

Saint David of Wales Church & School

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Pastor: Fr. John E. Direen

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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 Friday of each month, during 6:30 pm Mass

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

Please call for home visit or hospital visit

Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation:

Please register online at StDavidOfWales.church

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

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 Director Patty Lynch

Please register online at StDavidOfWales.church

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Please call for class schedule

Knights of Columbus (1499 Berkeley Council)

Please contact Larry Lynch (510) 501-0807

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

Meets Second Tuesday of each month

Saint David of Wales Catholic School

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Principal: Jojo de Guzman

October 21, 2018

Ordinary Time Sunday XXIX
Sunday "B" Weekday "2"

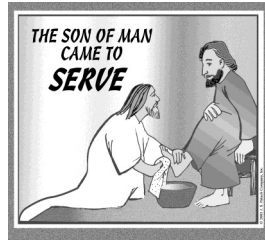
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Isaiah 53:10-11

Psalms 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22

Hebrews 4:14-16

Mark 10:35-45



MASS INTENTIONS (OCT 20 — OCT 27)

Sat 5 PM Santiago & Josefina Regalado (†)

Sun 8:00 Frank & Jennie Smrekar (†)

9:30 In Thanksgiving For Health

11:00 Ana Sun (†)

Mon 8:15 Elizabeth & Harry Hall (†)

Tue 8:15 Ralph L Bourey (†)

Wed 8:15 Rafael J Vidal (L)

Thu 8:15 John Meneghelli (†)

Fri 8:15 Alicia Strawn (L)

Sat 8:00 Bonnie Costa (L)

5 PM Amelia Sandique-Owens (†)

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



MUSIC (SUN B, WK 2) (OCT 21) (OT-29)

Readings: CathComHymnal (663) MisalDelDia2018 (228 ?)

Prelude: Prelude in F: Eugene Thayer (18x-18x)

Introit: (5,8,11) 444 Alleluia Sing To Jesus

Gloria: (5,8,11) (sheet) St Ralph Sherwin Mass "Gloria": Ostrowski

Offertory: (5,8) 447 Shepherd Of Souls Refresh And Bless

(930) Propio & FYCe3 # x

(11) Christe, adoremus te (15_): Claudio Monteverdi (15x-15x)

(5,8,11) (sheet) 172 Community Mass "Sanctus": Proulx

Mysterium/Amen: (5,8,930,11) Roman Missal: chant

Agnus Dei: (5,8,11) (sheet) 189 Agnus Dei: Proulx

Communion: (5,8,11) Proper & 310 Sing Praise To God Who Reigns

(930) Propio & FYCe3 # x

Final Hymn: (5,8,11) 374 Go Make Of All Disciples

(930) FYCe3 # x

Postlude: Festival Postlude in G: Thayer

Graduale Romanum Introit (ABC=Psalm 16:6,8+1) *Ego clamavi, quoniam exaudisti me, Deus: inclina aurem tuam, et exaudi verba mea: custodi me, Domine, ut pupillam oculi: sub umbra alarum tuarum protege me. PS. Exaudi Domine iustitiam meam: intendens deprecationem meam.* (I have called out because you answer me, O God; incline your ear and hear my words; keep me, Lord, like the apple of your eye; protect me under the shadow of your wings. PS. Hear my just cause, Lord; attend to my supplication.)

GR Offertory (ABC=Psalm 118:47,48) *Meditabor in mandatis tuis, quae dilexi valde: et levabo manus meas ad mandata tua, quae dilexi.* (I shall meditate upon your commandments which I greatly love; I will extend my hands to your commandments which I love.)

GR Communion (ABC=Psalm 8: 2ab) *Domine Dominus noster, quam admirabile est nomen tuum in universa terra!* (O Lord our governor, how admirable is your name in all the earth!)

WE PRAY FOR OUR ILL & HOMEBOUND & CAREGIVERS

Please call the Parish Office to update this list or to schedule a visit by Priest or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

Rodolfo Abesamis, Trish Arlet, Mary Lou Austria, Ray Austria, Gwendolyn Bello, Arnold Bolton, Rita Brandt, Christy Butler-Sauro, Tina Calvert, Hubert Carr, Daniel Conlon, Linda DeOrian, Wil Figueira, Elaine Findley, Jackie Fonken, Lynette Franks, Rose Grimm, Alice Hantke, Avelina S Juat, Edda Lecce, Nilda De Leon, Terrel Harms, Paul Lozada, Ralf Travis Masch, Paul McKinnon, Ken Miller, Mollie Mills, Shelly Porter, Violet Puim, Joel Rivera, Charlene Smith, Harvey Sundahl, Yanna Svoboda, Kathleen Tenbroek, Maracella Uvalles, Fr John Blaker.

Assisted Listening Devices Available

Ask an altar server or an usher

October is Respect Life Month

What the Church Teaches

The Church has consistently taught that every human life is precious and worthy of protection. Every intentional abortion is gravely wrong. In April 2018, Pope Francis wrote: "Our defence of the innocent unborn ... needs to be clear, firm and passionate, for at stake is the dignity of a human life, which is always sacred and demands love for each person, regardless of his or her stage of development." The Church does not approach difficult pregnancy decisions with a false "either/or" mentality, pitting mother against child. For example, a baby conceived in rape is not an aggressor deserving death by abortion. She is innocent, like her mother. They both deserve compassionate care and support, not more violence. Abortion doesn't bring healing or peace, but both can be found in the courageous decision to give birth to the baby. Today, many babies diagnosed prenatally with a disability are aborted. Frightened parents, unsure of their ability to care for such a child, can trust that God gave them this child for a reason. Parents raising children with disabilities often write about the unexpected joys and transformative effect on their families. Even when the disabilities are so severe that the baby is likely to die before or soon after birth, "many parents who carried their children to term say that protecting their baby and honoring his or her natural life, no matter how brief, was profoundly healing." Very rarely, continuing a pregnancy may put a mother's life at risk—for example, because of a tubal pregnancy or aggressive uterine cancer. It is morally licit to remove the threat to the mother's life by removing the cancerous uterus or the fallopian tube where the child implanted, even though it is foreseeable that the child will die as an indirect and unintended result of such surgery. But abortion—a direct and intentional taking of a child's life—is never morally permissible.

What Are We to Do?

Love them both! Support women who need help during and after difficult pregnancies through the work of your diocesan Respect Life office and local pregnancy care centers. Educate yourself and others about struggles some experience after abortion, and find out where to refer those seeking help at www.hopeafterabortion.org. If you feel called to support your local ministry, contact your diocesan Project Rachel Ministry office for ways you might help. Stay informed about key federal legislation and the voting records of your elected representatives by visiting www.humanlifeaction.org and www.usccb.org/prolife. Stay updated on state issues by signing up to receive information from your state Catholic conference or diocesan pro-life office. Most importantly, pray daily for the end to abortion, that all mothers and children experience the loving support of the Church community, and that all who suffer after abortion find healing and peace. (USCCB.ORG)

Respect Life Gathering Nov. 3 The Diocese's Annual Respect Life Gathering will be held Nov. 3, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the parish hall of The Cathedral of Christ the Light. This gathering is for prayer, fellowship, and to share best practices with others working to protect and promote life from conception to natural death. Continental breakfast and lunch to be served; please register at www.oakdiocese.org/respectlife.

Catholic Charities of the East Bay, the social services arm for the Diocese of Oakland, is offering **FREE Mental Health First Aid Trainings** for those who work and/or live with youth. These trainings help prepare people to support youth in crisis and connect them with ongoing help. The trainings offer a variety of tools and resources needed help answer such questions as: "How can I best support someone?" or "Where can someone find help?" These 8-hour trainings are available in both English and Spanish. To register for an upcoming Youth Mental Health First Aid Training please contact Leah Hotchkiss at (lhotchkiss@cceb.org or 510.290.6103).

PARISH EVENTS AND NEWS

Regular Evening Schedule (Wed-Fri @ 5 pm)
NO Evening devotions or Mass on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd.

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.

Spiritual Enrichment Series (Mon Oct 22 @ 7 pm)
Each week in the JPPII meeting room. This week we begin, Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist, which will explore the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members.

Book Club (Wed Oct 24 @ 7:00 pm)
We meet every Wednesday after the evening Mass in the St John Paul II Meeting Room (rectory lower level). We are now reading the Acts of the Apostles, with commentary by Dennis Hamm, SJ. Discussion is always insightful and lively. Please join us any week.

Monthly Movie Matinee (Sun Oct 28 @ 12:15 pm)
Free movies and refreshments in the JPPII room each last Sunday after the 11 o'clock Mass. On Sun Oct 28, in honor of Dios del Muerte, we will show "COCO", a computer-generated movie from Pixar that is a stunning tribute to family and culture.

Harvest Roast Beef Dinner (Sat Nov 3 @ 6 pm)
Roast sirloin of beef, Mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, dessert, coffee, tea. \$20/adult and \$5/ages-12-and-under; pre-event ticket sales only (ends Wed Oct 31). Donations of desserts and raffle prizes needed as well as setup and cleanup assistance!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

An easy way to calculate a 5% weekly donation to the 1st Collection is \$10/week for each \$10k of annual income.

ONLINE GIVING is easy! Visit parish website at StDavidOfWales.church, click link, create a login, set up your gift for One-time or Recurring! **2018 Year To Date:**
First \$17,527 Bldg&Maint \$1,849 Easter \$228 Music \$60 Flowers \$175 Holy Days \$10 Rel Ed \$103

COLLECTION BASKET GIVING

2018 Parish Budget Weekly **\$4,500** (\$234,000 / 52 weeks)
Oct. 14 First: \$3,518 Second: \$417 (Catholic Voice); Sacraments \$700; Music \$50; Candles \$75; School \$15.

Bishop Appeal 2018

As of October 12th we have pledged & received **\$8,145**. Our goal is \$13,500, which puts us at 60% of our goal. **Thank you!**

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Oct. 28 Music fund.



Online Giving

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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)

From Principal Jojo de Guzman:

I would like to thank everyone who participated in the events last weekend. I want to congratulate Mr. Farr and the 5th graders for leading the all school Mass last Thursday and again on last Sunday's 11 AM Mass. The students did a wonderful job reading, presenting the gifts, and singing "What a Wonderful World." I would also like thank the choir for singing at Saturday's 5 PM Mass. Thank you to all families who came to support Preschool and 8th grade's Holy Hotcakes last Sunday.

Next week is Red Ribbon Week. The yearly event has recently added an emphasis on anti-bullying awareness on top of drug awareness. This year, we are celebrating the week with a door contest, poetry contest, giveaways, and a guest speaker for 4th-8th grade. We will have Cam Awesome present on Thursday, 9:45 AM. "Cam is the #1 heavyweight boxer in the United States, multi-time National Champion, multi-time Olympic Trials Champion, and Captain of the USA National Team. Cam uses humor and his 'keep it real' attitude to speak on topics such as anti-bullying, long term effect of a digital footprint, personal accountability, career goal setting, resilience, respecting and accepting other, and ways to use social media and an educational tool instead of a distraction." You can learn more about Cam at <https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Boxing/Features/2018/January/17/USA-Boxing-Teams-Up-With-Awesome-Talks> and view his speaker reel at <https://youtu.be/lq4NESXt9q8>.

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OTHER EVENTS

Sun Oct 21 (1pm-3pm). Salesian College Preparatory Open House. Voted Best Faith-Based High School in the East Bay by Parent's Press 5-years in a row, Salesian College Preparatory is known for its commitment to academics, faith and family and shaping the next generation of doctors, lawyers, business leaders and teachers. Learn about our Honors and Advanced Placement courses, enjoy a club car tour around our beautiful 21-acre campus, lively music from our band and Story and Song students, entertaining improvisation from our drama students, lunch catered by Berkeley's famous Top Dog restaurant, meet educators, coaches, parents, students. Pre-register (www.salesian.com/admissions/open-house) your student online today and receive a special gift. Discounted application to students who apply at Open House. Christina Karabinis, Director of Admissions (510-234-4433 x1416) (ckarabinis@salesian.com) (www.salesian.com/admissions).

Fri Nov 2 and Sat Nov 3. Ignatius Press 40th Anniversary Celebration. Celebrate God's blessings on the publishing work of Ignatius Press. Meet and hear distinguished Catholic speakers, Fr Joseph Fessio SJ, Cdl Francis Arinze, Peter Kreeft, Michael O'Brien, Fr Robert Spitzer SJ, Steve Ray, Abp Salvatore Cordileone. St Mary's Cathedral event center. Info/tickets (ignatius.com/40).

2018 ANNUAL RESPECT LIFE GATHERING

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SAVE THE DATE

SATURDAY, NOV. 3, 2018

8:30 AM REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00 AM WELCOME AND PRAYER

9:30 AM MAIN SPEAKER

10:30 AM BREAK

10:45 AM SHARING OF BEST PRACTICES

12:00 PM LUNCH

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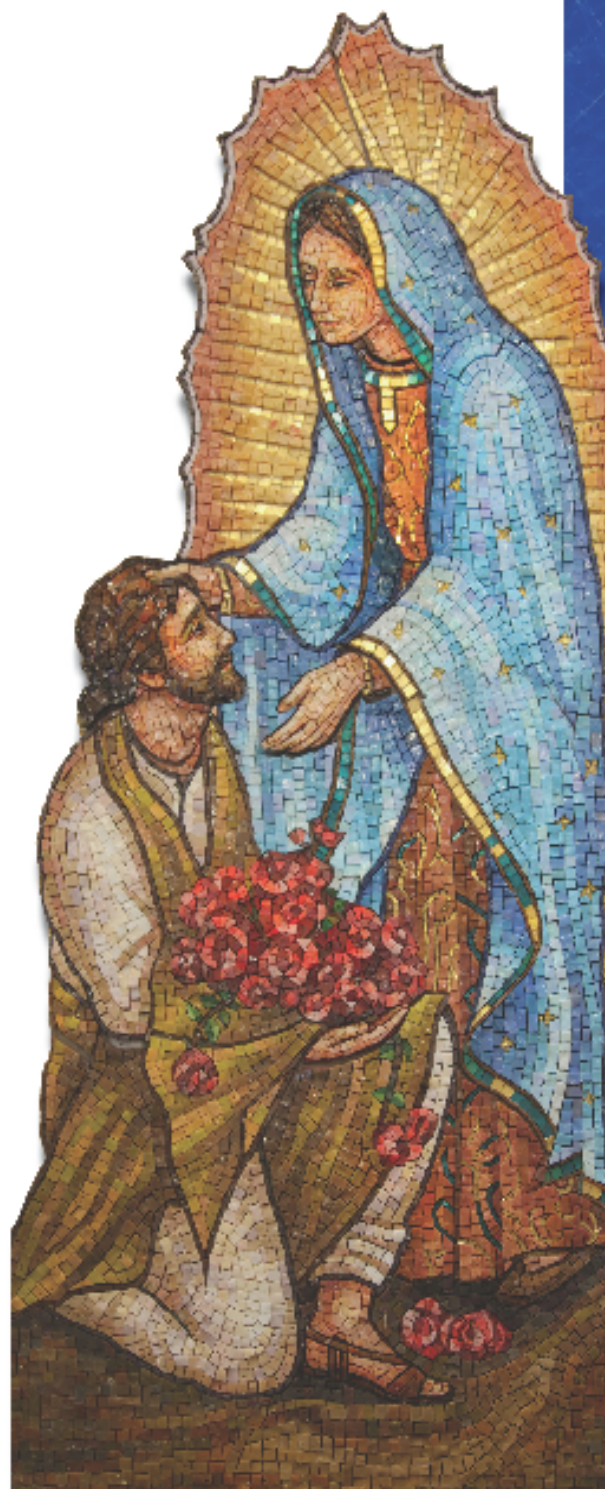
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Please RSVP by Oct 26, 2018 to:

www.oakdiocese.org/respectlife



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Uniquely You

From your first moments of existence, you had all the DNA that would determine your sex, facial features, physique, and the color of your skin, hair, and eyes. At 24 days, your heart began beating. By 8 weeks, all your organs were present, and your unique fingerprints were forming. Ultrasounds show that by 18 weeks, you could swim, somersault, suck your thumb, and even cover your ears if you heard loud music. If you'd been born just 23 weeks after conception, your chance of survival would be 50-80 percent; by 25 weeks, it's over 90 percent, and that's still months before full-term birth.¹

Now, if someone takes an innocent person's life after he or she is born, it's against the law; just minutes before birth, it's legal in most states and called abortion. The only real difference is a declaration by the United States Supreme Court in *Roe v. Wade* (1973).

Abortion Is Permitted Up to Full-Term Birth

Many people don't realize how unrestricted legal abortion is, misled by *Roe's* claim that states may ban abortions after viability "except when it is necessary to preserve the life or health of the mother." ("Viability" is when the baby has a reasonable chance of survival outside the womb.) But in *Roe's* companion case, *Doe v. Bolton*, the Court defined "health" to include "all factors—physical, emotional, psychological, familial, and the woman's age—relevant to the wellbeing" of the mother. That seems broad enough to permit virtually any abortion post-viability.

The Supreme Court, however, has yet to be confronted with a challenge to a post-viability ban that will test *Doe's* breadth. Indeed, 20 states currently ban late-term abortions subject to a narrow exception for the mother's life or physical health (not for emotional, psychological, familial, or age-related reasons). Most of these laws have gone unchallenged, but they are hard to enforce even if they are constitutionally permissible.

Effects of Abortion

Abortion results in the death of a child. For many mothers, abortion causes severe and long-lasting emotional, psychological, and spiritual trauma. Many women experience overwhelming guilt, shame, and grief. Other effects have also been documented: depression, withdrawal from others, eating disorders, self-punishing behaviors like "cutting," sexual dysfunction and problems with intimacy, alcohol and drug dependency, problems bonding with other or subsequent children, abortion-related nightmares, and other sleep problems.²

Family relationships may suffer as the aborted child's father, grandparents, or other family members experience their own guilt, grief, or loss. Even if the mother keeps her abortion secret, family members can be distressed by changes in the mother's behavior and mental or emotional health.³

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