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Rev. Thomas Maher, Pastor
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Deacon Michael Abatemarco
Deacon George Prevosti
Deacon Kevin Smith

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms may be arranged for most Sundays of the year at 1:00PM. Please call the parish office to schedule a Baptism.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard every Saturday after the 9:00AM Mass, 1/2 hour before each weekend Mass and Wednesday evenings at 6:00PM.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Those who wish to enter the Catholic faith and Catholics who wish to complete the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation are most welcome to begin the journey at any time. Please call the parish office if interested.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should call the parish office for an interview appointment one year before the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered at anytime. Please call the parish office.

OBTAIN A MASS CARD

During office hours we welcome those who would like to request that their special intentions or deceased loved ones be prayed for particularly at a weekday or weekend Mass. We ask for a donation of \$10 per Mass.

OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY:

Registered parishioners who have been asked to be a Godparent or Confirmation Sponsor, should call the parish office to request a certificate of eligibility.

REGISTER FOR THE PARISH

We are so happy to welcome new members of our Parish Family! Please come to the parish office so that we can get your information and meet you.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Friday
9:30AM to 3:00PM



The Parish Family of

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Our Mission

We, the parish family of St. William the Abbot, a welcoming Catholic community, led by the Holy Spirit, are called to proclaim, and to witness to, the Good News of Salvation, so that we may grow together, among all generations, and advance the Kingdom of God, in our love and service of God and neighbor.

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Weekends

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:15AM, 11:45AM

Weekdays

Monday & Tuesday: 9:00AM

Wednesday: 9:00AM & 7:00PM

Thursday, Friday & Saturday: 9:00AM

August 8, 2021

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Why is it so important to register with a parish?

Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Some people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. Registering as parishioners requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself in a parish. Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to be included in the religious, social and ministerial activities of your parish. Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining a sponsor certificate, and getting donation statements for your taxes. Most importantly, it lets the parish count on you, to call on you to assist in its mission. Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish.



Weekly Collection for August 1	\$4,374
Vigil Candles	173
Total	\$4,547

94 Envelopes

Thank you for your generosity! If you are interested in our online giving program, please go to our website and click on the link for WeShare.

Rosary



Thank you to everyone who handed in their tally sheets for praying the rosary. So far we have prayed the rosary 2,601 times. Congratulations! Keep up the good work! Remember to pray one decade for St. William the Abbot Parish. The Rosary is also prayed here in the church after the 9AM Mass everyday. Join us in person or online.

Here is the link to our Facebook page:

<https://m.facebook.com/Saint-William-the-Abbot-Catholic-Church-174135519840986/?tsid=0.37482415393666724&source=result>



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- ◆ Choose weekly or monthly donation
- ◆ Update desired offering any time
- ◆ And, print your year-end statement in seconds—at any time!

Online giving is the best way to support St. William the Abbot—now more than ever! It provides steady support, it's environmentally friendly, and less costly than using envelopes. Look for the WeShare link on our website.

The Parish Picnic will be held on Saturday, August 21st, at 6PM. Call or email the parish office to reserve a table. It is free! Bring your own food and drink. We will supply tables, chairs, entertainment, games, and a 50/50.



Registration has now begun online for School of Religion. All parents of children who were in the program last year, should have received an email on how to register. If you did not, please check the website for a link to register. Also, if your child is going into the first grade in September 2021, you must also register. Our First Holy Communion program is a two year program. In order to make first Holy Communion in 2nd grade he/she must attend 1st and 2nd grade classes.

If you are interested in teaching, please let us know. All volunteers must be Virtus trained and fingerprinted.

You must be a registered member of St. William the Abbot to attend our School of Religion classes. Please call or email the parish office to get a registration form, if you wish to join the parish.



MASS Intentions

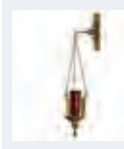
"It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the living and the dead." II Mac. 12:46

- Saturday, August 7**
- + 5:00 **Henry Mastowski**
req The Mastowski Family
- Sunday, August 8**
- + 8:00 **Ralph Boraska**
req M/M Paul Ciampi
- 10:15 **People of the Parish**
- + 11:45 **Deceased members of the Thompson Family**
req The Beyer Family
- Monday, August 9**
- + 9:00 **Jennie Ciardiello**
req Sal Ciardiello
- Tuesday, August 10**
- + 9:00 **Robert Zisko**
req Barbara Zisko
- Wednesday, August 11**
- + 9:00 **Peter Cerreta, Sr.**
req M/M Billy Lawlor
- + 9:00 **Clare Pritle**
req Loving friends
- Thursday, August 12**
- + 9:00 **Ray Shea**
req M/M John Carlucci
- Friday, August 13**
- 9:00 **Special Intention for Fr. Angelito**
req Fr. Tom
- Saturday, August 14**
- + 9:00 **Emmanuel Puglisi**
req Puglisi Family
- + 5:00 **Anita Lopez**
req The Clarkson Family
- Sunday, August 15**
- + 8:00 **Bob & Ellamae New**
req The New Family
- + 10:15 **Peter Cerreta, Sr.**
req M/M Billy Lawlor
- 11:45 **People of the Parish**



Please bring health, healing and hope to those in our community who are sick especially Ana Guillermo, Jonathon Capriotti, Emily Capriotti, Dakota Schick, Judy O'Connor, Anna O'Connor, Evelyn Zelif, Robby Isabella, Liz Czar, Michele Barbito, Maribel Mejias, Nuala Brennan, Ann Murphy, Yuri Turchin, Amy Sikorski, Deborah Lavin, Kathleen Redstone, Deacon Frank Jackson, we also ask you Lord, to watch over all those with incurable autoimmune diseases and for all those who are afflicted with MS, CF, Lou Gehrig's disease, for those who suffer from Alzheimer disease, dementia, addictions, and their families.

God of all consolation, give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.



The Sanctuary Lamp and the Flowers for Jesus are in memory of Robert Zisko, requested by Barbara Zisko.



Even though our missals are back, we still have The Word Among Us available in the parish office for purchase. It is a monthly publication that has the Mass, daily readings, Sunday readings and meditations in it. They cost \$5.

FORMED.org is a wonderful source of information to assist you on your spiritual journey. This is free and a wonderful source for adults as well as children. To sign up: go to formed.org/signup, select our parish, register with your name and email address, check your email account for a link to begin using FORMED.

"...Together we can do great things."



DioceseofTrenton.org/CatholicAppeal

The Annual Catholic Appeal mission remains the same as it was when it began; to financially empower the Church to serve all the people of God, regardless of belief. What's different today: the needs are greater than ever before.

Thank you to the 126 donors who have already donated. They have given \$24,742, which is 88% of our goal of \$28,000. If you haven't given yet, please consider it. Pledge cards are in the parish office.



Our Youth Choir will be back in September! Any student, grade 2 through high school is welcome to join. They sing on the first Sunday of the month at the 10:15 Mass. Practice is from 9:30 to 10:00 right before Mass. If you are interested in joining, please contact Colleen Murath at colleenmurath@optonline.net.

Marking the days of Ordinary Time with the Saints

<p>Sunday August 8 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>St. Dominic</p>	<p>First Reading: <i>1 Kings 19:4-8</i> The Lord feeds Elijah, strengthening him for his journey to Horeb. Second Reading: <i>Ephesians 4:30-5:2</i> The Ephesians are encouraged to be imitators of Christ. Gospel Reading: <i>John 6:41-51</i> Jesus responds to the murmurs of the crowd, who wonders what he means when he says that he came down from heaven.</p> <p>Saint Dominic was born in Calaruega in Spain around the year 1170. He studied theology at Palencia and was made canon of the church of Osma. He worked effectively against the Albigensian heresy though preaching and good example. To carry on this work he gathered together companions and founded the Order of Preachers. He died at Bologna on August 6, 1221.</p>
<p>Monday August 9 St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</p>	<p>Edith Stein was born in Breslau, Germany (now Wroclaw, Poland) in 1891 of Jewish parents. She studied philosophy under Husserl, the leading phenomenologist of his day. Inspired by the writings of St. Teresa of Avila, she was baptized on January 1, 1922. She taught in various schools from 1923 to 1933 until forced to resign due to anti-Semitic legislation. In 1933, she entered the Discalced Carmelite convent in Cologne where she received the name Teresa Benedicta of the Cross. At the end of 1939, she moved to the convent at Echt, Holland, on account of the Nazi persecution of Jews, but in 1942, during the German occupation of Holland, she was arrested, transported to Poland, and killed on August 9 at the Nazi concentration camp at Auschwitz.</p>
<p>Tuesday August 10 St. Lawrence</p>	<p>Saint Lawrence was killed four days after the four other deacons and Pope Sixtus II were killed. He cared for the temporal welfare of the Roman Church and was said to have been burned alive on a gridiron. After Saints Peter and Paul, Lawrence is venerated as patron of Rome and is mentioned in the Roman Canon.</p>
<p>Wednesday August 11 St. Clare</p>	<p>Saint Clare of Assisi died in 1253. She was a disciple of St. Francis and founded the Poor Clares, whose first convent at Assisi she directed as abbess for forty-two years. She led an austere life, rich in the practice of charity and loving care.</p>
<p>Thursday August 12 St. Jane Frances de Chantal</p>	<p>Jane Fremiot was from Dijon and the wife of Baron de Chantal and the mother of six children, two of whom died at birth. When her husband died, she met St. Francis de Sales and he became her spiritual director. She founded in 1610 at Annecy in Savoy the Visitation nuns. She established some eighty-five monasteries before her death on December 13, 1641.</p>
<p>Friday August 13 Sts. Pontian & Hippolytus</p>	<p>Saint Pontian was ordained bishop of Rome in 231. In 235 he was banished to Sardinia by the Emperor Maximinus, along with the priest Hippolytus. There he resigned from his office and later died. His body was buried in the cemetery of St. Callistus, while the body of Hippolytus was buried in a cemetery along the Via Tiburtina. The Roman Church sanctioned devotion to both martyrs at the beginning of the fourth century.</p>
<p>Saturday August 14 St. Maximilian Kolbe</p>	<p>Saint Maximilian Kolbe was born near Lodz, Poland, on January 8, 1884. He founded the Militia of Mary Immaculate to combat evil through the Blessed Mother. He was arrested with four other priests and eventually sent to Auschwitz. He was killed by lethal injection after he offered his life for that of another prisoner. He was 47 years old. He was canonized by Pope John Paul II in 1982.</p>



The Bishop's Anniversary Blessing for couples living in Monmouth County will be held at the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine in Freehold on Sunday, October 10, at 3PM. All couples celebrating their 1st, 25th or 50+ wedding anniversary during the 2020 or 2021 calendar year are invited to share the Eucharist, reaffirm your sacred wedding vows, and receive Bishop O'Connell's Episcopal Blessing. Due to the Covid19 pandemic, attendance at Mass is limited but will be livestreamed. Couples may register through their parish or online pending approval of their parish. For more information or to register online go to www.dioceseoftrenton.org/bishops-anniversary-blessing. The registration deadline is September 30.



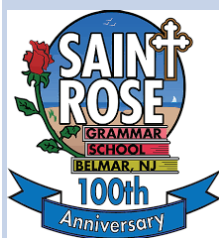
Missionhurst-CICM

Next weekend, August 14 and 15, we will have a missionary here from Missionhurst. Missionhurst-CICM was founded in 1862 by a Belgian priest, Fr. Theophile Verbist, initially for the evangelization of China. Inspired by Fr. Verbist's example, Missionhurst priests and brothers have been first to proclaim the Good News in places where the Gospel is not preached or lived with a particular emphasis in the care of the poor and the most vulnerable. Today, Missionhurst missionaries, priests and brothers from North America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America, continue this long tradition of caring for God's poorest and most neglected in many parts of the world. The missionaries are prepared to stay, live among the people, share in their privation, and participate in the day-to-day effort needed to achieve life-long spiritual and material changes. Since their foundation, more than 2,000 CICM missionaries have died in the service of the missions; 42 of them were martyred. More information about the mission can be found on their website: www.missionhurst.org. There will be a second collection. Please be generous. Thank you.



Surviving Divorce—Monmouth County Divorced and Separated Ministry

An information night will be held on Thursday, August 26, 7:00-8:30PM at the Church of the Nativity in Fair Haven, where you will be provided with all the information you need to help you decide if you would like to attend our 12-week program that will begin in September on Monday nights from 7:00-8:30PM at St. Mary's in Middletown. Registration is required. To register email Ray DeSibio at healingheartsfromdivorce@gmail.com. We do not ask you if you are Catholic, we only ask you if you need to be healed. It is a Catholic program designed to heal everyone that come to it.



St. Rose Grammar School in Belmar, is having a 100 Year Gala Celebration, on Friday, October 8th. It will begin with 5:00PM Mass of Thanksgiving with Bishop David M. O'Connell at St. Rose Church. Then join us at 6:30 at Spring Lake Golf Course for food, spirits and music! Make a reservation today at

www.srgs.org.



Giving thanks for God's blessings

Did you know that this August marks the 140th anniversary of the Diocese of Trenton? In 1881, Pope Leo XIII established the Diocese of Trenton to serve the Catholics of the southern part of New Jersey and named Fr. Michael J. O'Farrell of New York as its first bishop. At the time, the Diocese had 68 churches, 23 parochial schools and 51 priests spread out across Burlington, Mercer, Monmouth and Ocean Counties, as well as all of the territory that is now part of the Dioceses of Camden and Metuchen. For more on the history of the Diocese, go to Dioceseoftrenton.org/our-history, and watch for a special feature in the August issue of the Monitor Magazine and on TrentonMonitor.com.





Kissing your feet, I implore you all my brothers, and with the utmost affection I beseech you to show the greatest possible reverence and honor to the most holy Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ . . . Consider your dignity O Brothers who are priests, and be holy because He is holy . . . It is a great misfortune and a miserable fault to have Him thus near you, and to be thinking of anything else. Let the whole man be seized with dread; let the whole world tremble; let the heavens exult when Christ, the Son of the living God, is on the altar in the hands of the priest. O amazing splendor and astounding condescension! O sublime humility! O humble sublimity! The Master of the universe, God Himself and Son of God humbles Himself so far as to hide Himself for our salvation under the feeble appearance of bread! See brothers the humility of God . . . keep nothing of yourselves for yourselves, so that He may possess you entirely, who has given Himself wholly for you.

One thing is certain, that next to Holy Communion no act of worship is so pleasing to God, and none is so useful, as the daily visit to our Lord Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament dwelling upon our altars. Know that in one-quarter of an hour which you spend before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament you attain more than in all the good works of the rest of the day. **St. Francis of Assisi**



Let no one, therefore, approach this wondrous Table without having reverent devotion and fervent love, without true penitence or without remembering his redemption. For it is the pure Lamb that is eaten in the unleavened bread . . . Approach the Lord's Supper, the table of wholeness and holiness, child of faith, in such a way that at the end you may enter into the wedding feast of the Lamb . . . There we shall be filled with the abundance of God's house; then we shall behold the Kind of Glory and the Lord of Hosts in His beauty, and shall taste the bread of our Father's kingdom; our host shall be our Lord Jesus Christ, whose power and reign are without end. Amen.

St. Thomas Aquinas



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