

# SAINT WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PARISH STAFF

**Rev. John Hourican, Pastor**

**Mrs. Lisa Rhodes, Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper**  
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**Mrs. Debbie Breckenridge,**  
*Director of Religious Education*  
(901) 359-7063

**Mr. Todd Ripley, Youth Director**  
(901) 308-3595

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 9am-4:30pm  
closed for lunch 12:30-1:30pm

## Religious Education/Teen Ministry

Pre-K-8, Sundays 9:45-10:45am  
All Teenagers, Sundays 12:30-2:30pm  
September - May

## Instructions in the Catholic Faith - (O.C.I.A.)

Tuesdays, 7pm, August - April

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30pm  
Sunday: 8:30 & 11am

WEEKDAY MASSES & HOLY DAYS OF  
OBLIGATION  
as announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION  
Saturday: 3-4pm in the FLC & by appointment

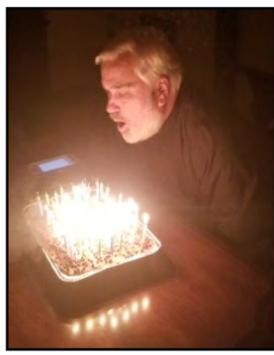
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT  
Fridays 9-10am

WEDDINGS  
Six months notification required.

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



July 13, 2025 ~ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Happy 60th  
Birthday to  
Fr. Hourican on  
Monday, July 14!**

### Repaired Rosaries

Just a reminder that rosaries, which were placed in the box in the Narthex for repair, are ready to be picked up.

*St. William*  
New Parish Pictorial Directory

**9/25-9/27**  
*Save the  
Date!*

WE WILL BE PRODUCING A NEW PARISH DIRECTORY THIS FALL. PLEASE LEAVE THESE DATES OPEN TO SCHEDULE A FREE PICTURE TO BE TAKEN OF YOU AND YOUR FAMILY IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

Watch for registration information in the bulletin late July/Early August

**SHOP TIL YOU DROP  
HUGE SALE  
SATURDAY, JULY 19TH  
YARD SALE**

**ST WILLIAMS CATHOLIC CHURCH  
FAMILY LIFE CENTER  
7AM-1PM**

PLEASE DROP OFF DONATIONS TO THE CHURCH OFFICE BY THURSDAY JULY 17<sup>TH</sup>, OR CONTACT JANE HIGGINS 615-580-6297 OR KATHY MASTERS 901-634-7475

## Teen Times

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“Be who God created you to be, and you will set the world on fire.” - Saint Catherine of Siena.

Over the years the St William teens have cooked breakfast, served desserts, and held car washes, in addition to playing volleyball, board games, and having Bible studies. What other ideas do you have?

If you're a teen who would like to get involved, you can text Bridget (901-628-3207) your ideas and if you're not currently in the St. William's Youth GroupMe, just send Bridget a text and we will get you added! We want every teen to be able to get involved!

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Thank you for reading Teen Times, the official Youth Group news outlet.

*Fr. Bill Burke will be saying Mass on Sunday, August 3, at 11am, at St. William to celebrate his 50th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood. A potluck will be held after the Mass in his honor. Please join the St. William family in recognizing this event and by bringing a dish or dessert to share.*



### Mission Statement

We the people of St. William Parish, accept as our mission: to love God with all our heart and mind, and our neighbor as ourselves. We seek to know our faith, to live our faith, and to authentically teach our faith by word and example. We carry out this mission by lovingly promoting the traditions and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and through prayer, evangelization, and service to others; while always remembering that the primary mission of the Church is the salvation of souls.

**Out of consideration of our Lord's presence in the tabernacle and for those wishing to pray before or after Mass, please refrain from talking in the church worship space.**



Catholic Charities  
of West Tennessee  
St. Martin de Porres Society



### A JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE SPEAKER SERIES

**BEGINS THURSDAY JULY 17th**

#### Human Dignity

Fr. Dexter Noblefranca

July 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM  
@ St. Faustina Shrine  
(St. Ann. Bartlett)

#### Solidarity

Br. Joel McGraw

August 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00 AM  
@ Divine Mercy Shrine  
(Sacred Heart Church,  
Midtown Memphis)

#### The Common Good

Fr. Mike Werkhoven

September 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM  
@ Immaculate Conception  
Cathedral

#### Subsidiarity

George Nixon, S.T.L.

October 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM  
@ St. Martin de Porres  
National Shrine  
(St. Peter Catholic Church)

**MAKE A PILGRIMAGE. DEEPEN YOUR FAITH. ENCOURAGE GRACE.**

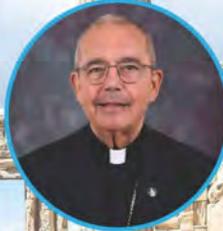
Celebrate the Jubilee Year of Hope with Catholic Charities through a four-part speaker series on the pillars of Catholic Social Teaching—hosted at designated pilgrimage sites across the Diocese of Memphis.

**BISHOP DAVID P. TALLEY  
MSGR. MARV BORGER**

## *Pilgrimage to* **GREECE & TURKEY**

Walk in the footsteps of St. Paul,  
St. John, and the Blessed Mother  
in the "Holy Land Part 2"  
pilgrimage, including Athens & a  
cruise to Santorini & Crete!

**SEPTEMBER 5 - 19, 2026**

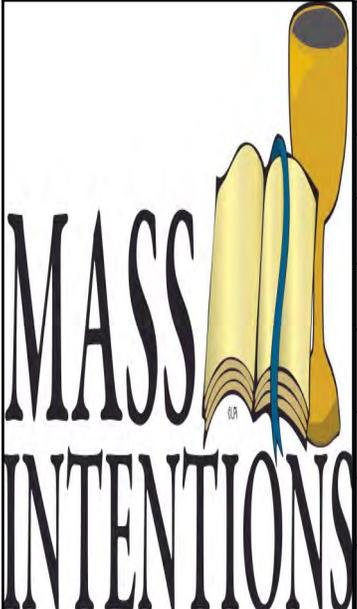


**CATHOLICFAITHJOURNEYS.COM/GREECE2026**

“Although each of the faithful always has the right to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, at his choice, if any communicant should wish to receive the Sacrament in the hand, in areas where the Bishops’ Conference with the recognition of the Apostolic See has given permission, the sacred host is to be administered to him or her. However, special care should be taken to ensure that the host is consumed by the communicant in the presence of the minister, so that no one goes away carrying the Eucharistic species in his hand. If there is a risk of profanation, then Holy Communion should not be given in the hand to the faithful.” Redemptionis Sacramentum paragraph # 92 from the CONGREGATION FOR DIVINE WORSHIP AND THE DISCIPLINE OF THE SACRAMENT.

### **Guidelines for Receiving the Eucharist**

Catholics should make spiritual preparation before receiving Holy Communion. We do this by abstaining from food and drink (except water and medicine) for at least one hour before receiving Communion (see Can. 919: §1). Be aware that chewing gum breaks the Eucharistic fast. No one should ever attempt to receive Communion with chewing gum in their mouth. Also, a Catholic in a state of mortal sin should first make a sacramental confession before returning to the Eucharist.

	Monday	July 14	8:30am	<b>+Debi Yetman</b> by Mike & Andrea McLellan
	Tuesday	July 15	11:30pm	<b>+Mark Talley</b> by the Talley Family
	Wednesday	July 16	8:30am	<b>+C.M. O'Shea</b> by Rev. John Hourican
	Thursday	July 17	11:30am	<b>+Mark Duch</b> by the Reg & Galdonez Families
	Friday	July 18	8:30am	<b>+Fe Galdonez</b> by the Galdonez Family
	Saturday	July 19	8:30am	<b>+Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Memphis</b> by Rev. John Hourican
			4:30pm	<b>+Vernon Luze</b> by John Perkovich
	Sunday	July 20	8:30am	Intention of <b>the parishioners of St. William</b>
			11:00am	<b>+Dale Kyle</b> by Lee Kyle

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND/OR RECUPERATING OF OUR PARISH:** *Guy Avanzi, Earl Baker, Bill Beckmann, Jeanne Brannock, Dee Burke, Evelyn Cox, Alex Domingo, Ken Gregory & family, Terry Hunt, Angelo LoBianco, Evelyn Lynn, the Marcello Family, Mary Morrison, Marion Nadchal, Linda Norman, Howard & Ruthann Olson, Rick Ortiz, Anna Stringfellow, and Chase Weston.*

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES:** *Eric Ballou, Debbie Barkowski, Holly Berger, Fr. Bill Burke, Diana Carroll, Brenda Cline, Donna Cordle, David & Essy Cragin, Virginia Duff, Patty Hayes, Dianne Langley, Babette Lopez, Tanya Martchek, Taylor Martchek, Haley Millican, Jamie Neal, Michelle Neal, Carole O'Brien, Marcy Oliver-Arrambide, Donald Stephens, Marie Sublett, Dave Wainwright, Cathy Whaley, Jane & Martin Wiseman, all caretakers, all the unborn babies, and for all abused children.*

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY:** *HMI James Allen, Zachary Andrews, PFC Anna Grace Beckmann, E5 Nate Beckmann, SP4 Patrick Beckmann, BMI Shane Blevins, LCDR Evan Bower, Airman David W. Brandt USN, CS2 (SW/AW) Michael Domingo, Msgt Jonathan A. Duncan USMC, CS2 (SS) Michael T. Duncan, PFC Dylan Kirkpatrick, Captain Olivia Anne Koehler, Cody Michael Maglio, Sgt. John Messene, Arthur Metcalfe IV, MAJ Ian A. Netzel, LCDR Leah Ortiz, Joseph Stephens, Turner Weston OSSA, and ISG Nathan Wright.*

## WEEKLY OFFERING

### WEEKLY OFFERTORY—Last Weekend:

Offertory Actual \$9,528

Offertory Budget \$7,849

YTD Offertory-actual \$9,528

YTD Offertory-budget \$7,849

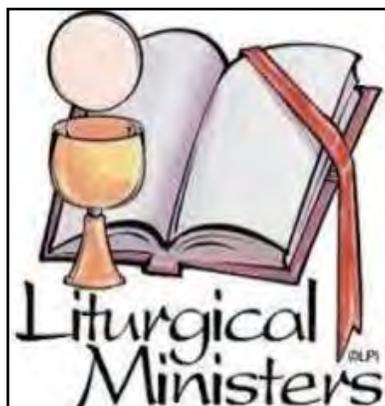
### BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND

YTD Offertory-actual \$4,193

YTD Offertory-budget \$1,067



*The altar flowers this weekend  
are In Memory of  
the 95th Birthday of  
Alberta Geronimo Pagulayan by  
the Carris Family.*



	July 19	July 20	July 20
	4:30pm	8:30am	11:00am
<b>Lectors</b>	Scott Ewen	Theresa Cook	Scott Ewen
<b>Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	Scott Ewen*	Mike McLellan*	Scott Ewen*
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Scott Ewen	Gavin Bulthuis	Caden Asbill
	Buddy Kuhstoss	Logan Bulthuis	Joshua Carris
	Janis Nichols	Alex Marlow	Luz Maria Rosas