

WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S PARISH

April 5th, 2026
Easter Sunday – A –



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 calls us to live with hope, joy and faith emphasizing Christ's victory over death.

Happy Easter!!!!

We want to take the 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 of 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, and to everyone who donated the Easter Lilies to beautify our church!!! What a wonderful spirit of community and service we have in our parish. May God bless all of you.

Fr. Martin & Fr. Jesus

Office Schedule

The Parish office will be closed this Easter Monday (April 6). 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 needs to our neighbours in need. Thank you for your generosity. Wishing you a Happy and Blessed Easter.

Coins for Life Campaign

Please remember to return your coin containers. Campaign for Life Coalition thanks you for your generosity.



Share Life Update

Thank you to everyone for your great generosity toward ShareLife this year. To date we have raised over \$22,200. (Our parish goal is \$86,000). The second collection will be taken up on the weekend of April 26th.

National March for Life

The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a bus service to all our Parishioners for the National March for Life in Ottawa, on Thursday, May 14th. The bus will leave from St. David's church at 6:15 am and leaves from Ottawa at 3:30 pm. Cost is \$50/person (students free). Call Gerry Sciara at 647-501-1173 to reserve a seat.

Please Pray...

Please pray for all the young people of our parish who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation in the weeks ahead, as well as our young children who will receive their First Holy Communion. May the Lord Jesus always watch over them and guide them.

St. David's Prayer Group

The Prayer Group will be resuming every other week, commencing this Wednesday, April 8th, after the 7:00 pm Mass in the Church Hall. Come join us for an evening of praise and worship followed by an informative faith building talk

*****Stations of the Resurrection*****

Please join us this Friday, April 10th, at 7:30 pm, as we celebrate the foundation of our faith through an enlightening journey of the Stations of the Resurrection. We hope to see you there! Christ is Risen!!! Alleluia!!!

Special Mass for the Sick

Join us on Wednesday, April 15th, at 7:00 pm for a special Healing Mass for the sick with Fr. Francis Ching.

Portuguese Dinner Dance (for everyone!!)

Our Portuguese Holy Spirit Confraternity will be hosting "Fest do Chicharro", on Saturday, April 18th, in our parish hall. Cost is \$60 for adults and \$30 for children (ages 6-12). For tickets call Jose (416) 602-8413; Fernanda (416) 417-8379 or John (416) 452-4915. (See posters for more information).



Youth Group gathers every Friday at 7:30 pm in our parish hall. Spread the word!! If you have any questions email saintdavidyouthgroup@gmail.com

Totus Tuus

All children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus this summer! The day program for children entering grades 1-6 in September will run from Mon., July 20th to Fri., July 24th from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm. The evening program for youth entering Grades 7-12 in Sept. will run from Sun., July 19th to Thurs., July 23rd from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. For more information, please Contact Amanda Rose Scenna at 647-921-4857 or mandarose98@gmail.com. Additional program details are available at www.totustuutoronto.ca.

Religious Journey through India & Dubai

Fr. Martin Cherumadathy and Fr. George Parayil will be leading a group of pilgrims on a tour of India and Dubai, from January 20th to February 2nd, 2027. This 13 day journey of faith will cost \$5450 per person (double occupancy) and includes daily breakfast, lunch, dinner and great accommodations. Contact Intersight Tours at 647-989-7568 or 416-623-7389. See posters in lobby for more information.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Anyone in need of assistance is asked to call our special help line 647-641-3411.

BENVENUTI A ST. DAVID'S



Domenica di Pasqua – A –

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 chiramente; 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 e gioia!!! Grazie a tutti i volontari che hanno collaborato durante la Settimana Santa: cantanti, musicisti, lettori, uscieri, ministri dell'eucharistia, sagrestani, chericchetti, decoratori, etc. E anche tutti quelli che hanno offerto gigli per abbellire la nostra chiesa!!!

Orario dell'Ufficio

L'ufficio parrocchiale sarà chiuso lunedì di Pasqua (6 aprile). Il giorno dopo Pasqua, l'unica Messa sarà celebrata alle 9:00 am.

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 della nostra comunità. Grazie per la vostra generosità. Auguriamo a tutti una Buona e Santa Pasqua.

Gruppo del Rosario Perpetuo

Il gruppo si raduna questo giovedì, 9 aprile per la santa Messa alle 7:00 pm e per la recita di 10 misteri alle 7:30 pm. Venite a pregare con noi.

Messa Speciale per i Malati

Venite mercoledì 15 aprile alle ore 7:00 pm per una speciale Messa di guarigione per i malati, celebrata da Padre Francis Ching.

ShareLife – 2026

Grazie della vostra grande generosità. Abbiamo già raccolto più di \$22,200. La seconda colletta si terrà il 26 aprile. Troverete le buste di offerte all'entrata

Marcia Nazionale per la Vita a Ottawa

Giovedì 14 maggio. Il costo è di \$50 a persona. Chiamate Gerry Sciarra al 647-501-1173 per prenotare il vostro posto. Posti sono limitati.

Spiccioli per la Vita

Vi preghiamo di riportarla le scatola. La Campaign for Life Coalition vi ringrazia per la vostra generosità.



Saturday – Sabato April 4

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

Sunday – Domenica April 5

7:30 a.m. Pro Popolo

9:00 a.m. Pro Popolo

**10:30 a.m. Pro Popolo (Italian in Church)
Pro Popolo (English in Hall)**

12:00 p.m. Pro Popolo

5:30 p.m. Pro Popolo

Monday – Lunedì April 6

9:00 a.m. †John Valerio (3 Yrs)

Office Closed

No Evening Mass

Tuesday – Martedì April 7

7:30 a.m. †All Souls in Purgatory

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Joe Capogna (1 Yr)

**7:45 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Michael DiStaulo (1 Mo)
†Phyllis DiStaulo (1 Yr)**

Wednesday – Mercoledì April 8

7:30 a.m. †Eric Dennis Yong

**8:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament**

7:00 p.m. †All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday – Giovedì April 9

7:30 a.m. †Aldo Panaro

7:00 p.m. Rosary Group Mass

Friday – Venerdì April 10

7:30 a.m. †Salvatore Sebastiano (4 Yrs)

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Carmen Duria (1 Yr)

7:30 p.m. Stations of the Resurrection

Saturday – Sabato April 11

7:30 a.m. †All Souls in Purgatory

**2:00 p.m. Wedding – Robert Cacciola &
Olivia Zompanti**



BUONA PASQUA!!!!

Pellegrinaggio a Fatima (Buffalo, N.Y)

Sabato, 17 maggio. L'autobus parte dalla scuola Fr. John Kelly. Per ulteriori informazioni chiamate Maria Borello al numero (905) 832-1288. Sarà richiesto un passaporto valido Per favore non aspettate all'ultimo momento per riservare il vostro posto.

