



## **ST. WILLIAM CHURCH**

765 Andrews Rd.

Mail: P.O. Box 546, Murphy, NC 28906

Church Bldg. # (828) 837-2000

Mass Schedule: Sat. 6:00 PM Sun. 11:00 AM

[www.st-william.net](http://www.st-william.net)

## **IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

1433 Hwy. 64 West, Hayesville

Church Bldg. # (828) 389-3758

Mass Schedule: Sat. 4:00 PM Sun. 9:00 AM

[www.ihmhayesville.org](http://www.ihmhayesville.org)

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### **STAFF**

Pastor, Rev. H. Alejandro Ayala

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### **ST. WILLIAM PASTORAL COUNCIL**

*Gerald Bisson*

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*Kathleen Lott*

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*Tina Poltrock*

*John Shatraw*

*Don Stillwagon, Chairperson*

*Joan Taylor, Vice Chairperson*

### **FINANCE COUNCIL**

*Alma (Buffy) Allen*

*Jim Ewen, Chairperson*

*David Fitzgerald*

*Linda Lepine*

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### **IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PASTORAL COUNCIL**

*Jim Culley*

*Vernon Dixon*

*Riki Fiebel*

*Janet Michaelson*

*Eleanor Moyer, Chairperson*

*Tom Schmitt, Vice Chairperson*

*Karen Watson*

### **FINANCE COUNCIL**

*Ben Cornelius, Chairperson*

*Ron Guggisberg*

*Steve Jersey*

*Michele McGinnis*

*Susan Palmich*

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**Sacrament of Reconciliation—Twenty (20) minutes before each weekend Mass.**  
**Bulletin Deadline: Monday by 10 AM—Weekend Announcement Deadline: Thursday by Noon**  
**Information Must Be In Writing**  
**DIOCESE OF CHARLOTTE WEBSITE: [charlottedioocese.org](http://charlottedioocese.org)**

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*Worship This Week  
September 25 through October 1, 2017*

<b>Monday</b>	<u>St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service</u>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<u>St. Wm. 9AM Mass + Thomas Malinics</u>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<u>IHM 5:00PM Mass Sp. Int. St. Vincent de Paul Team</u>
<b>Thursday</b>	<u>St. Wm. 9AM Mass + Carol Kleinotas</u>
<b>Friday</b>	<u>IHM 12 Noon Mass + Virginia Brown</u> <u>St. Wm. 5PM Mass + Thomas Malinics</u>
<b>Saturday</b>	<u>IHM 4PM Mass + Pete Reynolds</u> <u>St. Wm. 6:00PM Mass + Deceased Members</u> <u>of the Light Family</u>
<b>Sunday</b>	<u>IHM 9AM Mass Sp. Int. Parishioners of St. William</u> <u>and Immaculate Heart of Mary</u> <u>St. Wm. 11:00AM Mass + Vito Laselva</u>

**Contributions September 9 and 10**

St. William  
Attendance  
Sat. 104  
Sun. 208

Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Attendance  
Sat. 191  
Sun. 196

**Contributions September 16 and 17**

St. William  
Attendance  
Sat. 86  
Sun. 199

Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Attendance  
Sat. 145  
Sun. 196

**Contribution Values Redacted**



**GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BULLETIN PRAYER LISTS will be purged on September 30th.** The Bulletin prayer list contains the names of Parishioners and immediate family members in need of prayers, and the e-alert system is for friends and extended family members as well as Parishioners. **The Prayers of the Faithful** which are read from the altar during Mass are for the **most serious illnesses of our Parishioners.** They are also remembered on the Bulletin Prayer list for each Parish. If you wish your family member to be remembered, it is important that you contact the office. Please respect others' privacy and be sure you have authorization from the person or their immediate family to place someone on the list. **This complies with the Federal Privacy Act of 1974.**

**PRIEST RETIREMENT**

**THE DEDICATED PRIESTS** who served us in the past now deserve to live out their retirement years in dignity. **St. William has been assessed \$6,779** and **IHM has been assessed \$6,269** for the priests' retirement and benefit plans. This amount is slightly less than two times the regular weekend offertory. This second collection will take place the weekend of September 30 and October 1st. Those who are unable to give that weekend may still put a contribution in the regular collection at any time. Additional envelopes are available in the Commons area of both parishes.

"Seek the Lord while he may be found, call him while he is near." Encourage those moments by enjoying a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)** weekend with your spouse. The next weekends are: Nov 10-12, 2017 in Atlantic Beach, NC and Feb 2-4, 2018 in Clemmons, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at: 704-315-2144.

**THE BEREAVEMENT GROUP** will start the Fall Session on Wednesday, October 11th. We will have 6 meetings starting at 10AM each Wednesday. These meetings are held in the upstairs kitchen at IHM (enter through the back door of the Church). It is our purpose to offer understanding and support to those suffering losses of their loved ones. These meetings are meant to be casual, comfortable and confidential. Please join us. For more info contact Mary at 828 389 4543.

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT**

*Christian Stewardship takes a positive view on money. It sees money not only as a medium of exchange but as a symbol of the person who has it. We are revealed in the way we acquire it, use it and share it.*



**ST. WILLIAM  
FOR THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS**

Cheryl Barron, Robert Colabella, Jack Cotter, Dr. Bill Dwinelle, Michelle Freeman, James Geiger, Peter Gilbane, Carol Gilbert, John Hinshaw, Betty Horas, Laurieann Jones, Jean Lannon, Lorraine Meltz, Paul Napolitano, Bill Perkins, Delores Perkins, Ed Sicard, Alyson Standish, Vivian Schell, Brian Van Buskirk, Bob and Elaine Wagner, Dorothy Wiley  
*"If only I touch His cloak, I will be healed." Matthew 9:21*



**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY  
FOR THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYER**

Ruth Fidler, Josie Gale and Alex Gale  
Frank McGouey, Marie Gordon, Jacques Marchat,  
Merrill Morrison, Kelly Webb  
*"If only I touch His cloak, I will be healed." Matthew 9:21*

**JOIN US SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7th at 7PM in the Commons:** "Chef Roberto" and his "Godfather" sous chefs are preparing an amazing Columbus Day Italian Dinner! Tickets are \$15 each and should you desire spirits then BYOB (WINE or BEER ONLY). Tickets are on sale after Mass this weekend and next week and are also available in the Office!

**THE 13TH ANNUAL ANGIE HARRIS MEMORIAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT** will be held **Friday, October 6, 2017** at Franklin Lanes in Franklin, NC. We need volunteers to assist the bowlers and cheer them on. Please call Jean Hobbs at 835-8422 or Carole Johnson at 837-3316 if you would like to volunteer for this worthy cause. This is an annual event sponsored by St. William for 35 years.

**THOMPSON GAS** sign up sheets are available after Mass this weekend. All existing customers must sign up for next year's programs. Please see Ferris or Gail Maloof at the sign up table after Mass. Additional copies are available in the office.

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL** in conjunction with the St. William Men's Club is looking for furniture and other home furnishing donations to provide funding for their ongoing mission. In order to market these donations, an arrangement has been made with Leroy's Used Furniture to provide that service. For more information or to schedule a donation, please contact Bud Sommers at 828-557-7114 or 772-708-7296.

**THE FINANCE COUNCIL** will meet Tuesday at 9:30AM in the conference room followed by the **PASTORAL COUNCIL** at 11AM in the Commons.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Annalyn and Brian Van Buskirk who renewed their wedding vows this weekend.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Gail Maloof and Charlene Davidson - the winners of the beautiful artwork donated to the Ladies Guild by Bob Daniels. And thank you to all who supported the Ladies Guild and their work. Your generosity is so appreciated.

**PRAYERFUL HANDS** will meet on September 26 at 1pm in the Sieglie Center.

**THE CAJUN FEST WAS A HUGE SUCCESS!** Thank you to Rene and Trudy and everyone who came out to support the Fest, as well as all the Ragin Cajun volunteers who worked endless hours to help make this year's event bigger and better than last year. **CONGRATULATIONS** to the lucky winner of the Cajun Fest 50/50: Jim Maloney!

**WE PRAY THE ROSARY FOR WORLD PEACE:** the Rosary is recited every Wednesday at 4:30PM prior to the 5PM Mass. Please join us.  
*Mary Queen of Peace, pray for us.*



**EUCCHARIST ADORATION** takes place each Monday evening from 7-8PM in the Sanctuary. This is a wonderful way to spend an hour with Jesus in thanksgiving, worship and prayer.

**THE KNITTING GROUP** will meet Tuesday at 1PM.

**JOY OF LOVE:** a dialogue with Ruth and Bob Charlesworth on Chapters 8 and 9 of the Joy of Love will take place on Sunday, October 1st at 10AM in the Upper Kitchen. Coffee and whatever your bring will nourish us! For more information please call 802-318-6137 or the Parish Office at 837-2000.

**SAINT VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:** April—August, 2017: during the past 5 months you have helped touch the lives of 36 families and those families represent 89 people in Clay County that have needed the help from the Saint Vincent de Paul Society (SVdP). Your generous giving and memorial donations have made this possible. The payments went toward electric, rent, water, auto fuel, phone bill, hearing aid repair and medicine. YOU have brought God's love to the poor through your generosity and donations to SVdP and enable us to fulfill our ministry and bring peace to those who are overwhelmed with life's burdens. Thank you.

*(Donation and expenditure amounts reacted.)*

*St. William Continued*

**WEDNESDAY STUDY GROUP.** The Wednesday Study Group will resume at 10AM in the Marie Sieglie Center on October 4th with a DVD series on **THE PAPAcy AND THE POPES**, by Notre Dame Professor Thomas X. Noble. There will be two 30 minute lectures entitled: "What is papal history and when did it begin? And, The Rise of the Petrine Idea".

**SAVE THE DATE:** The Ladies Guild Annual Christmas Boutique is the weekend of December 2nd and 3rd before and after Mass. So to all of you very talented people - we need your super items for the sale. Sewing, crocheting, knitting, baking and quilting - all are welcome. Remember, the Boutique is only 2 month away!



PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

Rochelle Andrews, Brett Benfer, Thomas Biller, Josh Boyts, John Buckley, Jr., Courtney Caron, Christa Casselberry, Paul E. Cluverius, Fred Coon, Patrick Cusak, Aaron Darty, Jamaul Davis, Blake Elliott, Jr., Andrew Filewood, Chris Goergen, Ben Goergen, Christopher C. Hatch, Jason Hemsley, Austin Holecheck, Jeremy Holecheck, Daniel Hopkins, Devon Jones, Timothy Keeton, Ari Kliemon, Justin Lansford, Matthew Lepine, Bradley Mahoney, Matthew Marks, Kyle Maher, Richard Knox, Anthony Particini, Martin Price, Robert Raber, Robert Rankin, James Rihn, Kelsie Rodges, Rachel and Justin Riopelle, Jacob Spaulding, Danny Spiker, Dennis Spiker, Ben Studybaker,

Melica Thayer, Stephen Thompson, Jackie Twitty, Carlton Van Buskirk IV, David Vivian, Christopher Wall, Ross A. Webb, Eric Wilson, Lynda Wilson, Jimyejo Williford, Jason Williford, Clay Woody, Clint Woody, Reid Woody, Michael Wyderka

***And all who serve to protect our freedom—you are our American Heroes.***

