

WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S PARISH

September 7th, 2025

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – C –

Reflection

The message from today's Gospel is "the cost of being a disciple." Jesus is going from village to village to proclaim the coming of the Kingdom of God. Here he speaks of true discipleship. He makes strong demands of us so that we are prepared to remain true to him till the end. In following Jesus, we have to accept his way of seeing life and then putting that into practice.

Marriage Preparation Course

Couples registered to marry at St. David's, will receive an invitation to register for our preparation course. Contact saintdavidsweddings@gmail.com if you do not receive a form. Marriage Preparation should be completed no later than 6 months prior to your wedding date.

St. David's Prayer Group

The Prayer Group will be starting up again this Wednesday, September 10th, after the evening Mass in the Church Hall, and will be resuming on a bi-weekly schedule. Join us for an evening of praise and worship followed by an informative talk. All are welcome.

Youth Ministry

Get excited!!! Our parish Youth Group will be starting up again this Friday, September 12th at 7:30 pm in the Church Hall. All youth in grades 6-12 are invited to join us for nights of fun, friendship, and faith-filled activities. It's a great opportunity to reconnect, make new friends, and grow together in our faith. Spread the word—we can't wait to see you there!

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus of our parish are having a fundraiser by selling religious candles after all the Sunday Masses starting next weekend, Sept 13 & 14. The cost is 3 for \$10.00. Thank you for your support.

St. Padre Pio Feast

Join us on Tuesday, September 23rd, as we celebrate with great joy, the Feast of St. Padre Pio, with rosary at 7:00 pm, and Holy Mass at 7:30 pm, followed by a procession and a coffee hour in the parish hall. Bring cookies!!!!



Save the Date – Ladies High Tea

Ladies of all ages are welcome to join us for an afternoon of fun, fellowship, tea and goodies. Mark your calendars to join the ladies of the Catholic Women's Society, on Sunday September 28th 2025, from 2:30 pm -5:00 pm. Tickets are \$50 each and sales will commence after all the Masses and during the week in the church office. Join us!!

Food Bin

The SVDP collects food all year long for those in need. **Most needed foods include:** soups, cereal, peanut butter, tomato sauce & cookies. Drop off your donations in the bin. Thank you!



2026 Sacrament Registrations

Confirmation and First Communion registration will open on our website www.saintdavidsmple.com under **REGISTRATIONS FOR SACRAMENTS** beginning Monday September 8th. Please register your child and select which meeting date you will attend as soon as registration becomes available.

Confirmation Meeting Dates:

Tuesday, September 16, at 7:00 pm **or** Thursday, October 2, at 7:00 pm.

First Communion Meeting Dates:

Thursday, October 16, at 7:00 pm **or** Tuesday, October 21, at 7:00 pm.

Calling all Confirmation Catechists!!!

Are you 18 years & over with a desire to serve your community, teach, and build upon the spiritual lives of our youth? Consider volunteering as a Catechism Instructor for this year's Anointed for Mission program. Classes will take place either Monday or Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 pm for 4 weeks in November. If interested, email stdavidconfirmations@gmail.com before October 6th, 2025.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

St. David's is excited that the Children's Liturgy program has recommenced on Saturday evenings during the 5:30 Masses and during the Sunday 12:00 noon Masses. We are in great need of new leaders to come forward to assist as we engage the children of our parish with the Word of God. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please join us for an information meeting for all new and returning leaders. This meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 25th at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall.** You can also contact Anna Amato at annaamato3118@gmail.com for further information.

Ninth Annual Knights of Columbus

Charity Golf Tournament

The Knights of Columbus of St. David's are hosting their 9th annual Charity Golf Tournament on Saturday September 27th, at Glen Eagle Golf Club. For registration contact Marco at 416-991-1707 or Vito at 416-704-0683. Spots are limited.

Marian Consecration

Join us for a 6-week retreat in preparation for Marian Consecration. This retreat is based on the popular book by Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC, "33 Days to Morning Glory". Gain new insights into Marian Consecration, learn how key saints and blessed lived it out, and how you can live it out as well. We begin on Wednesday, October 15, at 7:00 pm in the **St. David's Parish Hall**, and meet **every Wednesday** for six weeks. Each evening will include **reflections** and **inspirational guest speakers**. **All are welcome.** If you have any questions or would like to sign up email consecrationstdavidsmple@gmail.com.

BENVENUTI A ST. DAVID'S



Ordinario: Ventitreesima Domenica – C –

Ogni invite evangelico al distacco radicale in definitiva è sempre motivato dall'amore e dall'attaccamento a una persona: Gesù, senza del quale il cristiano è come un Cristoforo Colombo senza America; Gesù, che bisogna amare sopra ogni cosa. Perché lui per primo chi ha amati ed ha offerto se stesso per noi. Perché si diventa ciò che si ama. Se ami il Cristo, sarai figlio di Dio.

Gruppo del Rosario Perpetuo

Il gruppo si raduna questo giovedì, 11 settembre per la Santa Messa alle 7:00 pm e poi si continua con la recita di 10 misteri del Santo Rosario. Venite a pregare con noi!!!

Festa di San Padre Pio

Martedì, 23 settembre, celebriamo con grande gioia la Festa di S. Pio de Pietreicina, con rosario alle 7:00 pm, Santa Messa alle 7:30 pm, seguita da una processione (fiaccolata!) e un rinfresco in sala. Venite numerosi e portate qualche dolce a condividere. Non mancate!!

Riservata la Data – "High Tea" all'inglese

La Società di Donne Cattoliche organizza l'annuale "High Tea", per le donne di tutte le età, sono invitate per un pomeriggio di divertimento, compagnia, tè e prelibatezze, domenica 28 settembre dalle 2:30-5 pm. I biglietti costano \$50 e saranno vendute dopo tutte le messe domenicale e durante la settimane nell'ufficio parrocchiale.

Mercoledì con Gesù

Abbiamo bisogno di volontari che si impegnino a dedicare un'ora ogni mercoledì pomeriggio per rimanere con Gesù nel Santissimo Sacramento. Se interessati, chiamate Pina al numero 905-832-1812. Grazie e che Dio vi benedica tutti che si impegnano già per un'ora o più.

Raccolta di Cibo

Società di San Vincenzo de' Paoli raccoglie cibo tutto l'anno per chi ne ha bisogno. **I alimentari più richiesti sono:** zuppe, cereali, burro di arachidi, salsa di pomodoro, biscotti. Portare offerte alla chiesa. Grazie.



Programma di Cibo per i Senzatetto

Continuamo durante tutto l'anno a preparare le "cassarole" di pasta per i poveri Venite a l'ufficio parrocchiale per prendere le teglie. Grazie!!



Sunday, September 7th, 2025

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| *Valentina Roza | *Alessio Di Santo |
| Simonetta | *Emma Lily Guida |
| *Nathaniel Wesley | *Emmett Angelo |
| Buensuceso | Sherman |
| *Isabella Emma | *Chiara Sofia Teofilo |
| Del Signore | |

Saturday – Sabato September 6

5:30 p.m. †Manuel Sotil

Sunday – Domenica September 7

7:30 a.m. All Souls in Purgatory

9:00 a.m. Pro Populo

10:30 a.m. †Aurelio Galipo (16 Yrs) †Bernarda e Domenico Bonanni e Figlia †Vincenzo e Maria Paolucci e Figli †Elena Bellisario (1 Mo) †Mario Nudo †Joe e Filomena Ferriera †Silverio Savoia †Donato Salvatore (1 Mo) †Espedito Adelino de Farias (20 Yrs) †Vincenzo Sorbo (9 Yrs) †Giuseppe e Rosa Cinelli

12:00 p.m. †Antonio Di Giallonardo

2:00 p.m. Baptisms

5:30 p.m. †Domingos Loureiro

Monday – September 8

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 a.m. In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Joseph Calderone (1 Yr)

Tuesday – Martedì September 9

St. Peter Claver

7:30 a.m. †Vincenzo e Carolina Runco

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Salvatore Triumbari (1 Mo)

Wednesday – Mercoledì September 10

7:30 a.m. †Salvatore Sebastiano

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

7:30 p.m. †Maria Santedicola (3 Mos)

Thursday – Giovedì September 11

7:30 a.m. †Frank Iaboni

7:00 p.m. Rosary followed by Rosary Group Mass

Friday – Venerdì September 12

The Most Holy Name of Mary

7:30 a.m. Intentions of St. Phillies Men's Group

4:00 p.m. Wedding – James Manley & Monica Lucarini

7:00 p.m. †Giovanna DeFina (1 Mo)

Saturday – Sabato September 13

St. John Chrysostom

7:30 a.m. †Sr. Angelina Carboni

11:00 a.m. Wedding – Michael Alberga & Sabrina Meraglia

12:30 p.m. Wedding – Adriano Bilotta & Andrea Longo

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!!!



BUONA SETTIMANA!!!

Wednesdays with Jesus

Is Jesus calling you to come and spend time with him in Adoration? We are in need of volunteers to commit to **one hour every Wednesday in the afternoon hours** to remain with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. If interested please contact Pina at 905-832-1812. Thank you and God Bless to all those who already commit an hour or more.