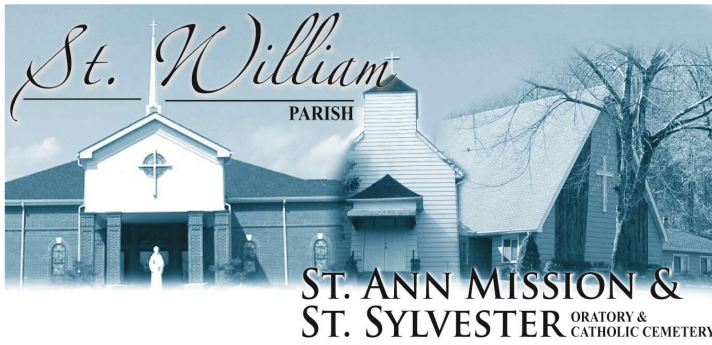


May 31st, 2020



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

521 West Fifth Street, London, KY 40741

Parish Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

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Website for St. William Church, London:

<http://www.saintwilliamcatholicchurch.org>

Facebook: Stwilliam London

Youth Facebook: St. William's Youth Group (London, KY)

Local Advertising: londonky.com/stwilliams

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Youth Minister: Tracy Lunsford

Music Director:

Custodian:

ST. ANN MISSION OFFICE & STAFF

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Pastor: Reverend Vitner Martinez; vmartinez@cdlex.org

Bookkeeper: Bonita Charles

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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 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.

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

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.

FEAST OF THE HOLY SPIRIT: PENTECOST

We are celebrating the Feast of the Third Person of the Holy Trinity: The Holy Spirit, The Paraclete.

The coming of the Holy Spirit, Pentecost is in all its diversity a feast equal to Christmas and Easter. It is the Incarnation of the Holy Spirit into the world of men and women. The Gospel of John puts in words that Jesus BREATHS on the Apostles and the Blessed Virgin Mary the Holy Spirit, as God the Father did to our ancestor Adam in creation.

It is also a birth of the church, our church with Peter the responsible. The Holy Spirit now guides the church and continues the works and teachings of Jesus. He is the Sanctifier of the church. The Holy Spirit sanctifies us in our baptism and confirmation with the three theological virtues: faith, hope and love. He gave us seven gifts: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and fear of the Lord. He also gave us twelve fruits of these seven gifts: charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, forbearance, meekness, fidelity, modesty, continence and chastity (Gal 5:16-25).

Our lives in times of COVID-19 is not what we expected. Let's invoke the Holy Spirit, the Helper, the Consoler, the Advocate to come to our aid. "Breath in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy. Act in me, O holy Spirit, that my works, too, may be holy. Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy. Strengthen me. O holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy. Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy. Amen" St Augustine.

Fr. Vitner Martinez

WEEKLY READINGS AND MASS INTENTIONS

May 31-June 7, 2020

Sunday – PENTECOST SUNDAY

Vigil: Gn 11: 1-9 or Ex 19: 3-8,16-20 or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5
Rom 8:22-27/ Jn 7: 37-39 or for the Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9, Ex 19:3-8, 16-20/Ez 37: 1-14? Jl 3: 1-5/Rom 8:22-27 , Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13 Jn 20:19-23

8:00am Mass (St. Ann) St. Ann Benefactors

10:45am Mass (St. William) Parishioners of St. William and St. Ann

6:00pm Spanish Mass (St. William)

Monday – The Blessed Virgin Mary

Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Jn 19:25-34

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

The hospital staff and all they take care of

Tuesday

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/ Mk 12: 13-17

9:00am Mass (St. William)

Geedle Jody Peters †

Wednesday

2 Tim 1:1-3, 6-12/Mk 12:18-27

5:00pm Adoration

6:00pm Mass (St. William)

Infants who died before birth †

Thursday

2 Tm 2:8-15/ Mk 12:35-37

9:00am Mass (St. William)

Nancy Parkerson†

Friday

2 Tm 3:10-17/12:35-37

Saturday

2 Tm 1:4-8/Mk 12:38-44

5:00pm Mass (St. William)

Parishioners of St. William and St. Ann

Sunday - The Most Holy Trinity

Ex 34:4b-6. 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13

8:00am Mass (St. Ann) Vocations

10:45am Mass (St. William) William Bormann †

6:00pm Spanish Mass (St. William)

THANK YOU

**To Deanna Ulbert and Judy Morrisette
For their contribution of
Face Masks**

May 31 Pentecost

As we celebrate the birthday of our church I came across this quote –

My church is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will make generous gifts to any causes, if I am a generous giver. It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship, if I invite and bring them. It will be a church of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a church with a noble spirit, if I who make it what it is, am filled with the same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I shall dedicate myself to the task of being all things that I want my church to be.

May we all endeavor to be the church and person that God calls us to be.

Sister Marge

THANK YOU

Rose and Mike Tran along with Rhoda Ammerman for the beautiful work in our planters and garden.

As we celebrate Pentecost, we look to our celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Due to the interruption in our preparation program, we are looking to celebrate Confirmation in the Spring of 2021. As soon as we have a new date, we will communicate this to the parish.

St. William's Catholic Parish
Collection for May 24, 2020 N/A

**Welcome to
Seth Slone
A Seminarian
As he will be with us for
The next two months**

Saint for the Week

May 31 Let us trust in Him who has placed this burden upon us. What we ourselves cannot bear let us bear with the help of Christ. For He is all-powerful, and He tells us: 'My yoke is easy, and my burden light.' - St. Boniface of Mainz (675-754), Bishop, Martyr, Patron of Germany, Feast Day June 5

RCIA will continue with small group meeting. Have you talked with someone who is interested in the Catholic Church? Contact Sr. Marge for more information.

Vacation Bible School will need to have a new look this summer. Are you interested in brainstorming some creative ways we can do this. Please contact Sr. Marge – 684-3098 or 330-0268 to talk about ideas. Helpers – those going into 7th grade and older, please contact Sr. Marge, too. We will have some special jobs for you.

Question of the Week

May 31

Adults: What important work does Jesus ask of you at this time in your life?

Children: How would Jesus want you to treat your family and friends this week?

Bishop John Stowe Outlines Conditions for General Absolution and Perfect Contrition. For complete details click on the link, Important information about the current situation on the home page of our website.