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MASS INTENTIONS		
Liturgy of the Hours Week IV		
SAT., NOV. 23	8:15AM	+MARILYN BELOFSKY
	5:30PM	PARISHIONERS
SUN., NOV. 24	8:00AM	+ROSE & JESSE DITEODORO
	10:30AM	+JOHN KANE
MON., NOV. 25		+KAREN MCLAWHORN
TUES., NOV. 26	8:15AM	+NORMA & TOM
		MCINTYRE'S
	6:00PM	32 ANNIVERSARY +POOR SOULS
WED., NOV. 27	8:15AM	
THURS., NOV. 28		+BOB MCCOOEY
FRI., NOV. 29	8:15AM	+MARTIN VEATER
SAT., NOV. 30	8:15AM	+MIKE KLEINE
	5:30PM	PARISHIONERS
SUN., DEC. 1	8:00AM	+WENDY MELHORN
	10:30AM	+GERTRUDE SPAEDER

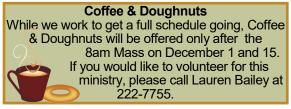
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H.C., Patti Cundiff, Mark Davis, Paul DuMortier, John Fedak, Mary Ann Ferguson, Rebecca Gaylor, Jacqueline Grady, Keith Griffin, John Grimsley, Fred Hegeman, Cheryl & Larry Hutchinson, Bill Kelso, Mark Kelso, Timothy Kite, Ben Koreski, Kathleen Koreski, H.L., Nancy Moore, Nina & Ralph Murphy, Ed Nickey, Fran Owen, John Parkins, Mary Ellen Parkins, Frank Paul, Nell Pidgeon, MJR, Patricia Reilly, A.J. Salimando, Gordy Seaman, Douglas Seaman, Richard Sedlacek, Michael Smith, Mike Stefanik, Keith Stocker, Richard Webb, Richard Williams, Kay Willis, Richard Wineman, Charlie Yodor and our service men and women.

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 <u>stwilliamschurch@comcast.net</u>.

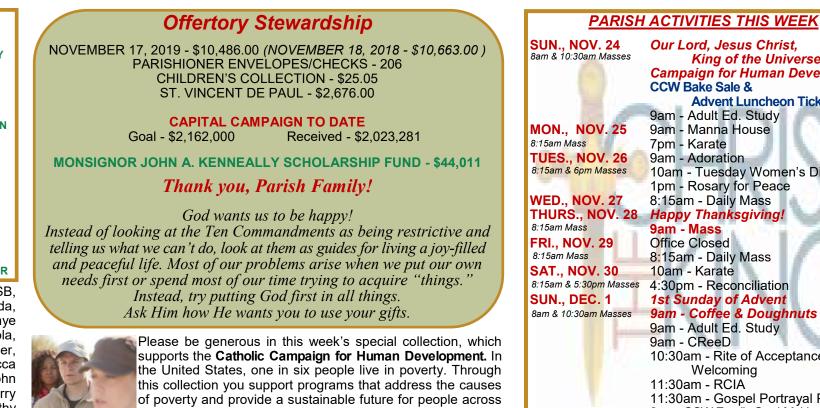
St. William Prayer Line is a group of people who pray daily for the intentions received from voice mails left at 638-4287 or by email at stwilliamsprayerline@gmail.com.

PRAYER SHAWLS/LAP RUGS by Sew & So are available in the office for shut-ins or anyone needing some comfort from the cold. We have approximately 25 of all shapes, sizes and colors. Call the office if you need one!



C.RE.ED is looking for a first grade teacher and substitutes. Please call the RE office if you can help.

"We know what we are but know not what we may be." - William Shakespeare



King of the Universe Campaign for Human Development CCW Bake Sale & **Advent Luncheon Ticket Sale** 9am - Adult Ed. Study 9am - Manna House 7pm - Karate 9am - Adoration 10am - Tuesday Women's Discussion 1pm - Rosary for Peace 8:15am - Daily Mass Happy Thanksgiving! 9am - Mass Office Closed 8:15am - Daily Mass 10am - Karate 4:30pm - Reconciliation 1st Sunday of Advent 9am - Coffee & Doughnuts 9am - Adult Ed. Study 9am - CReeD 10:30am - Rite of Acceptance/ Welcoming 11:30am - RCIA 11:30am - Gospel Portraval Practice 2pm - CCW Family Card-Making Party 4pm - Confirmation Class 5pm - Youth Group 6:30pm - Sea Scouts

Our Lord, Jesus Christ,



Thanksgiving Day Mass will be at 9am. Please bring non-perishable food. The office will be closed Thursday/Friday, November 28/29.

ANNIVERSARY MASS - Bishop Hartmayer, OFM Conv., invites all couples celebrating 25 years (1995) or 50 years (1970) of marriage in 2020 to the annual Gold & Silver Jubilee Anniversary Mass on February 23, at 11:30am at the Cathedral. If you wish to attend, please contact www.diosay.org/gold-andsilver or call (912)201-4068 by December 21.

Advent Communal Penance Service will be on Thursday, December 5, at 7pm. St. Francis Xavier Church will have their service on Wednesday, December 4, at 7pm.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL NEWS

St. Francis Xavier Catholic School Christmas Concert will be held on December 5 from 6:00 - 8:00pm at St. Francis Xavier Church. All are welcome.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! Pre-Register for Your GRACE Scholars 2020 Tax Credit Before December 15, 2019. Time is running out, and we are only half-way to meeting our goal of \$60,000. Your generosity will make a difference in the lives of children by providing financial assistance for them to attend our school. Your contributions qualify for a 100% credit against Georgia income taxes. Visit www.gracescholars.org, and click on the PRE-REGISTER NOW button on the home page. For more information, contact Frank Ferra (parent of two St Francis Xavier Catholic School students) fferra28@yahoo.com, 912-466-9228.

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the country who struggle. In addition 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please consider prayerfully how you can support

this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/

St. Nicholas will visit St. William with stories to tell, crafts to make and treats

to eat on December 8 at 9:30am in the Parish Hall.

FOOD DRIVE - Beginning November 17 thru December 15 our Religious Education programs, CREED and Youth Group, will be collecting for non-perishables for local food pantries/ banks such as St. Vincent de Paul, Sparrows Nest, Second Harvest, etc. Please bring your non-perishables to the church during this time and leave them in the collection box in the back of the church.

Also, please bring non-perishable food items to Thanksgiving Day Mass.



Please take an Angel, wrap requested item. SECURELY TAPE Angel to the package and return the gift under the tree. ALL gifts need to be turned in NO LATER than Monday, December 16. Please call Nancy at (912) 638-2651 or (912) 638-1530 with questions.

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- BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND The CCW Pre-Thanksgiving Bake Sale С
- will be held on November 23/24 after all Masses. Please plan to drop off
- С baked goods for the sale between 2pm-5pm on November 23, outside church. WE NEED YOUR HELP MAKING CHRISTMAS CARDS! We will be
- W organizing materials to make Christmas cards on Wednesday, December 4, 2pm-4pm. The Christmas card-making party will be Sunday, December 8, from 2-4pm.
- CCW ADVENT LUNCHEON CCW will be selling tickets to the Advent Luncheon after all Masses on November 23/24. Mass will be offered at 10:30am on Decem-
- Ε ber 4, at St. William prior to the luncheon at the King and Prince. Tickets are \$35.
- W Meal choices are chicken, pork or vegetable lasagna.
 - Contact Joyce Callahan (dawg3215@gmail.com) if you have questions about or can help with any event!

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Our Lord, Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 24, 2019



On this Feast of Christ the King, our readings show us that we serve the greatest of Kings, who is at the same time the humblest of Kings. Christ is the perfect model of servant leadership. And, it is an indescribable privilege that He has called us to be servant leaders — stewards in the work of advancing His Kingdom.

In our second reading, from St. Paul's letter to the Colossians, Paul describes the great power and dignity that characterize Christ the King. "All things were created through him and for him. He is before all things and in him all things hold together." It makes you want to stand up and cheer. That's our King!

Yet, what a contrasting description of the same King we find in our Gospel passage from Luke. Now, we see our King nailed to the Cross. Everyone from rulers, to soldiers, to the criminals on either side of Christ is mocking Him. They tauntingly urge Him to prove His kingship by coming down from the Cross to end His suffering with a great show of power. "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself."

But He does not. Amazingly, it is in this moment of seeming weakness that the full breadth of His greatness as king is displayed Though all things were created through and for Him, Christ chooses to live entirely for others - for us!

What does this mean for us as His followers and stewards of His kingdom? Precisely that our lives are not about us. They are about Christ and others. And we will advance his kingdom to the extent that we embrace this mindset: my life is not about me; it is about serving the King of kings.

2019 Catholic Stewardship Consultants, Inc.

PRIMETIMERS will be dining out on Thursday, December 5, at 11:30am at Coastal Kitchen. Please make your reservation through Janice Capano, 770-500-5468 by Monday, December 2.



in honor of Ron Casler,

our 2019 Gartland Award Recipient.





Rev. Monsignor John A. Kenneally, Pastor

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.

Permanent Deacon Dcn. George Ruehling (H - 638-9038) Adoration

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

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Baptism

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

Marriage Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

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

RCIA - Mondays at 6pm, September - Easter.

Council of Catholic Women Sue Amiano - 638-5274

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

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

Secular Franciscan Order Larry Lynch - 638-0148

Tuesday Women's Discussion Valerie Kehoe - 638-3919

Head Usher George Nies - 638-1991