

SAINT WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Director of Religious Education
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(901) 308-3595

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 8:30am-5:45pm

WEDDINGS

Six months notification required.

BAPTISM

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



August 13, 2023 ~ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, **August 15**, is the Feast of the Assumption and is a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be a Vigil Mass at 6pm on Monday and Masses on Tuesday will be at 8:30 & 11:30am.

Please note the Parish Office will be closed Tuesday.

Please note the following Mass time change:
Thursday, August 17, at 8:30am (not 11:30am)

Bunco is this FRIDAY, August 18! 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.



Parish Religious Education (PRE) Registration is ongoing during the month of August. Forms can be found on our website, in the Narthex, in the Family Life Center on a table near the books and CDs in the gym, and in the Parish Office. Debbie Breckenridge will be available in the FLC classrooms between Masses on **August 20 and 27** to turn in your paperwork or answer any questions.

Classes begin **September 10**, 9:45–10:45am.

St. William's Youth Group

Car Wash & Hot Dogs

August 27th | 12 to 5PM

St. William's Parking Lot on Chambers St.
Please enter Chambers St. from Bland Ave. or Second Ave.

The advertisement features a green car being washed by a yellow sponge in a blue water splash, surrounded by bubbles.

Virtus Training

There will be a class on Saturday, **August 26**, at 10am in the Family Life Center classrooms. If you volunteer to work with any youth in the parish, you must complete this training.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA will start on Tuesday, **September 5**, at 7pm in the old school building. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or inquiring about the Catholic Faith, or was baptized in the Catholic Faith but needs to complete the Sacraments of Initiation, please join us. To register, please contact the Parish Office or email lisa.rhodes@stwilliam.cdom.org. We look forward to helping you on your faith journey.

St. William is starting a Young Adult Ministry for ages 18–35. Please join us for a Kick-Off Lunch Social on September 10th after the 11am Mass in the school cafeteria. Families are welcome and we will have pizza. Please contact Todd Ripley at **901-308-3595 with any questions. We look forward to seeing you there!**



For all **9th–12th graders, parents and siblings**, we will have a **Family Skate** at the Munford Skating Rink from 2:30-5pm on **September 10th**. Please reach out to Todd with any questions.

The Youth Group still has shirts available. They will continue to sell them on the 3rd Sunday of each month after the Masses in the Family Life Center, while supplies last.

Email Prayer Request—Address Change

Thank you to all of our prayer warriors! St. William has an email prayer request line that is available to ALL of our parishioners. Please email Lisa if you would like to be added to the list of recipients as well.

Please send all requests to:

lisaschmidt319@yahoo.com

Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraph # 1861 "Mortal sin is a radical possibility of human freedom, as is love itself. It results in the loss of charity and the privation of sanctifying grace, that is, of the state of grace. If it is not redeemed by repentance and God's forgiveness, it causes exclusion from Christ's kingdom and the eternal death of hell, for our freedom has the power to make choices for ever, with no turning back. However, although we can judge that an act is in itself a grave offense, we must entrust judgment of persons to the justice and mercy of God."

Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraph # 1863 "Venial sin weakens charity; it manifests a disordered affection for created goods; it impedes the soul's progress in the exercise of the virtues and the practice of the moral good; it merits temporal punishment. Deliberate and unrepented venial sin disposes us little by little to commit mortal sin. However venial sin does not break the covenant with God. With God's grace it is humanly reparable. "Venial sin does not deprive the sinner of sanctifying grace, friendship with God, charity, and consequently eternal happiness."

Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraph # 2863 "When we say 'lead us not into temptation' we are asking God not to allow us to take the path that leads to sin. This petition implores the Spirit of discernment and strength; it requests the grace of vigilance and final perseverance."



Would you like to deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ?

Have you forgiven, but are still experiencing negative emotions?

Do you feel like you bring the same sins to confession, again and again?

Sin leaves all of us wounded, and as Pope Francis reminds us, the Church is a field hospital with all of us in need of healing from the Divine Physician.

Jesus responds today to brokenness, disease, and pain with transformative love and restoration. Through 3 days of teaching, worship, prayer, and testimony, you'll encounter God in a powerful way, and experience deeper freedom as the Father speaks to you in the depths of your heart, and through the supernatural graces of the sacraments. Whether you're struggling with life, or you just want "more" in your walk with God, this conference will empower you with tools, revelation, and a greater desire to live your life passionately on fire for God.

Healing the Whole Person



September 7-9, 2023

Incarnation Catholic Church
360 Bray Station Rd, Collierville, TN 38017

In-Person: \$165/Person
COMPLEMENTARY 2-WEEK ACCESS OF CONFERENCE LIVESTREAM RECORDINGS

Livestream: \$119/Person
RECORDINGS AVAILABLE FOR TWO WEEKS POST-EVENT



Dr. Bob Schuchts

Bart Schuchts

Sr. Miriam James, SOLT

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS
JUNE 5, 2023 AT 10 AM ET
JPIIHEALINGCENTER.ORG



Questions:
JPIIRetreatColliervilleTN@gmail.com

Scholarships Available

Cursillo Info Night

Memphis Cursillo is hosting an Info Night on **August 24th** at 6:30pm at St. Michael Parish. This is for anyone interested in attending any of the upcoming weekends.

They will present the history of Cursillo and answer any questions about the weekend. Please join us if you are interested in Cursillo!



This weekend is Deacon Jimmy and Lesa's last weekend at St. William.

Below is their new address:

Deacon Jimmy & Lesa Schmall
1621 Hughes Loop
Maryville, TN 37803

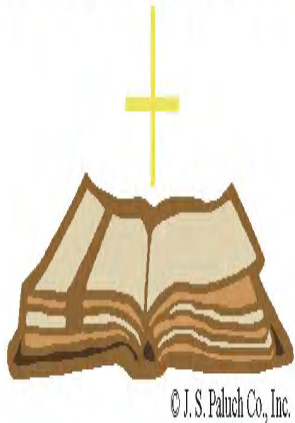
Their email addresses and phone numbers will remain the same.

R.C.I.A.

For anyone considering joining the RCIA classes this fall, you can get a sneak peek by checking out "Our Lady of Good Counsel" (in Plymouth, MI) RCIA program videos on YouTube.

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.

Mass Intentions



Monday	August 14	8:30am	+ Walter Hoffman by the DiCello Family
Tuesday	August 15	11:30am	+ Genieve & Lupe Leal by Mike & Ellen Schmall
Wednesday	August 16	8:30am	+ Myra Beatty by the Worth Family
Thursday	August 17	8:30am	+ James Hoffman by the DiCello Family
Friday	August 18	8:30am	+ Rita Mekelburg by the DiCello Family
Saturday	August 19	8:30am	Special Intention by Rev. John Hourican
		4:30pm	Spec Int of Clayton Allen by Josie Austin
Sunday	August 20	8:30am	Spec Int of the Parishioners of St. William
		11:00am	+ Werner Stang by the DiCello Family

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, Nori Austin, John Babich, Austin Brewer, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Donna Cordle, Sally & Andy Cuccia, Tim Dorsey, Bill Fultz, Glenn Hayes, Ronald Hitchcock, Alberta James, Charles LeBlanc & family, Heather Lewellen, Evelyn Lynn, Jamie Neal, Michele Neal, Dawn Nelson, Kalynn Pierce, Claudia Sanders, Gunnar Tombs, Aaron 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, 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:

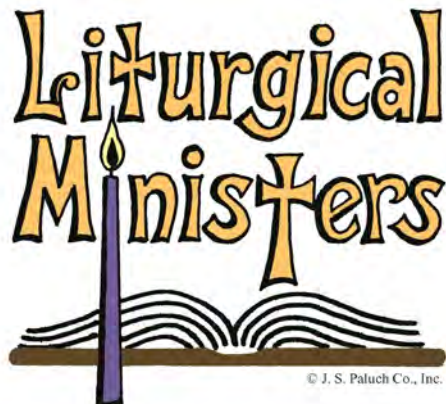
Offertory Actual \$7,888
 Offertory Budget \$6,731

YTD Offertory-actual \$39,690
 YTD Offertory-budget \$40,385

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND

YTD Offertory-actual \$6,860
 YTD Offertory-budget \$6,923

*The altar flowers this weekend
 are in Honor of
 Blessed Father Michael J.
 McGivney, Catholic Priest,
 Advocate for the Christian Family &
 Founder of the Knights of Columbus.*



	August 19	August 20	August 20
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
Lectors	Lisa Schmidt	Agatha Asemota	Marie Stevenson
Ministers of Holy Communion	Scott Ewen*	Gary Harper*	Rob Tomlinson*
Altar Servers	Scott Ewen Chris Pond	Alex Marlow Delia Rodocker	Aedan DiCello Cayleigh DiCello
	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER	Megan DiCello