

MASS INTENTIONS

Liturgy of the Hours Week IV SAT.. MAY 11 8:15AM **+NANCY MURPHY** 5:30PM **+JOSEPH WASKO MOTHERS SUN., MAY 12** 8:00AM 10:30AM **MOTHERS MON., MAY 13** 8:15AM **+ROSE STEINBERG** TUES., MAY 14 8:15AM SALLY M. HARTMAYER 6:00PM **+POOR SOULS** WED., MAY 15 **+BOB WINTER** 8:15AM THURS.. MAY 16 8:15AM **+FR. TOM PAYNE** FRI.. MAY 17 8:15AM **+RIZZO FAMILY SAT., MAY 18** 8:15AM **+DON DALEEN** 5:30PM +BOB LUTZ & **DICK PELLETIER SUN., MAY 19** 8:00AM **PARISHIONERS GERTRUDE SPAEDER & RICHARD MOORE**



Eddie Arbo, Mario Artesiano, Gail Blanda, Sal Cenicola, Craig Bolint, H.C., Mark Davis, Carol DuCote, John Fe-Rebecca Gaylor,

REQUESTS Jacqueline Grady, John Grim -sley, Fred Hegeman, Kelley Hosko, Cheryl & Larry Hutchinson, Patricia lams, Bob Johnson, Mark Kelso, Timothy Kite, Ben Koreski, Kathleen Koreski, H.L., John LaBoone, Sandy Leo, Rick Lutz, Ernie Millsaps, Mark Mrvica, Nancy Moore, Nina & Ralph Murphy, Nickie, Jack O'Hern, Fran Owen, Marie Paladino, John Parkins, Frank Paul, Nell Pidgeon, Mary Rath. Patricia Reilly, L.S., A.J. Salimando, Gordy Seaman, Douglas Seaman, Jan Seavy, Richard Sedlacek, Ronald Shurer, Susie Smith, Mike Stefanic, Susan Terry, Mary Whitney, Josephine Williams, Kay Willis, Richard Wineman, Charlie Yodor and our service men and wom-

Help us keep our above prayer list current. You may add a name to the list by calling the church office at 638-2647 or e-mailing us at stwilliamschurch@comcast.net.

St. William **Prayer Line** is a group of people who pray daily for the intentions received from voice mails left at 638-4287 or by email at stwilliamsprayerline@gmail.com.



The following VIRTUS classes are being offered:

🕆 Monday, May 13, 5:30pm, Catholic Pastoral Center, Savannah

Go to Virtus.org for more information and to pre-register for upcoming classes

"Be kind whenever possible. It is always possible." - Dalai Lama

Offertory Stewardship

MAY 5, 2019 - \$10,255,00 (MAY 6, 2018 - \$10,621,00) **PARISHIONER ENVELOPES/CHECKS - 203. CHILDREN'S COLLECTION - \$6**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN TO DATE Goal - \$2,162,000 Received - \$1,947,768

Thank you, Parish Family!

The disciples heard Our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with supernatural joy. A joy that others notice and are attracted to.



Next week, our special collection is for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ in the United States and in developing countries around the world through the Internet, television, radio, and print media. Fully 50% of funds collected remain here in the Diocese of Savannah to fund local communications efforts. Connect with Christ Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.

In marriage, communication is more than just talking. At some point, did you stop sharing about the things that were important to you? Did our spouse? Improving a marriage takes time and conscious effort to learn about your spouse. Growing closer in marriage does not happen automatically. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together. To register or for more information call 800-470-2230 or visit: **HelpOurMarriage.org.** An upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend is scheduled for May 31-June 2 in Charleston, SC.



DIOCESAN **SUMMER CAMPS**

CALL TO HOLINESS GIRLS CAMP (June 23 -June 26)

VOCATIO DEI BOYS CAMP (June 26-June 29)

These camps provide a great opportunity to learn more about listening to God and seeking His will in your daily life. They are packed with fun activities, inspiring talks and testimonies, Mass, Adoration, and a chance to interact daily with sisters, priests and seminarians. All rising 7th-12th Grade teens are invited - \$70 per child, each additional child from the same family \$50. Registration: www.diosav.org/vocations. Questions: (912)201-4126 or vocations@diosav.org.

PARISH HALL - We have officially moved the Parish Office out of the Rectory and they are now in the Parish Hall. Please note that the entrance to the Parish Office is at the front of the Parish Hall, not the rear parking lot. We hnow have cleaned out both storage units. We do have a couple of classrooms set up, so if you have "worn out your welcome" at the place you were meeting and you really need a meeting room in May, please call, and we will set you up.

If your change of locale is not imperative, please give us a few weeks to work the kinks out. Closets will be assigned in mid-May. Please bear with us during this transition, and we thank - Datat Lama
you for your cooperation!

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

SUN., MAY 12 4th Sunday of Easter 8am & 10:30am Masses Happy Mother's Day! 9am - Adult Ed Bible Study

11:30am - Baptism 8:15am - Daily Mass **MON., MAY 13**

8:15am Mass 3pm - Funeral Mass

7pm - Karate TUES., MAY 14 9am - Adoration 8:15am & 6pm Masses

10am-Women's Discussion Group

1pm - Rosary for Peace 5pm - CCW Pot Luck

WED., MAY 15 9am- Sew & So (Local Brew) 8:15am Mass 7pm - Choir Rehearsal

THURS., MAY 16 Fr. Jim Holloway's Anniversary 8:15am Mass 7pm - Karate

7pm - Bell Choir **FRI., MAY 17**

SAT.. MAY 18 8:15am' & 5:30pm Masses

SUN.. MAY 19 8am & 10:30am Masses 8:15am - Daily Mass 10am - Karate 4:30pm - Reconciliation 5th Sunday of Easter **Catholic Communications Campaign Collection** St. Vincent de Paul Collection

8am - Graduate Mass 9am - Graduate Breakfast 9am - Adult Ed Bible Study

10:30am - Children's Mass



Are You Able?

MANNA HOUSE – Cecil Clontz is retiring from our Manna House team after 11 years "on the job" and 4 years as Head of the team. We need someone to lead our team that serves the 3rd Monday of each month. If you are able to help, please call the office. Thank you!!!

HELP WANTED - We need 6+ volunteers for VBS from June 24-28, 8:30-12:30, and we need C.RE.ED Sunday school teachers for grades K-12. Please call Nancy at (912) 638-2651 or Powernancy@comcast.net. teers must be VIRTUS trained.

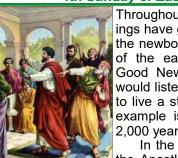
> Society of St. Vincent dePaul needs Volunteers - Will you help? The Society is seeking individuals who have a heart to serve. We have ongoing needs in all of the following areas: thrift store operations, (Tiffany, 262-6027); food pantry (Mark, 602-

2524): financial assistance/counseling (Nancy, (513)722-6789 or Stephanie, (678)677-4803). If none of these fits your skills or preferences, other needs are always developing (Jim 638-7220). Volunteer hours (M-F) are flexible and can fit your schedule. Volunteering at St. Vincent is a ministry, not a job. What is God saying to you?

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STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

4th Sunday of Easter - May 12, 2019



Throughout the Easter season, our readings have given us glimpses into the life of the newborn Church and the bold witness of the early disciples in spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ to all who would listen. These disciples were the first to live a stewardship way of life and their example is as relevant today as it was 2,000 years ago.

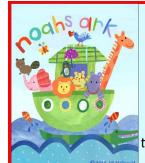
In the First Reading, from the Acts of the Apostles, we catch up with Paul and

Barnabas in Antioch. While they certainly have some success in reaching many people there with the message of salvation, others are downright infuriated by their words and send them packing. Yet, we read that "the disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit." Overall, it seems as if Paul and Barnabas had failed in Antioch. But this seeing failure has not robbed them of their joy. What's more, they are filled to the brim with the abundant gifts of the Holy Spirit. How is this possible? It is only possible because Paul and Barnabas saw themselves as nothing more and nothing less than stewards of Christ and His Good News. This realization brought them freedom — to offer themselves

and their lives to others for the sake of the Gospel. The "results" of their efforts were up to God. This Spirit-filled, joyfilled life is available to all of us, all these years later. It can be achieved when we recognize, like Paul and Barnabas, that all we have and all we are is a gift from God, meant to be shared with others for His glory. Of course, living as God's stewards does not mean a life of ease or a life free of sacrifice. Sometimes the steward's life involves great challenges, requiring all the strength and love one has to give. But in the end there is simply no more satisfying way to live. Copyright @ 2019 Catholic Stewardship Consultants, Inc.

Please do not prop open the outside double doors of the Parish Hall. This was done last Sunday and caused the air conditioner to "Freeze up."

We do not prop open our outside doors at home, why would we do it at our church?



VBS 2019

"Noah's Ark Comes Alive"

June 24-28 9:00 AM - Noon

Register by calling (912) 638-2651

Go to stwill.net/event-2/ to download a form or drop by the office Rising k-5th grades welcome

Sympathy & prayers are extended . . .

to the family of **DON DALEEN**, upon his death. The Funeral Mass will be held Monday, May 13, at 3pm, at St. William, and to Bishop Hartmayer upon the death of his mother, SALY M. HARTMAYER.

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



Flowers are placed by the altar in honor of the Kelly - Powers wedding.

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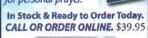
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the community of St. William's Parish, St. Simons Island, led by the power of the Holy Spirit, are committed to serving God and our brothers and sisters in Christ by living the message of the Gospel. We believe we are called to share our time, talents and our material gifts as an outward sign of the Treasure we hold in Jesus.'

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: Monday - Saturday at 8:15 a.m., Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. Saturday Vigil at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament Tuesday from 9 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. in chapel.

Reconciliation Saturdays from 4:30 - 5:15 p. m. or by appointment.

Rosary Monday - Saturday at 7:50 a.m. & after Mass. Tuesday at 1:00 p.m.

The Grotto Religious Goods Shop Open after weekend Masses. Call the office during the week. Baptism

Parents are to be registered and attend preparation class. (Second Tuesday at 6 p.m. Call 638-2651 to reserve.)

Marriage

Creed Classes - Sundays, 9 - 10:15am. Children's Liturgy - Sundays during 10:30am Mass.

Permanent Deacon

Dcn. George Ruehling (H - 638-9038)

Office Manager M-T: 8:30-4 Fri: 8:30-1 pm Jan Roberts - 638-2647 (H - 638-7660)

Administrative Specialist Stacey Bristol - 638-2647

Religious Education Coordinator Nancy Power - 638-2651

Music Minister Kate Hamer - 634-5040

Parish Engineer Jim Spaeder - 399-7145

Parish Council Burt Davitte - 269-0756, 638-6000

Finance Committee Fred Zeh - 638-8545

Sacristan & Grotto Religious Goods **Eucharistic Minister & Lector Trainer** Barbara Pelletier - 638-2957

Georgia Ann Markley - 638-6381

Larry Lynch - 638-0148

Altar Servers Mike Cherne - 223-9048

Bereavement Camille Penders - 638-8595

Bloomers

Therese Raimondo - 230-7313

Council of Catholic Women Sue Amiano - 638-5274

Facilities Planning Ann McCann - 638-7686

Helping Hugs, Inc. (Haiti Mission) Bob Hochwald - 638-3143

Hospitality

Sue Kilchenstein - 634-2811

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

RCIA - Mondays at 6pm, September - Easter.

Manna House Cecil Clontz - 638-4782

Marian Movement of Priests First Saturday Devotion Norma McIntyre - 279-0526

Martial Arts - Jim Keane - 638-0763

Men's Group Tom McIntyre - 279-0526, 996-8752

Outreach Ministries Bill Horn - 638-4538

Right to Life Wiltz Bernard - 230-2404

St. Vincent de Paul Society - 262-6027 Maureen Horn - 638-4538

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