

## Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings: Missal Page 40

*If you believe what you like in the gospels, and reject what you don't like, it is not the gospel you believe, but yourself.*

- St. Augustine (354-371), Monk, Desert Father, Feast Day August 28

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### God's Kids Say the Funniest Things

A young couple invited their elderly pastor for Sunday dinner. While they were in the kitchen preparing the meal, the minister asked their son what they were having.

"Goat" the little boy replied.

"Goat?" replied the startled man of the cloth. "Are you sure about that?"

"Yep," said the youngster. "I heard Dad say to Mom, 'Today is just as good as any to have the old goat for dinner.'"



## St. William Catholic Church

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### Mass Schedule

Saturday 6:00 PM (Spanish)  
Sunday 10:00 AM (English)

### Confessions

Tuesday  
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM



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August 28, 2022*

# Welcome to St. William Catholic Church

Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Prayer List

Don Able	Corine Bailey
Mollie Bartley	James Barton
Emma Susie Black	Ashley Bodie
Linda Clubb	Rita Copeland
Davis Cromer	Kathy Galloy
R. A. Gibson	Gerald Glanton
Haisley Herlong	Beth Huff
Billy Kitchings	Jack Koyne
Donna McCormick	Betty Jean Miller
Jack O'Brien	Presley Ponce
Johnny Ray Powell	Marian Richardson
Caroline Rodgers	Charles Rodgers
Dale Rodgers	Julia Rodgers
Randy Rodgers	Richard Rowe
McKinley Simpson	Sara Tompkins
Gena Turner	Kerry Way



Let us also pray for our servicemen and women, for the unemployed and the homeless, for our nation, and for all the deceased members of St. William's.

*May the people of Ukraine experience God's protection and may He inspire all those in power or authority to work for a peaceful settlement to the conflict.*

## Dates to Remember

- Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Catholic University of America collection
- Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup>
  - LABOR DAY
- Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>
  - Maintenance Fund
  - PATRIOT DAY
- Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>
  - Parish Meeting 7:00PM
- Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>
  - FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN
- Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>
  - Maintenance Fund
- Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>
  - World Mission Sunday
- Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>
  - HALLOWEEN
- Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>
  - ALL SAINTS
- Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>
  - Collection for the Archdiocese of the Military Services
- Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>
  - VETERANS DAY

## Parish News and Happenings

HAPPY  
*Birthday*

Dale Rodgers  
August 29<sup>th</sup>

Offertory for August 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>  
**\$1548.00**

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**Disaster Assistance: \$119.00**

### Culture of Life Conference

You are invited to the Culture of Life Conference coming up on September 17, 2022, 9am-Noon with lunch following, at Cardinal Newman School in Columbia, SC. We will begin the day with Mass, then Rev. Jeffrey Kirby will speak about being prolife in the post RvW era and we will break into small groups to discuss what we can accomplish in our own parishes. Lunch will be provided, donations accepted. Please RSVP to [cbrown@charlestondiocese.org](mailto:cbrown@charlestondiocese.org)  
Thanks, hope to see you there!

### 2 Weeks to Signup for Retrouvaille

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on September 9-11, 2022 call 434-793-0242 or email: [retrouvailenc@msn.com](mailto:retrouvailenc@msn.com) or visit the web site at: [www.Helpourmarriage.org](http://www.Helpourmarriage.org).

### The Hiding Place for God's Spirit

Our outer world and its inner significance must come together for there to be any wholeness—and holiness. The result is both deep joy and a resounding sense of coherent beauty. What was personified in the body of Jesus was a manifestation of this one universal truth: Matter is, and has always been, the hiding place for Spirit, forever offering itself to be discovered anew. Francis and Clare carried this mystery to its full and lovely conclusions. Or, more rightly, they were fully carried by it. They somehow knew that the beyond was not really beyond, but in the depths of here.

- from the book *Eager to Love: The Alternative Way of Francis of Assisi*  
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