

Saint David of Wales Parish

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Pastor: Fr. John E. Direen

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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)

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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

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All proceeds benefit St. David School's
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Sunday, March 11th, 8:30 to noon.

Benefits school tuition assistance. Thank you for your support!

Across the street from the front of the church.

March 11, 2018

Lent

Fourth Sunday ("Laetare")

Sunday "B" Weekday "2"

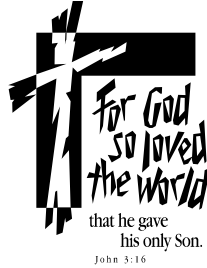
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2 Chronicles 36: 14-16, 19-23

Psalms 137: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

Ephesians 2: 4-10

John 3: 14-21



John 3:16

MASS INTENTIONS (MAR 10 — MAR 17)

Sat	5 PM	Victoria "Tory" DeOrlan (†)
Sun	8:00	Martha & Larry & Carlos Roberts (†)
	9:30	Anthony Ortiz (L)
	11:00	Nahida & Amin Alhaik (†)
Mon	8:15	Lou & Ella Cola (†)
Tue	8:15	Leticia de Leon (†)
Wed	8:15	Glen Hawkins (†)
Thu	8:15	Jessica & Brandon Barron (L)
Fri	8:15	Leonardo Cordero Sr (†)
Sat	8:00	Laura Lynn Knight (L)
	5 PM	Vivencio & Dioscoro Magno (†)



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) (MAR 11) (LENT-4)

Readings: CatholicCommunityHymnal (512) MisalDelDia2018 (p 79)

Prelude:	_SILENCE_THROUGHOUT_LENT_
Introit:	(5,8,11) 305 Praise To The Lord The Almighty (930) Propio en Español
Kyrie:	(5,8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
Offertory:	(5,8) 353 What Wondrous Love Is This (930) Propio & FYCe3 # 748 Purificame Señor (Erdozain) (11) God So Loved The World: Sir John Stainer (18x-18x)
Sanctus:	(5,8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
Mysterium/Amen:	(5,8,930,11) (sheet) Roman Missal: chant
Agnus Dei:	(5,8,930,11) (sheet) Missa XI (orbis factor): chant
Communion:	(5,8,11) Proper & 849 The King Of Love My Shepherd Is (930) Propio & FYCe3 # 570 Ven Al Banquete (Hurd)
Final Hymn:	(5,8,11) 423 Lift High The Cross (930) FYCe3 # 318 Espero En Ti Señor (Fernandez)
Postlude:	_SILENCE_THROUGHOUT_LENT_

Introit Graduale Romanum (ABC=Cf Isaiah 66:10,11; Psalm 121:1) *Laetare * Ierusalem: et convéntum fácite omnes qui diligitis eam: gaudéte cum laetitia, qui in tristitia fuístis: ut exsultétis, et satiémini ab ubéribus consolatiónis vestrae. PS. Laetátus sum in his quae dicta sunt mihi: in domum Dómini ibimus.* (Rejoice, O Jerusalem; and gather round, all you who love her; rejoice in gladness, after having been in sorrow; exult and be replenished with the consolation flowing from her motherly bosom. PS. I rejoiced when it was said unto me: "Let us go to the house of the Lord".)

Offertory GR (AB=Psalm 134:3,6) *Laudáte * Dóminum, quia benignus est: psállite nómini euis, quóniam suávis est: ómnia quaecúmque vóluit, fecit in caelo et in terra.* (Praise the Lord, for he is loving; sing in honour of his name, for he is gracious. He has accomplished whatever he resolved to do in heaven and on earth.)

Communion GR (B=Psalm 121:3,4) *Ierusalem, * quae aedificátur ut civitas, cuius participatio eius in idípsum: illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, tribus Dómini, ad confiténdum nómini tuo, Dómine.* (Jerusalem, built as a city whose parts are bound firmly together! It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord, to give thanks unto your name, O Lord.)

Music Notes (Ed Teixeira, organist): Today is "Laetare Sunday", so named from the opening word of the Introit. The special signs of joy (flowers, rose vestments, greater use of instruments) permitted this day encourage us in our course through this Season, having reached the mid-point, three weeks completed and three weeks remaining.

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 DeOrlan, Elaine Findley, 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.

CHRISM MASS

with Bishop Michael Barber, SJ
7 PM on Thursday, March 22, 2018
Cathedral of Christ the Light, Oakland
No evening devotions or Mass at St. David of Wales this day.

TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

ST DAVID OF WALES CHURCH

HOLY THURSDAY, March 29th

6:30 PM *Bilingual* Mass of the Lord's Supper
(no morning Mass)

GOOD FRIDAY, March 30th

(no morning Mass)

12 Noon Stations of the Cross

1 PM Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord

6:30 PM Viernes Santo de la Pasión del Señor

HOLY SATURDAY, March 31st

8 PM Easter Vigil/La Vigilia Pascual

EASTER SUNDAY, April 1st

8 & 11 AM Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord

9:30 AM Domingo de Pascua Misa de la Resurrección del Señor



March 13, 2018 is the 5th anniversary of the election of Pope Francis to the papacy. He is very devoted to our Blessed Mother and has consecrated his papacy to Our Lady of Fatima. This past week he established a new memorial: **Mary Mother of the Church**, which will be celebrated every year on the first Monday after Pentecost, which is often referred to as the birthday of the Church. May our Lord continue to bless our Holy Father Pope Francis and his ministry to us, the Church.

Fr John E Direen, Pastor



Regular Evening Schedule (Tue-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.



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.

March 11, 2018 • Lent (4-B)

PARISH EVENTS AND NEWS

Spiritual Enrichment for your Lenten Journey (Mon Mar 12)

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!

Saint Vincent De Paul Meeting (Tue Mar 13 @ 7:30 pm)

Monthly meeting in Rectory Dining Room. Visitors welcome to Learn about SVDP and what we do. Our assistance number (510-778-5576).

Prayer Group (Wed Mar 14 @ 7:00 pm)

We meet in the Church first pew. Come and Pray and Share with other parishioners!

Book Club (Wed Mar 14 @ 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!

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.

Stations of the Cross (Fri Mar 16)

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. To help with setup and cleanup (service hours given) please call Paul Bourey (510-669-9997).

Monthly Movie Matinee (Sun Mar 25)

Each month on the last Sunday after the 11 Mass in the JP II Meeting Room (rectory lower level). Free admission, free food! On March 25 we will show "Miracle of Marcelino". This movie (1955) won the Grand Prize at Cannes and has even been called one of the most beautiful pictures of all time. It embraces the innocence of a child, and Our Savior's expressed desire that children come to Him.

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 is easy! Visit parish website at: **www.StDavidOfWales.church**, click link, create a login, set up your gift for One-time or Recurring! 2018 Year To Date:
First \$2573 Bldg&Maint \$75 Music \$15

COLLECTION BASKET GIVING

2018 Parish Budget Weekly goal: **\$4500** (\$234,000 / 51 weeks)
March 25 **First collection \$3924** [576 under budget]
March 25 **Second collection \$1190** (Building & Maintenance)
Other sacraments: \$75; Candles \$150; snacks \$21; School \$110

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Mar 11 CRS Bishops Overseas Appeal
Mar 25 Music Fund

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)

Fri Mar 16 Teacher In-service* No School
Sat Mar 17 St Patrick Dinner 6 PM
Sat Mar 24 Silent Auction (At Salesian) 5 PM
Thu Mar 29 Holy Thursday * Minimum Day
Fri Mar 30 Good Friday * Easter Vacation begins
Mon Apr 9 School resumes

From Principal Jojo de Guzman:

We made it through the second trimester! Report cards are going home next Thursday, March 15th. The Silent Auction Committee is still collecting any last minute Silent Auction items! I look forward to seeing everyone next week at our biggest fundraising event of the year, Silent Auction and Gala!

Silent Auction. (Sat Mar 24 @ 5:00 pm-11:00pm).

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>

Prayer Service. We will hold a short prayer service Wed March 14 at 9 am as part of a diocesan effort to pray for school safety.

Reading for Education. Congratulations to Victoria in Kindergarten for winning the inflatable, talking, remote controlled Minion. Thank you to all the families who participated in the fundraising effort.

School First Reconciliation. Sat Mar 3 the following children received the sacrament in preparation for First Holy Communion: Vincent Alvarez, Daneel Eldridge, Daniella Escobar, Mikaela Garcia, Jacob Jojola, Jeremy Jojola, Antonio Lenzi, Abigail May-Delgado, Alyson McBride-Low, Brianna Melendez Perez, Henry Melendez Perez, Max Ramirez, Isabella Rocha, Lucas Vieira.

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.

Lost and Found. Please mark your children's names on their possessions. Receptacles are overflowing with lost items, some items have been there for quite some time. Unclaimed items will be disposed of soon.

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.

OTHER EVENTS

Sat Apr 21 (8:00 am to 5:30 pm). Day of Retreat for Young Women. Want to learn more about living your Catholic faith as a young, single woman in today's culture? Janua Caeli is for you! The theme for the Day is Fullness of Grace: How to Receive an Overabundance of God's Gifts; our retreat master is Rev Quan Tran, priest for the Diocese of Orange in California and founder of Fullness of Grace, a ministry aimed at helping Catholics and other Christians grow in their spiritual life by better understanding supernatural grace, and how to gain an abundance of God's gifts by imitating the qualities of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Talks, confession, opportunity for one-on-one spiritual guidance, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Divine Office prayed with the Dominican nuns, and more! Info/register (www.opnunsmenlo.org) or contact Sr Joseph Marie OP (vocations@opnunsmenlo.org).

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