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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm
closed for lunch from 12:30 - 1:30pm

Religious Education/Youth Ministry

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

Grades 9-12, Sundays 9:45 - 10:45am,
fourth Sunday 6 - 8pm, 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: 3:00 - 4:00pm & by appointment

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays 4:45 - 5:45pm

& 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.

God did not send his Son into the world
to condemn the world,
but that the world might be saved through him.

— John 3:17



Divine Mercy In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told is a ten week course with prayer, a video, and discussion questions each week.

Please join us beginning this Tuesday, March 13th at 1pm in the Family Life Center classrooms.

Renowned speaker and author Fr. Michael Gaitley tells the dramatic history of God's love and mercy as interwoven through the transformative message of St. Faustina, the witness of Maximilian Kolbe, and the world-changing papacy of Pope St. John Paul II.

For more information or questions, please contact Debi Yetman at 487-6390.



The St. William Women's Club will meet this Wednesday, March 14th at 7pm in the Family Life Center. Newcomers welcome!

Adoremus: An evening of music, reflection, prayer and confession for 20s/30s.

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest..." Join young adults from all over to pray and worship together in the Eucharistic Presence of Jesus! Wednesday, March 14, at 7pm at St. Peter Catholic Church in Memphis. Keep up with the event on Facebook. Search for ADOREMUS MEMPHIS in Events. This is a ministry of the Office of Campus and Young Adult Ministry for the Diocese of Memphis.

Lenten Fridays

Please note Divine Mercy Hour on Fridays during Lent will be held from **3-4pm**.

Lenten Fish Fries will be held during the Fridays of Lent from 5-6:30pm in the Family Life Center. Proceeds go to benefit various programs supported by our local Knights of Columbus Council. Cost for an adult plate is \$8, Seniors age 55+ \$7, children ages 6-12 \$6, and kids 5 and under are free.

Stations of the Cross will be held at 7pm in the Church on Fridays during Lent.

There is no Bunko in March, due to the fish fry and Stations of the Cross.

LIFEBLOOD

There will be a blood drive on March 17 from 10am-2pm in the Family Life Center. Please come out and give the Precious Gift of Life. If you have any questions, contact Joe or Regina Kons at 837-6534.



St. Patrick's Day Trivia Night: The OLS Youth Group is hosting a trivia night on St. Patrick's Day, Saturday, March 17. Doors open at 5:30 and play will begin at 6:45. The cost is \$90 per table with up to six players. Additional players are \$15 each. The theme is "Everything Irish" and there will be prizes for the best decorated table, the best-dressed leprechaun, and the best-dressed collen. Hot dogs, nachos, chips, and soft drinks will be available for purchase. BYOB. There will be door prizes and prizes for two rounds of "Heads or Tails". The first place, second place and last place teams will each receive a prize. Call 353-1530 to reserve your team's table.



Join us next Sunday, March 18, 9:45-10:45am, in the Family Life Center classroom A for **Forgiven: Session 5, Answering Common Questions about Confession**. Why do we confess our sins to a priest? Is this sacrament some arbitrary requirement or does it have an inner logic? The answer to these and many more questions about Confession begins and ends with love.

Please plan to come have breakfast with the Easter Bunny on Sunday, **March 18th** after both Masses.



40 Days for Life St. William Day!

Come pray for the unborn babies and their mothers! St. William's parishioners will gather on Sunday, **March 18th** from 1:15-3pm at Planned Parenthood, 2430 Poplar Avenue, for the 40 Days for Life prayer vigil. Join us for a complimentary lunch in the Family Life Center after the 11am Mass before we carpool to the vigil. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Bridget at 628-3207.

Mass Intentions



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Monday	March 12	8:30am	+ Leandro Vivo by Josie Austin
Tuesday	March 13	11:30am	+ Sr. Terry Harvey by Kevin Bravata & Family
Wednesday	March 14	NO MASS	~NO MASS~
Thursday	March 15	11:30am <i>(on base)</i>	+ Telesfora "Puring" Dalao by the Dalao Family
Friday	March 16	8:30am	+ Marcello Family by the Marcello Family
Saturday	March 17	4:30pm	+ Betty Leible by Virginia & Jack Duff
Sunday	March 18	8:30am	Spec Int of the parishioners of St. William
		11:00am	+ Joe Stransky by Liz & Paul Carver

Weekly Offering



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Lenten Rules for Fasting & Abstinence

In the United States, the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday** are days of **fast** and **abstinence**. The law of **fast** obliges all those from 18-59 to refrain from eating meals and to limit their eating to one full meal and two lighter meals for the day. The law of **abstinence** obliges those 14 years of age and older not to eat meat.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH:

Anna Bernil, Rudy Bernil, Bob Blankenbeckler, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Trudy Clark, Lois Hayden, Pat Hunt, Dorothy Kruzik, Annie Longoria, the Marcello Family, Paul O'Connor, Paula Ogletree, Howard Olson, Rick Ortiz, Maria Robertson, Jim Schmall, Chase Weston, and Richard & Rachael Williams.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND

RELATIVES: *Nori Austin, John Babich, Kay Baker, Shelia Bales, Stella Beckmann, Claire Brewi, Quentin & Agnes Collins, John & Irma Fewell, Kayla Jackson, Jean Moeller, Marilyn Moeller, Jamie Neal, Jim Ogletree, Katherine Osterman, Mary Parrish, Frank & Charolett Ziemba, and all the unborn babies and for all abused children.*

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY:

HM2 James Allen, AM1 Mark Beckmann, BM1 Shane Blevins, LT Evan Bower, CS2 (SW/AW) Michael Domingo, CS3 (SS) Michael T. Duncan, SFC Chris Lachenmayer, Cody Michael Maglio, CAPT Ian A. Netzel, LTJG Leah Ortiz, Turner Weston OSSA, PFC Matthew Whidden, Sgt Amy Winter, and ISG Nathan Wright.

****If any names can be deleted, please call the Parish Office. Thank you.****

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	March 17	March 18	March 18
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
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