

# St. William

# Catholic Church

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# Reverend Monsignor Christopher J. Schreck, *Pastor* Reverend Emmanuel Antwi, *Parochial Vicar*

# 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. and 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.

#### Rosary

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

Creed Classes (PreK-8th Grades) - Sundays 9:00 - 10:15am.
Children's Liturgy (thru 2nd Grade) - Sundays during 10:30am Mass
CIA Youth Group (9th-12th Grades) - Sundays at 11:30a.m.
RCIA - Sundays at 9:00am, September thru April

# 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. (By appointment - Call DRE at 638-2651)

# Reconciliation

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

# Marriage

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

# **Funerals**

Family or funeral homes should contact the Church office to set up dates and times for funerals. The Church Office will work with the family and the funeral home.

# **Parochial Vicar**

Emmanuel Antwi - eantwi@diosav.org

# **Permanent Deacon**

Dcn. Trey Hayden - 443-604-4349

# **Parish Administrator**

Stacey Bristol - 912-638-2647

# **Director of Religious Education**

Nancy Power - 912-638-2651

#### **Director of Music**

Kate Hamer - 912-634-5040

#### Parish Engineer

Jim Spaeder - 912-399-7145

#### **Parish Council**

Burt Davitte - 912-269-0756

#### **Finance Committee**

Dan Hannon - 710-410-1697

#### Sacristan

Jo Orr - 706-238-2609

# Grotto Religious Goods

Laura Nies - 912-638-1991

# Adoration

Maureen Bowen - 912-222-6775

# **Adult Ed Bible Study**

Tom McIntyre - 279-0526, 996-8752

### **Altar Servers**

Doug Klilnowski - 407-319-9280 Ryan Shanahan - 401-585-8140

# Bloomers

Therese Raimondo - 912-230-7313

# Coffee and Doughnuts

RaeAnn Allen - 404-791-1043

# Council of Catholic Women

Jan Mansfield - 912-266-3417

# Divine Mercy

First Saturday Devotion
Norma McIntyre - 912-279-0526

# **Knights of Columbus**

Tony Rosa - 732-996-0257

# Manna House

Kevin & Joyce Callahan- 770-653-9509

# Martial Arts Ministry - Kenpo

Jim Keane - 912-638-0763

### **Primetimers**

Wayne Ciano - 914-419-6535

# **Monday Morning Marthas**

Janice Capano - 770-500-5468

# **Outreach Ministries**

Bill Horn - 912-638-4538

# St. Vincent de Paul Society

Store - 912-262-6027

# **Tuesday Women's Discussion**

Valerie Kehoe - 912-996-0723

# Twin Parish & Helping Hugs, Inc.

Evy Marshall - 404-895-8831

#### Ushers

Ron Casler - 912-434-9635

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# **MASS INTENTIONS**

	Liturgy	or the	Hours	week iv
SAT., A	AUG. 24	8:15AM	+DOMEN	IIC PILLA
		5:30PM	+FRAN	TOKAR
SUN.,	AUG. 25	8:00AM	PARISH	IONERS
		10:30AM	+JOSE	PH MRUK

MON., AUG. 26	8:15AM	+CHARLES DUNCAN
TUES., AUG. 27	8:15AM	(L)FR. FRANCISCO GAMBOA
	6:00PM	+FR. JIM HOLLOWAY
WED., AUG. 28	8:15AM	<b>+HUGO &amp; MARIE PALADINO</b>

THURS., AUG. 29 8:15AM +CARTAN CLARKE
FRI., AUG. 30 8:15AM +ANN CORNELIA HANLY
SAT., AUG. 31 8:15AM +ELEANOR BUSH

5:30PM +BARBARA HERNANDEZ
SUN., SEPT. 1 8:00AM +GRACE KELLY BAST
10:30AM PARISHIONERS

CIĀIS Weeks Prayer Requests Beverly Allen, Joan Boorman, Trent C., Fr. Jack Davis, Barbara DeRatto, Mary Eckerd, Freya Fendig, Sean Flaherty, Milann G., Rebecca Gaylor, Louise Grady, John Grimsley, Norma Hartnett, Nova

Henshke, Cheryl & Larry Hutchinson, Gordon Lee Jackson, III, Doc Jones, Veronica Joseph, Mark Kelso, Jacob Kitchen, Timothy Kite, Ben Koreski, Kathleen Koreski, David Landrum, Carlotta Martz, Caroline Masons, David Mathieu, Mary McCaughey, Beth Moseley, Jeannie Murdock, Nina & Ralph Murphy, Paul Myrick, Kathy Oechsle, Fran Owen, Joyce Owsley, Mike Owsley, Richard Panizza, Patricia Reilly, Turner Ellis Richmond, Faye Ruehling, Matt Schneider, Msgr. Christopher Schreck, Richard Sedlacek, Peggy Starr, Elizabeth Van Tilborg, Jarrod Tralie, **Seth Tripp**, Denise Ward, the priests serving St. William and our twin parish St. Joseph in Haiti, and our service men & women.

# **BULLETIN PRAYER LIST**

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 <a href="mailto:stwilliamschurch@comcast.net">stwilliamschurch@comcast.net</a>.

\*Names listed in bold are new to the prayer list.

These names stay on the prayer list for one month
unless otherwise requested.

# **TELEPHONE & EMAIL PRAYER LINE**

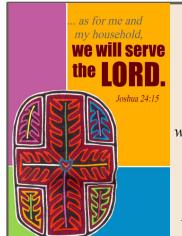
St. William Prayer Line is a group of people who pray daily for the intentions received from voice mails left at 912-638-4287 or by email at stwilliamsprayerline@gmail.com.



# **CHURCH LIBRARY**

Our librarian has been working very hard cataloguing many newly received resources. Stop in and 'check-out' the books, audio and video tapes, cd's, children's books and other items. Our church library is located in the parish hall, and is open Monday - Friday, 8:30am to 12:30pm, and on Sundays.

Thank you, Patty, for all your hard work!



# STEWARDSHIP

AUGUST 18, 2024 - \$14,698.87 (AUGUST 20, 2023 - \$16,295.85) Parishioner Envelopes/Checks - 198 ASSUMPTION OF MARY - \$1,954.00

When we commit to serve the Lord, we become a disciple in the work of the Lord. A disciple is a person who spends time in prayer every day, joyfully participates in charitable works and generously supports their local parish and Church mission. If we say we serve God, our words and actions should reflect the Gospel message to others.



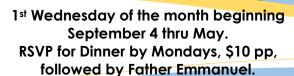
# **SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**

10:30am - Mass with Bishop Stephen D. Parkes (live stream) 11:30am - Presentation and Q&A with Bishop Parkes

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1** 

11:30am - Thank You Reception for Fr. Jay Harrington, OP

# Dinner and Doctrine



Place: Parish Hall - Time: 5-6:30.

RSVP for dinner to: religioused@stwill.net, or (912) 638-2651

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.





Our St. William Music Ministry provides beauty, comfort and inspiration for our Liturgies and festive celebrations. We are thankful for the musical gifts, generosity, and commitment of time by our members.

Our Music Ministry Outreach includes the choir, which primarily sings at 10:30 Mass on Sunday, and the Hand Bell Choir which plays for Liturgies as well as

concerts at area Nursing Homes, and the Funeral Choir which is made up of members from the choir.

If you have a desire to sing or play an instrument and can attend rehearsals on **Wednesday evenings** from **6:30-8:00 pm**, and Masses at **10:30**, please contact our director, Kate Hamer by email: <a href="mailto:kwhamer@comcast.net">kwhamer@comcast.net</a> or phone (912) 634-5040. **Kate can make it happen!** 

Choir rehearsals will begin on Wednesday, September 11, 6:30-8pm.

Hand Bell Choir meets on Thursdays,
beginning September 12, 11:00am - 12:30pm.

We hope to see some new faces and hear some new voices!

# PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

# **MASS SCHEDULE**

WEEKDAYS: MONDAY - SATURDAY - 8:15 AM, TUESDAY - 6PM BENEDICTION & MASS ON TUESDAYS BEGINNING AT 5:45PM SATURDAY VIGIL\* AT 5:30 PM & SUNDAY AT 8 AM & 10:30 AM ADORATION - TUESDAYS - 9AM-6PM

**SUN., AUG. 25** Coffee & Doughnuts after Masses

9am - Adult Ed Bible Study

11:30am - Q & A with Bishop Parkes

MON., AUG. 26 TUES., AUG. 27 6pm - Kenpo 9am - Adoration

11am - Chair Yoga 1pm - Rosary for Peace 5:45pm - Benediction

**WED., AUG. 28** 8:15am - Daily Mass

9am - Paladino Internment & Reception

11:30am - Chair Yoga THURS., AUG. 29

6pm - Kenpo

3pm - Hour of Great Mercy FRI., AUG. 30

**SAT., AUG. 31** 10am - Kenpo

4:30pm - Reconciliation

SUN., SEPT. 1 Coffee & Doughnuts after Masses

9am - Adult Ed Bible Study

\*Saturday 5:30pm Vigil Masses are livestreamed.

Beginning September 5, there will be a Communion Service on Thursdays - no daily Mass.



Registration for Children's Religious Education (CREED K-8th), Youth Group (CIA - Catholics in Action, 9th-12th), and Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confir-

mation can be found on our website stwill.net. Classes will begin September 8, at 9am. Registration deadline is Auqust, 25. Forms can be found online and payment may be made online through our online giving OSV or by check.

NURSERY MINISTRY - Our nursery is in need of volunteers. We need to build a team of several volunteers, 2-3 adults (over 18) and 3-4 teens (14-16) to staff our nursery. Unfortunately, beginning this weekend, the nursery will be closed until we can build up a team of volunteers. Please contact Stacey in the office if you are interested in volunteering at 912-638-2647 or email admin@stwill.net



# **MONDAY MORNING MARTHAS**

This program was initiated for all the women of St. William who are interested in learning more about their faith through reading and researching various educational criteria. In the past we have studied the Beatitudes, the Early Church Fathers and the Women Mystics. We are currently reading The World on Fire Bible (Bishop

Robert Barron) "The Gospels." Minimal reading homework is required prior to classes. Classes are like a pair of shoes. Sometimes you have to try them on to see if they are a good fit for you. We welcome you to give us a try. Class begins Monday, September 9, at 9am in classroom 1.



SAVE the DATE! **Fete for Haiti** Saturday, October 26, 2024 More details to follow.

# STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

# 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - AUGUST 25, 2024



Our readings offer us examples of how we should be living, and they present us with opportunity to make a radical change in our lives.

In our first reading, Joshua tells the leaders of the Israelites to decide as to

who they shall serve in this life. As he presents them with this choice. he boldly states, "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." Who or what does your household serve? Whether you are a household of one or twelve, now is the time to decide, 'will we serve the Lord?'

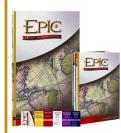
We are constantly bombarded with endless distractions around us. It can be very easy to serve other 'gods' in our lives. For instance, putting technology (phone, internet, TV), kids' extracurricular activities, our jobs, or our social lives before the Lord. We also might be putting these things above our loved ones, and if we are doing that, then we are putting them above our relationship with God.

With this in mind, we must strive each day to intentionally live as disciples of Christ. It starts with commitment — incorporating personal daily prayer and increasing that prayer week by week, incorporating prayer into our marriages and families, frequenting the sacraments, and serving others. Through this time with the Lord and service to those around us, He will reveal to us where to go next.

Reflect on how you may not be putting God first in your life and decide to respond like the Israelites, "Far be it from us to forsake the Lord for the service of other gods... Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God."

Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

# The TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP will



resume meeting on September 10 at 10:30am in room one. We will continue with the Ascension program, Epic- A Journey through Church History. We will start with the session on the **Reformation**. All women are invited to ioin the group. You may attend any session. It is not necessary to attend every week. Join us as we learn more about our Catholic Church and grow in our love and understanding of the Catholic Faith. Jo and Valerie

A celebration of life for HUGO AND MARIE PALADINO will be held Wednesday, August 28. The Paladinos will be interned at the St. William columbarium following the 8:15am daily Mass. A reception in the parish hall will follow the internment. The Mass intention on Thursday, August 28, is for the repose of the souls of Hugo and Marie.

Did you know you can make donations to our GIVING parish online through Our Sunday Visitor-OSV, as a one-time gift, or on a recurring

basis just like your monthly bills? Use this link, or go through the 'Online Giving' tab at www.stwill.net. If you who have discontinued receiving envelopes and are contributing online, please be aware of the additional collections. Thank you.



ALTAR FLOWERS - The sign-up sheet for altar flowers is on a stand in the narthex of the church. Please sign-up if you would like to dedicate the Altar Flowers "in honor of" or "in memory of" your loved ones.

# WALK WHERE THEY WALKED

Join Bishop Stephen D. Parkes for a diocesan celebration in honor of marriage, families, and the heroic sacrifice of the Georgia Martyrs

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2024 Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

11 am: Brunswick St. Francis Xavier Church

1–4 pm: Darien Nativity of Our Lady Church and Martyrs' Monument and Fort King George State Historic Site

Full schedule at theGeorgiaMartyrs.org/pilgrimage



# SERVE con't

funerals and other liturgical events. Individual training will be given for this ministry.

Each of these ministries, even **choir members**, truly help us enhance the Mass and help others partake in a more fulfilling worship experience.

Please contact the office if you are interested in volunteering for any of these ministries, 912-638-2647 or email admin@stwill.net



As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace.

-1 Peter 4:10

Would you like to get more involved at Mass, or in our parish? There are many opportunities for members of our parish family to share their time and talents to assist in our liturgical celebrations. We invite you to consider volunteering in one or more of the following ministries:

- ₱ Extraordinary Minister The priest is considered the ordinary minister of the Eucharist. The laity participate in this ministry as extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, assisting the priest in the distribution of Holy Communion. This ministry is open to practicing Catholics over the age of 18.
- Lector Lectors serve at Mass by proclaiming the sacred scripture during the Liturgy of the Word, as well as the intercessions.
- Altar Server Altar servers have the privilege of assisting the priest in the sanctuary during the Mass and other liturgical functions. This ministry is open to youth/adults who have made their First Holy Communion.
- Live Stream Tech Join our tech team and help bring the Mass live to those at home by learning to operate our live stream system. At present the Saturday 5:30pm Mass is live-streamed. Other opportunities could include weddings,



sábado, 21 de septiembre, 8:45 am a 5 pm Iglesia St. Paul, Douglas

Invitados Especiales: Padre Jorge Vásquez y el equipo del SEPI

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Mrs. Annemarie Marr, Principal amarr@sfxcs.org



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#### SPEAKERS:















#### PROGRAM INFORMATION:

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church

Wednesday Mornings New program starts September 4, 2024

#### SCHEDULE:

6:00 am - Adoration 6:30 am - Breakfast and Program 7:30 am - Dismissal

# **REGISTRATION:**

Contact Deacon Chris Sadowski at (912) 265-3249, ext 305, via email (csadowski@bellsouth.net) or register with the QR code above.



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Tues. - Set. 10:00am - 9:00pm | Sunday Brunch 11:00am - 5:00pm Lunch, Dinner and Happy Hour Monday

1100am - 5:00am

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