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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 2, 2023

Dear Westside Catholic Family,

Happy 4th of July! We give thanks to God for our nation and the principles and values upon which it was founded, and that have faithfully guided us through countless years.

Following careful consideration and thorough planning, we are delighted to announce the launch of our brand-new bulletin for the Westside Catholic Family of Parishes this week. I would like to express my heartfelt appreciation to our dedicated parish secretaries, Jo Anne Baracka, Maria Lisa Glandorf, Spicer, and Communications Maria Director, Williams, for their tireless efforts in bringing this beautiful publication to fruition. While we have incorporated various elements from each parish's bulletin, I understand that this may require some adjustment from our accustomed routine. When faced with change, it is natural to feel frustrated or question its purpose. With that said, the consolidation of our bulletins into one for our entire family will greatly enhance our communication efforts and open up abundant opportunities for prayer, worship, service, and community engagement. I am confident that this transition will prove immensely beneficial, as effective communication serves as the foundation for building something even greater than what we have ever experienced before.

Throughout the coming weeks we kindly encourage you to share your valuable feedback and constructive suggestions with us. You can reach out to us by sending an email to office@stteresa-avila.org or by contacting one of the church offices via phone. Your input is highly appreciated as it enables us to enhance the bulletin on a weekly basis. Please take note of the bulletin deadline information provided on page 4.

Looking back on the past 12 months, I cannot believe how far we have come in such a short period. I want to thank all of you for your patience, cooperation, and your prayers throughout this last year and going forward. Some of the good things that have happened are worth remembering. Last fall, the Knights of Columbus hosted all of us for a picnic at Fernbank Park. Our Parish Planning Team was formed and has continued to meet and advise the leadership of our parishes. Under the guidance of our Youth Minister, Monica White, our youth ministry has flourished, culminating in the creation of the Westside Catholic High School Youth Group and retreat. Furthermore, we have successfully merged our RCIA program, Vacation Bible School, and summer adult education series. The joint Easter Vigil and Divine Mercy Celebrations were resounding successes. With unyielding dedication and commitment, we remain steadfast in our pursuit of developing a pastoral plan endowed with a clear vision and hope for a promising future.

I want to offer a warm and enthusiastic welcome to our new parochial vicar, Fr. Jeff Stegbauer. I know you will all extend the same warm reception and hospitality you have shown me, for which I am very grateful.

Although we are sad that Fr. Morgan's time with us has concluded, we express our heartfelt gratitude for the many blessings he shared with us, and we will continue to pray for him as he embarks on his new assignment.

Lastly, July is the month of the Precious Blood of Jesus Christ! Many of the early Fathers of the Church held firmly to this devotion because they taught that the Church began in the outpouring of our Lord's blood when he was pierced in the side at His passion. I would like to share a beautiful prayer called the Precious Blood Prayer:

Almighty, and everlasting God, who hast appointed Thine only-begotten Son to be the Redeemer of the world, and hast been pleased to be reconciled unto us by His Blood, grant us, we beseech Thee, so to venerate with solemn worship the price of our salvation, that the power thereof may here on earth keep us from all things hurtful, and the fruit of the same may gladden us forever hereafter in heaven.

Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Zach

Fr. Zach

Scripture Readings for the Week

Sun, July 2 Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

Mon, July 3 Feast of St. Thomas, Apostle Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

Tues, July 4 Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 8:23-27

Wed, July 5 Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 8:28-34

Thurs, July 6 Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

Fri, July 7 Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 9:9-13

Sat, July 8 Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3 -4, 5-6; Mt 9:14-17

Sun, July 9 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

WESTSIDE CATHOLIC SCHEDULE FOR MASS, INTENTIONS, ADORATION & CONFESSION

SATURDAY VIGIL, JULY 1

4:30 PM St. Lawrence

St. William

St. Teresa of Avila

INTENTIONS

Jerome Lane Nicholas Stitzel (Ann) Norma Erhardt

SUNDAY, JULY 2

3:00 PM

4:00 PM

7:00 AM	St. Teresa	Intentions of Kathy Johnson	
9:00 AM	St. Lawrence	Len Schmidt	
9:30 AM	St. Teresa of Avila	Virginia Hotchkiss	
11:00 AM	St. Lawrence	Maria Machado	
11:00 AM	St. William	Mark Stark	
11:00 AM	1 Resurrection of Our Lord For our Country		
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 and Resurrection Parishes			

MONDAY, JULY 3

7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila Mildred Hellmann 12:00 PM St. Lawrence Sharon McAlpin

TUESDAY, JULY 4

7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila 8:30 AM St. Lawrence 9:00 AM St. William 12:00 PM St. Lawrence

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5

7:00 AM St. Teresa of Avila Resa Sucietto (Ann.) St. William Intentions of Pat & Dennis Malik 12:00 PM St. Lawrence Don Ashcraft

THURSDAY, JULY 6

8:30 AM

7:00 AM St. Teresa

12:00 PM St. Lawrence

Deceased Bittner, Glandorf, Griese Families 8:30 AM Resurrection of Our Lord For Romero Academy Bill Remke

Mary Catherine Knecht

† Celebrant's Intention

No Noon Mass Today

James Corcoran

FRIDAY, JULY 7

7:00 AM St. Teresa 8:30 AM St. William 12:00 PM St. Lawrence

SATURDAY, JULY 8

8:30 AM St. Teresa of Avila

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 9:00-10:00 AM Saturday 2:00-2:45 PM 3:00-4:00 PM 10:15-10:45 AM Sunday

Those Remembered in the Memorial Fund Cecil Shelton Martin/Weinheimer Families

Mary Helen Dyer

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



St. William's St. Vincent de Paul food pantry is

seeking donations of food and personal care items on an on-going basis to meet the increase in the number of households being served.

Most needed personal hygiene and food items:

- Deodorant/Razors/Shave Foam
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste/Shampoo/Conditioner
- Dish Soap/Laundry Detergent
- Hand soap/Hand Sanitizer/Toilet Paper
- Breakfast Bars/Cereal/Pop Tarts/Animal Crackers
- Jiffy Corn and Muffin Mixes
- Spaghetti/Spaghetti Sauce/Tuna/Ketchup
- Peanut Butter/Jelly/Pancake Mix/Syrup
- Macaroni & Cheese/Mashed Potatoes/Ramen Noodles/Rice

With increased food costs and decreased SNAP benefits. donations are needed now more than ever to keep the shelves stocked at the St. William food pantry.

St. Teresa of Avila: a blue donation barrel is located in the breezeway.

St. William: 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.

Unable to shop? 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 support!

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 non-alcoholic 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.



JOIN US FOR A STELLAR VBS EXPERIENCE

Calling all kids and volunteers! Get ready for an amazing week of fun, learning, and fellowship at our Vacation Bible School July 24 to 28!

During this exciting week, children will embark on an adventure to explore inspiring Bible stories, engage in interactive activities, crafts, and games, and make new friends along the way. Parents, don't miss out on this opportunity! **Register your child as a participant before the July 17 deadline**.

Volunteers, we need your help to make this experience truly special. If you have a passion for working with children and want to contribute to their spiritual growth, sign up as a volunteer. Your much appreciated support is invaluable! Age 18 and over must be current in SafeParish to volunteer.

VBS REGISTRATION

See the ad above and visit the website for more information. Paper registration forms are available in both Spanish and English, or to register online, please visit our event website at vbspro.events/p/ events/wcvbs.

Please do not let the registration fee prevent your child from participating. We are happy to help if you need assistance. Kindly contact Monica White at mwhite@stteresa-avila.org or via phone, 513-921-9200 for questions and information.

JULY 4TH MASS SCHEDULE

Please join us for Mass to celebrate the Fourth of July!

7:00 AM St. Teresa 8:30 AM St. Lawrence 9:00 AM St. William



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

Tuesday Evenings from 7:00-8:30 PM in the Fr. Caserta Parish Center at St Lawrence.

- July 11–Sullivan 6 Propositional Properties and the Square of Opposition
- July 18–Sullivan 7 Argumentation and Scholastic Theology
- July 25–Sullivan 8 Reduction and the Defense of First Principles
- 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.

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@stteresa-avila.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 2

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

Monday, July 3

♦ St. Lawrence Bingo 7:00 PM

Tuesday, July 4

- Parish offices are closed. Happy Independence Day!
- St. Teresa Bingo will not be held this week due to the holiday.

Wednesday, July 5

♦ Holy Hour 6-7 PM, St. William

Thursday, July 6

♦ Holy Hour 3-5 PM, St. Lawrence

Friday, July 7

• Mens Friday Prayer Group 6-7 AM, St. Teresa Fr. Mueller Hall

Saturday, July 8

- ♦ Holy Hour 9-10 AM, St. Teresa
- Bake Sale St. Teresa after 4 PM Mass

Sunday, July 9

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

Monday, July 10

◆ St. Lawrence Bingo, 7 PM

Tuesday, July 11

- 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, July 12

♦ Holy Hour 6-7 PM, St. William

Thursday, July 13

• Holy Hour 3-5 PM, St. Lawrence

Friday, July 7

 Mens Friday Prayer Group 6-7 AM, St. Teresa Fr. Mueller Hall

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.

WELCOME FR. JEFF STEGBAUER TO THE WESTSIDE CATHOLIC FAMILY



Let us extend a heartfelt welcome to Fr. Stegbauer as he leads Mass at our parishes throughout the upcoming month! We are immensely grateful for his presence and the valuable insights and faith he will bring to our Family of Parishes. It is worth noting that Fr. Stegbauer is fluent in Spanish, so for anyone seeking the Sacrament of Reconciliation in Spanish, kindly direct them to him.

Demos una cálida bienvenida al Padre Stegbauerr mientras dirige la Misa en nuestras parroquias durante el próximo mes. Estamos inmensamente agradecidos por su presencia y las valiosas enseñanzas y fe que traerá a nuestra Familia de Parroquias. Vale la pena mencionar que el Padre Stegbauer habla español con fluidez, por lo que, para aquellos que busquen el Sacramento de la Reconciliación en español, por favor, indíquenles que se acerquen a él.

SAFE PARISH

The Archdiocese of Cincinnati, in keeping with its policies, has completed the five-year revision of the Decree on Child Protection. We anticipate the revised Decree will be available for download and acknowledgment on the SafeParish website on or about July 1, 2023. Each user with a SafeParish account will need to download, acknowledge to have read, and agree to abide by the requirements of the revised Decree. If this is not completed within 30 days of the promulgation of the Decree by the Archbishop, the user's SafeParish account will show as pending until the user completes the acknowledgement. Users with pending SafeParish accounts are not permitted to work or volunteer with youth until they have met all the child protection requirements and their SafeParish account is approved. Please contact your parish or school safe environment coordinator with any questions.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Two new Live Online Classes begin Saturday, July 15 at 12:00 PM AND Sunday, July 16 at 7:00 PM. For more information or to register for a class, go to www.ccli.org or call 513-471-2000.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

For a Eucharistic Life

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! Our contributions will join those from our brothers and sisters worldwide to help Pope Francis in his ministry.



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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



ANNUAL SUMMER CELEBRATION SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

Our Second Annual Summer Celebration is Saturday, August 12. The evening will include dinner and an open bar, games, split the pot, and the major award. Please get your dinner

reservations in as soon as possible. It' going to be a great time! The Major Award is doing very well. The last Early Bird Drawing will be after the last Mass this weekend.

Donations are needed for the Basket Raffle. We are looking for new items such as: sporting equipment, household items, handmade items, decorating items, Christmas items, purses, jewelry, electronics, children's items as well as gift cards for local stores and restaurants. We have created an Amazon wish list that you can order from or you can purchase items at your local store and drop them off at the Parish office. The link for the Amazon wish list is:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/lsw/1KY9160B8G6KM?ref

Please drop off your donation at the Parish office or contact the office at 513-921-0328 to arrange pick up of your item by Sunday, July 9th.

HELP WANTED

St. Lawrence Cafeteria is in need of a part time dishwasher, Monday–Friday, 9 AM–2 PM. Requires moderate physical effort such as: standing, carrying, bending, and lifting up to 25 pounds. If interested please call Denise Dugan at 513-309-3529.

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.

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 any questions by email to stlawrence1973@gmail.com. See you there!



PARKING LOT RECONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The lower lot reconstruction and paving has been delayed but will now begin on Monday, July 10. Along with the repaving, 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.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Starting this week the bulletin will be a combined bulletin of our family of parishes which includes St. Lawrence, St. Teresa, St. William and Resurrection.

VACATION

Fr. Mark will be on vacation beginning July 16 through July 28 traveling to Oklahoma City to visit family. Father Westerhoff will be filling in for some of the Masses.

VOCATION

Be an example of faith to your brothers and sisters; let your faith inspire others to come to know Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the living God.

(Matthew 16:13-19)

When Jesus went into the region of Caesarea Philippi he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?"

They replied, "Some say John the Baptist,^{*} others Elijah, still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets."

He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?"

Simon Peter said in reply, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God."

Jesus said to him in reply, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah. For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father.

And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it.

I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."

MOUNT ST. MARY'S SEMINARY & SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY ANNOUNCES AN EDUCATOR & ALUMNI DEVELOPMENT DISCOUNT

MTSM is offering a 25% tuition discount for educators, lay ecclesial ministers, and MTSM alumni (including permanent deacons). Educators must be teaching at an AOC or DOC school. Ministers include DREs, CREs, catechists, pastoral staff, etc. This offer begins Fall 2023. Learn more at https://athenaeum.edu/academics/tuition or contact Allegra Thatcher at 513-233-6116.

MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass schedule and list of intentions are located on page 3 of the bulletin.

SAFE PARISH

Please see the SafeParish information on page 5.



THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"The devil fears hearts on fire with love of God."

~St. Catherine of Siena

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Men's Friday Prayer Group Men 18 + Fridays from 6-7 AM, Fr. Mueller Hall Roger Glandorf 513-251-7729 Bingo fundraiser held weekly: Tuesday, 7 PM

ST. TERESA SCHOOL NEWS | SAVE THE DATE

There will be a **Used Uniform Exchange on Sunday, July 16 in the Undercroft after the 9:30 Mass.** Please bring a school supply item in exchange for a uniform item. You will also be able to order gym uniforms at this time.

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**. 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, Edward "Mike" Naber, Kevin Dwyer, Nancy Gates, Mary Taney, Arleen Weber, Leo Weidl, Mike Ashcraft, Constance Millstein, Ceil



Lundy, Rose Doll. 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.

BAKE SALE



A group of St. Teresa 7th and 8th grade students are taking a trip to Washington D.C. this fall. Students will be

selling baked goods in the back of church next weekend, **July 8 & 9**, and August 12 & 13 after the 4 PM and 9:30 AM Masses.

Your donations are very much appreciated. **Thank You!**



Congratulations to **MAXWELL YERAY MATEO** son of Max and Lusri, baptized at St. Teresa on June 25, 2023.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL REFLECTION

For all of us gathered together, may our love and service bare witness to God's grace.

Thank you to all those who support our ministry.

2023 SVDP Collection Weekends:

Next weekend–July 8/9 September 23/24 November 25/26

St. Vincent de Paul 513-921-9200 x255



THE DEACON'S CORNER

A Reflection "When my heart is cast down by failure, at seeing no good come from my efforts, Jesus, help me!"-the seventh petition from the prayer "Jesus Help Me".

How many times in our lives have we tried and failed? How many times have we felt let down, or let ourselves down by our own choices? I was thinking about this the other day, how there were situations in my life that could have been different. As a young guy, when given the opportunity to excel in a career as a commissioned officer in the Army, I chose not to take that step. I can't say that I included Jesus in my decision making at that time. It would have made a huge difference in my thinking if I had praved to Jesus to guide me. But things have a way of getting worked out. If I had taken that path in life, there are many good things that have happened since then that I would have missed. Looking back on everything, I can see God's hand in guiding me to where I am today.

Disappointments come in many sizes and shapes. Pick an area of your life where there is the potential for joy and sorrow, reward and failure. Including Jesus in all of these areas of our lives is the way of seeking spiritual guidance when it matters the most.

The eighth petition of the prayer says, "When I feel impatient and my cross irritates me, Jesus, help me!"

We may not always look at our burdens and failures as crosses that we carry on our shoulders, but we have learned the lesson from Jesus that a cross can be very heavy if carried for any distance. Jesus is there to help us when we cry out to him.

A prayer: Always, Lord, in spite of my weaknesses, falls, and shortcomings of every kind: Jesus, help me and never forsake me. Amen.

~Deacon Dave

MAJOR RAFFLE TICKETS

Thank you to all who have purchased tickets for our Summer Grand Raffle Fundraiser prize of \$5000! Additional tickets are available in the parish office. Come see us or call from 9-4 Mon.-Fri.

FUNDRAISING GIFT CARDS FOR PURCHASE Available after Mass in the church vestibule each weekend!

\$25 Flemming's Steakhouse

\$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

\$10 Frisch's \$25 Humbert's \$10 IHOP \$25 Kohl's \$10 LaRosa's Buddy Card \$25 LaRosa's Gift Card \$25 Longhorn \$10 Long John Silvers \$25 Lowe's \$10 McDonald's \$25 Meijer \$25 O'Charley's \$25 Old Navy \$25 Outback \$25 Panda Express \$10 Panera

\$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, July 8 L: M. Stitzel EM: D. Kramer*, P. Keller, S. Listerman 7:00 AM-Sunday, July 9 L: E. Bennett, J. Mock EM: D. Lipps*, J. Mock, E. Bennett 9:30 AM-Sunday, July 9 L: R. Glandorf EM: A. Archibald*, T. Carmen, A. Price

*EM Coordinator

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

Eucharistic Ministry: Don Lipps, 513-256-1649 Lectors: Sue Kreutzer, 513-543-8566

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

We welcome new parishioners to St. Teresa of Avila Please contact the parish office to register or to update your current registration. Please contact the parish office with your inquiries or visit our website.

Westside Catholic PSR (Parish School of Religion)–for Public School Children 513-921-9200 x117

For all sacraments please call the parish office for information (weddings, a minimum six months in advance).

MASS INTENTIONS

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

ST. TERESA STEWARDSHIP

Total	\$ 7,830.89
Recurring ACH	\$ 1,244.00
Sunday 6/25/2023	\$ 6,586.89

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Peter's Pence	\$ 666.25
Capital Improvement	\$ 45.25
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 66.87

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/

CONTACT ST. WILLIAM PARISH

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- rfath@saintwilliam.com
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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Athletic Association Scott Priestle, 513-374-2240 Bereavement Theresa Goettke, 513-921-6468 **Adult Social** Mary Wolterman, 513-251-3298 **Church Environment** 513-921-0247 **Education Commission** Ken Rushford, 513-520-5754 **Fundraisers** The Young's, 513-921-0247 Ministry to the Engaged The Bruce's, 513-921-0247 **Pro-Life** Marilyn Schutte, 513-471-4539 РТО Sarah Priestle, 513-317-7636 Retrouvaille Joe/Jen Schutte, 513-471-7037 St. Vincent de Paul Society 513-921-0247 x 4 Worship Paula Duffy-June, 513-325-4639

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.

JULY 2023

July 1	Mildred Marsales
July 2	Shirley Carvitti
	Donald L. Siener
July 8	Vincent C. Lasita
	William McCarthy
July 10	Trina Feldhake
July 14	Chris Burnhimer
July 20	Mary Lou Sunderhaus
	Andrew Offutt
July 21	August Seher
	Florence Giaccio
July 24	Hilda Rosenthal
July 26	Carol Schumacher
July 29	Gilbert Hageman
July 30	Gus Lasita

WITH SYMPATHY

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

> William "Bill" Wauligman Cecil Shelton, Carl Heilmann, Jerry Federle, Robert Holscher Ursula Meyer John Ameling Marlene "Margie" Lay Michael Corcoran Lucille Lundy

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.

WELCOME MR. JACK COREY ST. WILLIAM PRINCIPAL

We are thrilled to announce the July 1 arrival of Mr. Jack



Corey to our St. William family as our new principal. With Mr. Corey at the helm, we anticipate an exhilarating academic year ahead for our Knights! We eagerly look forward to acquainting ourselves with Mr. Corey and offering our full support as he guides us towards new achievements and successes.

FEAST OF ST. WILLIAM THANK YOU

We had a wonderful turnout for our Feast of St. William celebration! Thank you to Jessica Young and Samantha Mauer and all who organized the event to bring our parish community together to remember our patron. We appreciate your continued support of all we do and look forward to additional opportunities to bring us together in prayer, worship, service, and community!

EMBRACING THE DIVINE GIFT OF FREEDOM

Religious freedom allows the Church, and all religious communities, to live out their faith in public and to serve the good of all. Thank you to all who prayed, reflected, and acted during Religious Freedom Week, June 22- 29, 2023.

June 22-Respect for Sacred Spaces

June 23-Seal of Confession

June 24-Nicaragua

June 25-Religious Student Groups

June 26-Religious Freedom in Nigeria

June 27-Faith at Work

June 28–Service to Immigrants and Refugees

June 29-Catholic Healthcare



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~www.usccb.org

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.





NOW ENROLLING PREK-8TH GRADE AHORA INSCRIBIENDO



St. William offers education for children in Pre -school thru 8th grade St. William School has openings in their 5-Star Rated Pre-school program! Call today to learn more 513-471-2989.

St. William ofrece educación para niños de preescolar a octavo grado. St. William tiene vacantes en su programa preescolar calificado con 5 estrellas! Llame hoy para obtener más información 513-471-2989.

2023 - 2024 EVENTS SAVE THE DATE

ROCK THE HILL

Saturday, September 30th

Saturday, November 11th

FISH FRY - FRIDAYS

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

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

SERVER SCHEDULE

3PM-Saturday July 8 T. Borgerding Smith 11AM-Sunday, July 9 J. Craycroft, A. Ngoie 3PM-Saturday, July 15 K. Klayer 11AM-Sunday, July 16 G. Priestle, H. Pristle

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.

Love God Serve God Everything Is In That.

-St. Clare of Assist

MASS INTENTIONS

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ST. WILLIAM STEWARDSHIP

Sunday 6/25/2023	\$ 4,766.00
ACH	\$ 546.00
Annual Contribution	\$ 3,380.00
Total	\$ 8,692.00

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

St. Vincent de Paul

Ś 1,365.00

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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CONTACT RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

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Ms. Mary Emmett, Music Director Mr. John Lane, School Principal Ms. Katie Robben, Assist. Principal Mrs. Mandy Stanley, Business Manager

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Phone: 513-693-1748

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.



VALUING THE SOUL MORE THAN THE BODY St. Junipero Serra

During an apostolic journey to California in 1988, Saint John Paul II visited the tomb of Junipero Serra who is now honored as a saint by the Church. His feast day is July 1st. The Pope described the significance of his pilgrimage as follows: "At crucial moments in human affairs, God raises up men and women whom he thrusts into roles of decisive importance for the future development of both society and the Church. We rejoice all the more when their achievement is coupled with a holiness of life that can truly be called heroic. So it is with Junipero Serra, who in the providence of God was destined to be the Apostle of California." A statue of this humble priest may be seen in Washington, D.C. in the Statuary Hall of the Capitol of the United States.

Junipero Serra was born in 1773 in Petra on the island of Mallorca, the largest of the Spanish Balearic Islands. He was baptized Miguel Jose. His parents, Antonio Nadal Serra and Margarita Rosa Ferrer, were peasants who could neither read nor write, but they were rich in faith and true charity. As a child, Miguel would hail passers-by with the pious local greeting which he would later spread in America and which would survive him there: "Love God!" His parents decided that because of his delicate health, Miguel would never become a farmer or a stonemason, the two most common trades in the village. However, they perceived that he had intellectual potential and allowed him to attend the village school run by the Franciscans. He spent about ten years at the Franciscans as a schoolboy.

When he turned 16, the young man asked to join the Franciscan Order as a friar and took the name Junipero, in memory of one of the first companions of Saint Francis of Assisi, Brother Juniper, whose simple and direct personality appealed to him. He joined the convent of St. Francis in Palma as a novice: he was enchanted by the silence, the Divine Office (the Liturgy of the Hours), and the lessons centered on the life of the founder. But to his great regret, his poor health earned him several dispensations, including exemption from rising at night (the friars would get up in the middle of the night to sing Matins), which led him to worry about his final admission. But his superiors valued the quality of the soul more than bodily strength, and received him into the Franciscan Order, in which he made his final commitment through religious profession on September 15, 1731. His physical ailments virtually disappeared from then on, so much so that during his life as a missionary he was able to cover extraordinary distances by running on foot!

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



NEVER, EVER GIVE

UP ON HOPE, NEVER

DOUBT, NEVER TIRE,

AND NEVER BECOME

DISCOURAGED.



REFLECTION: THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME WHO DO YOU LOVE?

Jesus asks his disciples to have total dedication to following him. As an example, he tells us that to be worthy we must love him more than we love our parents or children. If we see someone in our family stray from the faith, we try to bring them back by our prayers, example, and encouragement.

Jesus then gives examples of three kinds of disciples. First are the prophets. These are people who have lived the faith and are able to teach others the wisdom they have learned. Second are the righteous, those whose quiet lives teach by example. Many good parents practice this type of discipleship. Children may not listen to their parents' advice, but still grow up with memories of how they lived. Finally, there are the "little ones." These, like children, follow Jesus with great joy and love. They may be elderly, or disabled. When we respect and cherish them, we are able to see Jesus in them. And anytime we can experience Jesus through another person is a wonderful reward for a disciple.

~Tom Schmidt

IN THE LITURGY THIS WEEK:

July 3: St. Thomas, Apostle, Patron Saint of India and Pakistan.

July 4: Independence Day is celebrated.

July 5: St. Elizabeth of Portugal, named after her great aunt, Saint Elizabeth of Hungary. Queen and mother, lover of the poor, peacemaker in the royal family; later a Franciscan tertiary, patroness of Catholic charities.

July 6: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin, Martyr. She died in 1902 at age 12. She was stabbed to death, preferring to die than to be raped. In 1950, with her mother present, she was canonized before the largest crowd ever assembled in Rome for a canonization. Also present, in disguise, was her murderer. She is patroness of teenage girls. Maria lived for some hours and offered her pain for the conversion of her killer.



Pope Pius VI named John Carroll the first bishop of the United States of America in 1789. His cousin, Charles Carroll, was one of America's Founding Fathers and the only Catholic to sign the Declaration of Independence.

Bishop John Carroll would go on to become America's first archbishop for the Diocese of Baltimore, Maryland.

THIS WEEK AT "RES"

Sunday, July 2, 2023 -THIRTEENTH 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).

Tuesday, July 4, 2023

-INDEPENDENCE DAY 9:00 AM Mass at Saint William, with music. Fr. Keller will concelebrate.

Thursday, July 6, 2023 8:30 AM Mass

Sunday, July 9

LECTOR 11:00 AM Jim Queen SERVER 11:00 AM Nicholas Wells and Rosalinda

MASS INTENTIONS

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RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD STEWARDSHIP

Total	\$ 1,087.00
Loose	537.00
(12) Envelopes	\$ 550.00
Sunday 6/25/2023	

For God's Kingdom at Resurrection, we thank you for your faithful and generous contributions. We pray that our Lord will bless you abundantly.

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