

St. William the Abbot

Roman Catholic Church



Welcome to St. William the Abbot

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 10, 2021

PARISH INFORMATION

RECTORY

Office: 516.785.1266
2000 Jackson Avenue
Seaford, NY 11783
stwilliam.org

RECTORY HOURS

Monday - Friday
9 AM - 5 PM
Saturday
9 AM - 3 PM
Sunday
9 AM - 1 PM

MASS TIMES

The presider schedule can be found on the parish website stwilliam.org

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday
8:30 AM

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday
8:30 AM & 5 PM
Sunday
7:30 AM, 9 AM, 10:30 AM, & 12 PM

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 10, 2021

Claire Salmon
Joan T. Desmond
People of St. William's
Leon Pawelczyk

Thursday, October 14, 2021

Michael & Jackie Hayes (LIV)

Friday, October 15, 2021

Collective Intentions
Bishop James J. Daly, D.D.,
Diane Lynn Petrowski,
William & Stella Power,
Nicole Tedeschi,
Joseph J. Bishop

Monday, October 11, 2021

Michael A. Hayes (LIV)

Tuesday, October 12, 2021

Margaret Whyte

Wednesday, October 13, 2021

Michael A. Hayes (LIV)

Saturday, October 16, 2021

Purgatorial Society
Collective Intentions
David Wilcox Allison, Jr.,
Phyllis Pellegrino Drum,
Josephine Rapanaro,
Antoinette Scalamandre



Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." - Mark 10:27

Baptism

Ava E. Bonilla	Samantha M. Fleischer
Isla N. Brady	Joseph P. Magliulo
Michael R. Fleischer	Cameron A. Meyer

Let us welcome those children who were
Baptized this past weekend.

Pray for the Deceased

Camille Laquidara	James R. Newhook
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The Wine & Host used at Mass this week have been
donated in memory of

Gene Goettlich

From his wife Pat.

The Altar Flowers used at Mass this week have
been donated in memory of

Gerard Lanigan

From the Padovano Family.

The Altar Candles and Sanctuary Candles used at
Mass this week have been donated in Thanksgiving
for Michael & Jackie Hayes (Liv)

For all you do for mom and me.

From Christine Creech.

Pray for the Sick

Manolo Martinez	Mary Teresa Agolia
Susan Mateiko	Adrienne Harker

“From the beginning ...”

Matthew 19:8

We began our journey last week opening the discussion of Christian sacramental marriage. We recognize that at the Wedding Feast at Cana, Jesus raised the dignity of marriage to a sacrament. For this discussion and always, we want to begin our conversations with the presentation of God's original intent – “from the beginning” - how God presented marriage with Adam and Eve before the Fall. At the same time, we live in a world that is wounded and in constant need of conversion and transformation. We know that through Jesus Christ and His church the relationship with God and our neighbor is enhanced and can thrive. It is through the holy Sacraments that we encounter God in these sacred and ritualistic moments, God is truly made present. A sacrament is never private or individualized, it always comes forth in the context of the community witnessed by God, our loved ones, and a member of the clergy. There is present ritualistic forms, guidelines, and laws that have made the sacraments sustain a relevancy for 2000 years all based on the foundation of Love, Sacrificial Love expressed most perfectly on the cross. Because we are discussing Canon Law, at times there are “churchy” or technical words that are used, but we are always discussing souls, beloved daughters, and sons of God - invited and freely offered a relationship.

As we continue to address marriage, we want to acknowledge that some of us are experiencing in our personal lives directly or with people that we love situations that do not fit perfectly into the mold that Jesus and the Church present to us as the ideal which leads us to happiness and heaven. There is no one statement (or magic arrow) that clears up any confusion or misinformation presented to us, or our loved ones from the past. God is calling us to a deeper relationship, and to look at our lives and journey to sainthood recognizing we are not there yet. We are imperfect people, living in an imperfect world, imperfectly. These weekly letters are hopefully going to allow for conversations that can bring ourselves or our loved ones closer to peace, unity, and when necessary, reconciliation.

In this letter I will address the form and marriage process between a catholic and non-Catholic (unbaptized or other Christian denomination). My hope is to first present what the Church teaches as the correct form and ideal means to the sacrament and journey to heaven. In a world that sees almost 50% of all marriages ending in divorce, revealing how challenging this state of life can be without God's grace and mercy, or being on the same page of practicing the faith. The hope is to invite God in as the center and source of the vocation and journey to heaven. Next week I will bring forth the experiences of marriages that end in civil divorce, separation, non-sacramental marriage, and how that affects us as baptized Catholics, and if /how that affects our practice of faith, or results in any possible consequences.

When a Catholic and a baptized Christian (or even if they're a non-Catholic) enter into marriage, it can still be a valid marriage, according to the Canon Law of the Church, provided that the couple is free to be married (i.e., no prior valid marriages), they understand the nature of Catholic marriage, and the Catholic spouse obtains from his/her bishop a formal “permission” for the marriage. If the wedding is celebrated at a non-Catholic church, the Catholic spouse must obtain a “dispensation from canonical form” (i.e., a waiver of the formal requirements that the wedding occur in a Catholic Church, the use of the ordinary marriage rite, witnessed by a Catholic priest, deacon, or bishop) from his/her bishop.

If the wedding is celebrated in the Catholic Church, the priest presides, and a non-Catholic minister can offer prayers and ask a blessing on the couple. If the wedding takes place in a non-Catholic church, the minister presides, and a priest/deacon may be present to offer a prayer and blessing. The Catholic spouse is also under a serious obligation to ensure that their children are raised within the Catholic faith, making a formal promise and the other spouse is made aware of that promise. Holiness is always the goal, and a married couple with religious differences can get there — and be joyfully married as well — by helping and supporting each other.

A wedding between a Catholic and a non-Christian can be a valid bond if the couple obtains from the Catholic spouse's bishop a “Dispensation.” The wedding can take place at a religious building other than a Catholic church (for instance, at a synagogue), but a “Dispensation from Canonical form” is needed with the same requirements and expectations as listed above in raising the children in the faith.

In addition, the Catholic spouse is also under a serious obligation to ensure that their children are raised within the Catholic faith — indeed, during one of your interviews with the priest/deacon or parish staff who is overseeing your marriage preparation, the Catholic spouse must make a formal promise to that effect, and the other spouse must be made aware of that promise. The Sacrament of Marriage is a sacred event for both the couple and for the Church as a whole, and spiritually, the Church itself is present at every wedding. With rare exceptions, all the sacred events in the life of the Catholic people are celebrated at a Church — at the sacred place that is the center of our life as a faith community. Think of how your heart warms as you enter St. William the Abbot – the cross, the statues of Mary and Joseph, St. Angela, the stained-glass windows. We know. This place is where Jesus Himself is really present in the Eucharist in our tabernacle. The church building is also the place where past and future generations have and will worship — so when we gather at SWA, we act in solidarity with our parish family present, past, and future.

Essentially, location has meaning, just as the words of the marriage vows have meaning. Sacred events belong in sacred places, and secular events belong in secular locations. The requirement of Canon Law reminds us of the sacred nature of marriage, the special participation of God and His Church, and the place of every marriage in the life of the Church. A catering hall/restaurant, the gazebo at Seaman's Neck Park, Jones Beach, or city hall, are not sacred places, however nice they may be — they are certainly not places where the Catholic people ordinarily come together to worship God in the presence of Jesus and each other. Thus, the right place for your sacred exchange of wedding vows is a sacred place — in a church.

Now that we have established the form of Catholic sacramental marriage, some of you reading this may be thinking that these scenarios are not how you or one of your loved one's have experienced marriage. I am hoping this may allow for a conversation to address and possibly bring others to a greater understanding and if necessary to the celebration of the sacrament of Holy Matrimony. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me or one of the other priests to walk you through any questions or concerns.

As always, I am so grateful for your presence and generosity.

Peace,

Fr. Joe



Rectory News

Wedding Banns III

Bryan Tatelman - Hartford, CT

&

Taylor Winter - Holtsville, NY



Nicolas Argino - New York, NY

&

Breanne Mannix - (SWA)

Kurt R. Walther - St. Frances de Chantal

&

Jacqueline Meyer - (SWA)

Brian Bobby - (SWA)

&

Lindsay Salt - St. Patrick's, Smithtown



St. William the Abbot desires to partner with parents and young adults to reach the next generation for God's Glory. We have many Core volunteer opportunities, please email priests@stwilliam.org if you wish to share your gifts with the youth of our community.

LIVE-STREAMED MASSES

Join us online to view our live-streamed masses on the parish website stwilliam.org.

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 12:00 PM

Have a question for the priests?



Stump the Priest questions can be emailed to priests@stwilliam.org.

Emergency Line



If there is an emergency in which you need to contact a priest immediately, please call the Priest Emergency telephone - 516-312-7361.

Global Pandemic have your dog's social life looking "ruff"?



Take a walk with Father James and Kolbe! All dogs welcome!

Email priests@stwilliam.org to schedule a walk.

Eucharistic Minister

If you are a registered parishioner who has received the sacrament of confirmation and have a desire to serve God in this way, we would love to have you inquire on how to become a Eucharistic Minister. All interested parties are encouraged to email us at priests@stwilliam.org to learn more.

Email List

If you are not currently on our email list and would like to receive email updates on parish news and the bulletin, in your inbox please register on the parish website stwilliam.org.

Private Prayer

The Church will be open for private prayer Monday through Friday from 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM. If there is something taking place in the church such as a funeral, wedding, class, parent meetings, RCIA, etc., parishioners should understand that they should not remain in church during these activities.

Memorializing

The Rectory is issuing Mass Cards, enrollment in the Purgatorial Society, Memorializing the Wine, Host, Candles and Altar Flowers. Please call the Rectory for more information (516) 785-1266 or email information@stwilliam.org

Help Keep the Church Clean

We ask that those visiting the Church do not leave flowers, religious cards, holiday cards, bibles, or religious artifacts in the church, near the Religious Statues, or on the Sanctuary. It is acceptable to discard these items or bury them.

Please do not leave any food donations in the Church.

Fellowship & Parish Events

Due to COVID regulations and food allergies, we ask that no food or drink be donated for social gatherings on campus. If you are interested in donating towards the cost of the Fellowship Tent refreshments. Please email information@stwilliam.org

Staying Connected

With St. William the Abbot visit us at stwilliam.org to view our bulletin online, presider schedule, and see other parish information.

Facebook: Find us at:
stwilliamabbot

Instagram: Follow us:
@stwilliamabbot

YouTube: Find us at:
YouTube.com — St. William the Abbot Church

Fellowship Tent of Meeting

In Exodus 33:7-11, the intimate prayer of Moses with God is described. A designated place for prayer, a "tent of meeting," was set up outside of the Israelite camp. As Moses would enter this tent, a "column of cloud" would descend upon it, signaling the presence of the Lord, to whom Moses would then speak "face to face, as one man speaks to another." With their intercessor standing before God, the Israelites would then begin to pray "at the entrance of their own tents."



We will begin to extend the opportunity to come together after selected Masses each weekend just as the Israelites did with a Fellowship Meeting Tent. The Fellowship Meeting Tent will take place at two selected Masses each weekend. The selected Masses will be announced in future bulletins and our social media. Each week the tent will feature refreshments.

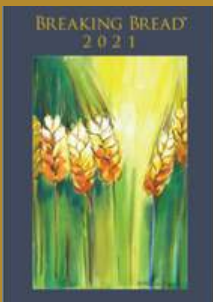
Fellowship Tent of Meeting Schedule

Saturday, October 9, 5pm Mass

Sunday, October 10, 10:30 am Mass

Missals

At this time we are able to offer the sale of individual missals for \$10 per missal. Please bring a check for \$10 payable to St. William the Abbot or \$10 exact cash to the rectory. There will be no change for cash purchases. We have a limited number at this time, so it is a first come first served basis.



Low Gluten Hosts Available at Mass

For those who must avoid gluten in their diet, the parish has low-gluten hosts available for Holy Communion. If you wish to receive such a host, please arrive prior to Mass and inform the priest and he will place your host in a oyx.

Light a Prayer Candle



Lighting candles has long been a sacred ritual in all traditions, creating precious moments in our own and other people's lives where we pray for loved ones, friends, and ask for or give support.

Pray for those in the Military

US Army -

Capt. Caitlin M. Lee

Sgt. Brian Kirby

Major Eamon G. Mc Ardle

Sgt. Donald Rogers

Major Christopher James Ustler

Major Kurtis Unger

US Air Force -

Capt. Matthew B. Frasse

Tech. Sgt. Eric Meyers

AIC William Hughes

Tech. Sgt. Karl Muench

Major Thomas F. Shields

US Coast Guard -

Lt. James Knudsen

Daniel Timpanaro

LT. Commander Katherine Ustler

Frank Pristera

US Navy -

Lt. Joseph Fitzgerald

Ian Bayer, Ensign

Rebecca Bayer, Ensign

MMN2 Emily Partridge

Commander Michael Sean Slatley

Lt. jg Michael Napolitano

US Army -

Sgt. Craig Bianco

SPC Anthony Caputo

Capt. Michael DiPietro

Capt. Michael Fitzgerald

Capt. Christopher J. Frasse

Capt. Logan Lee

Lt. Col. John Kallo

Capt. Caitlin M. Lee

USMC -

Lt. Kevin J. Butler

2nd Lt. Dana Duggan

L.Cpl. John Mosier

Faith Formation

Today we hear how Jesus was speaking to a rich young man and asked him to sell his nice things and to give all his money to the poor and to follow him and his disciples, however the man got upset and walked away. He was very rich and he probably did not want to get rid of his nice things. These are called material things and we must not hold onto material things as if they are priceless. Jesus is the one who is priceless. He died and he rose from the dead to give us life and to have eternal life we must help out who we can always and follow what God wants us to do.

The Faith Formation 7th and 8th Graders have started their classes and it began with Fr. Joe Fitzgerald having a Youth Mass for them on Sunday, September 19th. Fr. Joe Fitzgerald is teaching the students and we also have Facilitators who are helping out. Please note that a Youth Mass is on October 17th at 5pm in Church. All 7th and 8th graders should attend. 2021 - 2022 School Year: Registration for students is now CLOSED. We appreciate your cooperation. Registration Placement Letters have all been mailed out. The Office hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9am to 3:45pm, Friday is 9am to 12pm. Reminder – All parents and students must have their mask on before entering the Abbey, Church, and the School Building and remain on.

Join us for the Family and Youth Mass

Calling all the Youth of the St. William the Abbot Parish
and the Parish Community to join us on

5:00 PM

Sunday, October 17, 2021

For our Family and Youth Mass

Faith Formation Students -
7th & 8th Grade Students
must attend the Mass



ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT RC CHURCH



GET INVOLVED

JOIN THE CONNECT TEAM

CALLING ALL 7TH - 12TH GRADERS

An awareness of the importance of and vital need for performing service to others is critical. Throughout Scripture, we are called to love God and to show this through love toward our neighbor. Service is something we do because we recognize the presence of Jesus in all persons and in all of God's creation.

JOIN THE CONNECT TEAM, ASSIST WITH FUN DUTIES AT THE MASSES AND EARN APOSTOLIC HOURS!



PLEASE EMAIL [PRIESTS@STWILLIAM.ORG](mailto:priests@stwilliam.org) TO
SIGN UP & GET MORE INFORMATION!

St. William the Abbot RC Church



First Friday's

A “First Friday” is the first Friday of the month and is often marked by special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus since Jesus died for us and won our salvation on a Friday.

**Join us for
Adoration in the Church
on every First Friday of
the month from
9am - 5pm.**

STWILLIAM.ORG



Make a Joyful Noise



Unto the Lord!



Please consider joining St. William the Abbot Music Ministry
as we begin rehearsing for the upcoming year!

ADULT CHOIR

Inviting all singers & instrumentalists high school age and up!

- ~Sing 4-part harmony at the 12:00 pm Sunday Mass, on holidays, and for concerts
- ~Rehearse on Tuesday nights at 7:15 pm in the Choir Loft

YOUTH CHOIR

Inviting all singers from 3rd Grade to 8th Grade!

- ~Sing at the 9:00 am Sunday Mass, on holidays, and for concerts
- ~Rehearse on Tuesday nights at 6:15 pm in the Choir Loft
- ~Student at SWA school? Rehearse during lunchtime on Tuesdays instead!

Choir rehearsals begin on Tues, October 5th!



ADULT BELLS

Inviting anyone high school age and up!

- ~Play at the 12:00 pm Mass on holidays, special times, & concerts as scheduled
- ~Rehearse on Monday nights at 7:15 pm in the Choir Loft

YOUTH BELLS

Inviting anyone from 3rd Grade to 8th Grade!

- ~Play at the 9:00 am Mass on holidays, special times, & concerts as scheduled
- ~Rehearse on Monday nights at 6:15 pm in the Choir Loft
- ~Student at SWA school? Rehearse during lunchtime on Mondays instead!

Bells rehearsals begin on Mon, November 8th!

Any further questions?

Email Elizabeth at ewoods@stwilliam.org

I so look forward to a beautiful, challenging, and exciting year of music making here at St. William the Abbot! I'm thrilled to share my gifts with each of you, and to use all of your gifts to truly glorify God through the beauty of liturgical music.

Joyfully His,



Elizabeth Woods

Parish Social Ministry

Food Donations

The food donations bins will no longer be located in the Church. Please bring all donations directly to Parish Social Ministry Office, the church no longer has donation bins. The Social Ministry office is located South of the Church.

Monday - Friday

9:30am - 4:00pm

Sunday

By Appointment Only

Food Pantry

Canned carrots
Canned mixed vegetables
Women's deodorant

Apple juice
Saltines
Ritz crackers

Parish Contact Information

CONTACT THE PRIESTS

Please send your email to priests@stwilliam.org to contact Fr. Joe, Fr. James or Fr. Collins directly.

CONTACT THE PASTORAL COUNCIL

Please send your email to pastoralcouncil@stwilliam.org.

QUESTIONS FOR COMMUNICATIONS

Please send your email to igomez@stwilliam.org.

QUESTIONS FOR THE RECTORY

Please send your email to information@stwilliam.org.

CONTACT THE BUSINESS MANAGER

Please send your email to jgoldman@stwilliam.org.

CONTACT FAITH FORMATION

Please send your email to faithformation@stwilliam.org or contact the office directly at (516) 783-2528.

CONTACT SOCIAL MINISTRY

Please send your email to socialministry@stwilliam.org or contact the office directly at (516) 679-8532.

CONTACT THE SCHOOL St. William the Abbot School



Office: 516.785-6784
2001 Jackson Avenue
Seaford, NY 11783
stwilliamtheabbot.net

Refer a Friend in Need

Do you know someone in need of assistance? Your Parish Social Ministry offers confidential support and advice regarding hardships experienced by adults and seniors who may be struggling with sensitive issues. We have access to relevant state, local and charity-based programs that may help, and we offer other services such as client advocacy and regular use of our food pantry. Partnering with our St. Vincent de Paul conference, we help with budgeting, expense management and building financial independence. For more information call the Parish Social Ministry office 516-679-8532.

Overdue gas and/or electric account?

HEAP is offering a one-time benefit available to their eligible households that have an electric/gas account in arrears. This benefit is called "RAS" (Regular Arrears Supplement) and is available from September 22, 2021 through September 30, 2022 or until funds are exhausted. Applicants must meet HEAP requirements and have a past-due utility bill in active collections or facing termination of service. Apply by phone at 800-342-3009 or in-person at the Social Services office.

HEAP Early Outreach

The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) will open on 10/1/21 this year for 'early outreach.' HEAP can help pay your energy bill using an income-based criteria to qualify. The 'early outreach' group covers households that received a 2020-2021 benefit as well as households with seniors, children under aged 6, and disabled persons. Applications can be in person, by mail, by fax or online via www.mybenefits.ny.gov.

Welcome Back Prayer

Shawl Ministry!

This week the Parish welcomed back the Prayer Shawl Ministry for their first meeting since the COVID pandemic began in March of 2020, and what a turnout! About 40 participants met to pray, knit, crochet and reconnect with each other in service to those in need. An example of faith in action, this ministry continued to work remotely throughout the pandemic. They produced many beautiful items that will soon be distributed to hospitals, homeless shelters, veteran centers and even to our own parishioners that need a special delivery! For more information call the Social Ministry office 679-8532.







5th grade began attending their weekly Mass today. After Mass, Father Joe spoke with the students and answered some of their questions. Today is the feast day of St Francis of Assisi, and Father Joe shared a relic of Saint Francis as they left the church.



Mrs. Frank's 5th grade Science class is learning about our dynamic earth. To understand topographical maps and contour lines, they created landforms out of Play-Doh, sliced them into layers, and traced each layer to create the contours. Hands-on activities help students understand difficult concepts. #wearestwilliams





On this Feast of St. Francis, Fr. Joe visited with students to bless photos of pets, from dogs to cats, to turtles and rabbits! #wearestwilliams #rediscoverthesacred



St. William the Abbot Family,

Please join us in supporting the St. William the Abbot Golf Outing, honoring Msgr. Robert L. Hayden. The event will feature two additional ways to join in on the fun a 50/50 Raffle and special raffle prizes.

Prize will be announced and awarded on October 18, 2021.

There will be five special items that will be auctioned off at the event.

1. **VIP CHRISTMAS - TWO FRONT ROW SEATS FOR CHRISTMAS MASS WITH VIP PARKING AND TWO FRONT PEWS**
2. **PRIVATE VIP DINNER BY GOURMET CHEF AT THE RECTORY WITH THE PRIEST FOR 6 PEOPLE**
3. **PRIVATE VIP TOUR OF THE SEMINARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND CATERED DINNER WITH THE PRIEST FOR 6 PEOPLE**
4. **TWO VIP NEW YORK KNICKS TICKETS WITH ACCESS TO THE BUDWEISER SUITE WITH FOOD, BEER, WINE, & BEVERAGES INCLUDED TO ANY GAME**
5. **TWO VIP NEW YORK RANGER TICKETS WITH ACCESS TO THE BUDWEISER SUITE WITH FOOD, BEER, WINE, & BEVERAGES INCLUDED TO ANY GAME**

If you are interested, please fill out the 50/50 Ticket Raffle or the Special Raffle Item Ticket Raffle and drop off the the stub back with your check or cash by Sunday, October 17th to the Rectory. There will be additional tickets located in the Church and Rectory.

Thank you for your continued support of St. William the Abbot.

Sincerely,



Rev. Joseph H. Fitzgerald

ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT
GOLF OUTING
HONORING MSGR. ROBERT L. HAYDEN
50/50 Raffle Ticket

1 TICKET = \$20 OR 6 TICKETS = \$100

The winning ticket will be drawn at the Golf Outing Dinner, the winner will be contacted via phone and email.
You do not need to attend the Golf Outing to participate in the 50/50 Raffle.

NAME
EMAIL ADDRESS
CONTACT NUMBER

ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT
GOLF OUTING
HONORING MSGR. ROBERT L. HAYDEN
PRIVATE VIP DINNER BY GOURMET CHEF
AT THE RECTORY WITH THE PRIEST FOR 6 PEOPLE

EACH TICKET = \$300

The winning ticket will be drawn at the Golf Outing Dinner, the winner will be contacted via phone and email.
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ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT GOLF OUTING

HONORING MSGR. ROBERT L. HAYDEN

PRIVATE VIP TOUR OF THE SEMINARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
AND CATERED DINNER WITH THE PRIEST FOR 6 PEOPLE

EACH TICKET = \$200

The winning ticket will be drawn at the Golf Outing Dinner, the winner will be contacted via phone and email.
You do not need to attend the Golf Outing to participate in the 50/50 Raffle.

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HONORING MSGR. ROBERT L. HAYDEN

VIP CHRISTMAS - TWO FRONT ROW SEATS FOR CHRISTMAS MASS
WITH VIP PARKING AND TWO FRONT PEWS

EACH TICKET = \$50

The winning ticket will be drawn at the Golf Outing Dinner, the winner will be contacted via phone and email.
You do not need to attend the Golf Outing to participate in the 50/50 Raffle.

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CONTACT NUMBER

St. William the Abbot Community

UPCOMING

EVENTS

**October
17**


Family & Youth Mass

Youth & Family Youth Mass in the Church with an intentional Mass dedicated for the youth of the community. The 7th & 8th grade Faith Formation students are required to attend this Mass.

**October
22**



Youth - Just for Fun Night! (JFF)

Calling all 6th - 12th graders to join us for a night of fun, we will meet in the school gym at 6:30 pm for Basketball, Volleyball, and fun games. Pizza will be served! Parent pickup will be at 9pm. There is no RSVP required. 

**October
22**

Young Adult Night - 18 and over

Young Adults are invited to join us in the Church at 7pm for Adoration and a talk, social activity to follow in the Abbey. There is no RSVP required.

**November
20**



St. William the Abbot - Turkey Trot Run

Join Fr. James Hansen on the First Annual Turkey Trot Run, more information to come soon!

**December
10**



Christmas Tree Lighting & Blessing of the Creche

Join for the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting, more information to come soon!

**December
2**

Women's Night

A special night for all the women of the parish, more information to come soon!

**December
13**



Christmas Advent Concert

This upcoming Advent and Christmas season will feature a special Advent concert. The night will feature hymns, lively carols, and an Advent message of hope with a special guest.

Consider Automated Giving

Automated giving provides a steady stream of support. It is a great way to manage your Sunday Offerings without the worry of missing a payment and the worry of forgetting your weekly envelope.

We are able to offer the ability of having Sunday Offerings deposited directly from your checking or savings account into the St. William's account. This would apply only to weekly collections, not to any second collections, such as Holy Days, Catholic Relief Services, etc.

The form to begin this process can be printed, filled out and mailed to the Rectory. Please be sure to attached a voided check.

Authorization Agreement for Automated Giving

I, _____, hereby authorize the R. C. Church of St. William the Abbot, 2000 Jackson Avenue, Seaford, NY 11783 to initiate debit entries to my Checking () Savings () account indicated below and the depository named below to debit the same such amount.

Amount \$ _____ Monthly on the fifteenth of the month.

Depository: Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Banking Transit ABA # _____
(always nine digits)

Bank Account Number _____

(Attach to this form a voided check if checking account debit or a pre-printed savings deposit ticket if savings account).

This authorization is to remain in full force effect until the R. C. Church of St. William the Abbot has received written notification at least five business days in advance of the desired termination date.

(Authorized signature for above account)

(Print Name)

Date: _____

If second signature is required:

(Authorized signature for above account)

(Print Name)

Date: _____



Catholic Kids

October 10, 2021
Ordinary Time
Color: Green



Bulletin

PWLFILLWUSPWITHYOURPW

BSINGPWFORJOYW

Fill us with your
love, O Lord,
and we will
sing for joy!

BPWLOVEPAOLORDP

BANDWOKEWEPWILLBPWOEING



Before Mass starts, kneel
and pray, thanking
God for His blessings.

Saint Therese the Little Flower

Saint Therese knew that she wanted to be a nun when she was a little girl. She visited Pope Leo XIII and begged to join the convent. He replied that she had to wait until she was older. When she turned 15 she was finally able to become a Carmelite Nun!

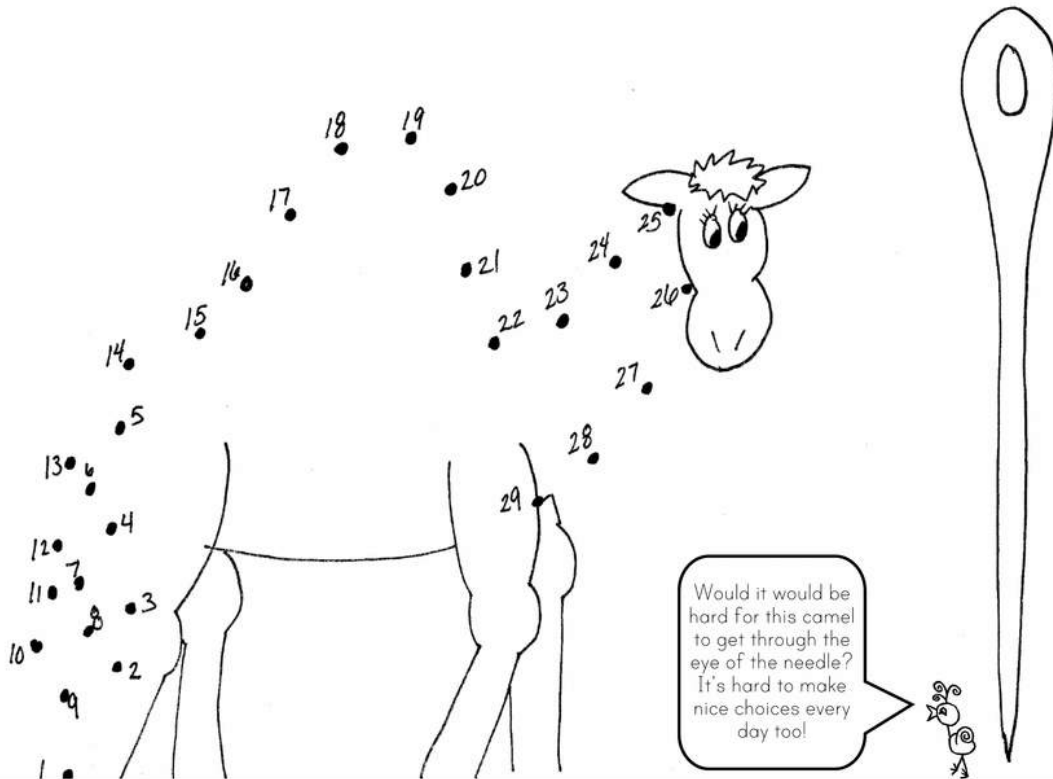
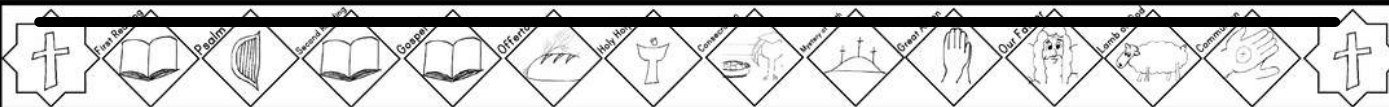


Saint Therese promised that when people prayed, she would send blessings from heaven that would fall like roses.

How many roses do you see falling on this page?



Please let me join the Carmelites! I want to serve God as a nun!



Would it would be hard for this camel to get through the eye of the needle? It's hard to make nice choices every day too!

Gospel

A rich man asked Jesus how to get to Heaven. Jesus told him that he should sell his favorite things. Jesus said that it would be easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to get to heaven.