

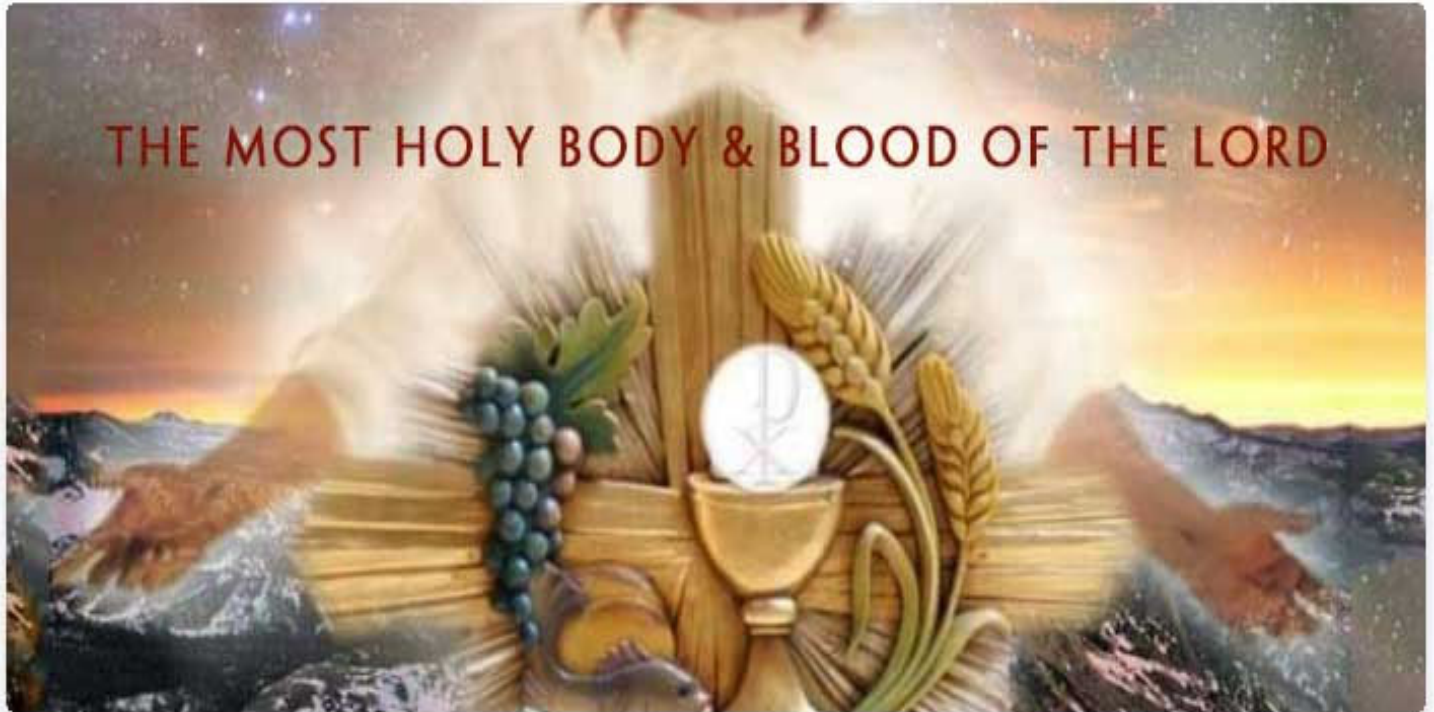
Saint David Catholic Church

June 2, 2024

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Jesus shares His Last Supper with His disciples.

Mark 14:12-16, 22-26



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

June 2, 2024-June 8, 2024

Monday: 2 Peter 1:2-7; Psalm 91:1-2, 14-15thb, 15c-16; Mark 12:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Peter 3:12-15a, 17-18; Psalm 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16; Mark 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12; Psalm 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef; Mark 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Psalm 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14; Mark 12:28-34

Friday: Hosea 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9 & Ephesians 3:8-12, 14-19; Isaiah 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; John 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Timothy 4:1-8; Psalm 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22; Luke 2:41-51

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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, May 25, 2024 & Sunday, May 26, 2024

Saturday—————\$ 778.00

Sunday—————\$ 402.00

Mail-Ins————--\$ 77.00

Online—————\$ 0.00

Total Collection All Masses—— \$1257.00

Weekly Budget Expenses———— \$3000.00

Difference (short)————-- \$1743.00

Gym Rental—————\$1045.00

Total Deposit————— \$2302.00

Attendance: Sat-42; Sun-84

Total Attendance-126

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, 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, Mable Howard, Sarah Lastie

Mass Intentions for the Week of June 2, 2024—June 8, 2024

Sun., June 2nd: 9:00 a.m. Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church

Tues., June 4th: 7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions

Wed., June 5th: 7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions

Thurs., June 6th: 7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions

Fri., June 7th: 7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions

Sat., June 8th: 4:00p.m. Mass Intentions



From Loyola Press

Gospel Reading

Mark 14:12-16,22-26

Jesus shares his Last Supper with his disciples.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today, the second Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate a second solemnity, which marks our return to Ordinary Time in the liturgical calendar. Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. At one time, this day was called *Corpus Christi*, the Latin words for “the Body of Christ.” In the most recent revision of our liturgical rites, the name for this day is expanded to be a more complete reflection of our Eucharistic theology.

In our reading for today, we read the account of the Last Supper found in the Gospel of Mark. It begins with the instructions that Jesus gave to his disciples to prepare their Passover celebration. It then goes on to give an account of the Last Supper. On this Sunday, however, our Lectionary reading omits the verses between these two passages; in those omitted verses we hear Jesus predict his betrayal by one of his disciples.

The Gospel of Mark describes Jesus’ Last Supper with his disciples as a celebration of the Jewish feast of Passover. The Jewish celebration of Passover is a memorial to and a ritual participation in the defining moment of Israel’s history. It celebrates God’s deliverance of his people from slavery in Egypt. The Passover meal includes many ritually important elements, such as unleavened bread, lamb, and bitter herbs. Each food item recalls an aspect of the Exodus event. The instructions for the preparation of this meal are carefully prescribed in the Law of Moses. It is a central obligation of the Jewish faith tradition to celebrate this meal and to give thanks to God for his deliverance and protection.

In the description of the Passover meal found in today’s Gospel, however, Mark omits many elements of the Jewish Passover meal. Instead he describes only those elements he believes to be most essential to the Christian Eucharist: Jesus took bread, blessed the bread, broke the bread, and shared it with his disciples. Similar words and actions follow as Jesus shares the chalice with his disciples. This bread now shared is Jesus’ own body. Those who drink from the chalice are invited to share in a new covenant which will be sealed by Jesus’ own blood. Mark’s Eucharistic theology looks forward to the Kingdom of God that Jesus inaugurates.

The Gospel for today reminds us that the Eucharist is a memorial of Christ’s sacrifice on the cross. We believe that Jesus is truly present to us in the elements of bread and wine. Each time we celebrate this sacrament, we prepare for the Kingdom of God. This celebration, as the Second Vatican Council taught us, is the source and summit of the Christian life.



Happy Birthday Father Oswald!

We pray that you have a blessed new year of life filled with joy, happiness, and rest. Happy birthday!



June 2, 2024

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Adult Faith Formation Seminars

Beginning the month of May, we will hold a series of Adult Faith Formation Seminars. The seminars will be held on the following Thursdays: May 16 & May 30, June 13 & June 27. The sessions will be held from 6p.m. to 7:15p.m. Beginning the first weekend of May, a sign-up form for the seminars will be at the back of the Church.

Garden of Giving Update

11 Paid in Full; 14 Payment Plans; 3 Pledges

Total Collected as of 5/26/24: \$11,010.85

3 Year Campaign

“Garden of Giving”

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

\$5,000 Stone	\$2,500 Stone
\$1,000 Stone	\$375 Gold Leaf



Forms are located in the back of the church.

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

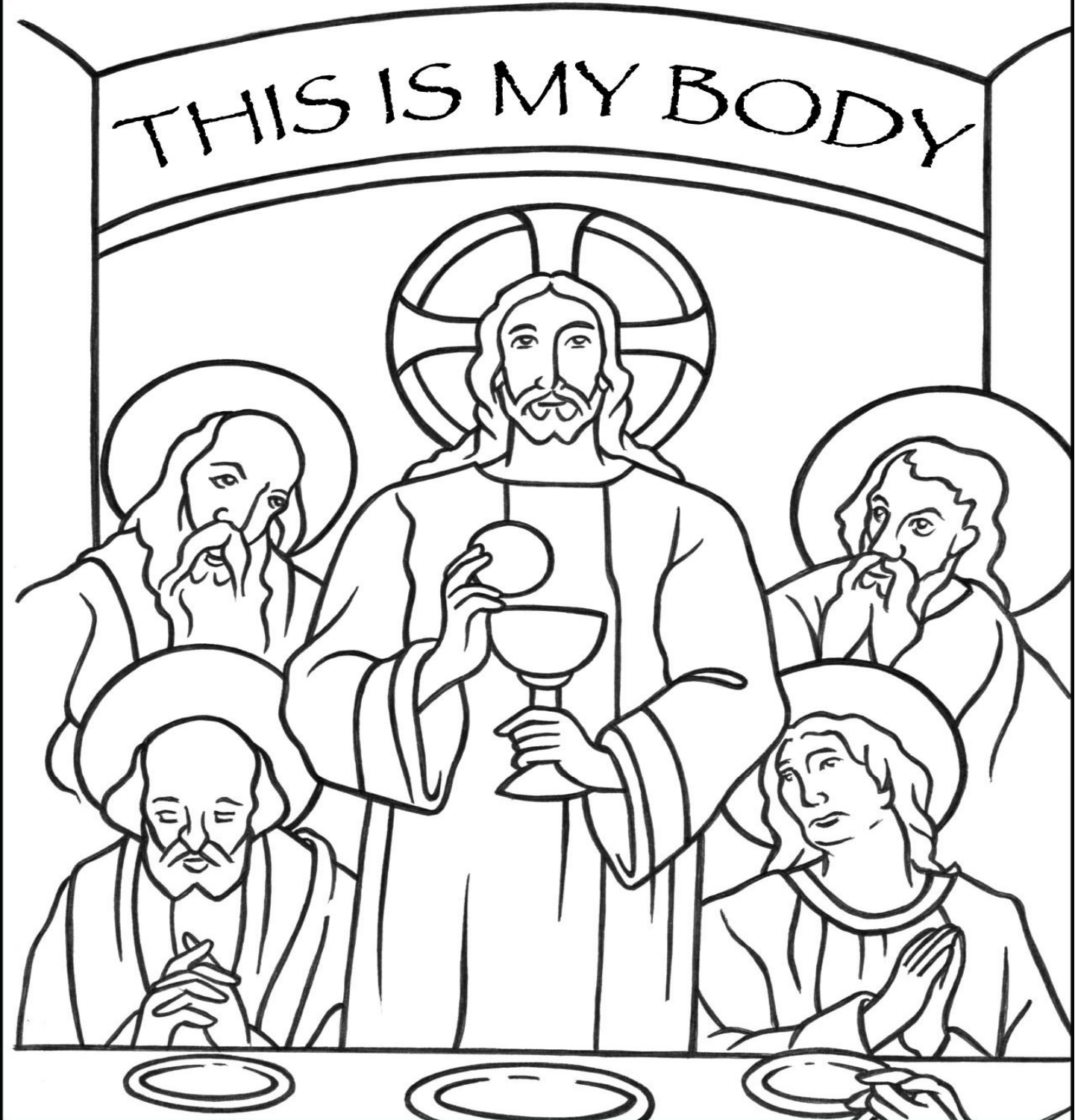
Your generosity is greatly appreciated. If you would like to set up a payment plan or have any questions, please contact the parish office at 504-947-2853. If any of these plans are not suitable for you, we are willing to work with you.

We have added the completed leaves on the tree. Please take a look and decide if you would like to add one for you or your loved ones.

Youth and Young Adult Corner

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Jesus instituted the Sacrament of the Eucharist - © TheCatholicKid.com

June Birthdays

- Paulette Daniels June 2nd
- Mya Hagan June 3rd
- Anthony Robertson June 5th
- Nedra Williams June 5th
- Valena Coco June 6th
- Fr. Oswald June 6th
- Jerry Bean June 7th
- Justin Daranda June 7th
- Curtis Acker June 8th
- Byron LaFrance June 9th
- Dwayne Word June 10th
- Joyce Mumford June 12th
- Stanley Stewart June 12th
- Sr. Teresa Rooney June 13th
- Jaime Blair June 15th
- Troy Moore June 15th
- Leonard Dowden June 16th
- Elaine R. Peters June 16th

- Chiquita Hagan June 19th
- Ronald Porea June 19th
- Michael Thomas June 19th
- Norlita Parker Wells June 20th
- Jonathan Saul June 22nd
- Warren Allen June 23rd
- Lester Morgan June 24th
- Thomas Young June 24th
- Cynthia Bienemy June 26th
- Stephen Young, Jr. June 26th
- Helen Scott June 27th
- Arrin Banks June 28th
- Josephine Daranda-Bechet June 28th
- Brandon Bean June 29th
- Joseph Pearley June 29th
- Miriam Wilson June 29th
- Jennifer DeCuir June 30th



HAPPY JUNE
BIRTHDAYS!