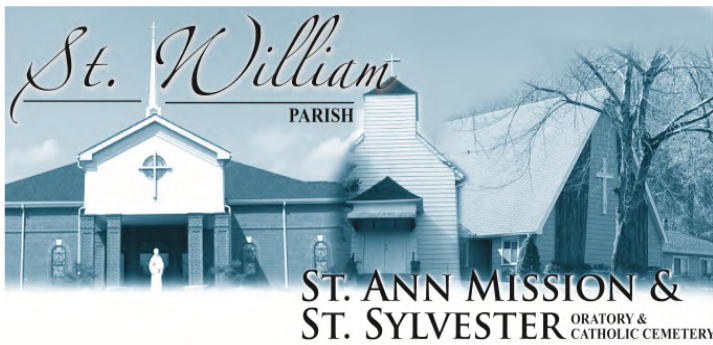


DECEMBER 22, 2019



## 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  
Monday 12:10 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph Chapel, London  
Tuesday 9 a.m. Mass at St. William, London  
Wednesday 6 p.m. Mass at St. William, London  
Thursday 9 a.m. Mass at St. William, London  
Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15 - 4:45 p.m., St. William, London

## ST. WILLIAM PARISH OFFICE & STAFF

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**Youth Facebook:** St. William's Youth Group (London, KY)  
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### ST. WILLIAM MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. William Roman Catholic Church, are a distinctive community located in southeastern Kentucky. Our purpose is to advance the spiritual growth of our members; to respond to needs inside and outside our community; to create opportunities for evangelization, ecumenism and the promulgation of our faith; and to respond to the many opportunities for growth before us.



## NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION:

**New parishioners are most welcome.** Please register by calling the Parish Office. You may also register online at [cdlex.org/London](http://cdlex.org/London) or St. Ann Mission at (606) 598-2718.

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION:

For information, call Sr. Marge Manning DRE, St. William's Religious Education office 864-3098, or home 330-0268

## 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](mailto: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.

## PRAYER CHAIN:

Offering prayers for those in need contact Carol Jackson at 606-344-0034 or [cajackson01@windstream.net](mailto:cajackson01@windstream.net)

### 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.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Saturday, December 21st**

4:15 pm: Confessions  
 5:00 pm Fourth Sunday in Advent  
 6:30 pm Celebration of Simbang Gabi Mass

**Sunday, December 22nd**

**Fourth Sunday in Advent**

10:45 am Mass  
 6:00 pm Mass (Spanish)

**Monday, December 23rd**

12:10 pm Mass (St. Joseph Hospital Chapel)  
 6:45 pm RCIA

**Tuesday, December 24th**

Vigil of Christmas  
 5:00pm Mass  
 7:30 pm Mass—St. Ann  
 The Nativity of the Lord—Christmas  
 11:30 pm Caroling & Singing  
 Midnight Mass - St. William

**Wednesday, December 25th**

NO Mass

**Thursday, December 26th**

No Mass  
 1:00 pm Rosary

**Friday, December 27th**

No Mass

**Saturday, December 28th**

4:15 pm Confessions  
 5:00 pm Mass

**December 21-22, 2019**

**SATURDAY**

**Presider:** Fr. Vitner Martinez  
**Deacon:**  
**Sacristan:** L. O'Bannon  
**Lector:** Shelby Nicholson  
**Eucharistic Minister:**  
 Debbie Green  
 V. Nicholson

**SUNDAY**

Fr. Vitner Martinez  
 Tony Raiohe  
 Kahan Tran  
 M. Raiche  
 Rob Rynkowski  
 C. Neimeier  
 T. Neimeier  
 J.Cochrane  
 Jacob Parman  
 Coye Walker

**Altar Servers:**

**Ushers:** D. Green

**Home Visits:** Week of December 23rd Tony Raiche

**Sacristan, Lector, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers for Masses on December 24th—See sign up sheet on Kiosk.**

**December 28-29, 2019**

**SATURDAY**

**Presider:** Fr Vitner Martinez  
**Deacon:**  
**Sacristan:** L. O'Bannon  
**Lector:** Shelby Nicholson  
**Eucharistic Minister:**  
 V. Nicholson  
 Debbie Green  
 Sr.Marge

**SUNDAY**

Fr Vitner Martinez  
 Rob Rynkowski  
 Marcy Phillips  
 T. Neimeier  
 M. Raiche  
 Tony Raiche  
 Linda Johnson  
 J. Cochrane

**Altar Servers:**

Nina Pauig  
 Hunter Martin

**Ushers:** D Green

**Home Visits:** Week of December 30th Dcn. Black/Sr. Marge

**MASS INTENTIONS AND WEEKLY READINGS**

December 21-22, 2019

**SATURDAY – Fourth Week of Advent**

Readings: Sg 2:8-14; Ps 33; Lk 1:39-45  
 5:00 pm (St. William) **Doug Hayes †**

**SUNDAY –Fourth Sunday in Advent**

Readings: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24; Rom 1:1-7; Mt 1: 18-24  
 8:00 am- (St. Ann) **Hyland & Peters Families**  
 10:45 am (St William) **Parishioners of Sts. William & Ann**  
 6:00 pm- (St. William—Spanish Mass)

**MONDAY– Fourth Week in Advent**

Readings: Mal 3:1-4,23-24; Ps 25; Lk 1:57-66  
 12:10 pm Mass (St. Joseph Hospital Chapel)

**TUESDAY– Vigil of Christmas**

Readings: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89; Acts 13:16-17,22-25; Mt 1:1-25  
 5:00 pm (St William) **Parishioners of Sts. William & Ann**  
 7:30 pm (St. Ann) **Living & Deceased Members of St. Ann's**

The Nativity of the Lord –Christmas **Mary & Larry Daly †**

Midnight Mass—(St. William) Is 9:1-6; Ps 96; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14

**WEDNESDAY– No Mass**

Readings: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98; Heb 1:1-6;; Jn 1:1-18

**THURSDAY– St. Stephen**

Readings: Acts 6:8-10;7:54-59; Ps 31; Mt 10:17-22  
 No Mass

**FRIDAY– St. John the Apostle & Evangelist**

No Mass  
 Readings: Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

**SATURDAY — Feast of the Holy Innocents**

Readings: Jn 1:5-2:2; Ps 124;Mt 2:13-18  
 5:00 pm (St. William) **Mary Jo Wolfe †**

**SUNDAY –Feast of the Holy Family**

Readings: Sir 3:2-6,12-14; Ps 128; Col 3:12-21;  
 Mt 2:13-15,19-23  
 8:00 am (St. Ann)  
 10:45 am (St William) **Parishioners of Sts. William & Ann**  
 6:00 pm- (St. William—Spanish Mass)

**Please note that Mass times to celebrate Christmas are as follows:**

**At St. William's**

**December 24th Mass at 5:00 pm & Midnight Singing prior to Midnight Mass begins at 11:30 pm**


**At St. Ann's**

**December 24th Mass at 7:30 pm**

**There is no Mass on December 25th.**

**MONTHLY MEETINGS**

- St. William Property Cmte: First Monday at 6:00 pm
- St. William Christian Service Mtg: First Tuesday at 6:00 pm
- St. William Joint Finance Cmte: Third Tuesday at 6:30 pm
- St. William Formation Cmte: No December Meeting
- St. William Holy Hour: Third Wednesday at 5 pm
- St. William Parish Pastoral Con: Third Wednesday at 6:45pm
- St. William Liturgy Cmte: Fourth Tuesday at 6:00 pm



**The Pastor Writes:**  
 It is with great joy that I received the news that St. William & St. Ann Parishes have exceeded the Bishop's goal for the Annual Appeal. Thank you to all who have made this possible.



*May God's richest blessings be yours, at Christmas and always.*

**Que el Niño  
 Dios Les Bendiga con Mucha Paz.**

*Fr. Vitner*

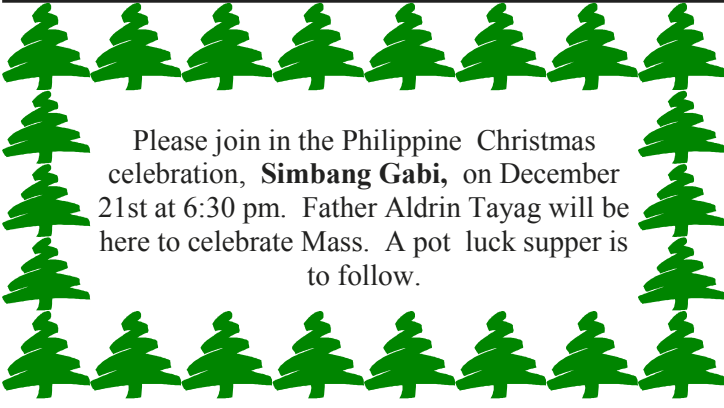
**Attention Eucharistic Ministers:** There will be a training for all current and prospective Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on January 18/19 after each of the Masses to cover future procedures and to train new ministers. (Attending only one is necessary.) If you have a conflict with attending one of these, please let Deacon Kevin know. Each training will last about an hour.

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**Bulletin Announcements**  
 For December 29th must be submitted by Wednesday, December 18th  
 For January 5th must be submitted by Thursday, December 26th.

St. William's Catholic Parish

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| Collection for Dec 15, 2019.....  | \$ | N/A |
| Youth Ministry Dec 15, 2019 ..... | \$ | N/A |
| St Sylvester Dec 15, 2019.....    | \$ | N/A |
| Christmas Flowers.....            | \$ | N/A |



Please join in the Philippine Christmas celebration, **Simbang Gabi**, on December 21st at 6:30 pm. Father Aldrin Tayag will be here to celebrate Mass. A pot luck supper is to follow.

**Religious Education**

Religious education **classes resume meeting** on January 5th at 9:20 am.

**RCIA** class meets on Monday, December 23rd at 6:45 pm in the Education Building

**Tuesday evenings** 6:30-7:30 group will resume meeting in January

Praying the Rosary will resume on Thursday, January 2nd, for our parish and for the intentions you express in our "treasure box" by the statue of St. Anthony. The rosary is a powerful prayer for peace. Please join us as we pray together.

Join our religious education program for an **Epiphany Party on January 5th**, 12:00—1:30 pm in Stern Hall.  
 Pot Luck Dinner - Games - Fellowship  
 Let us appreciate the gift of each other.

**Key Passage:** When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took Mary as his wife, (Mt 1:24)

**Adult:** Whom do you find it difficult to welcome in your life? What can you do to overcome that?

**Youth:** What could you do this week to make someone feel welcome, as Joseph welcomed Mary?