



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

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

STAFF

Pastor, Rev. H. Alejandro Ayala

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Parish Secretary, Gail Maloof

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ST. WILLIAM PASTORAL COUNCIL

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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: charlottediocese.org

*Worship This Week
October 2 through October 8, 2017*

- Monday** St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service
- Tuesday** St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service
- Wednesday** IHM 5:00PM Communion Service
- Thursday** St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service
- Friday** IHM 12 Noon Communion Service
St. Wm. 5PM Communion Service
- Saturday** IHM 4PM Mass Sp. Int. Parishioners of St. William
and Immaculate Heart of Mary
St. Wm. 6:00PM Mass + Deceased Members
of the Kelly Family
- Sunday** IHM 9AM Mass + Joyce Dunn
St. Wm. 11:00AM Mass + Arnold Wall

Contributions September 23 and 24

St. William

Attendance
Sat. 88
Sun. 159


Immaculate Heart of Mary

Attendance
Sat. 108
Sun 155



Collection Amounts Redacted

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR AREA and visiting our Parish for the first time? Are you looking for your "home church" here in the mountains of North Carolina? We warmly welcome you to St. William in Murphy and Immaculate Heart of Mary in Hayesville. We hope you feel at home, and we are blessed to be a part of your faith journey. If you are interested in joining our stewardship community, please see one of the ushers after Mass for a Parish Registration Form.

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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FR. ALEX will be away this week at the annual Diocesan Priest Retreat. A Communion Service will take the place of Mass Monday thru Friday of this week at each respective Parish. The normal Mass Schedule will resume Saturday, October 7th.

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.

PRIEST RETIREMENT

THE DEDICATED PRIESTS who served us in the past now deserve to live out their retirement years in dignity. **St. William and IHM have been assessed an amount** for the priests' retirement and benefit plans. This amount is slightly less than two times the regular weekend offertory. A second collection will take place this weekend. 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.

LAUDATO SI: "The economy accepts every advance in technology with a view to profit without concern for its potential negative impact on human beings." Pg. 46.

FOOD PANTRY/SHARING CENTER will be accepting your donations next weekend *at both Parishes*. Cash is always welcome as are donations of non-perishable food, paper products, soap, peanut butter and laundry detergent. *Thank you always for your generous contribution.*



STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Christian Stewardship trains us to become aware that God is the ultimate giver of the gifts we have. To give to God should be "from the top" . . . Not what may be left over.



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

Peter Argo, Cheryl Barron, Robert Colabella, Jack Cotter, Michelle Freeman, Peter Gilbane, Laurieann Jones, Jean Lannon, Larry Leturmy, Delores Perkins, Bill Perkins, Alyson Standish, Patrick Sanchez, 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**

Sue Burkosky, Robert Chang, Jim Ewing, Ruth Fidler, Merrill Morrison, Barbara Sorbara, Bunny Scavelli

"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 "the Boys" are preparing an amazing Columbus Day Italian Dinner! Tickets are \$15 each and should you desire spirits, then BYO WINE or BEER ONLY. Tickets are on sale after Mass this weekend and are also available in the Office. Don't miss out on the fun!

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.

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".

THOMPSON GAS sign up sheets are still available in the Parish Office. All existing customers must sign up for next year's programs. If you have any questions, please contact Ferris Maloof at 706-455-3254.

THE MEN'S CLUB will meet Tuesday after the 9AM Communion Service at Rib Country on Highway 64 West in Murphy. All men of the Parish are warmly welcomed to join us.

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!



NEED A NEW CAR? St. Vincent de Paul is raffling off a brand new 2017 Ford Fusion S from King Ford! Only 300 tickets are available so your chances of winning are pretty good. Tickets are \$100 each: if you buy 5 tickets you get one free! See any SVdP team member or stop by the Parish Office to purchase your ticket. If you don't need a new car, how does the alternative of \$15,000 in cash sound?

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.

"GREEN FAITH" will have a meeting after the 5PM Communion Service on Wednesday, Oct 4. All people are invited to discuss how to implement Pope Francis' ideas of caring for our environment at IHM.

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

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS will take place on Wednesday, October 11th at 4:45PM under the protected area at the back of the Church. The children will be dismissed from Class early so they can attend the blessing of our furry family!

ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE AT IHM! Online giving is easy and allows you to set up and manage recurring contributions, as well as tracking your giving history anywhere you can access the internet. Just follow these simple steps: 1) Go to the Church website www.ihmhayesville.org; 2) scroll to the bottom of any page and click on the **Online Giving Button**; 3) Click on the Create Profile button; 4) follow the instructions to set up your profile and set up your IHM contribution plan. An informational document is available in the Narthex should you have questions or you can call Peggy Strand at the Church office at 828-837-2000.

General Announcements Continued

HOLY SMOKE! A tasting fair with dishes prepared by the pastors and churches of the Cherokee County Ministerial Association will take place on **Thursday, October 12th** starting at **6PM** at the Pavilion on the St. William Campus. Admission is \$10 per person and all proceeds go to the Good Samaritan Fund to benefit the needy of Cherokee County. All are invited to attend this annual event!





PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

Rochelle Andrews, Brett Benfer, 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.

