SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JULY 30, 2023





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The official publication of the Westside Catholic Family of Parishes

The mission of the Westside Catholic Family of Parishes is to create a solid Catholic culture on the West side of Cincinnati through authentic worship, strong devotion, and loving outreach. We intend to be a strong source of truth, beauty, and goodness that attracts people to the faith, reengages those who have fallen away, and strengthens the faith of practicing Catholics.

PASTOR'S COLUMN

July 23, 2023

Dear Westside Catholic Family,

Last week we went through the first part of the Introductory Rites of the Mass. The beginning of Mass reminds us that we step out of the ordinary into the realm of the Heavenly banquet. The gestures, sounds, sights, and smells help us see that this is not part of ordinary life. We are invited to something extraordinary! A part of this invitation is to call to mind the times we have fallen into temptation.

The Penitential Act (the calling to mind our sins) is not meant to be a shameful exercise but the humble recognition that we need God's mercy. We have been given the call to BE PERFECT (Matt. 5:48). This call is not an exaggeration but a command from our Lord to accept His invitation. We should never accept our sins as a part of life; instead, we should humbly seek the Divine Physician's healing remedy. Our venial sins are forgiven during the penitential act to help us prepare for the awe-inspiring feats ahead.

The penitential act has several options.

- 1. Praying the Confiteor (which means "confess" in Latin) followed by the absolution prayer by the priest, then the Kyrie Eleison (Lord, have mercy)
- 2. The next option may surprise you. The underutilized second option is a dialogue between the priest and the people. The priest says, "Have mercy on us, O Lord." The people reply, "For we have sinned against you." Then the priest says, "show us,

O Lord, your mercy." The people respond, "And grant us your salvation." The absolution prayer and the Kyrie then follow.

3. The third option is the common invocations or tropes that end with Lord, have mercy. The absolution then follows.

After the Penitential Rite, we sing the Gloria. As you know, during the penitential seasons of Advent and Lent, the Gloria is omitted. We give glory and praise to God as we free ourselves from sin and prepare to enter more deeply into the Church's prayer. We have the Collect or opening prayer after singing this Heavenly Hymn of the Angels.

Like the opening Antiphon, the Collect is particular to each Mass and, again, helps us focus on the specific season, day, or feast that we are celebrating. This Sunday, we pray:

O God,

protector of those who hope in you,

without whom nothing has firm foundation, nothing is holy,

bestow in abundance your mercy upon us and grant that,

with you as our ruler and guide,

we may use the good things that pass in such a way as to hold fast even now to those that ever endure.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

linen.

After the Collect, we begin the Liturgy of the Word.

May God Bless you throughout this week!

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Zachary Cecil

Thank you celebrating the Eucharist with us at our Family churches. Please be assured that your envelope donation will be forwarded on to your parish.

Children's Liturgy of the Word is offered at the 9:30 Mass at St. Teresa every Sunday.



Scripture Readings for the Week

Sun, July 30- Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 or Mt 13:44-46

Mon, July 31-St. Ignatius of Loyola

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Mt 13:31-35

Tues, Aug 1-St. Alphonsus Liguori

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10 -11, 12-13; Mt 13:36-43

Wed, Aug 2- Sts. Eusebius of Vercelli & Peter Julian Eymard

Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46

Thurs, Aug 3-Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53

Fri, Aug 4-St. John Vianney

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-4, 5 -6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Sat, Aug 5-Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major in Rome Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12

Sun, Aug 8– The Transfiguration of the Lord Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

WESTSIDE CATHOLIC SCHEDULE FOR MASS, INTENTIONS, ADORATION & CONFESSION

SATURDAY, JULY 29

8:30 AM	St. Teresa of Avila	Intentions of Maria Glandorf
3:00 PM	St. William	James Moore
4:00 PM	St. Teresa	Scott Stitzel (Birth)
4:30PM	St. Lawrence	Jacqueline Kaiser

SUNDAY, JULY 30

7:00 AM	St. Teresa of Avila	Intentions of Tom & Kathy Tillar
9:00 AM	St. Lawrence	Deceased of the Kleinberg Family
9:30 AM	St. Teresa of Avila	Mary Jo Hamant
11:00 AM	St. Lawrence	Christopher Nguyen
11:00 AM	St. William	Jean Kobman
11:00 AM	Resurrection of Our L	ord Gavin Joachim More

1:00 PM	St. William (Spanish)	† Celebrant's Intention
7:00 PM	St. Lawrence	For the Living & Deceased Members of
	St. Lawrence, St.	Teresa, St. William & Resurrection Parishes

Jeff Richmond

Mary Feldman

MONDAY, JULY 31

7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila 12:00 PM St. Lawrence

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila 12:00 PM St. Lawrence Joe & Pat Messingschlager Paula Medel

Intentions of Donna Eichhorn

Intentions of Jerry Kelly Family

Intentions of Kathy Johnson

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2 7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila

8:30 AM St. William Chapel 12:00 PM St. Lawrence

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

7:00 AMSt. TeresaMargie Berning8:30 AMResurrection of Our Lord Frank St. Charles12:00 PMSt. LawrenceNorma Erhardt

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

7:00 AMSt. TeresaThose Remembered in the Memorial Fund8:30 AMSt. William ChapelIntentions of David Kohake Family12:00 PMSt. LawrenceDeceased of the Hahn Family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5

8:30 AMSt. Teresa of AvilaSharee Rinear (Birth)3:00 PMSt. WilliamIntentions of Marie Gemmel4:00 PMSt. TeresaIntentions of George & Elizabeth Glandorf4:30PMSt. LawrenceRuth Tierney

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

 Wednesday
 6:00-7:00 PM

 Thursday
 3:00-5:00 PM

 Saturday
 9:00-10:00 AM

 Sunday
 3:00-4:00 PM

CONFESSION

Monday	7:30 AM
Tuesday	12:30 PM
Wednesday	6:00-7:00 PM
Thursday	3:00-5:00 PM
First Friday	12:30 PM
Saturday	9:00-10:00 AM
·	2:00-2:45 PM
	3:00-4:00 PM
Sunday	10:15-10:45 AM

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SAFE PARISH—FINAL REMINDER

With the start of the school year approaching please be sure that you are current with your SafeParish training and have acknowledged the revised Child Protection Decree. For the decree:

- 1) Log into your SafeParish account at www.aocsafeenvironment.org
- 2) Click on "MY ACCOUNT".
- 3) Click on the word "Decree" (after Acknowledge) to download and acknowledge the revised Decree on Child Protection.

SHARE WHAT YOU CAN TO BENEFIT THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY AT ST. WILLIAM

Thank you for your generous donations to the St. William St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry which distributes food to qualifying neighbors in need by appointment.



We are currently in need of the following items:

⇒ Canned Fruit, Cereal, Pancake Mix & Syrup ⇒ Canned Soup. Mashed Potatoes, Ramen Noodles ⇒ Toilet Paper

A blue donation barrel is located in the breezeway at **St. Teresa of Avila** and a beige donation bin is located next to the Pieta on the driveway side of **St. William**. Donations can be made any time these areas are open for Mass or other gatherings.

<u>Unable to shop</u>? SVDP is always in need of \$25 gift cards from Kroger, Target and Walmart which can be placed in the collection basket, labeled St. Vincent de Paul. **Thank you for your generosity!**

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WESTSIDE CATHOLIC 2023 SUMMER STUDY SERIES ON FAITH AND REASON WITH DEACON TRACY JAMISON CONTINUES:

Date: Tuesday Evenings Time: 7:00-8:30 PM

Location: Fr. Caserta Parish Center at St Lawrence.

August 1–Sullivan 9 – Compound Syllogisms and the Problem of Evil

August 8–Sullivan 10 – Demonstration and Proving the Existence of God

This series is designed for anyone who is struggling to understand the Catholic approach to divine revelation and human reason, and thus it is especially suitable for inquirers into the Catholic Faith. The first half of each class will be on the nature of reason, and the last half of each class will be on the nature of faith. Everyone is welcome to attend any or all sessions, but we ask that you also invite any non-Catholic family members or friends who are interested in the topics and bring them with you to the meetings. Facilitated by Deacon Tracy Jamison, PhD, Professor of Philosophy at Mount St Mary's Seminary.



2023 ANNUAL BANQUET "WONDERFULLY MADE"

Featuring Bobby and Jackie Angel Regular Contributors, **Ascension Presents** Jackie: Singer, **Oregon Catholic Press** Bobby: Author, **Pray, Decide, and Don't Worry**

Thursday, August 10th at 6:30 PM Lawrenceburg Event Center 91 Walnut St., Lawrenceburg, IN 47025

Tickets: \$55 | Sponsorships: \$ 600+

Register Online: supportpcw.org Mail a Check to: 2859 Boudinot Ave., Suite 320, Cincinnati, OH 45238



PLEASE NOTE

IF ANYONE APPROACHES YOU AT CHURCH ASKING FOR MONEY PLEASE DO NOT GIVE THEM ANY, BUT RATHER, HAVE THEM CALL THE PARISH OFFICE WHERE WE CAN DIRECT THEM TO RESOURCES THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO HELP.



Westside Catholic Family of Parishes Bulletin Deadline

The bulletin is submitted for printing on Tuesday for the upcoming weekend. To request information be included in the bulletin it must be submitted the Friday prior. Please keep this deadline in mind for planning purposes.

If you have questions, you may contact any parish office or send an email to Maria Williams, Director of Communications, at mwilliams@wscatholic.org or 513-921-9200 x117.

Thank you in advance for your suggestions and feedback to enhance this publication!

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WESTSIDE CATHOLIC CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 30

- Children's Liturgy of the Word at 9:30 AM Mass, St. Teresa
- St. Teresa Raffle Drawing after the 9:30am Mass in the Undercroft with Coffee and Donuts
- ♦ St. Lawrence Bingo 1:30 PM

Monday, July 31

◆ St. Lawrence Bingo, 7 PM

Tuesday, August 1

- St. Teresa Bingo, doors open at 5 PM (play begins at 7 PM), St. Teresa Undercroft
- Summer Study Series with Deacon Jamison 7-8:30 PM, St. Lawrence, Fr. Caserta Parish Center

Wednesday, August 2

♦ Holy Hour 6-7 PM, St. William

Thursday, August 3

• Holy Hour 3-5 PM, St. Lawrence

Friday, August 4

• Men's Friday Prayer Group 6-7 AM, St. Teresa Fr. Mueller Hall

Saturday, August 5

♦ Holy Hour 9-10 AM, St. Teresa

Sunday, August 6

- Children's Liturgy of the Word at 9:30 AM Mass, St. Teresa
- St. Lawrence Bingo 1:30 PM

Monday, August 7

• St. Lawrence Bingo, 7 PM

Tuesday, August 8

- St. Teresa Bingo, doors open at 5 PM (play begins at 7 PM), St. Teresa Undercroft
- Summer Study Series with Deacon Jamison 7-8:30 PM, St. Lawrence, Fr. Caserta Parish Center

If you would like an event or activity added to the weekly calendar, or if something is printed in error, please notify one of our church offices.

PLAN TO ATTEND! FRIDAY, AUGUST 18 WESTSIDE CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES PICNIC

Stricker's Grove

11490 Hamilton Cleves Rd.

5-10 PM, rides open at 6 PM



Join us for a festive summer gathering at Stricker's Grove as we celebrate the end of the summer season! Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided, and we kindly request that you bring a dish to share, as well as your own nonalcoholic beverages. On-site, you'll have the option to purchase beer, drinks, and additional food. It's the perfect opportunity to come together with your family and friends from St. Lawrence, St. Teresa, St. William, and Resurrection of Our Lord Parishes & Schools for an evening filled with great food and wonderful company. St. William is in charge of grilling this year–if you would like to help, please contact the parish office at 513-921-0247.

RCIA

If you, your spouse or someone you know is interested in learning about the Catholic faith, our parish family offers a Christian initiation process known as RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) that can help you prayerfully discern your faith journey. While RCIA is generally geared to adults who wish to enter the Catholic Church and be initiated into the church through the sacrament of baptism, it is also open to those who wish to know more about the teachings of the church and enhance their understanding of the Faith. RCIA is also open to persons already baptized in other faith traditions who are interested in being received into the Catholic Church. All are welcome! The RCIA classes are open to anyone age 14 and older. If you have questions, need more information, or want to begin the RCIA process, please call the St. Teresa parish office **(513) 921-9200**.

CINCINNATI METROPOLITAN ORCHESTRA

Join the Cincinnati Metropolitan Orchestra, conducted by Dave Allen, and the Metropolitan Singers for "Summer Delights," a program that is sure to bring back memories of summer fun. Enjoy selections from Richard Rodgers Oklahoma like "People Will Say We're in Love" and "Surrey with the Fringe on the Top," as well as Andrew LLoyd Webber concert medley of " The Music of the Night," "Don't Cry for me Argentina," and more. With favorite melodies from the Jersey Boys to a patriotic finale that is always an audience favorite, this is a concert you won't want to miss!

This free concert will be **Sunday August 6 at 3:00** in the Tom and Janice Kelley Family Theater at Seton High School located at 3901 Glenway Ave. For more information visit <u>www.GoCMO.org</u>. Donations are accepted.

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SACRAMENTS

Please contact the rectory for all inquires regarding the sacrament of Baptism, Marriages (6 Months in Advance), Holy Orders and Religious Vocations (or Call the Vocation Office at 513-421-3131).

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Athletic Association 8 PM the 3rd Wednesday of the month

Boy Scouts

7-8:30 PM every Tuesday in the cafeteria (Heritage Hall)

Cub Scouts

Meet by grade level dens during school year **Knights of Columbus** 7 PM the 3rd Thursday of the month

Bingo fundraiser is held weekly

1:30 PM Sunday 7:00 PM Monday



SECOND ANNUAL SUMMER CELEBRATION

is Saturday, August 12 following 4:30pm Mass. The evening will include dinner and an open bar (\$35/ person), games, split the pot and the major award. Please contact the parish office get your dinner reservations in as soon as possible, 513-921-0328. It's

going to be a great time! The Major Award is dong very well!

ST. LAWRENCE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

are having their annual golf outing on August 26th at Aston Oaks. Shotgun start at 2:00 p.m. Cost of the outing is \$100 which includes golf, cart, drink tickets, games, and dinner. We will also have raffles and door prizes. If you are interested please contact Jay Brannon at ace.brannon@yahoo.com or 513-284-7407.

We will be selling our large split the pot raffles. Last year's winner received \$800. You can contact Jay Brannon or any Knight of Columbus member. Thanks for your support.

ST. LAWRENCE CLASS OF 1973—50TH REUNION

Class of 1973 join us at the St. Lawrence Parish Center on September 23, 2023 from 5:30-10:30 PM. Please direct your questions to stlawrence1973@gmail.com. See you there!

VOCATION MINISTRY WORKSHOP

The Serra groups of Cincinnati and NKY are hosting a Vocation Ministry Workshop, called IG-NITE, on Saturday, August 5 at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains. The workshop is FREE and runs from 8:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. The day will consist of a Mass, breakfast, training session, lunch,

LOWER LOT RECONSTRUCTION

Reconstruction on the lower lot has begun. Along with the repaying, the lot will have new water retention built underneath it. The lot will also be regraded and leveled out. Will keep you posted as to details.

SIXTH ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF FAITHS

This year's festival, which begins on Sunday, August 27, is titled, "Compassion Through Action: Dwelling Together in Peace and Justice." The in-person event will be held on Sunday, August 27 at the Cintas Center (Xavier University) from 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Virtual programming will continue throughout the week, and there will be a Peace Walk from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 31 at Ault Park to end the festivities. Archbishop Schnurr is serving as one of the honorary co-chairs. For information, visit www.equasion.org/festival-of-faiths/ interfaithcelebration.

CINCINNATI CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB

Annual Summer picnic for single Catholics, Sunday, August 13, 2pm until.... Delhi Park, Shelter #3, Delhi, Reservations mandatory. Contact Don 513-574-8573.

A NOTE FROM FR. WATKINS

I enjoyed vacation but it is good to be back. I missed you! A special "thank you" to Fr. Westerhoff, Fr. Cecil, Fr. Stegbauer, and Deacon Jamison for their help while I was away.

VOCATION

"Give your servant an understanding heart to distinguish right from wrong." True knowledge comes from the Lord and is not to be used for our own gain, but for the building of the Kingdom of Heaven. (1 Kings 3:9)

"GIVE YOUR SERVANT, THEREFORE, A LISTENING HEART TO JUDGE YOUR PEOPLE AND TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN GOOD AND EVIL. FOR WHO IS ABLE TO GIVE JUDGMENT FOR THIS VAST PEOPLE OF YOURS?"

REFLECTION: SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME A TRULY WISE PERSON

The ending of today's Gospel speaks about "the new and the old." Jesus is saying that a person "instructed in the kingdom" has wisdom both old and new; in other words, that person learns from the past as well as from the present. Let's look at each of those.

We learn from the past by studying it. So the wisdom of the kingdom comes first from the scriptures. The more familiar we are with the word of God, the more wisdom we possess. We can also learn from the lives of the saints and writings of the Church. If you only have time to go to Mass on Sunday, just listening to the homily can help to apply the scriptures to your life.

One way we can learn from "the new" is to learn from our mistakes. That includes learning from our sins. When we are truly sorry, we make an effort to change our ways. We can also learn from the mistakes and the successes of our friends. As we share our faith with them, we share the stories of our lives, both good and bad. God can speak to us through a friend or relative whose advice we seek. A truly wise person is one who has received a lifetime of good advice.

~Tom Schmidt





Family & Friends Support Group Mondays at 6:00 pm

General Addiction 12-Step Group Mondays at 7:00 pm

St. John the Baptist Church 10010 Carolina Trace Road Harrison, OH 45030

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MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass schedule and list of intentions can be found on page 3 of the bulletin.

SAFE PARISH

Please see the SafeParish information on page 5.

PLEASE NOTIFY US AT THE RECTORY

When a family member has been hospitalized or is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of Penance.



THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"When we serve the Lord and the sick, we serve Jesus. We must not fail to help our neighbors because in them we serve Jesus."

~St. Rose of Lima

ST. LAWRENCE STEWARDSHIP

Sunday 7/23/2023

\$ 7,634.00

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Bingo fundraiser held weekly: Tuesday, 7 PM

ST. TERESA SCHOOL NEWS | SAVE THE DATE

Mark your calendars to join us at the **9:30 Mass on Sunday, August 13** for the back to school **Family Mass and Bruin Bash.** After Mass, join us in Avila Hall and the School to celebrate the beginning of a new school year. Pick up paperwork in Avila Hall then continue to the school to meet your child's teachers and see their classrooms. See you there!



The first day of school will be Thursday, August 17th at 7:40 AM.

- ⇒ **Boo Hoo Breakfast for parents** begins at 7:30–look for the tent on the concrete patio outside of the gym (rain location–Avila Hall).
- \Rightarrow **Dismissal** on the first day will be at 1 PM. No afternoon bus service will be available.

IN SYMPATHY Please pray for those who have recently died, **Nancy Gates, Mary Taney, Arleen Weber, Leo Weidl, Mike Ashcraft, Constance Millstein, Ceil Lundy, Rose Doll, Greg Bollin, Kevin Cook II, Judy Fanning.** May they quickly share in the glory of Heaven. If a



family member has passed away, contact the office and we will include them in prayer.

Holy Hour for the Dying is held every Tuesday morning after the 7AM Mass. Please call Ruth at 513-251-4770 to include the names of your relatives/friends who are sick or dying in our prayers. **Prayer Chain:** Anyone in need of

prayer can call the parish office or Cherie Frey, coordinator, at 513-515-8634.

MAJOR RAFFLE TICKET DRAWING THIS SUNDAY, JULY 30TH

The \$5000 grand prize drawing will take place on Sunday, July 30th!

Please join us in the undercroft following the 9:30 AM Mass for coffee and donuts as we draw the winner!

Raffle chances for the \$5,000 Grand Prize Raffle Drawing are still available.

- \Rightarrow Tickets are \$5 each, 6 for \$25, or a sheet of 15 for \$50.
- ⇒ If you would like to purchase chances, please call the St. Teresa parish office at 513-921 -9200.

THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO PURCHASED CHANCES! GOOD LUCK!

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THE DEACON'S CORNER

A Reflection: "Jesus departed to the mountain to pray, and he spent the night in prayer to God." Luke 6:12

During a restless night when I couldn't get back to sleep, my mind went over the events of the past day. In the midst of a beautiful late-summer day, there had been bad news and sad news. The bad news was from a friend who called from his hospital bed with a grim diagnosis. The sad news was that two elderly women whom I had known for many years had died. Prayers were now very important for each of the families.



As I was pondering all of this, I thought of a priest who had died several years ago. Father Michael was Seger а scholar, a teacher, a friend, and a good mentor as I

was still learning how to be a deacon. Even with all of his academic achievements, what he loved most was just being a parish

priest. When he came home to his childhood roots at St. Teresa Church in Price Hill, he arrived at what he always referred to as "God's Holy Mountain". Price Hill was the place of his youth where he first felt called to serve God in a special way. As I thought about Father Michael, I thought about my friend in the hospital. They had known each other for many years. They had both worked together serving the Church until Father Michael's illness took him home to the Lord. Given the current situation, I believe it is time to call upon Father Michael on "God's Higher Holy Mountain" to intercede to Jesus on behalf of my friend who is suffering.

A Prayer: Through the intercession of Father Michael before Jesus, may the Lord grant healing of body and spirit to my friend and brother. And may the Lord grant peace and comfort to the families of the women who have now gone home to the ~DEACON DAVE Lord. Amen

Join us in the undercroft for coffee and doughnuts after the 9:30 a.m. Mass! Be sure to purchase your raffle tickets in the vestibule!

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\$25 Amazon \$10 Arby's \$25 Bahama Breeze \$10 Bath Body Works \$10 Bob Evans \$25 Bonefish Grill \$25 Buca di Beppo \$10 Buffalo Wild Wings \$10 Burger King \$25 Burlington \$25 Carrabba's \$25 Chipotle \$10 Cracker Barrel \$10 Diane's \$25 Dick's Sporting Goods \$10 Domino's \$10 Dunkin Donuts

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\$25 Flemming's Steakhouse \$10 Papa John's \$25 PetSmart \$25 Price Hill Chili \$25 Red Lobster & Olive Garden \$25 Skyline \$10 Sonic \$10 Starbucks \$10 Subway \$25 TJ Maxx/Marshall's/ Home Goods \$10 Taco Bell \$25 Target \$25 Walgreen's \$25 Walmart \$25 Willie's Questions?

Contact Cherie Frey, 513-515-8634

LECTOR AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

4:00 PM-Saturday, August 5 L: M. Stitzel EM: D. Kramer*, J. Gerstner, S. Listerman 7:00 AM-Sunday, August 6 L: J. Ploehs, J. Mock EM: D. Lipps*, J. Mock, C. Oestreicher 9:30 AM-Sunday, August 6 L: R. Glandorf EM: A. Archibald*, A. Price

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Help us to fix our hearts on Christ and share our gifts with those who live in poverty or are homeless.

Thank you to all those who support our ministry.

> 2023 SVDP Collection Weekends:

September 23/24 November 25/26

St. Vincent de Paul



ST. TERESA STEWARDSHIP

Total	\$ 6,235.94
Recurring ACH	\$ 1,244.00
Sunday 7/23/2023	\$ 4,991.94

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

St. Vincent de Paul

185.50

Thank you for your continued generosity! Please remember St. Teresa in your will and estate planning. Our legal title is St. Teresa of Avila. Contact Mandy Stanley with any inquiries regarding finances and tax statements. 513-921-9200 x103.

For online giving visit: www.stteresaavila.org/about-our-parish/giving/

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SAINT WILLIAM MEMORIAL LIST 2023

We remember the deceased of our parish on the anniversary of their death. Please keep them and their family in your prayers.

If you wish to have a loved one added to the list please contact the parish office or fill out the online form on the St. William website.

AUGUST 2023

August 1 Anthony Doran Kennedy August 2 Clarence J. Tonnis August 5 Pearl Zinser August 7 Michael Kuchey Janet Furlong August 10 Ron Tegler **Tony Esposito** August 11 Margie Weil August 16 August 22 Shirley Grawe Jack Furlong Charles B. Kerley, Sr. August 28 August 29 **Dorothy Deiters** George Nienhaus, Sr. August 30 **Rosemary Bruce**

WITH SYMPATHY

Our loving prayers and deepest sympathies are extended to the families of:

> Carl Heilmann Jerry Federle Robert Holscher Ursula Meyer John Ameling Marlene "Margie" Lay Michael Corcoran Lucille Lundy Nathan Steven Fecke Robert F. Muenchen

who were recently called to their eternal reward. Please keep the deceased of our parish in your prayers.

Please join us in praying for all who are sick or dying.

ROCK THE HILL NEWS

The 3rd Annual Rock the Hill Music Festival is Saturday, September 30 with a music lineup including:

- \Rightarrow Maribeth Samoya
- \Rightarrow HighTide
- \Rightarrow What She Said
- \Rightarrow TwentyFour7

The \$10 tickets admission will go on sale in August! Main award chances are coming too!

WORKS OF MERCY— PRISON MINISTRY

Joseph Hicks, in his prison ministry, is looking for donations of crosses, rosaries, bibles, medals, devotional and inspirational books, and books on saints. If you have anything that you can contribute, please bring them to any of the parish offices, marked "Joseph Hicks/Prison Ministry, St. William". Thank you in advance for your contributions and assistance in his ministry.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Have you noticed the beige donation bin next to the Pieta on the driveway side of St. William? This bin is for donations to

assist our St. Vincent de Paul outreach in our community. For a full list of items that we currently need, please see page 3 of this weeks' bulletin. Thank you in advance for your continued support of this much needed ministry.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Engaged? Find and sign up for the next Couple to Couple League NFP class here: <u>https://ccli.org/</u> or call 513-471-2000.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST FROM POPE FRANCIS

For World Youth Day: We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Mrs. Stacie Hill is in the office throughout the summer from 10 AM to 2 PM. You are also welcome to leave a message with your inquiries at any time and she will return your call.



SCHOOL UNIFORM COLLECTION

Gently used school uniforms can be dropped off at the school office Monday-Friday from 10 AM-2 PM. We appreciate any donations! Thank you!

BACK TO SCHOOL COUNTDOWN

The first day of school is Wednesday, August 23. Enjoy every minute of summer until we see you then!

COACHES NEEDED

The St. William Athletics Association is in need of volunteer coaches for **BOYS & GIRLS SOCCER** in the fall. All coaches must complete SafeParish training through the Archdiocese. If you are interested, please contact Scott Priestle at stwaa@saintwilliam.com.



2023 - 2024 EVENTS SAVE THE DATE



Saturday, September 30th

Evening of Elegances Saturday, November 11th

FISH FRY - FRIDAYS

February 16 - March 22 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Please check the website for updates. Contact: fundraising@saintwilliam.com



Remember to choose St. William and support Market Day. our school with your Market Day purchases!

SERVER SCHEDULE

3PM-Saturday July 29 Kevin Klayer 11AM-Sunday, July 30 Jack Bailey, Will Bailey 3PM-Saturday, August 5 **Tez Borgerding Smith** 11AM-Sunday, August 6

Joshua Grubbs, Julia Craycroft

We welcome those who wish to serve at Mass; children in grades 4 and higher, high school aged, and adults. Please contact Dcn. George Bruce in the parish office for training. 513-927-0247.

MASS INTENTIONS

Please see page 3 for the Mass schedule and list of intentions.



ST. WILLIAM STEWARDSHIP

Sunday 7/23/2023	\$	6,712.00	
ACH	\$	546.00	
Total	\$	7,258.00	
ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS			
Peter's Pence	\$	25.00	
Mission	\$	25.00	
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	225.00	

Thank you for your generosity! Please remember St. William in your will and estate planning. Our legal title is St. William RC Church

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CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Please pick up a "New Member" form in the Vestibule.

SACRAMENTS

Contact St. Teresa of Avila Parish Office for information.

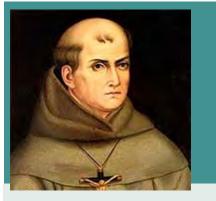
Infant Baptism: Arranged by appointment. Parents are expected to attend a Baptismal Preparation Program prior to the Baptism. Godparents are welcome

Adult Baptism: Participation in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.) is required. Sessions run from September to the Easter Vigil.

Weddings: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of the Sick:

Contact the St. Teresa Church office or call 513-512-5805.



"ALWAYS FORWARD!" St. Junipero Serra

This is the fifth installment on the life of Saint Junipero Serra (1713-1784).

In 1770, Junipero Serra accompanied a Spanish overland expedition to Alta (Upper) California, led by Gaspar de Portola y Rovira. This journey led the foundation of the to "presidio" (military and civilian post) of Monterey (50 miles south of the future San Francisco) where Father Serra established the St. Charles Borromeo mission on June 3, 1770. The following year, in an attempt to avoid disputes with the governor of the presidio as well as to find better farmland, he moved the mission further south, closer to the Carmel River. This is where he established his headquarters for the remaining fourteen years of his life. Between 1770 and 1782, true to his motto "Always forward!", he founded the first nine mission in Upper California present state (now the of California), despite the opposition of the governor of California, Neves, a disciple of Voltaire. By 1794, these nine missions would comprise 4,650 Amerindians and Franciscans. Twelve other 38 Franciscan missions were founded between the death of Father Serra and 1823.

In 1776, while Jefferson, Adams, Franklin and others were voting for independence from Great Britain, Father Palou under the authority of Father Serra. celebrated Mass in front of a hut and founded the mission of Saint Francis of Assisi, which became the starting point of the metropolis of San Francisco. Another mission, Saint Mary of the Angels, was named after the shrine in Assisi, Italy where Saint Francis died. The present-day metropolis of Los Angeles was built around it.

Junipero and his religious brothers were sometimes in conflict with the civil authorities. In August 1770, Pedro Fages, governor of the presidio of Monterey, permitted a number of disorders: soldiers mistreated the natives and kidnapped indigenous women to use as concubines. As the governor had complete control over the mail, Serra decided to go to Mexico City himself to submit a "Representación" (complaint) to Viceroy Bucareli, demanding that the Indians be treated as human beings and proposing concrete measures to that end.

The journey (2000 miles on foot!) was further complicated by its secretive nature and the health problems of the 60-year old Father; it lasted three years! Father Serra's "Representación" which has sometimes been described as the "Declaration of Rights of the Amerindians," was accepted by the Spanish civil authorities and was quite widely implemented.

On November 4, 1775, Kumeyaay Indians attacked the San Diego mission, destroying all its buildings and killing Brother Luis Jaime. This aggression led to prosecution by the civil authorities; two years later, twenty natives were sentenced to death. Not all of them were murderers. Father Serra immediately wrote to the Viceroy and reminded him of a previous request: "If the natives, whether pagans or Christians, were to kill me or other Brothers, they should be forgiven." Viceroy Moncada knew from experience that the Franciscans obtained more through gentleness than the soldiers through severity, and so he once again acceded to the request: the rebels escaped the death penalty!

We'll continue the life of Saint Junipero Serra in next Sunday's bulletin. See the monthly letter of the Saint Joseph de Clairval Abbey.

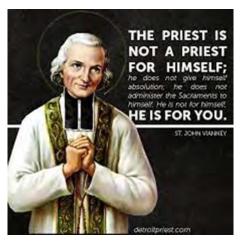
IN THE LITURGY THIS WEEK

Monday, July 31: Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest, founder of the Company or Society of Jesus (Jesuits), author of the "Spiritual Exercises". Motto: "ad majorem Dei gloriam" (For the greater glory of God), patron saint of retreatants and soldiers.

August: Pope Francis' intention for August: for World Youth Day. "We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal, will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives."

Tuesday, August 1: Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church. Founder of the Redemptorists, and patron of confessors and of moral theologians.

Wednesday, August 2: St. Peter Julian Eymard, priest and founder of the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament (priests) and the Servants of the Blessed Sacrament (nuns). **Friday, August 4:** St. John Vianney, priest. Patron saint of priests and the parish clergy.



Saturday, August 5: The Dedication of the Major Basilica of Saint Mary Major. Following the declaration of Mary as Mother of God by the Council of Ephesus in 431, Pope Sixtus III erected in Rome this oldest basilica in the West dedicated to the Mother of God.



"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field."

Matthew 13:44

THIS WEEK AT "RES"

Sunday, July 30, 2023 -SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A 11:00 AM Mass *Confessions 20 minutes before Mass

-3:00 PM Cenacle of Life Holy Hour (Exposition, Adoration, and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, two Rosaries and the Divine Mercy Chaplet for an end to the Culture of Death, the conversion of those involved in it, reparation for it, the preservation of religious freedom in the U.S.A. and thanksgiving to God for the overturning of Roe vs. Wade).

Sunday, July 30 LECTOR 11:00 AM Jim Queen SERVER 11:00 AM Nicholas Wells



RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD STEWARDSHIP

Sunday 7/23/2023	
(15) Envelopes	\$ 748.00
Loose	403.00

Total \$ 1,151.00

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