No one should ever attempt to receive Communion with chewing gum in their mouth. Also, a Catholic in a state of mortal sin should first make a sacramental confession before returning to the Eucharist.

“Although each of the faithful always has the right to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, at his choice, if any communicant should wish to receive the Sacrament in the hand, in areas where the Bishops’ Conference with the recognition of the Apostolic See has given permission, the sacred host is to be administered to him or her. However, special care should be taken to ensure that the host is consumed by the communicant in the presence of the minister, so that no one goes away carrying the Eucharistic species in his hand. If there is a risk of profanation, then Holy Communion should not be given in the hand to the faithful.” Redemptionis Sacramentum paragraph # 92 from the CONGREGATION FOR DIVINE WORSHIP AND THE DISCIPLINE OF THE SACRAMENT.

When should I call for a priest?

If you or a family member are suffering from a serious illness, in the hospital, or near death — then the parish should be contacted (regardless of the day or time). The parish should be contacted as soon as serious illness befalls a sick person or when serious surgery is scheduled (assuming that this is consistent with the wishes of the individual). This is so that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick can be administered, along with the Sacrament of Reconciliation, if possible. Pastoral care for the sick person should be asked for as soon as a person experiences the danger of illness or is chronically ill, particularly if the person is elderly. To receive the Anointing of the Sick, the illness may be physical or mental. The ritual indicates that a person who is ill should be anointed early in the illness, or before one faces serious surgery. The anointing can be repeated if the medical situation worsens or if the sick person experiences a different illness or injury. During the course of the illness, Holy Communion should be offered to the sick person as well.

Mass Intentions



Monday	May 8	8:30am	+ Nell Bower by Mike & Andrea McLellan
Tuesday	May 9	11:30am	+ Ruth & Joseph Marhevka by Mike & Andrea McLellan
Wednesday	May 10	8:30am	Spec Int of E.J. House by Rev. John Hourican
Thursday	May 11	8:30am	+ Cathy Hamilton by Joyce Meyer & Cheryl Winter
Friday	May 12	8:30am	+ Mike Maglio by June Patton
Saturday	May 13	8:30am	Spec Int of Robert Hutton, Jr. by Rev. John Hourican
		4:30pm	+ Monette Ray by Evelyn Cox
Sunday	May 14	8:30am	+ Denise Sharp by Mike & Ellen Schmall
		11:00am	Spec Int of the parishioners of St. William

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, Angelo LoBianco, the Marcello Family, Mary Morrison, Howard & Ruthann Olson, Rick Ortiz, Deacon Jim Schmall, Chase Weston, and Debi & John Yetman.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES: John Babich, Austin Brewer, Scarlett Bryant, Fr. Bill Burke, Sharon DeMarco, Tim Dorsey, Bill Fultz, Steve & Brenda Hampton, Glenn Hayes, Ronald Hitchcock, Alberta James, Charles LeBlanc & family, Heather Lewellen, Jamie Neal, Michele Neal, Claudia Sanders, Shari Sides, Gunnar Tombs, 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, 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



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WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:

Offertory Actual \$5,182
Offertory Budget \$6,462

YTD Offertory-actual \$294,808
YTD Offertory-budget \$284,308

EXTRAORDINARY MAINTENANCE/CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

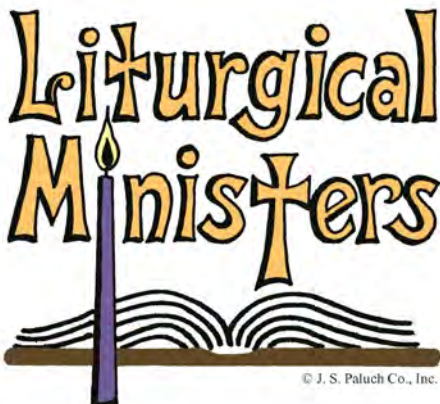
YTD Offertory-actual \$48,846
YTD Offertory-budget \$50,769



*The altar flowers this weekend
are In Memory of
Matthew Elijah Enos
by Diana Smith.*

WeShare Online Giving

You can make a one-time or recurring donation using your debit card, credit card, checking, or savings account. Visit our church website, click on Online Giving on the home page, set up your account, choose a payment option and customize your donation. Stewardship is easier than ever!



	May 13	May 14	May 14
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
Lectors	Scott Ewen	Mark Miller	Marie Stevenson
Ministers of Holy Communion	Bill Beckmann*	Deacon Jim Schmall*	Deacon Jim Schmall*
Altar Servers	Chris Pond	Alex Marlow	Aedan DiCello
	VOLUNTEER	Delia Rodocker	Cayleigh DiCello
	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER	Megan DiCello