



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

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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
April 15 through April 21, 2019

Monday St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service

Tuesday St. Wm. 9AM Mass Sp. Int. Judy Regner

Wednesday IHM 5PM Mass + Linda Morrison

Thursday Holy Thursday
IHM 5PM Mass + Loretta Drennen
St. Wm. 7:30PM Mass + Dorothy Graff
and Sylvester Graff

Friday Good Friday
IHM 5PM Good Friday Service
St. Wm. 7:30PM Good Friday Service

Saturday Holy Saturday—Easter Vigil
St. Wm. 8PM Mass + Deceased Members
of the Kelly Family

Sunday IHM 9AM Mass Sp. Int. Parishioners of St.
William and Immaculate Heart of Mary
St. Wm: 11AM Mass + Frank Tichler

Contributions for April 6 and 7, 2019 delayed due to early publication deadline.



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 PARISH OFFICE will close at Noon on Holy Thursday, April 18th and will re-open on Tuesday, April 23rd at 8AM. We wish our Parishioners many blessings of the risen Lord this Easter season. Peggy, Gail, Dawn and Jack.

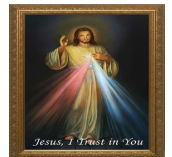
THE HOLY WEEK SERVER PRACTICE AT ST. WILLIAM FOR BOTH PARISHES IS AS FOLLOWS: Holy Thursday—Practice at 10AM: Good Friday—Practice at 9AM: Saturday Easter Vigil- Practice at 10AM. Practice takes place in the Sanctuary, and is mandatory to ensure a free flow of our Lenten Services. Thank you for your co-operation. Fr. Alex

EASTER FLOWER OFFERING ENVELOPES are available in the Commons area of both Churches. This is a wonderful way to remember your loved ones during the Easter Season.



AT THREE O'CLOCK,
I SAW THE LORD JESUS CRUCIFIED
Diary of St. Faustina, #648

At three o'clock, I saw the Lord Jesus crucified, who looked at me and said "I thirst".



Then I saw two rays issue from His side, just as they appear in the image. I then felt in my soul the desire to save souls and to empty myself for the sake of poor sinners. I offered myself, together with the dying Jesus, to the Eternal Father.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: On the Sunday after Easter the entire Church is called to gather throughout the world to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. From St. Maria Faustina's Diary, it is clear that this Octave Day of Easter is a day chosen by Christ as a day of extraordinary graces and a complete outpouring of His mercy upon all who approach Him with great trust and expectant faith. As we approach Palm Sunday and the beginning of Holy Week, information on praying the Chaplet is available at the Divine Mercy table in the Commons at St. William. There will be additional information on Divine Mercy events in an insert in this week's bulletin. Please remember that the Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed after the 9AM Mass each Thursday at St. William and all are invited to His Fountain of Mercy.

Father, forgive them
for they know not what they do.



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

Cheryl and George Barron, Adrienne Cassidy, Michelle Freeman, Mary Harris Lucas, Allie Mitchell, Judy Regner, Ben Roache, Kelly Madere Siler, Tiny Thompson, Bob and Elaine Wagner

"If only I touch His cloak, I will be healed." Matthew 9:21

NOTE OF THANKS. *A special thank you to all of the teams who prepared our Lenten lunches this season. We had a great turn out this year, and look forward to this ecumenical event next year. We are stewardship in action within our community.*

THE LADIES GUILD is meeting on Tuesday, April 16th in the Commons at 1PM. This April's Helping Hands Project is a cash donation to our Children's Faith Formation Program. Parishioners are welcomed and encouraged to donate as well. The Cherokee County Sheriff's Department will be our guest speaker, speaking on Women's Safety.

More General Announcements

FELLOW CHRISTIANS: join us as we carry the Cross of Jesus Christ through the town of Murphy on **Good Friday, April 19th.** We will assemble at St. William Church at 10:00AM leaving the Church at 10:30AM, praying the Scripture Stations of the Cross as we walk. You will have the opportunity to take turns carrying the Cross, and we will finish around 11:45AM at the United Methodist Church in town. Please wear comfortable clothing.



BEREAVEMENT. The IHM Bereavement Support Group continues this Wednesday, April 10th at 10AM in the upstairs kitchen. (please enter through the backdoor of the church) These sessions are meant to be a comfortable, casual and confidential way for all who have lost a loved one to share their experiences and gain some healing. All are welcome. For more information call Mary 828-389-4543."

"Although the life of a person is in a land full of thorns and weeds, there is always a space in which the good seed can grow. all you have to do is trust God."
Pope Francis



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

Teresa Kirkpatrick, Shirley Moran, Earl Wilson

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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.*

USE IT OR LOSE IT TO A WORTHY CAUSE. Second Chance Treasures is looking for those treasures you no longer use or want. You can drop off your donations to our sale every Friday between the hours of 10AM and 1PM as well as on our sort days. If you have any questions, please contact Janet Michaelson, Riki Fiebel or Linda Kennedy.

RICE BOWLS - Please remember to bring in your Rice Bowls or a check for the total amount you wish to donate during **HOLY WEEK.** The checks can be put in the collection basket. Please make them out to **Immaculate Heart of Mary.** Thank you for thinking of the poor people in this world.

AN EASTER EGG HUNT will take place at IHM on Easter Sunday, April 21st after the 9 a.m. liturgy. Please have the children bring their own Easter baskets. Father Alex will bless the children during the Mass. The groups will be divided as follows: 3-5 year olds next to the church (One adult may accompany each child.) 6-8 year olds in front of the church (No adults need to accompany the children.) 9-12 year olds in back of the church (They don't need any help!) **HAPPY EASTER!**

THE WAY OF THE CROSS on Wednesday, April 17th will be bilingual. It will be **BEFORE MASS** at 3:45PM in the Sanctuary. It might be a **LIVING WAY** of the **CROSS** if we can get it together! Sister Margarita, CND

IMPORTANT MESSAGE. We are planning on having a Mother's Day Brunch on **Sunday, May 12th.** We are hoping the men of the parish will step forward with their culinary skills to cook for the ladies as well as help finance this wonderful endeavor. There will be a sign up sheet in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Jim Brummert.

SECURITY REQUEST: Due to the world we now live in, the Safety and Security Committee are in the process of reviewing and updating the IHM protocol as needed. Part of the process includes maintaining a key log of everyone who has a key to the church and or secure area. **If you have one, please notify Jackie Wilson by email wjackie557@gmail.com or call 828-389-6534 to be added to the log.**



**PRAY FOR VOCATIONS,
THEY ARE THE FUTURE OF OUR CHURCH**



PRAYERS FOR OUR ACTIVE 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, Grant Fleming, Chris Goergen, Ben Goergen, Christopher C. Hatch, Jason Hemsley, Austin Holecheck, Jeremy Holecheck, Daniel Hopkins, Devon Jones, Timothy Keeton, Ari Kliemon, Justin Lansford, George W. Lucier, Bradley Mahoney, Matthew Marks, 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, Chad T. Webb, Eric Wilson, Lynda Wilson, Jimyejo Williford, Jason Williford, Clay Woody, Clint Woody, Reid Woody

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

