

WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S PARISH

September 20th, 2026

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time – A –

Reflection

Today's Gospel tells us that it's never too late for God. The story of the landlord's love and generosity represents God's love and generosity to us. It shows us how God looks at us, sees and meets our needs. The question in God's mind is not, "*How much do these people deserve?*" but, "*How can I help them?*" It is all about grace and blessings. God personally calls each of us to our own ministry in this world and shows us His care by giving us His grace and eternal salvation.

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada

There will be a second collection next weekend, September 26 & 27, for the Needs of the Church in Canada. Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholics in national and international pastoral activity. You will find special envelopes at the Church entrance. Thank you for your support of this important work.

St. André Bessette Parish Raffle Tickets

This weekend, Sept 19 & 20, St. André Bessette Parish Fundraising Team will be here after each Mass selling tickets for their 2026 Grand Raffle (only 3000 tickets available). Tickets are \$20 each (see flyer for prizes). Every dollar raised will go toward building St. André Bessette Parish. Thank you for your generosity.



There will be a meeting for the ushers this Monday, September 21st at 7:30 pm in the Church. All ushers are kindly asked to attend. New ushers are always welcome!!!!!!

Children's Liturgy

St. David's is excited that the Children's Liturgy Ministry will commence on Saturday evenings during the 5:30 Masses and during the Sunday noon Masses in September. We are always looking for new leaders to come forward 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 **Monday, September 21st at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall**. You can also contact Anna Amato at annaamato3118@gmail.com for further information.

Faith Studies

Come join Fr. Jesus, this Friday September 25th at 7:30 pm (in the church) on the topic of "Good Death-suffering and faith at the end of the life". Come deepen your understanding and personal relationship with Jesus and your faith. Everyone is welcome.



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

2027 Sacrament Registrations

First Communion Registrations and Confirmation Registrations for 2027 are now CLOSED.

Adult Confirmation & Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) (for those who want to become Catholic

****FULL** REGISTRATION NOW CLOSED**

Padre Pio Feast

Join us this Wednesday, September 23rd, 2026, 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!!!!



We are thrilled to welcome our New Intern Seminarian; Judel Villardo to St. David's Parish. He will be residing here for one year. He is currently studying for the priesthood at the Archdiocese of Toronto and over the coming months, he will be involved in various parish ministries, assisting at the altar, and getting to know our community. Please take a moment to introduce yourself and give him a warm welcome when you see him after Mass. Let us also keep Judel and all seminarians in our daily prayers as they discern God's call.

Blessing of Pets

Bring your pets to church on Sunday, October 4th, (Feast of St. Francis) at 6:30 pm for a short prayer service during which we will invoke God's special blessing on these creatures that bring joy to our homes and lives.

Life Chain- Sunday, October 4, 2026

Join us on Sunday, October 4th at the corner of Keele and Major Mackenzie from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm to peacefully and prayerfully profess our belief in the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death. Defend Life!!!

Our Lady of the Rosary

Join us on Wednesday, October 7th, as we celebrate the Feast of our Lady of the Rosary with solemn Mass at 7:00 pm followed by Rosary Procession and ending with coffee hour in the church hall. Bring some cookies and cakes to share with everyone. All are welcome.



Oktoberfest 2026

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting "Oktoberfest" on Saturday, October 24th at 7:00 pm in the Church hall. Tickets are \$50 for adults, \$25 for children (under 12), and free for children under 2. Tickets will be available next weekend, September 26 & 27, after all the Masses or contact Vito Veri 416-704-0683 or Don Ferri 416-305-6336. Join us with family and friends for fun, food, music and dancing!!!

BENVENUTI A ST. DAVID'S

Ordinario: Venticinquesima Domenica- A –

La chiesa non è più quella di una volta! Adesso si volge verso gli indifferenti, gli atei, e verso la gente che non gode di una buona reputazione...Per fortuna! Questo significa che la chiesa si sta finalmente adattando ai modi di fare di Dio.

Colletta Annuale dei Vescovi Canadesi

Ci sarà una seconda colletta domenica prossima, 27 settembre, per i bisogni della Chiesa in Canada. I tuoi doni sono usati dalla Conferenza dei Vescovi Cattolici del Canada per rappresentare i cattolici canadesi nell'attività pastorale nazionale e internazionale. Grazie per il vostro sostegno a questo importante lavoro. Troverete buste di offerte all'entrata.

Benvenuto

Diamo il benvenuto a Judel Villardo, seminarista in tirocinio, nella parrocchia di St. David. Sta proseguendo la sua formazione sacerdotale presso l'Arcidiocesi di Toronto; per il prossimo anno sarà impegnato in diverse attività pastorali, servirà all'altare e conoscerà la nostra comunità. Dagli un caloroso benvenuto.

Riunione degli Uscieri

Ci sarà una riunione molto importante per tutti gli uscieri lunedì prossima, 21 settembre alle 7:30 pm. Invitiamo nuove persone a far parte di questo ministero di accoglienza e di ospitalità. Non mancate.

Festa di Padre Pio

Mercoledì 23 settembre 2026, celebreremo con grande gioia la festa di San Padre Pio, con il rosario alle 7:00 pm e la Santa Messa alle 7:30 pm, seguite da una processione e un rinfresco nella sala parrocchiale. Portate biscotti!

Faith Studies

Gli studi con Padre Jesus, venerdì, 25 settembre alle 7:30 pm (in chiesa), sul tema "Una buona morte: sofferenza e fede al termine della vita". Venite tutti

Benedizione degli Animali

Portate i vostri cani, gatti, uccelli, etc. alla chiesa (fiori) domenica, 4 ottobre, alle 6:30 pm per una benedizione speciale.

Catena Per La Vita – Domenica, 4 ottobre, 2026

Venite domenica, 4 ottobre per un'ora, dalle 2:00 alle 3:00 pm, all'angolo di Keele e Major Mackenzie per questa manifestazione annuale svolta in silenzio e preghiera, per promuovere il rispetto alla vita e combattere l'aborto.

Oktoberfest

I nostri Cavalieri di Colombo invitarti a festeggiare "Oktoberfest" nella sala parrocchiale, sabato, 24 ottobre alle 7:00 pm, con musica, cena, divertimento e premi. I biglietti saranno in vendita domenica prossima, 27 settembre, dopo tutti le messe, per \$50 (adult), \$25 (bambini sotto 12 anni), ingresso gratuito per i bambini fino ai 2 anni. Chiamate a Vito Veri 416-704-0683 o Don Ferri 416-305-6336. Venite tutti.



Saturday – Sabato September 19

5:30 p.m. †Leonardo Zambito (1 Yr)
†Anna Scalia Zambito (1 Yr)

Sunday – Domenica September 20

7:30 a.m. Pro Populo
9:00 a.m. †Jose Fontes
10:30 a.m. †Maria Ianni †Ida Scarlato †Giuseppe Rotolo †Claudio Cristante †Melchora Gorospe (1 Yr) †Benedetto Mariani †Alfonso Di Nardo †Serafina Tornabene †Sandrino Ercole †Maria Monardo †Stefano Monardo †Pierino Rinaldi
12:00 p.m. †Alfonso Scala
5:30 p.m. †Cesario Chiappetta

Monday – Lunedì September 21 St. Matthew

7:30 a.m. †Marco & Filomena Zenga
7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Giuseppina Iannuzziello (1 Yr)
7:30 p.m. Usher's Meeting

Tuesday – Martedì September 22

7:30 a.m. God's Blessing for John Ziolkowski
7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Eduardo Principe (1 Yr)

Wednesday – Mercoledì September 23 St. Pius of Pietrelcina

7:30 a.m. †George & Selin George Puthiyaveetil
8:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
7:00 p.m. Padre Pio Rosary
7:30 p.m. Padre Pio Feast

Thursday – Giovedì September 24

7:30 a.m. †Pasquale Schembri
7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Gilda Falcone (2 Mos)

Friday – Venerdì September 25 Sts. Cosmas & Damian

7:30 a.m. †Antonio Furtado
1:30 p.m. Wedding – Nicholas Saluri & Amanda Romualdi
7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Antonio Figliomeni (1 Mo)
7:30 p.m. Faith Studies

Saturday – Sabato September 26 Sts. John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues

7:30 a.m. †Attilio Franciulli (4 Yrs)
11:00 a.m. Wedding – Michael Colavita & Nadia Santoriello
12:30 p.m. Wedding – Anthony Vulpi & Victoria Aretusi
2:00 p.m. Wedding – Nicola Pileggi & Jessica Ambat

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!!! BUONA SETTIMANA!!!

Biglietti della lotteria

Questa domenica, 19 e 20 settembre, i membri della parrocchia di St. André Bessette saranno presenti dopo tutte le Messe per vendere i biglietti della lotteria per \$20 (consultare il volantino per l'elenco dei premi). Tutti i soldi raccolti saranno interamente destinati alla costruzione della parrocchia di St. André Bessette.

Food Bin

The SVDP collects food all year long for those in need. Simply drop off your donations of non-perishable goods in the bin. We accept canned goods, baby food, peanut butter, tuna, dry beans, pasta/rice, cereal & coffee/tea.