

# St. William Parish

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November 10, 2019 ~ 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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## CELEBRATING TOGETHER



### Parish Ministries

Please call the Parish Office for Mass and Prayer Intentions, Homebound and Hospitalized Ministry, Funerals, The Catholic Exponent, Family Information Changes, New Parishioner Registration and details about any Parish Organization and Ministry.

### Celebrating the Sacraments:

**Baptism:** Call Parish Office to make arrangements.

**First Eucharist:** Celebrated in the 2nd grade with parents and children participating in preparation program.

**Confirmation:** Celebrated with the Bishop biannually for 8th graders (or older) who have attended preparation classes.

**Reconciliation:** Celebrated Saturday at 4:00 p.m. or by appointment. Communal Reconciliation Services are held during Lent and Advent.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Contact the Parish Office to inform us of anyone who is sick (at home or in the hospital) for visitation and anointing.

**Marriage:** Couples should contact the Parish Office/Priest before making any arrangements for marriage (at least 6 months in advance). Couples must be registered in the parish and participate in the marriage preparation program.

**Holy Orders:** For information on religious life, contact Diocese of Youngstown Vocation Office at 330-744-8451.

### Christian Formation and Education

**Parish School of Religion (PSR)**  
Sunday Morning Gr. K-8  
9:30-10:45 a.m.

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):**  
Sunday Mornings  
9:30-10:45 a.m.

**Adult and Teen Enrichment Programs:**  
Offered periodically throughout the year.  
Consult the weekly bulletin.

**John F. Kennedy Catholic School**  
[www.warrenjfk.com](http://www.warrenjfk.com)

**Lower Campus—Grades K-5**  
330-372-2375

**Upper Campus—Grades 6-12**  
330-369-1804

### Hall Rental/Catering:

Contact the Parish Office for details.

### Catholic Charities Regional Agency:

Trumbull County 330-393-4254

**Bulletin Deadline:** Articles must be submitted to the Parish Office *or emailed to* drobinson@stwilliamchampion.org by Wednesday prior to the weekend they are to appear.

Visit our website at

[www.stwilliamchampion.org](http://www.stwilliamchampion.org)



## CELEBRATION OF THE LITURGY

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Winter - Sunday 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Summer - Sunday 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Weekdays - 8:30 a.m. Tuesday - Friday

Holydays - Check weekly bulletin

Communion Service - Monday 8:30 a.m.



Today's gospel is one of the few stories where we hear Jesus' thoughts on the question of resurrection. The Sadducees pose a ridiculous scenario to Jesus about the resurrection of the dead in the hope it will trip him up. His response cuts straight through to the heart of their question. Even though resurrection is a central element of our faith, we see early on that there existed a debate among the religious leaders of the time. The answer Jesus gives is meant to challenge the faith and belief of those who posed the question. In doing so, it leads us to wonder about what we believe about resurrection. How does this central element of our faith animate our daily life? How is our life different because of this promise? Each week we gather to celebrate and proclaim the paschal mystery; the suffering, death, and resurrection of the Lord that leads to joy and confidence in us and the hope of eternal life in heaven. As we continue to remember, in a special way, our loved ones who have embraced eternal life and as we look forward to the upcoming holiday season of thanks and gratitude, may our daily actions always be rooted in our profound belief in the resurrection and reward of eternal life.

*Have a great week! Father Balash*



~ November 10 - November 17, 2019 ~  
32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**NOVEMBER 10, 2019**

Sat 5:00 p.m. † DENISE TOMBOR-FOX/ Ted Bogan  
Sun 8:30 a.m. † RICHARD HUDAK/ Jim & MaryAnn Jackson  
11:00 a.m. † ALFRED CARRINO/ The Wolfe Family  
Mon 8:30 a.m. † COMMUNION SERVICE  
Tues 8:30 a.m. † ANN SEKERAK/ Barb Mendik  
Wed 8:30 a.m. † JOSEPH MINTUS/ Mercy Sutzyak  
Thur 8:30 a.m. † MITCHELL PEALER/ Gloria Mintus  
Fri 8:30 a.m. † LOU KRIVANEK/ Joan Krivanek

**NOVEMBER 17, 2019**

Sat 5:00 p.m. † TOM CHURA/ Donna & Ron Runtas  
Sun 8:30 a.m. † CONNIE KOREN/ Ronald Koren  
11:00 a.m. † REGINA KELLY/ Kusmierak Family

**OFFERTORY SUMMARY ~ November 3, 2019 (WK 18)**

	LAST WK	YTD
Sunday Collection	\$ 8,498.07*	\$ 131,049.69*
Amount Needed	\$ 7,100.00	\$ 127,800.00
Difference	\$ 1,398.07	\$ 3,249.69
Performance	120%	103%

\*Includes MyEoffering: \$ 1,015.09 LASTWK — \$ 11,925.46 YTD  
Envelopes ~ 216 out of 547  
Children's Envelopes ~ \$ 15.56 (15 out of 62)



*Come pray the Rosary  
every Sunday morning at 8:00 a.m.  
in the Adult Meeting Room.*

†† RECENT DEATHS ††

*Our Sincere Sympathy*

In your prayers for the departed, please remember

**Brent Wilcox**

*Brother-in-Law of Frank Butcher*

**George Schuster**

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.*

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY**

~ November 16/17 ~

**33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Lectors**

5:00 p.m. Donna Runtas, Tim Timko  
8:30 a.m. Ed Runyan, Linda Horn  
11:00 a.m. Eddie Kuhn, Dominic Kuhn

**Servers**

5:00 p.m. Kaylynn Abbey, Kaycie Martinko  
8:30 a.m. Nathan Goldner  
11:00 a.m. Theresa Craiger, Taylor Kuhn

**Eucharistic Ministers**

5:00 p.m. Carol Timko, Carla Gilronan, Ron Gilronan  
8:30 a.m. Michele Jeffers, Theresa White, Linda Trunick, Ellie Gates, Dave Lucanski, Christina Pacurar  
11:00 a.m. Maureen Thuman, Regina Speaker, Janice Ventling, Scott Freer, Sandy Hudak, Patty Heib



*Scripture that will be proclaimed next weekend:*

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33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Malachi 3: 19-20A**

*Lo, the day is coming, blazing like an oven, when all the proud and all evildoers will be stubble ...*

**2 Thessalonians 3: 7-12**

*Brothers and sisters: You know how one must imitate us. For we did not act in a disorderly way ...*

**Luke 21: 5-19**

*While some people were speaking about how the temple was adorned with costly stones and votive offerings ...*

**BULLETINS FOR THE HOMEBOUND**

If you know of a parishioner who is homebound or in a nursing home or assisted living and would like to receive a weekly bulletin, please notify the office with their name and address.



**NEWSLETTER**

Volunteers are needed to fold, label, and sort the Fall 2019 Newsletters on Wednesday, November 13 at 10:30 a.m. in the Adult Meeting Room. If you are able to help or have any questions, contact Dan Robinson at: 330-847-8677, or drobinson@stwilliamchampion.org. Newsletters will be mailed November 14.

## LITURGICAL MINISTER WORKSHOPS

**THIS WEDNESDAY** November 13 at 7:00 p.m.

This MAKE-UP Workshop is for ALL Lectors *current and new!* It has been scheduled for those who were not able to make the previous workshop. Hope to see you there!

### REMINDER TO ALL LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

*Please return your contact information sheets as soon as possible.*

## ST. WILLIAM PARISH ADVENT LESSONS AND CAROLS

Tuesday, December 3, 2019 7:00 p.m.



Celebrate the "Wonders of His Love" with song, scripture and prayer.

## NEW DOOR LOCKS AND KEYS

This past week new locks were installed on all of the outside doors to the Church building requiring a new key. This change is a part of new diocesan safety and security protocols. Those who currently have a key to the building will need to return it and a new key will be issued to those required to have access to the building.

## YOU LUCKY SNOWBIRDS!

For those of you fortunate to escape winter in Ohio and head south for season...have a wonderful time in the warm sunshine this year and we hope to see you back in early Spring! In the meantime, we do ask two favors while you are away from Saint William Parish: first....send as much sunshine and warmth back to Ohio whenever you can...and secondly...don't forget your weekly contribution! Your continued commitment to stewardship to Saint William Parish during your time away is greatly appreciated.

## THE PARISH CALENDAR

NOV 11 ~ Bible Study 9:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.  
NOV 11 ~ SND Associates Faith Sharing 6 p.m.  
NOV 12 ~ Quilters 9:00 a.m.  
NOV 12 ~ Women's Guild TNT Night 6:00 p.m.  
NOV 12 ~ RCIA at St. Rose, Girard 6:30 p.m.  
NOV 12 ~ Cantor Workshop, Room 103 7:30 p.m.  
NOV 13 ~ Lector Workshop 7:00 p.m.  
NOV 13 ~ Folk Group 7:00 p.m.  
NOV 14 ~ Naim Club 12:00 Noon  
NOV 14 ~ Adult Choir 7:00 p.m.  
NOV 16 ~ K of C Spaghetti Dinner 6:00 p.m.  
NOV 17 ~ First Reconciliation Parent Meeting 9:30 a.m.

*Check out the Parish Calendar on our website for more events*

## LOOKING AHEAD!

**Thanksgiving Day Mass:** Start your holiday on Thanksgiving Day morning by joining us for Mass at **8:30 a.m.** as we give thanks and praise to God for the goodness and blessings of this life.

### "A Festival of Lessons and Carols"

Tuesday, December 3 at 7:00 p.m.: Join us for this annual Advent celebration of Scripture and Song. Start your season off by entering it through prayer, reflection, and song as we prepare for a Christ-filled Christmas holiday.

### Join the Prayer Chain Ministry:

Anyone interested in joining our community of parishioners dedicated to pray for the intentions and concerns of our church family, friends and community, can do so by contacting the parish office at 330-847-8677 or by emailing [parishoffice@stwilliamchampion.org](mailto:parishoffice@stwilliamchampion.org). Prayer requests can be made by calling or emailing the parish office.

**PRAYER CHAIN**



## CHRISTMAS AT ST. WILLIAM

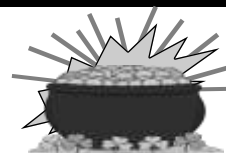
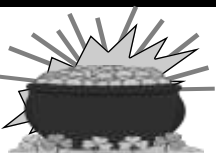
The Liturgy Committee has begun planning for our upcoming Christmas environment. We are in need of regular, non-LED, clear mini Christmas tree lights, strands of 100, green wire and preferably with end-to-end connections. Lights can be dropped off in the vestibule or parish office.

## "Pot - of - Gold"

*Envelope number drawn, Wednesday, November 6, was #202  
There was no winner! The winner would have received \$406.00*

Drawings take place every Wednesday morning at 9:00 a.m. Everyone who receives Church envelopes is eligible to win IF YOU PARTICIPATE. If your envelope number is drawn and you participated...YOU WIN the Pot-of-Gold!

**GOOD LUCK!!**



## THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Champion Pride and Champion Churches are once again providing food baskets for Thanksgiving to families in need in our area. We are asking for non-perishable, *non-expired* food items, such as pasta, sauce, tuna, stuffing mix, veggies, desserts, soups, cereal, peanut butter etc. Monetary donations for Sparkle certificates can be given to Darlene Frantz or Roy Mercandino or dropped off at the parish office. All checks should be made out to St. William Parish.

Thank you in advance for your continued support. **Requests for Food slips are on the bulletin board in the vestibule and must be turned in by TODAY.** Distribution of food baskets will be here at St. William on Saturday, November 23 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon.

Anyone who would like to help for a few hours on Friday, November 22 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, please call Darlene Frantz 330-638-0938.

## NATIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY

On behalf of the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop of the Military Services, USA, thank you for contributing to the National Collection for AMS last week. Your generosity will help make possible services and pastoral care for those serving in the U.S. Military, their families and veterans. Thank you for supporting the men and women from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect our nation and defend the freedom we hold dear.

## Christmas Ca\$h Tickets Now Available!!!

Our first drawing for our Christmas Cash Raffle is Thanksgiving morning, November 28!!! Take a chance to win some *CASH* just in time for the holiday shopping. Tickets are \$10.00 each for a chance to win 12 prizes of \$30.00 and the grand prize of \$500.00. Drawings begin on Thanksgiving Day and continue every other day until December 20. Grand Prize drawing will be on Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> ... just in time for Christmas! **Be the top seller and receive 5 FREE TICKETS.** *Note: Top Seller deadline is in two weeks!*



*Check the parish website from time to time for information about what is happening at the parish...*

[www.stwilliamchampion.org](http://www.stwilliamchampion.org)

## PARISH SENIORS!!!

In thanksgiving for your wisdom and dedication to the church, Warren Area Catholic Teens invite senior members of the church to a complimentary Pasta Dinner in your honor!

**Saturday, November 23, 2019**

*1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.*

St. Mary Parish, 232 Seneca Ave., Warren, OH  
*Complimentary tickets are available after Mass this weekend.*

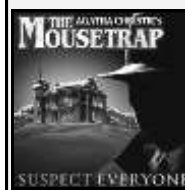


## MUSIC MINISTRY

ADVENT LESSONS AND CAROLS is a beautiful one hour celebration of the season with scripture, song and prayer. Please mark your calendars NOW for Tuesday, December 3 at 7:00 p.m.

Nine PSR STUDENTS are needed as candle bearers for this celebration. Please see Mrs. Timko if you would like to participate.

Nine LECTORS are also needed, please see Pat Maciejewski if you would be able to attend and proclaim a reading.



## Trumbull New Theatre Event

This Tuesday, November 12, 2019

at 7:00 p.m.

Tickets \$17.00

Will be sold after Masses starting Oct. 26th or contact Theresa Craiger 330-889-9711



## ST. WILLIAM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

*Proceeds to benefit a 14 year old girl with a brain tumor.*

Saturday, November 16, 2019 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Tickets: Adults ~ \$10.00 Children 6-12 ~ \$5.00

Carry Out Available

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Six Weeks with the Bible

**Please Note Change in Schedule!**

*Mary: Jesus' Mother – and Ours*

November 4, 11 & 18 (No evening session on Nov. 4)  
*9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.*

November 11, 18 & 25 (No morning session on Nov. 25)  
*7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.*

## CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

Our annual Christmas Giving Tree will be in the vestibule beginning next weekend. Gifts are due back by December 8. Thank you for your generosity and support.



## NAIM CLUB

Thursday, November 14. We will meet in the St. William parking lot at 12 Noon for a trip to Red Lobster in Niles, OH. Reservations are for 12:30 p.m.

## CHANGE OF ADDRESS???

Out of Town? Temporarily? Seasonally? Are you a Snowbird? Remember to let the Parish Office know ahead of time. We can send mail directly to a temporary or seasonal address. Mail returned to us incurs a hefty charge. Help keep our costs down by letting us know your address changes!