



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

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Parish Secretary, Gail Maloof

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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



Worship This Week
January 8th through January 14, 2018

Monday **St. Wm.** 9:00AM Communion Service

Tuesday **St. Wm.** 9AM Mass + Ted Maloof

Wednesday **IHM** 5:00PM Mass + Paul Lorentzen

Thursday **St. Wm.** 9:00AM Mass + Rhoj Johnson

Friday **IHM** 12 Noon Mass Sp. Int. Sisters of the
 Congregation of Notre Dame
St. Wm. 5PM Mass + John Taylor

Saturday **IHM** 4PM Mass + Walter Fuller
St. Wm. 6:00PM Mass + Peter Gilbane, Sr.

Sunday **IHM** 9AM Mass Sp. Int. Parishioners of St. William
 and Immaculate Heart of Mary
St. Wm: Mass + James Geiger

Contributions December 23, 24 and 25, 2017

St. William

Attendance
Sat. 67
Christmas Eve 160
Christmas Day 53

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Attendance
Sat. 98
Sun. AM 112
Christmas Eve 411

Collection Information 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

THE FATIMA BROWN BAG LUNCH SERIES CONTINUES AT ST. WILLIAM. You are welcome to join Mark March, Jim Quistorff and fellow parishioners resuming Tuesday, January 9th at 11:30AM in the Commons. This week's topic is entitled "*Triumph of the Immaculate Heart*". Bring your lunch and join us!

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.**

THE PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Monday, January 15th. This is a Diocesan holiday commemorating Martin Luther King.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO RELIGIOUS LIFE

O Holy Spirit, Spirit of wisdom and divine love, impart Your knowledge, understanding, and counsel to youth that they may know the vocation wherein they can best serve God. Give them courage and strength to follow God's holy will. Guide their uncertain steps, strengthen their resolutions, shield their chastity, fashion their minds, conquer their hearts, and lead them to the vineyards where they will labor in God's holy service. Amen



STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

The Magi brought the child Jesus gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. What gifts do I place before Jesus? My time? My talent? My treasure?



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

Cheryl Barron, Michelle Freeman, Laurieann Jones,
Doni Kubicek, Larry Leturmy, Del Light, Paul Napolitano,
Dick Standish, Bill Perkins, Alyson Standish, 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**

Merrill Morrison, Judy and Steve Smith, Earl Wilson

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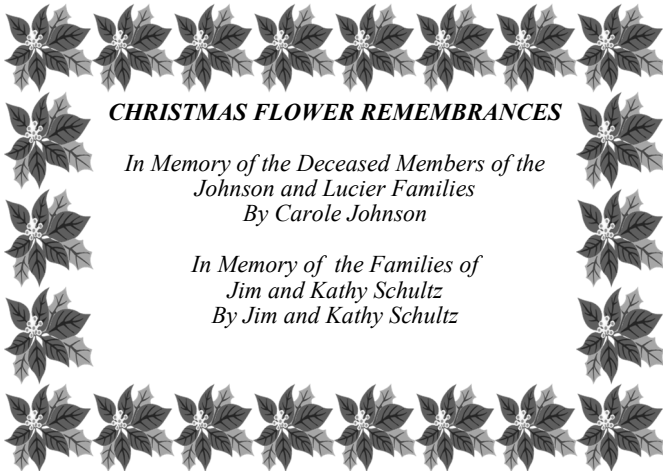
LITURGY will meet Wednesday at 10:30AM in the Commons. All liturgy members are encouraged to attend as we begin preparations for Lent.

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.*

ANOINTING OF THE SICK will take place after the 5PM Mass this Wednesday.

EUCHARIST 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.

PRAYERFUL HANDS SHAWL MINISTRY will meet Tuesday at 1PM in the Learning Center.

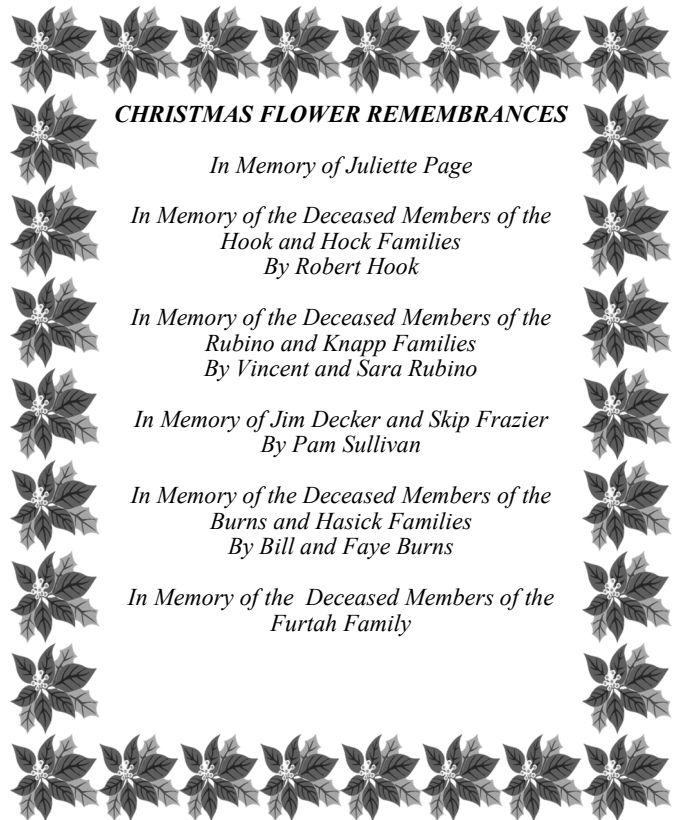


CHRISTMAS FLOWER REMEMBRANCES

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Johnson and Lucier Families
By Carole Johnson*

*In Memory of the Families of
Jim and Kathy Schultz
By Jim and Kathy Schultz*

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO JOAN TAYLOR for the beautiful presentation on the altar for Christmas. As our Sacristan, Joanie works very hard to keep our Sanctuary looking beautiful, and we are so grateful to her for her hard work.



CHRISTMAS FLOWER REMEMBRANCES

In Memory of Juliette Page

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Hook and Hock Families
By Robert Hook*

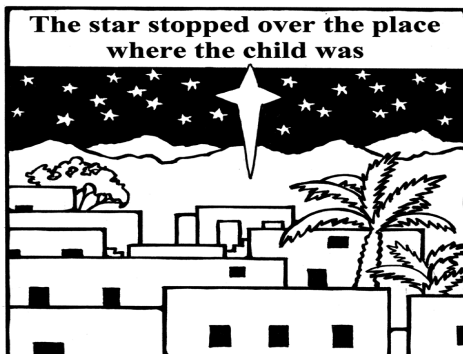
*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Rubino and Knapp Families
By Vincent and Sara Rubino*

*In Memory of Jim Decker and Skip Frazier
By Pam Sullivan*

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Burns and Hasick Families
By Bill and Faye Burns*

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Furtah Family*

**All kings shall pay Him homage;
all nations shall serve Him!**
Psalm 72:11



**The star stopped over the place
where the child was**

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**The earth will not continue to offer
its harvest, except with faithful
stewardship....."**
Pope John Paul II



PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

Rochelle Andrews, Brett Benfer, Josh Boyts, Thomas Biller, 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.

