

Saint David of Wales Parish

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Pastor: Fr. John E. Direen

Student Priest in Residence: Fr. Michael Olawuni

Assisting Spanish Masses: Fr. Santiago Pintos, SJ
Deacon Kyle Shinseki, SJ

Parish Secretary: Jo Beth Strawn

Organist: Edward F Teixeira

Parish Office Hours:

Monday: 9:00 am - 12:00 nn

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:00 am - 12:00 nn & 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Fridays and Holidays: Closed

Mass:

Monday: 8:15 am

Tuesday - Friday: 8:15 am & 6:30 pm

Saturday: 8:00 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm (vigil) English

Sunday: 8:00 am English, 9:30 am Español, 11:00 am English

Holy Days: As scheduled

Reconciliation:

Tuesday - Friday: 5:30 pm - 6:20 pm

Saturday: 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Anointing of the Sick:

First Saturday of each month, during 8:00 am Mass

Please call for home visit or hospital visit

Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation:

Please call for class schedule

Marriage:

By appointment only; please call at least 6 months in advance

Adoration: Tuesday - Friday 5:00 pm - 6:20 Benediction

Divine Mercy: Immediately following Rosary

First Friday: 8:15 am Mass

Exposition and Adoration until 12:00 nn

11:15 am Concert (Lent = Stations of the Cross)

12:00 nn Benediction

Perpetual Help: Saturday after 8:00 am Mass

Prayer Group: Wednesday 7:00 pm

Rosary: Monday - Friday 7:35 am, Saturday 7:30 am

Tuesday - Friday 5:00 pm

Children's Faith Formation (CCD) (Patty Lynch, director)

Please call for class schedule

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Please call for class schedule

Knights of Columbus (1499 Berkeley Council)

Larry Lynch, parish round table representative

Saint Vincent De Paul (assistance cell 510-778-5576)

Second Tuesday of each month

Saint David of Wales Catholic School

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Principal: Jojo de Guzman

YOU'RE INVITED
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ANNUAL
**GALA &
AUCTION**

MARCH 24, 2018
SALESIAN HIGH SCHOOL
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St. David School
You're Invited!!!

St. David School's Annual Gala
featuring a Silent and Live auction
along with specialty cocktails,
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prizes and more!!!

Time:
Doors Open at 5 pm
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Event concludes at 11 pm

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March 24, 2018

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March 4, 2018

Lent

Third Sunday

Sunday "B" Weekday "2"

March 2018						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Exodus 20: 1-17
 Psalm 19: 8, 9, 10, 11
 1 Corinthians 1: 22-25
 John 2: 13-25



MASS INTENTIONS (MAR 3 — MAR 10)

Sat 5 PM Victoria "Tory" DeOrian (†)
 Sun 8:00 Frank & Jennie Smrekar (†)
 9:30 Anthony Ortiz (L)
 11:00 Peggy Tachet (†)
 Mon 8:15 Pearl Moe (†)
 Tue 8:15 Eusebia & Pedro Mejia (†)
 Wed 8:15 Christine & E C Sanders (†)
 Thu 8:15 Denise Ann Lance (†)
 Fri 8:15 Ernie & Lena Pires (†)
 Sat 8:00 Monica Snyder (†)
 5 PM Victoria "Tory" DeOrian (†)



Tue-Wed-Thu-Fri 6:30 PM The People of Saint David Parish & School

Assisted Listening Devices Available

Ask an altar server or an usher

MUSIC (SUN B, WK 2) (FEB 25) (LENT-3)

Readings: CatholicCommunityHymnal (509) MisalDelDia2018 (p 74)

Prelude: _SILENCE_THROUGHOUT_LENT_
 Introit: (5) x (8,11) x
 (930) Propio en Español
 Kyrie: (5) x (8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
 Offertory: (5) x (8) 237 From Ashes To The Living Font
 (930) Propio & FYCe3 # x
 (11) Justitiae Domini: Alessandro Scarlatti
 Sanctus: (5) x (8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
 Mystery/Amen: (5) x (8,930,11) (sheet) Roman Missal: chant
 Agnus Dei: (5) x (8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
 Communion: (5) x (8,11) Proper & 447 Shepherd Of Souls
 (930) Propio & FYCe3 # x
 Final Hymn: (5) x (8,11) 243 Forty Days And Forty Nights
 (930) FYCe3 # x
 Postlude: _SILENCE_THROUGHOUT_LENT_

Introit Graduale Romanum (ABC=Psalm 24:15,16,1-2) *Oculi mei * semper ad Dóminum, quia ipse évélet de láqueo pedes meos: respice in me, et miserere mei, quóniam únicus et pauper sum ego. PS. Ad te Dómine levávi ánimam meam: Deus meus, in te confido, non erubescam.* (My eyes are forever turned towards the Lord; for he shall release my feet from the snare; look upon me and have mercy on me, for I am abandoned and destitute. PS. Unto you, O Lord, have I lifted up my soul; O my God, I trust in you, let me not be put to shame.)

Offertory GR (ABC=Psalm 18:9,10,11,12) *Iustitiae Dómini * rectae, laetificántes corda, et dulcióra super mel et favum: nam et servus tuus custódiét ea.* (The ordinances of the Lord are right, bringing joy to all hearts, sweeter than honey or the honeycomb. Therefore your servant will observe them.)

Communion GR (BC=Psalm 83:4,5) *Passer * invénit sibi domum, et turtur nidum, ubi repónat pullos suos: altária tua Dómine virtúrum, Rex meus, et Deus meus: beáti qui hábitant in domo tua, in saéculum saéculi laudábunt te.* (The sparrow has found herself a home, and the turtle dove a nest in which to lay her young; at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God! Blessed are they who dwell in your house, they shall praise you for ever and ever.)

WE PRAY FOR OUR ILL & HOMEBOUND & CAREGIVERS

Please call the Parish Office ... to update this list (add/remove names) ... or to schedule a visit by Priest or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

Rodolfo Abesamis, Trish Arlet, Arnold Bolton, Rita Brandt, Christy Butler-Sauro, Hubert Carr, Mark Chang, Daniel Conlon, Linda DeOrian, Alice Hantke, Edda Lecce, Nilda De Leon, Terrel Harms, Mercy Madigan, Bob Madigan, Ralf Travis Masch, Ken Miller, Mollie Mills, Shelly Porter, Violet Puim, Joel Rivera, Charlene Smith, Yanna Svoboda, Kathleen Tenbroek, Maracella Uvalles.

Pastor's COLUMN

Thank you for your generous response to the appeal Bishop Carlos Sevilla, SJ made on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach last weekend. There are more envelopes in the church if you did not have the opportunity to participate last weekend. Charitable giving is fundamental in giving thanks to God for the blessing of our lives and faith. Our Lord is never outdone in generosity.

Thank you also for the many ways you support our parish school. We have a lot of fundraisers, but they are essential to this most important ministry. Helping our families to educate their children in our Catholic school is a contribution to society as we foster Christian values. The following is an appeal for your consideration from our 8th grade home room teacher Adreana Rotenberry regarding Caritas:

The Caritas trip is a CYO run camp. Our 8th grade classes attend at the beginning of each school year. The trip costs about \$500 per student and for the school year 2018-2019 we have 17 students. Catholic Charities CYO Camp fosters the growth and development of youth through the formation of positive relationships with self, others, nature, and God. Catholic Charities CYO Camp Environmental Education Programs offer a unique combination of science curriculum aligned with the Next Generation Science Standards retreat style activities and group challenges for classes of students grades 5-8. Thank you for allowing the 7th grade students an opportunity to reach out to our Parish community to support them in their fundraising efforts.

Fr John E Direen, Pastor



LENT 2018 • PRAYER • FASTING • ALMSGIVING

Ash Wednesday • Wed Feb 14 • Fast and Abstinence

Every Friday in Lent • Abstinence

Good Friday • Fri Mar 30 • Fast and Abstinence

Fasting is understood as the taking of only one full meal a day, binding on all who are age 18-59 (inclusive) in good health.

Abstinence consists in refraining from the consumption of meat, binding on all who are age 14 and older.

All are encouraged to see that children who are not bound by the obligations are led to appreciate an authentic sense of penance.

PARISH EVENTS AND NEWS

Spiritual Enrichment for your Lenten Journey (Mon Mar 5) Mark your calendar and join us on the six Mondays of Lent (Feb 19-26 and Mar 5-12-19-26) at 7:00 pm in the St John Paul II Meeting Room for a Holy Week video retreat given by Fr Pablo Straub, CSSR, a well-known gifted Redemptorist priest. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Prayer Group (Wed Mar 6 @ 7:00 pm)
We meet in the Church first pew. Come and Pray and Share with other parishioners!

Book Club (Wed Mar 6 @ 7:15 pm)
We meet every Wednesday after the evening Mass (ca 7:15 PM) in the St John Paul II Meeting Room (rectory lower level). We are reading and discussing the Gospel according to St Matthew, with the help of commentary by theologian Barbara E Reid (Professor at the Catholic Theological Union in Chicago). Bring your Bible and please join us any time!

Stations of the Cross (Fri Mar 9)
Stations of the Cross devotion during Lent each Friday at 11:15 am and at 7:00 pm (after the evening Mass).

Saint Patrick Day Dinner (Sat Mar 17 @ 6:00 pm)
Pre-event sales only (no tickets at door) \$20/adult and \$5/age-12-and-under available after all weekend Masses thru Sun Mar 11, and in Parish Office thru Wed Mar 14. Menu: Corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, carrots, roll, dessert, coffee, tea. Donations of raffle prizes and desserts gratefully accepted. Help with setup and cleanup needed (service hours given).

Fish Taco Fridays (Mar 16 and Mar 23)
Knights of Columbus # 1499 Berkeley Council will offer Fish Tacos for sale on two Fridays during Lent (Mar 16, Mar 23) from 5 pm to 7 pm in the St John Paul II Meeting Room. Each evening the proceeds will support a different worthy group. Enjoy a delicious meal and conversation with other parishioners then walk across the street to the church for Stations of the Cross.

Regular Evening Schedule (Tue Wed Thu Fri @ 5 pm)
At 5:00 pm we begin Adoration and pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. At 5:30 pm Adoration continues in silence and Confessions are available then 6:20 pm Benediction and 6:30 pm Mass.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING (TITHING)
An easy way to calculate a Five-Percent weekly donation to the Parish First Collection is \$10 per week for each \$10,000 of annual income.

ONLINE GIVING Online giving is easy! Visit parish website (www.StDavidOfWales.church) click link, create a login, set up your gift for One-time or Recurring!
2018 Year To Date: First \$2783 Bldg&Maint \$75 Music \$15

COLLECTION BASKET GIVING
2018 Parish Budget (\$234,000 / 51 weeks) Weekly \$4500

Feb 25 First \$3459 [1041 under budget]
Feb 25 Second (Music Fund) \$448; other sacraments: \$550;
Candle \$91; Snack \$20; School \$90

SECOND COLLECTIONS
Mar 4 Building And Maintenance Fund
Mar 11 CRS Bishops Overseas Appeal

ST DAVID'S FOOD PANTRY GUILD (FOOD BARREL)
Inside the St David Church main entrance is a Food Barrel for your canned goods and dry goods. You should deliver your perishable items directly to St Mark's on Fri. More than 50 families are assisted each week in rotation (200 families per month). Food distributed each Fri at 9:30 am at St Mark's (159 Harbor Way at Bissell, Richmond 94801).

SCHOOL EVENTS AND NEWS

(www.StDavidSchool.org) (510-232-2283) (Willows Day Care 510-232-2343)

Sat Mar 24 Silent Auction

From Principal Jojo de Guzman:

Financial Aid Applications. All families seeking to receive financial aid for School Year 2018-2019, whether through FACTS or BASIC or the school, must file an application annually. BASIC is a first come first serve basis! All new families should fill their paperwork as soon as possible.

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Sports. Girls in Grade 3 and Grade 4 who would like to play Basketball on the Saint David Team should call the Parish Office (510-237-1531) and ask for Tracy.

Silent Auction. (Sat Mar 24 @ 500 pm-1100pm). This year the venue is: Salesian High School Cafeteria. Tickets (two for \$20, at door \$15 each) are now on sale! Please visit: <http://buytickets.at/stdavidschool/132253>

BOXTOPS for Education (boxtops4education.com). We still collect boxtops; we Redeem for equipment and supplies. Clip and send to school or deposit in church entrance "Boxtops For Education" Cans.

Lucky's/FoodMaxx (www.escrip.com/shares).
Raley's (www.raleys.com). Create login, provide phone number, select St David School. Use phone number at checkout.

Volunteers. All who volunteer at the School must meet Diocesan Wide Policy: (1) Fingerprinting — pick up in school office a St David School form and list of places you can be fingerprinted; (2) TB test negative — bring a note (good for four years) from doctor certifying test is negative; (3) Be Virtus Trained — complete the online course (www.VirtusOnline.org) and bring your certificate to the Office.



Next Sunday, March 11th, 8:30 to noon, to benefit school tuition assistance.

OTHER EVENTS

Mar 9-10-11. Catholic Doctors, Dentists, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners - and their spouses - Weekend Retreat & Seminar at Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles for those who have considered serving for one month at Catholic Missions (Africa, Latin America). Opportunity to reflect on call to serve in light of faith, hear about specific locations currently seeking medical professionals, hear from doctors and their spouses who have served at these locations. Presentations: Theology of Mission, common medical issues faced, practical aspects of service related to visas and licensing. Since 1959, Mission Doctors Association has trained, sent and supported Catholic doctors and their families who come from across the United States to serve people of all faiths in some of the most under-served areas of the world. This mission of healing provides direct patient care and training for local professionals striving toward the goal of sustainable health care. Website (www.MissionDoctors.org/lmu) has info, application, weekend registration. Email (efrederick@missiondoctors.org) phone (213-368-1875).

May 18-19-20 Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME). Weekend at San Damiano Retreat Center (Danville). Space VERY limited! Early reg highly recommended. Info: Mike & Jeanne (925.672.2016) or Joe & Sue (925.680.7767) web (oaklandwwme.org).



**Time Change
"Spring Forward"
Sun Mar 11
2 am**





24 Hours for the Lord

March 9-10, 2018

Pope Francis is calling on Catholics worldwide to participate in 24 hours of eucharistic adoration and reconciliation, March 9-10, 2018. The theme of this year's "24 Hours for the Lord" is Psalm 130:4, "With you is forgiveness."

The Diocese of Oakland will celebrate this sacred 24 hours in four parishes, joining our brothers and sisters around the world. In each parish, eucharistic adoration will be available beginning at 4 p.m. Friday, March 9, continuously until 4 p.m. Saturday, March 10. At the same time, priests will be available to celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation.

Security will be provided from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. at each location.

24 Hours for the Lord Locations

The Cathedral of Christ the Light
2121 Harrison St. (at West Grand Ave.)
Oakland

St. Mark
158 Harbour Way
Richmond

St. John the Baptist
264 E. Lincolnton Blvd. (near Menloand Ave.)
San Lorenzo

St. Joan of Arc
2601 San Ramon Valley Blvd. (between Crow
Canyon and Bollinger Canyon Roads)
San Ramon

All are welcomed – whether eucharistic adoration is already familiar to you or not! For many of you, the practice of eucharistic adoration is a major part of your spirituality. If you would like to sign up for a particular time, please visit <http://bit.ly/24Hours4LORD>. Advance registration is not required!

"I urge the members of the Church to take up the Lenten journey with enthusiasm, sustained by almsgiving, fasting and prayer. If, at times, the flame of charity seems to die in our own hearts, know that this is never the case in the heart of God! He constantly gives us a chance to begin loving anew." –

Message of the Holy Father for Lent 2018



24 Horas para El Señor

Marzo 9-10 de 2018

El Papa Francisco está haciendo un llamado a los católicos de todo el mundo a que participen del 9 al 10 de marzo de 2018 en las 24 horas de Adoración Eucarística y Reconciliación. El tema de este año de las "24 Horas para el Señor" es Salmo 130: 4: "Contigo hay perdón".

La Diócesis de Oakland celebrará estas 24 horas sagradas en cuatro parroquias, uniéndose a nuestros hermanos y hermanas de todo el mundo. En cada parroquia, la Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento estará disponible a partir de las 4 p.m. del viernes, 9 de marzo, continuamente hasta las 4 p.m. del sábado, 10 de marzo. Al mismo tiempo, los sacerdotes estarán disponibles para celebrar el Sacramento de la Reconciliación. En cada parroquia habrá servicios de seguridad entre las 7 p.m. y las 7 a.m.

24 Horas para El Señor Parroquias Participantes

The Cathedral of Christ the Light
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(San Marcos)
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264 E. Lewelling Blvd. (cerca de Meekland Ave.)
San Lorenzo

St. Joan of Arc
(Santa Juana de Arco)
2601 San Ramon Valley Blvd. (Entre Crow
Canyon y Bollinger Canyon Roads)
San Ramon

(Todos son bienvenidos! Practicar la Adoración Eucarística es una parte importante de nuestra espiritualidad. Si desea comprometerse una hora en particular para acompañar al Santísimo, puede registrarse por internet visitando <http://bit.ly/24HoursLORD>. (No es requerido registrarse previamente!)

"Aliento a los miembros de la Iglesia a emprender el viaje Cuaresmal con entusiasmo, sostenido por la limosna, el ayuno y la oración. Si a veces la llama de la caridad parece morir en nuestros propios corazones, ¡sepamos que este nunca es el caso en el corazón de Dios! Él constantemente nos da la oportunidad de comenzar a amar de nuevo".

Mensaje del Santo Padre para la Cuaresma de 2018

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