

Saint David Catholic Church

November 19, 2023

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Your talent is God's gift to you. What you do with it is your gift to God." Mathew 25:14-30



THE PARABLE OF THE TALENTS

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The worshipping community of St. David Catholic Church, nourished by the Holy Eucharist, guided by the Holy Spirit, empowered by the word of God, and inspired by our patron saints, St. Joseph, St. David of Wales and St. Maurice are committed to a deepening of our relationship with God and the universal church. We welcome and invite all to use their time and talent for the good of all God's people. Through prayer, worship, sacraments, evangelization, education and service, our community will endeavor to spread the good news of Jesus Christ. We have come this far by faith because we walk by faith not by sight. (2Corinthians 5:7)



Celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism

- First Sunday of the month
- Form: Child born in Marriage
- Form: Child born outside of Marriage
- Forms need to be picked up in the parish office.
- Seminar with parents and godparents to be arranged with the pastor before the baptism.
- Coordinator: Mrs. Linda Pichon

Weekly Scripture Readings

November 19, 2023- November 25, 2023

Monday: 1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Psalm 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Luke 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Maccabees 6:18-31; Psalm 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; ; Luke 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31; Psalm 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15; Luke 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Maccabees 2:15-29; Psalm 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Luke 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chronicles 29:10bcd, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Luke 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Maccabees 6:1-13; Psalm 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19; Luke 20:27-40

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Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m.; Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m.

Daily Masses:

Tuesday—Friday at 7:30 a.m. in the Rectory Chapel.

Novenas: Tuesday (OLPH), Wednesday (ST. Joseph) after 7:30 a.m. Mass.

Confessions: 30 minutes before weekend Masses or anytime by request.

Eucharist Adoration: Fridays at 6:30 p.m. in the Rectory Chapel

Theme For the Parish

St. David: Faith, Family and Fellowship

Contributions and Attendance

Saturday, Nov. 11, 2023 & Sunday, Nov. 12, 2023

Saturday _____	\$ 492.00
Sunday _____	\$1277.00
Mail-Ins _____	\$ 0.00
Online _____	\$ 180.00
Total Collection All Masses _____	\$1949.00
Weekly Budgeted Expenses _____	\$3000.00
Difference (short) _____	\$1051.00
St. V. De Paul _____	\$ 36.00
Fund Fest _____	\$ 200.00
Total Deposit _____	\$2185.00

Attendance: Saturday—32; Sunday—92

Total –124

P.S. Thank you for being so generous to your parish



Joyce Costello, Lana Piquet, Shirly Martinez, Louis Caliste, Jr., Joseph Caliste, Arlene Craft, Doris Claiborne, Karen Wyseman, Beryl Wingate, Lewis Turner, Grace Leonce, Rasheed Picquet, Edith Smith, Armani Fernandez, Saalyiah Leslie, Yvonne Sanchez, Darryl Sanders, Norma Conohan, Shane Dave, David Williams, Shirley Francois, John Wysemam, Gaynell St. Julien, Veronica Nolan, Dolores Cages, Byron Jupiter, Mable Howard

Mass Intentions for the Week of November 19, 2023-November 25, 2023

Sun., Nov. 19th:	9:00 a.m. Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church
Tues., Nov. 21st:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Wed., Nov. 22nd:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Thurs., Nov. 23rd:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Fri., Nov. 24th:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Sat., Nov. 25th:	4:00p.m. Mass Intentions





3 Year Campaign

“Garden of Giving”

Dear Family and Friends,

St. David Church has been in existence since 1937. Our mission is to remain spiritually committed to our parishioners and community for many years to come.

To support this effort, please consider one of the following donations:

☐ \$5,000 Stone

☐ \$2,500 Stone

☐ \$1,000 Stone

☐ \$375 Gold Leaf

- Donor's Name: _____
- Donor's Phone #: _____
- Donor's Email: _____
- Message: _____



Payment Plans:

	<u>\$375 Gold Leaf</u>	<u>\$1000 Stone</u>	<u>\$2500 Stone</u>	<u>\$5000 Stone</u>
3 Years:	\$10.45 a month	\$27.80 a month	\$69.45 a month	\$139.00 a month
2 Years:	\$15.65 a month	\$41.66 a month	\$104.20 a month	\$218.35 a month
1 Year:	\$31.25 a month	\$83.35 a month	\$208.35 a month	\$416.80 a month

Your generosity is greatly appreciated. If you would like to set up a payment plan or have any questions, please contact the parish office at 504-947-2853. If any of these plans are not suitable for you, we are willing to work with you.

The Pastor's Weekly Schedule

Monday, November 20, 2023—Sunday, November 25, 2023

Monday, November 20, 2023

The Pastor is off today.

Office of the Parish is closed.

Tuesday, November 21, 2023

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 2PM: Office Hours
- 4PM to 5PM: Meeting at St. David
- 6:30PM: Meeting in Westbank

Wednesday, November 22, 2023

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- Office of the parish is closed.

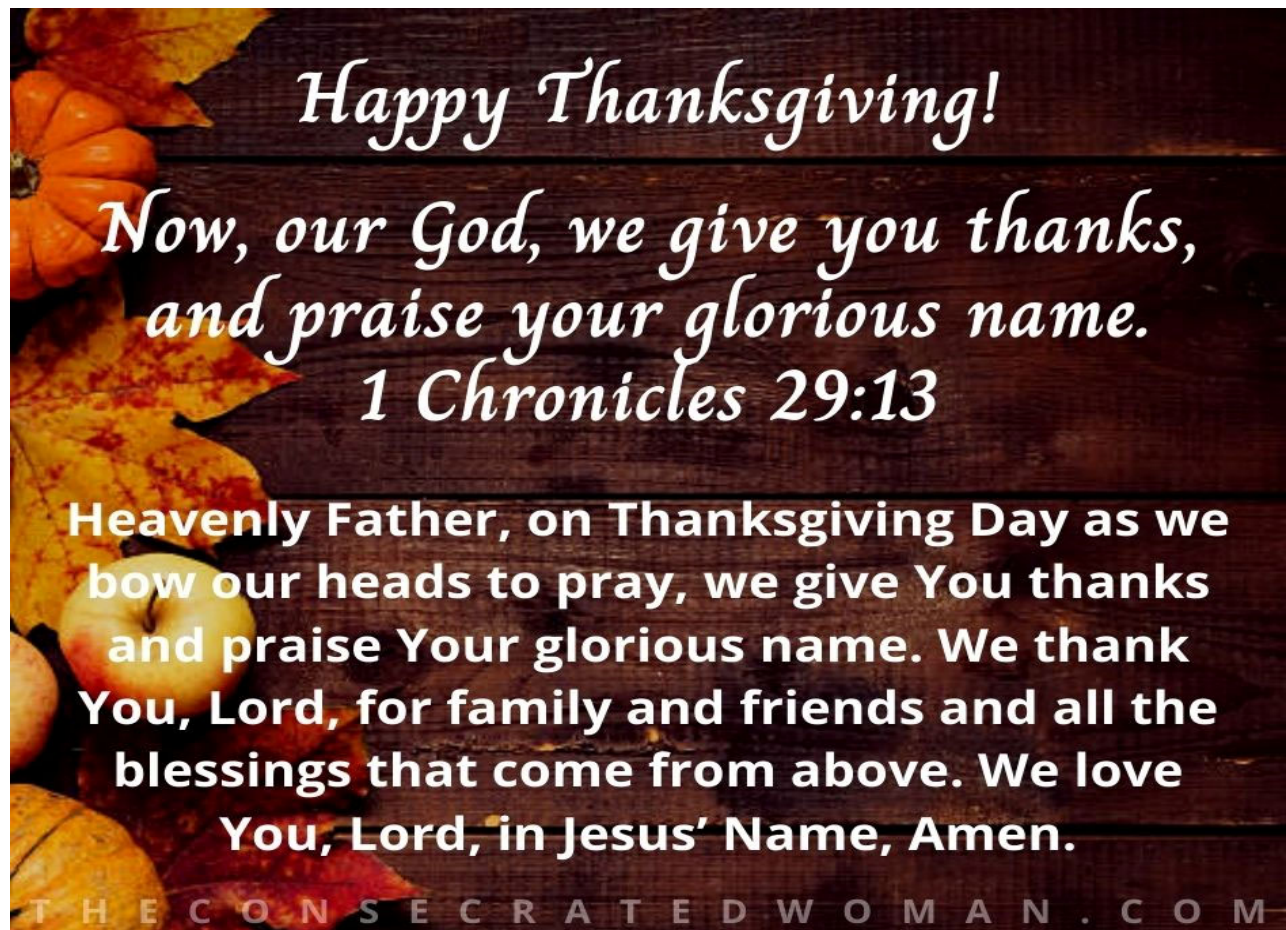
The office of the parish will be closed Wednesday, November 22, 2023 and reopen Tuesday, November 28, 2023.

Thanksgiving Schedule

Thursday, November 23, 2023

- 9AM: Thanksgiving Mass

Again, wishing your and yours a Happy Thanksgiving and may God bless you. Please be safe.



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Mark your Calendars

We will be holding Dinner & Movie Night at St. David Gym on December 1, 2023 from 6PM to 9PM. Menu TBD.



Thanksgiving Schedule

The office of the parish will be closed from noon Wednesday, November 22, 2023 and reopen Tuesday, November 27, 2023.

Mass Schedule

Thursday, November 23, 2023 at 9AM.



Fund Fest Donations

As of this past weekend, the Fund Fest Donations total is \$3800. However, this time last year, the total collected was \$5000. We ask that you find it in your hearts to continue to donate to the Fund Fest, as this is a big part of the parish's yearly budget. Thank you for all of your continued support to your parish as we continue to keep our parish thriving.

10-Day Pilgrimage to Shrines Italy

Are you ready to go to Italy, especially to Rome? Well, you have been asking about that, and your wishes have been granted. From New Orleans to Rome April 15-24, 2024. \$4, 799 Land/Air. We are putting on hold the Pilgrimage to the Holy Land to focus on the one to Italy. Are you ready? If you are, let us to go to Rome, the Headquarters of the Roman Catholic Church. For more information, please contact the office of the parish during its hours of operation. Also, please pick up a package as you leave TODAY!

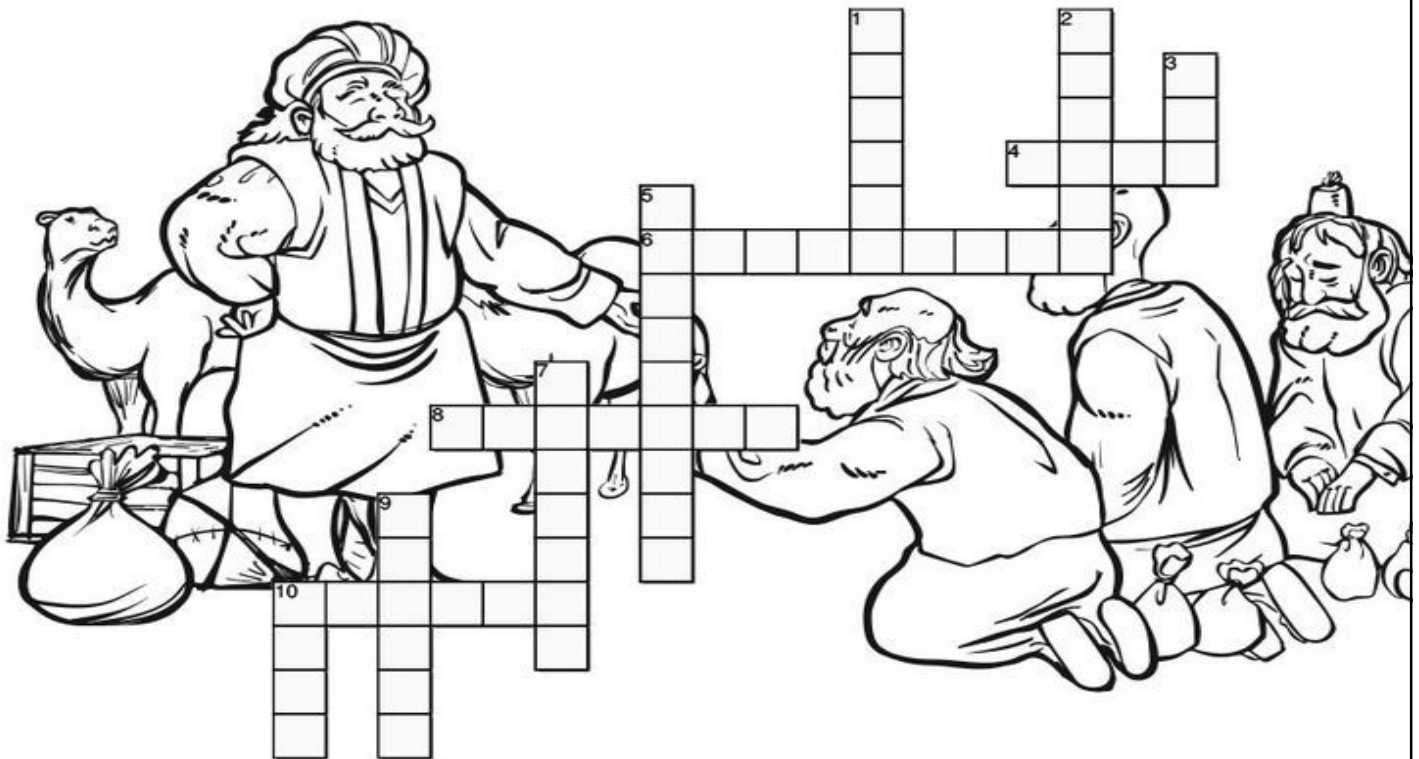
Youth and Young Adult Corner

Parable of the Talents. *Mathew 25:14-30*

This Gospel reminds us that Christian spirituality is not passive or inactive. Our life of prayer helps us to discern the gifts that have been given to us by God. This prayer and discernment ought to lead us to use our gifts in the service of God and our neighbor. God's grace allows us to share in the work of serving the Kingdom of Heaven. (from Loyola Press)

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Matthew 25:14-30



Across

4. The first servant was given ____ talents.
6. The master, angry with the third servant, cast him out of his ____ forever.
8. The third servant lost his talent to the ____ who gained five, because he had wasted it.
10. The wealthy man divided his wealth among his servants, based on their ability to ____ it.

Down

1. The first and second servants put their money to work, producing ____ the amount of talents they were given.
2. Fearing that he would lose his money, the third servant ____ his talent.
3. The third servant was given ____ talent.
5. Each talent was equal to ____ of dollars.
7. The wealthy man put his servants in charge of his wealth so that his estate would continue to ____.
9. Many days, weeks and ____ passed before the master returned.
10. Because the first two servants had been faithful with a few things, the master put them in charge of ____ things.



November Birthdays

• Antonia Cage	November 1st	• Wanda Price	November 21st
• Wendy Moore	November 1st	• Earl Johnson	November 22nd
• Danielle Davis	November 3rd	• Vibiana Thomas	November 22nd
• Bernadette Daranda	November 4th	• Chris Ballard	November 23rd
• Jamar Francois	November 4th	• Patrice C. Sweeting	November 24th
• Kevin Wilson	November 4th	• Yulene Vela'quez	November 24th
• Robert Carr	November 5th	• Migonette Thomas	November 25th
• Thomas Claverie	November 5th	• Tribble Condor	November 26th
• Jamyra Moses	November 5th	• Brenda Foucher	November 26th
• Gilda Sanders	November 6th	• Irene Robertson	November 26th
• Jimmie Slack	November 6th	• Arlene Craft	November 27th
• Byron Johnson, Sr.	November 7th	• Saalyihah Fernandez	November 27th
• Robin Cleveland	November 7th	• Debra Auston	November 28th
• Mary DeRouen	November 8th	• Tonya Smith	November 29th
• Dolores Cager	November 9th		
• Nole Coco	November 9th		
• Priscilla Francois	November 9th		
• Nia Broyard	November 10th		
• Terry Glenn, Jr.	November 10th		
• Pamela Dugay Stark	November 11th		
• Lorraine Thomas	November 12th		
• Carol Brown	November 14th		
• Eduardo Lambert	November 14th		
• Laurent Condor	November 15th		
• Shirley Anderson	November 16th		
• Gertrude LeBlanc	November 16th		
• Percy Francois	November 17th		
• Josephine Kennedy	November 18th		
• Hilda Clark	November 20th		

