WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S PARISH

March 31st, 2024 Easter Sunday – B –



Reflection

HE IS RISEN!! The Gospel reading on this glorious Easter Sunday draws our attention to the empty tomb as the sign of Jesus' resurrection to life. The feast of Easter is the confirmation of our faith which is deeply rooted and finds its real meaning in the resurrection of Jesus. It is also for us the feast of hope. "Lord Jesus Christ, you have triumphed over the grave and you have won for us new life and resurrection power. Give me the eyes of faith to see you in your glory."

Happy Easter!!!!

We want to take this opportunity to wish all the parishioners of St. David's a most blessed Easter. May the joy of Christ's resurrection fill your hearts and minds with peace. We also congratulate all those who were initiated into our Catholic faith at the Easter Vigil. May God Bless them always. We also want to thank all the volunteers who helped in so many ways during Holy Week celebrations: musicians, singers, lectors, ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, altar servers, sacristans, office staff, decorators, and our youth group for their wonderful passion drama. What a wonderful spirit of community and service we have in our parish. May God bless all of you.

Office Schedule

Please note that the Parish office will be closed this Easter Monday (April 1). On Easter Monday the only Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am.

Message from the SVDP



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Volunteer Group wishes to thank the parish community for their generous support with our Easter Food Drive. Your contribution of non-perishable food, gift cards and monetary donations are our only source of funding as we strive to provide basic need to our neighbours in need. Thank you for your generosity. Wishing you a Happy and Blessed Easter.

ShareLife Update



Thank you to everyone for your great generosity towards ShareLife so far this year. To date we have raised over \$16,800.00, not including monies that were sent directly to the ShareLife office.

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Remember to register for this free, online parish resource so that you can take advantage of the many wonderful programs that will nurture your faith. Go to formed.org then click "Sign In", enter your email, click the link in your email. You're in! No more passwords! Start today!!!!

First Communion Review & Practice

All our children are reminded to attend (with their parents) this Tuesday, April 2nd, at 7:00 pm in the church. (No need to pre-register, sign in starts at 6:30 pm). Get excited!!!!!

Catholic Women's Society

The CWS of our parish is hosting a meeting this Tuesday, April 2nd, at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall. All ladies of the parish are welcome. Please come join us.

St. David's Prayer Group

The Prayer Group will be resuming every other week. commencing this Wednesday, April 3rd after the 7:30 pm Mass in the Church Hall. Come join us for an evening of praise and worship followed by an informative faith building talk.



Wedding Ceremony Meeting

An important meeting, for those couples getting married at St. David's this calendar year, will be held on Thursday, April 4th at 8:00 pm.

First Friday & First Saturday

This Friday, April 5th, there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:00 am to 7:00 pm, ending with Benediction. Masses will be celebrated at 7:30 am and 7:30 pm. (Confessions will be heard at 8:00 am). On Saturday, April 6th, at 8:00 am, there will be a Holy Hour of Adoration with Meditated Rosary.



National March for Life

The Knights of Columbus are contributing a bus service to all our parishioners to attend the National March for Life in Ottawa, on Thursday, May 9th. The bus will be leaving from St. David's at 6:30 am and returning at 3:30 pm. Cost is \$60 per person or a donation. This is a silent, peaceful march through the streets of Ottawa. If you would like to attend this journey to support life, please contact Gerry Sciarra at 647-501-1173 to reserve your seat. Space is limited.



Youth group gathers every Friday at 7:30 pm in our parish Hall. We are so happy to gather our youth for fun and faith-filled activities. Spread the word!! Please email saintdavidyouthgroup@gmail.com if you have any inquiries.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Anyone in need of assistance is asked to call our special help line at 647-641-3411. We also accept donations of non-perishable food throughout the year.

Good Shepherd Casseroles

Please keep those casseroles coming!!! The many hungry and homeless of the city need and appreciate your help. You can pick up pans at the parish office during the week. Thanks to everyone for helping!!!

BENVENUTI A ST. DAVID'S



Domenica di Pasqua - B -

Nei panni funerari abbandonati e ripiegati, Giovanni legge i segni di una risurrezione definitiva: la vita ha spodestato la morte e le ha strappato il suo dominio! Davvero, soltanto l'amore sa vedere chiaramente: vede e crede, e avanza verso colui che porta in sé il pieno significato di ogni cosa: Gesù, vivente ormai per tutti i secoli.

Buona Pasqua!!!

Da parte di tutto il personale della Chiesa di San Davide, vi auguriamo una buona e santa Pasqua. Che Cristo Risorto vi porti pace a gioia!!! Grazie a tutti i volontari che hanno collaborato durante la Settimana Santa: cantanti, misicisti, lettori, uscieri, ministri dell'eucharistia, sagrestani, chericchetti, decoratori, etc. E anche tutti quelli che hanno offerto gigli per abellire la nostra chiesa!!!

Grazie dalla SVDP

Il gruppo di volontari della Società di San Vincenzo de Paoli ringrazia la comunità parrocchiale per il vostro generoso sostegno. Le vostre donazioni di cibo non peribile, buoni regalo o donazioni in denaro sono le nostre uniche risorse con le quali noi cerchiamo di aiutare le famiglie bisognose dell nostra comunità. Grazie per la vostra generosità. Auguriamo a tutti una Buone e Santa Pasqua.

Orario dell'Ufficio

Lúfficio parrocchiale sarà chiuso questo lunedi di Pasqua (1 aprile). L'unica Messa sarà celebrata alle 9:00 am.

Società di Donne Cattoliche

Ci sarà una riunione della CWS questo martedì, 2 aprile, alle 7:30 pm nella sala parrocchiale. Tutte le donne della parrocchia sono invitate a partecipare.

Primo Venerdì e Primo Sabato

Questo venerdì, 5 aprile, ci sarà l'esposizione del Santissimo Sacramento in chiesa dalle 8:00 am alla 7:00 pm. Questo sabato, 6 aprile, dopo la Messa della 7:30 am, ci sarà l'adorazione e rosario meditato.

ShareLife 2024

Grazie della vostra grande generosità. Abbiamo già raccolto più di \$16,800.00, esclusi i soldi che sono stati inviati direttamente all'uficio di ShareLife.

Programma di Cibo per i Senzatetto

Continuamo sempre a preparare le "cassarole" di pasta per i poveri che vivono per le strade della città. Venite a l'ufficio parrocchiale per prendere le teglie.



Saturday - Sabato March 30

Holy Saturday

8:00 p.m. Bilingual Easter Vigil Mass (Pro Populo)

Easter Sunday - Domenica di Pasqua March 31

7:30 a.m. Pro Populo - Italian Mass

9:00 a.m. Pro Populo - English Mass 10:30 a.m. Pro Populo - Italian Mass in Church

-English Mass in Hall

12:00 p.m. Pro Populo - English Mass 5:30 p.m. Pro Populo - English Mass

Monday - Lunedì April 1

9:00 a.m. †Nam (Joseph) Ngo Office Closed **No Evening Mass**

Tuesday - Martedì April 2

7:30 a.m. †Guido Salerno †Rosanna Germanese

7:00 p.m. 1st Communion Review

No Evening Mass

Wednesday - Mercoledì April 3

7:30 a.m. †Antonio & Maria Verissimo e Famiglia

8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Adoration of the **Blessed Sacrament**

7:30 p.m. †Deacon Dominic Pullano

Thursday - Giovedì April 4

7:30 p.m. †Paola e Pietro Tino

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Francesco Riccelli (1 Yr)

8:00 p.m. Wedding Ceremony Meeting

First Friday - Primo Venerdì April 5

7:30 a.m. Per Le Lampade Viventi 8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Adoration of the **Blessed Sacrament**

7:30 p.m. †Ernesto Aimola (5 Mos) †Angela Aimola

First Saturday - Primo Sabato April 6

7:30 a.m. †Eric Yong 8:00 a.m. Meditated Rosary

12:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Emma Petrucci (1 Yr)

2:00 p.m. Wedding - Franco Rovito & Ellis

Borovkova



BUONA PASQUA!!!!

Portuguese Dinner Dance (for everyone!!!!)

On Saturday, April 13th, at 6:30 pm, our Holy Spirit Confraternity will be holding a wonderful "Festa do Chicharro", in our parish hall. Tickets are \$55 for adults and \$20 for children (ages 6-12). reservations call Nelia at (416) 905-2651 or John at (416)452-4915. Don't miss this celebration!!!