



St. William Church

St. John Mission

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September 6, 2020



St. William

Clergy Pastor, Rev. Benton Clift, Sr. 859-824-5381

Celebration of the Eucharist

St. William

Saturday Vigil Mass..... 4:30 pm

Sunday Mass.....10:30 am

Daily Mass (Tuesday–Friday)..... 8:30 am

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist is offered Wednesday after the 8:30 am Mass until noon.

Stations of the Cross will be offered each week during Lent at 6:30 pm on Thursdays.

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Sunday Mass..... 8:30 am

Wednesday Mass 10:30 am

The Rosary is prayed each Sunday at 8:00 am and each Thursday at 6:00 pm



23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother.” - Mt 18:15

~Mass Intentions ~

Saturday September 5, 2020 Vigil
4:30 pm Virginia Seward
Sunday September 6, 2020
8:30 am Members of our Parishes
10:30 am †Charles Barbian

Monday September 7, 2020
8:30 am No Mass Today

Tuesday September 8, 2020
8:30 am Special Intention

Wednesday September 9, 2020
8:30 am Members of our Parishes
10:30 am †Gerald Kelly

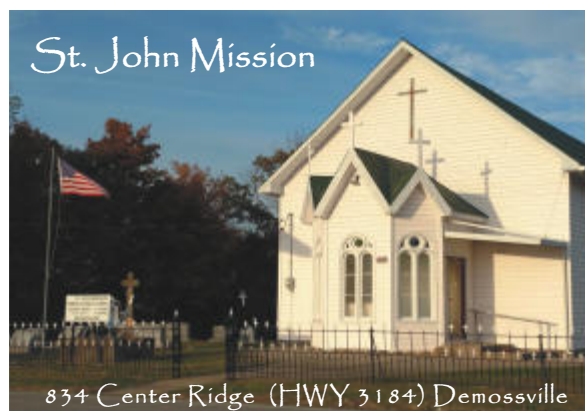
Thursday September 10, 2020
8:30 am †John A. Ober

Friday September 11, 2020
8:30 am All Souls Lost on 9/11/01

Saturday September 12, 2020 Vigil
4:30 pm †Vivian Bates

Sunday September 13, 2020
8:30 am †David N. Frisch
10:30 am Members of our Parishes

† - denotes deceased person



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Gratefulness

The installation Mass this past Saturday was a blessed, wonderful experience. It could not have been done without the support of this parish family of which I am proud to be a part. I am a blessed man. At 61 years old, beginning my service to the Gospel and the Church right here in a place that up until three months ago I knew virtually nothing about. I have come to know some folks, who I dare say, are destined to be some of my best friends.

The Mass was celebrated by Bishop Foys who took quite a chance on me. At 55 years of age, I was certainly not your average run of the mill seminarian. I presented challenges to Bishop, Saint Vincent Seminary, and most of all, to myself. His guidance and leadership for me personally while being the Ordinary for a Diocese of 100,000 Catholics is quite remarkable.

The presence of most of my family members, my siblings, my children, and grandchildren and a few friends made this an awesome event for me. Saint William Parish was beautiful. The Parish made them feel right at home. I was so proud of my grandchildren, especially Will Clift and Jenna Clift who served the Mass in a different Church, with different people. They too felt right at home here, and I am grateful.

I am so Blessed to have such great folks (flower people), Trish Merritt, Kim Albers, and Donna Riley, who love the natural beauty of flowers as much as I do and made the worship space and the entire Campus a welcoming sign of God's beauty. The Bishop was really impressed with all their accomplishments.

I am grateful to the members of the Parish Council who gave the Bishop the keys to the door to pass on to me, as a wonderful gesture of their trust and the awesome responsibility they have entrusted to me. I want to thank Marylyn Sininger and the McDonough's, Pat, Cheryle and Kathy, who lectured, cleaned the Church, and set up for Mass all while enduring the presence of a worrisome clergyman. Jenny Breeden, who does such a great job with our weekly bulletin, oversaw the program for the event and did an amazing job.

Sara Browne was able to provide great technical expertise and made Leveque Hall a second viewing site. That has given way to some ideas about streaming regular Mass possible which can help those not yet ready to sit in the assembly.

Our music ministers Lorie Flerlage and Ed Salerno had a difficult job as the music seemed to be constantly needing adjustment to fit the occasion and the Covid-19 restrictions, nevertheless they presented the liturgy's music wonderfully.

I also need to thank Bud Barnes, Dennis Sullivan, and Trish Merritt in welcoming many new people into the Church for the occasion.

Finally, I want to thank Our Lord who has given me this opportunity despite my best efforts to mess up.

Blessings!

Father Benton Clift Sr.

National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children

On Saturday, September 12, 2020, Citizens for a Pro-Life Society, Priests for Life and the Pro-Life Action League will co-sponsor the 8th annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children, calling on pro-life Americans to honor the gravesites of our aborted brothers and sisters.

For more information about the prayer services, etc.: <http://abortionmemorials.com>

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):

Thursdays from 5:00 - 6:00 pm.

Saturdays before Vigil Mass from 4:00 to 4:20 pm.

Also available upon request. Please contact Fr. Clift.

**Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and
Sacrament of Anointing: Please contact Fr. Clift.**

**Marriage: Please contact the Rectory at least six
months in advance.**

Parish Secretary, Carol Rector crector@saint-william.org

**Coordinator of Religious Education, Suzi Noel
859-760-1376 snoel@saint-william.org**

Prayer Line Roberta Poole 859-824-4198

Society of Vincent de Paul 859-341-3219

10:00 am–2:00 pm

Knights of Columbus David White 859-801-5338

Website: saint-william.org

Mass Intentions - please give to Carol Rector

Ministry Schedule - contact Pat McDonough

pkmed1989@gmail.com

Bulletin - Jenny Breeden jennybree054@yahoo.com

Worship Music — Songs for the weekend Masses:

Saturday and Sunday

- PROCESSIONAL : "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"
 RESPONSORIAL PSALM: **If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.**
 OFFERTORY: "As The Deer Longs - Psalm 42"
 COMMUNION: "Christ Be Our Light"
 RECESSIONAL: "They'll Know We Are Christians"

Open Position:

Sunday Morning Music Minister

We are interviewing for a Music Minister. Please contact the parish office if you or someone you know might be willing to commit their musical talents to this important part of our liturgical offerings.

Now Hiring: Kitchen Manager

The Mary Rose Mission in Florence, Kentucky is seeking a qualified individual to become a Kitchen Manager. If interested, please send resume to maryrosemission@gmail.com.

*Applicant must be able to stand for long periods of time and lift trays of food weighing 20 pounds.

Mass Intentions

We need mass intentions, especially for weekdays. Please contact the office to schedule one.

St. William Treasure	
<u>August 23, 2020</u>	
<u>General Collection</u>	\$2897.00
<u>Messenger</u>	\$376.00
<u>Building Maintenance</u>	\$10.00

St. John Treasure	
<u>August 23, 2020</u>	
<u>General Collection</u>	\$376.00
<u>Messenger</u>	\$20.00

Organization News

Worship / Liturgy Committee

On Tuesday, September 15 there will be a preliminary meeting of the Worship and Liturgy Committee. This will be an information meeting concerning the scope and purpose of the Committee as regards to the life of the Parish.

Maintenance Committee

Anyone interested in joining/helping the St William/ St John Campuses through the maintenance, repair, and construction of the physical plant, please send Father Benton an email @ bclift@saint-william.org. On Tuesday October 6, 2020 we will have a meeting to discuss current and future needs of the campus and our response to those needs.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

<u>09-12-20</u> 4:30 pm	Server: Pat McDonough Lector: Stephen Bates Eucharistic Minister: Kathy McDonough
<u>09-13-20</u> 10:30 am	Server: Volunteer Needed Lector: Michael Munguia Eucharistic Minister: Dennis Sullivan



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| Leanna Atwell | Patricia Bowman | Kendall Burke |
| Ethel Clemons | Cathy Davis | Norb DeJaco |
| Sally DeJaco | Ellie Hammons | Andrea Kirk |
| Connie & Wayne Link | Kathy Merz | John Northcutt |
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