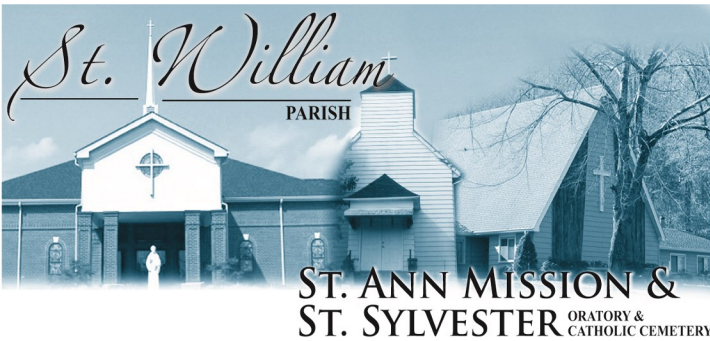
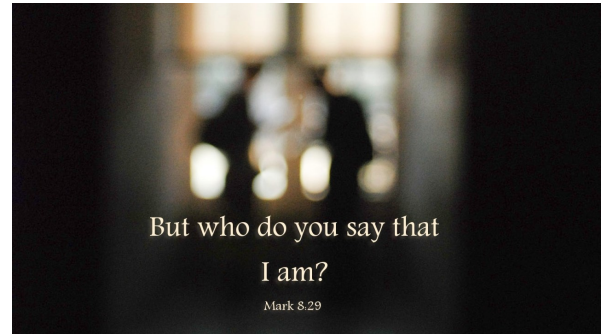


September 15, 2024



We are on the web: stwilliamlondon.com



MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. William, London
Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Ann Mission, Manchester
Sunday 10:45 a.m. Mass at St. William, London
Sunday 6:00 p.m. Misa en Español at St. William, London
Tuesday 12:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph Chapel, London
Wednesday 5:30 p.m. Adoration at St. William, London
Wednesday 6 p.m. Mass at St. William, London
Thursday 9 a.m. Mass at St. William, London
First Friday of the Month—Adoration 9 a.m., Mass at 10 am
-2nd, 3rd, & 4th Fridays of the Month - 9 a.m. Mass at
St. William
Last Friday of the Month—Adoration 5:00 pm, St. Ann
Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15 - 4:45 p.m., St. William, London

ST. WILLIAM PARISH OFFICE & STAFF

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Parish Phone: (606) 864-7500 Parish Fax: (606) 864-8263
Office Hours: Monday thru Wednesday 9:00 am-2:00 pm.
Thursday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Office is closed on Fridays.

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Website for St. William Church, London:
stwilliamlondon.com
Facebook: [facebook.com/saintwilliamcatholicchurch](https://www.facebook.com/saintwilliamcatholicchurch)
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Housekeeper: Ollie Loughran

ST. WILLIAM MISSION STATEMENT

We are the people of St. William Roman Catholic Church, a diverse and welcoming community in Southeast Kentucky. Our purpose: **nourishing** the spiritual growth through worshipping and walking with Christ, gratefully **caring** for God's creation and **responding** to our community needs, sharing in **proclaiming and affirming** the healing **love of Christ**, and moving us toward a deeper communion with God.

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION:

New parishioners are most welcome. Please register by calling the Parish Office. You may also register online on our website stwilliamlondon.com and clicking on Become a Member.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

For information, call the Parish Office - (606)864-7500

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FORMATION:

St. William— Grades pre-K through 12 classes are held Sunday at 9:20–10:30 am.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual abuse or sexual misconduct by church personnel, contact the **Diocese of Lexington's Victim Advocate, Laura Napora (859)253-1993** or Lnapora@cdlex.org.

PASTORAL CARE

The celebration of Baptism, Confirmation, and Marriage are very important events in the lives of families.

Please contact the church office to arrange for preparation for these sacraments. **Please remember, Marriage preparation requires at least six months.**

Anointing of the Sick and Communion for the Homebound: The parish wants to be of service in these times of need. If you or someone you know is sick or homebound, please call the church office or Pastor, Rev. George Mani Thellikalayil, MC (606)733-3211

PRAYER CHAIN:

Offering prayers for those in need please contact Carol Jackson (606)344-0034 via text/phone call or carolheartonfire@gmail.com (Prayer List and/or Bulletin)

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday by 1:00 p.m. for the upcoming weekend.

For our Homebound: St. William does Live Stream during the 10:45 AM Sunday Mass every week. It can be found on our website: stwilliamlondon.com

ST. ANN MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of St. Ann Catholic Church residing in the Appalachian Region of Southeastern Kentucky, are members of an active, welcoming faith community.

Energized by our Sacramental life, we are called to support and love one another and to enhance our spiritual growth and development. We will strive to give witness to our Catholic faith and be the presence of Jesus on earth by promoting justice, peace, and evangelization.



Isaiah, attacked and rejected for speaking out, assuredly had a difficult cross to bear. But today we hear insisting that he is willing to face all his opponents, for he trusts in God. James writes that faith must be put into action, which may lead to carrying a difficult cross. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the crowd that each person must take up his or her own cross if they wish to be saved. As we listen today to the readings, let us ponder which crosses we are reluctant to carry and pray for the strength and resolve to shoulder them.

Isaías, atacado y rechazado por alzar la voz, seguramente tenía una cruz difícil de llevar. Pero hoy escuchamos insistir en que está dispuesto a enfrentar a todos sus oponentes, porque confía en Dios. Santiago escribe que la fe debe ponerse en acción, lo que puede llevar a llevar una cruz difícil. En el Evangelio, Jesús dice a la multitud que cada persona debe tomar su propia cruz si quiere salvarse. Al escuchar hoy las lecturas, reflexionemos sobre cuáles cruces nos resistimos a cargar y recemos por la fuerza y la resolución para cargarlas.

Pastor

This weekend of September 14 and 15 will be a Sign-up Weekend asking parishioners to sign up for a committee they find may be of interest and/or a volunteer activity. There will be a representative for each committee to answer questions you may have about their committee and a sign-up paper asking for your name, phone number, and email address.

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

St. William does Live Stream during the 10:45 AM Sunday Mass every week. It can be found on our website: stwilliamlondon.com

SATURDAY: September 14th -Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: [Is 50:5-9a](#) [Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9](#) [Mk 8:27-35](#)

5:00 p.m. Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Betty Blunski+**

SUNDAY: September 15th Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: [Is 50:5-9a](#) [Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9](#) [Mk 8:27-35](#)

8:00 a.m. Mass (St. Ann)

Mass Intention: **Ralph Robinson+**

10:45 a.m.—Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Maria Concepcion Agtarap+**

6:00 p.m. Santa Misa Mass (St. William)

Monday: September 16th

Readings: [1 Cor 11:17-26, 33](#) [Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17](#) [Lk 7:1-10](#)

Tuesday: September 17th

Readings: [1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a](#) [Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5](#) [Lk 7:11-17](#)

12:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph Hospital

Wednesday: September 18th

Readings: [1 Cor 12:31-13:13](#) [Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22](#) [Lk 7:31-35](#)

5:30 p.m. Adoration (St. William)

6:00 p.m. Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Betty Blunski+**

Thursday: September 19th

Readings: [1 COR 15:1-11](#) [PS 118:1B-2, 16AB-17, 28](#) [LK 7:36-50](#)

9:00 a.m. Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Vocations**

Friday: September 20th

Readings: [1 COR 15:12-20](#) [PS 17:1BCD, 6-7, 8B AND 15](#) [Lk 8:1-3](#)

7:45 a.m.—Rosary (St. Ann)

9:00 a.m.—Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Parishioners**

SATURDAY: September 21st -Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: [Eph 4:1-7, 11-13](#) [Ps 19:2-3, 4-5](#) [Mt 9:9-13](#)

5:00 p.m. Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **David Back+**

SUNDAY: September 22nd Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: [Wis 2:12, 17-20](#) [Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 and 8](#) [Mk 9:30-37](#)

8:00 a.m. Mass (St. Ann)

Mass Intention: **Ralph Robinson, Jr.+**

10:45 a.m.—Mass (St. William)

Mass Intention: **Aaron Dukette**

5:00 p.m. Santa Misa Mass (St. William)



PARISH NEWS:

Pancake Breakfast for Religious Education Students and Families this Sunday, September 15th beginning at 9:00 am



Thanks to ALL who helped in making the Parish Picnic at St. Ann in Manchester a success!

**LAUREL COUNTY LIFE CENTER
Baby Bottle Blessings 2024**

Please take a Baby Bottle and fill with change and/or bills helping Laurel County Life Center serve our local families. The money is used to buy cribs and car seats for our clients. The smallest amount is important, just like the smallest baby is important!

*(Please return bottles by the 1st week of December.
Text Charlotte Davis with any questions – 606-521-1816*

**Blessing of Stern Hall
On Sunday, September 22nd**

4:00 p.m. – Bishop Stowe will meet with Students downstairs in Stern Hall

4:45 p.m. – Blessing of Stern Hall

5:00 p.m. - Bishop John Stowe will be presiding Spanish Mass

(Potluck following—For more info, please contact Vickie Nicholson (606)682-0684)

**El domingo 22 de septiembre –
Bendición de Stern Hall**

4:00 p.m. – El Obispo Stowe se reunirá con los estudiantes en la planta baja en Stern Hall

4:45 p.m. – Bendición de Stern Hall (Seguimiento de la comida compartida)

5:00 p.m. - El Obispo John Stowe presidirá la Misa en español

(A continuación: para obtener más información, comuníquese con Vickie Nicholson (606) 682-0684)

St. William and St Ann Catholic Church Collections

September 9, 2024

St. William	\$560.00
St. Ann	\$1,439.00
Online Weekly (SW).....	\$1448.89
Online Weekly (SA).....	\$56.95
Franciscan Mission.....	\$452.00
Cross Roads.....	\$15.00



Religious Education students and their families are invited to participate in a social event and fundraiser on Saturday, September 21st, 10:00am-12:00pm in anticipation of Respect Life Month in October. Students will get sponsors to pledge their support for the number of crosses they put out in the yard, with family help, during the event. Refreshments will be provided, and there will be prizes for top participants. All children must be accompanied by at least one family member in order to participate. Those without R.E. students in their families are most welcome to come and lend their support at this gathering as well. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Religious Education program, with a focus on the upcoming Pumpkin Carving and Epiphany parties.

Diocese of Lexington Middle School Youth Rally

October 5th

The Diocese is hosting our first annual Diocesan Youth Rally at Pax Christi on October 5th. For many, middle school marks the first time that young people begin to wrestle with who they are and what it truly means to be Catholic. Which I why we want to come together as a diocese and celebrate just: our Catholic Identity. Join us for a day of community, prayer, formation and a lot of fun (and inflatables!) The event is open to all youth grades 6-8 and will cost \$20 per participant. To register, please visit cdlex.org/youth for more details!

Please pray for Karen Hagedorn and her daughters as well as the rest of her family as her mother passed away recently. May God provide peace to this beautiful family.

*With Heartfelt
Sympathy*



Next weekend September 21-22 we will be kicking off the Diocesan Annual Appeal Campaign. You may have already received mail about it. Please note that any donations can be sent directly to the address for the Diocese of Lexington in the envelope provided. Please note, you will not receive a tax donation letter from our Parish for these donations. Instead, it will come directly from the Diocese of Lexington Office.

ALL ARE WELCOME Please join in on the Food and Fellowship alongside other Parishioners at **NOON** (12:00 p.m.) on the dates and locations listed

Ladies Luncheons*

9/10 McCalister

9/17 Cornett

9/24 Applebee's

**Please contact Debbie Green (606)224-0389*

Men's Luncheons

Sept 10 - Applebee's

Sept 17- The Abbey

Sept 24 - Wings and Rings

Diocesan Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration – November 23rd, 2024

For all couples having their 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th or 50th-plus wedding anniversary in 2024, the Bishop will celebrate with you at the Cathedral of Christ the King on Saturday, November 23rd. The event begins with Mass at 5:00 PM with Bishop John Stowe, OFM Conv. presiding, followed by a catered reception in Hehman Hall. We are also looking for couples newly married in the past year to be hospitality ministers. If you or someone you know is celebrating one of these jubilee anniversaries in 2024 or if you are newly married and would like to serve as hospitality ministers, please register at cdlex.org/family or contact Claudia Green at the Catholic Center at (859) 253-1993, ext. 1004 to make reservations by November 15th. Please give your name, parish, mailing address, phone number, and original wedding date.



For: Linda O'Bannon, Jacob & Jaxon Dacunha, Nannette Jensen, Alice Hayes, Keightley & Brady Banks, Pat Sandhoff, Darold Sandhoff, Louise Wendling, Susan Ezell, Penny & Paul Vaccaro, Chris Beard, Moore Family, Harvey Hogue, Patti Danquah, Tom Hagedorn Family, Sofia Cardona Family, Mat & DeAnna Ulbert, Kate McFadden family, Jason Elder & Daughters, Andy Perez, Amanda Stone, Rush Family, Don Hill, Clare Encomio, Darryl Johnson Family, Ravin Hicks, Family of Maria Concepcion Agtarap, Bussiere Family, Rachel Louthan, Brenda Bledsoe and Family, Randi Kincer, Robin Burkhardt Family, Vaunene Greene Family, Walker Family, and the Betty Blunski Family