



## **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](http://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](http://www.ihmhayesville.org)

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### **IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

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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](http://charlottediocese.org)**

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Worship This Week  
May 7 through May 13, 2018

- Monday St. Wm. 9AM Communion Service
- Tuesday St. Wm. 9AM Mass Sp. Int. Judy Regner
- Wednesday IHM 5PM Mass + Wayne Weible
- Thursday St. Wm. 9AM Mass Sp. Int. George Lucier
- Friday IHM 12 Noon Mass + Lisa Richards  
St. Wm. 5PM Mass Sp. Int. Our First Communion  
Children and their families
- Saturday IHM 4PM Mass Sp. Int. Parishioners of St.  
William and Immaculate Heart of Mary  
St. Wm. 6PM Mass Sp. Int. Kevin Hanson
- Sunday IHM 9AM Mass + Joanne Guggisberg  
St. Wm: 11AM Mass Sp. Int. Deacon Carl Hubbell



GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



Thanks to those who have already made pledges to the 2018 Diocesan Support Appeal. If you have not contributed yet, please prayerfully consider your level of commitment and make a pledge. Thank you.

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 \* **THE ANNUAL IHM WOMEN'S RETREAT DAY** \*  
 \* is scheduled for **Thursday, May 10** at Hinton Center in \*  
 \* Hayesville. The theme of this year's retreat is "*In the* \*  
 \* *Garden with God: A Love Story*" presented by Melinda \*  
 \* D'Agrosa. Sign up sheets are necessary, and will be \*  
 \* found in the Narthex at IHM and in the Commons at St. \*  
 \* William. The Retreat starts at 8:30AM until 4PM and all \*  
 \* women of both churches are invited to participate. \*  
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**CONGRATULATIONS TO DEACON CARL HUBBELL**

who will celebrate the 30th anniversary of his Ordination as a Deacon of the Church on May 14th. Your special gift from God has blessed us by your very presence in our life, and we are grateful for all you do! You hold a very special place in our hearts, and our prayers are with you as you continue your journey!

**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.**

**LAUDATO SI:** "*Efforts to promote a sustainable use of natural resources are not a waste of money, but rather an investment capable of providing other economic benefits in the medium term.*" Pg. 74

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE REGARDING THE LADIES HIGH TEA!** As you may know by now, the Ladies High Tea has been postponed. But don't put your hats in storage or your special place settings back in the attic just yet! Watch the Bulletin for a new date and time.

**EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS:** St. John Paul II called the Eucharist the "Source and Summit" of Catholic Life. Plan to spend a day in special worship during the Congress on Sept. 7 and 8. Visit [www.GoEucharist.com](http://www.GoEucharist.com) for more information.



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*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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ST. WILLIAM FOR THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Cheryl Barron, Mary Carroll, Michelle Freeman, Kevin Hanson, Thomas C. Harris, Laurieann Jones, Del Light, Allie Mitchell, Paul and Nancy Napolitano, Judy Regner, Jerry Slicker, Alyson Standish, Bob and Elaine Wagner, Simone Ziemanski "If only I touch His cloak, I will be healed." Matthew 9:21



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY FOR THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYER

Paul Gibb, Pat McClure, Mitch Newman, Merrill Morrison, Earl Wilson

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

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST COMMUNION CHILDREN. Jayden Rivera Garcia, Sarah-Kaylee Rivera Garcia, Yasmin Rivera Garcia, David Llovera, Ed Garcia Vasquez, Edhy Garcia Vasquez, Estrella (Star) Garcia Vasquez and Alexa Ceberak received the Eucharist at the 11AM Mass this Sunday. Please continue to keep our children and their families in your prayers.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH: our Men's Club will host their annual Mother's Day Brunch immediately after the 11AM Mass Sunday, May 13th. Please stay after Mass and join us in celebrating that special mother, grandmother, great-grandmother or godmother who has inspired us throughout our lives. A free will offering will be taken.

CELEBRATING OUR PENTECOST TRADITION: Pentecost will be celebrated at both Masses the weekend of May 19 and May 20. Reading the Petitions in many languages spoken by our Parishioners is a Pentecost tradition at St. William. Parishioners who would like to read part of the Prayers of the Faithful in a language other than English, please contact Dawn Whidden 828-361-5810 or Theresa Gaffney 770-653-0803 no later than Wednesday, May 16th.



REQUEST FROM YOUR SECURITY TEAM. In order to continue to ensure the security of the Church, everyone is asked to please leave the Commons by 12:30PM after Sunday Mass so that all the doors can be locked. Thank you.



More General Announcements

MASS FOR OUR MILITARY. Bishop Jugis will celebrate a Mass for our military on Monday May 28 at 11AM at St. Patrick's Cathedral in Charlotte. The Mass and rosary (to be recited at 10:30AM) will be offered for all military who have died, retired and for those now serving. All military personnel are invited and encouraged to come in uniform. Please call Gail at the Parish Office for more information.

MOTHER'S DAY MASS REMEMBRANCE: Mother's Day is Sunday, May 13th. This year you can celebrate your Mom by remembering her at Mass on this special day set aside to honor our mothers, as well as our grandmothers, great-grandmothers and godmothers who have been a role model in our life. Special Mother's Day Mass Remembrance envelopes are available in the Commons area of both Churches. Please print clearly and place your envelope in the Offertory collection basket.

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.

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

ALL MOTHERS are invited to a special celebration of Mother's Day with the children in the Youth Faith Formation Classes on Wednesday, May 9th at 3:30 p.m. Come and stay with your child during snack time. This will be the last day of class and report cards will be distributed by the teachers after snack time. A picnic will be held on Wednesday, May 16 at the Clay County Recreational Center at 3:30 pm. Please bring a dish to share with the other families. The children can swim at their own risk or if parents are available to supervise them.

Se invita a TODAS LAS MADRES a una celebracion especial el miercoles, 9 de mayo a las 3:30 p.m. Les invitamos que vengan a celebrar el DIA DE LAS MADRES con sus hijos y para recibir la boleta de sus hijos de las maestras despues de la celebracion. Es el ultimo dia de clase y habra picnic en el parque de Recreacion de Clay County el 16 de mayo a las 3:30 p.m. Todos estan invitados a traer un plato para compartir si quiere acudir al parque con sus hijos. Los ninos pueden nadar si los padres los supervisen.

GOOD NEWS!! Sr. Terry's activity room is finally finished. Please consider signing up to do coffee and donuts on any Sunday. Signup sheets are in the mail room for May and June including instructions if you need them. Remember you will be reimbursed for whatever you spend, i.e., donuts, cream and orange juice. Coffee will already be made for you. Everyone loves to have a cup of coffee after Mass, but we desperately need the help to continue. Any questions call Sharon Sickel at 828 389-9229 or catch her in the kitchen after Mass.

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ASCENSION THURSDAY is this Thursday, May 10th and will be celebrated at each of the Masses this coming weekend.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

"In generous spirit pay homage to the Lord, be not sparing of freewill gifts." Sirach 35:7



**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, 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, 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.***

