

# Saint David Catholic Church

November 17, 2024

## Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Mark 13:24-32*

*Jesus teaches about the signs of the coming of the Son of Man.*



**SIGNS OF  
THE END**

### **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 17, 2024–November 23, 2024*

**Monday:** Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Luke 18:35-43

**Tuesday:** Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22; Psalm 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Luke 19:1-10

**Wednesday:** Revelation 4:1-11; Psalm 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Luke 19:11-28

**Thursday:** Revelation 5:1-10; Psalm 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Luke 19:41-44

**Friday:** Revelation 10:8-11; Psalm 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Luke 19:45-48

**Saturday:** Revelation 11:4-12; Psalm 144:1, 2, 9-10; Luke 20:27-40

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**DRE:** Ann Parfaite

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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. 9, 2024 & Sunday, Nov. 10, 2024**

Saturday	\$ 661.00
Sunday	\$ 528.00
Mail-Ins	-\$ 481.00
Online	\$ 0.00
<b>Total Collection All Masses</b>	<b>\$1670.00</b>
Weekly Budget Expenses	\$3000.00
Difference (short)	\$ 688.00
St. V. De Paul	-\$ 76.00
Fund Fest	\$ 300.00
<b>Total Deposit</b>	<b>\$2046.00</b>

**Attendance:** Sat-29; Sun-68

**Total Attendance-97**

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



*Lana Piquet, Shirly Martinez,  
Louis Caliste, Jr., Joseph Caliste,  
Arlene Craft, Doris Claiborne,  
Karen Wyseman, Lewis Turner,  
Grace Leonce, Rasheed Picquet,  
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*

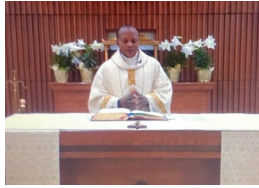
## Mass Intentions for the Week of November 17, 2024—November 23, 2024

Sun., Nov. 17:	9:00 a.m. Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church
Tues., Nov. 19:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Wed., Nov. 20:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Thurs., Nov. 21:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Fri., Nov. 22:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Sat., Nov. 23:	4:00p.m. Alfred Barbarin, Sr.

Requested By: Gloria Barbarin







## *Fund Fest Donations*

My St. David Family,

I come to you prayerfully for your continued support of your annual \$100.00 donation in the name of the “Fund Fest” as we continue to conform and shape our beloved church parish.

The “Good News” is we are on track to meeting our 1st year goal of our “Three Year Campaign”. The campaign funds are dedicated to offsetting a previous outstanding balance. In addition, these funds cannot be used for the operational expenses of the parish, even though we still fall short with our weekly contributions as stated in the bulletins.

Therefore, I pray that you consider making your annual “Fund Fest” donation of \$100.00.

This donation of \$100.00 or any amount that touches your heart will be beneficial to the survival of St. David Church.

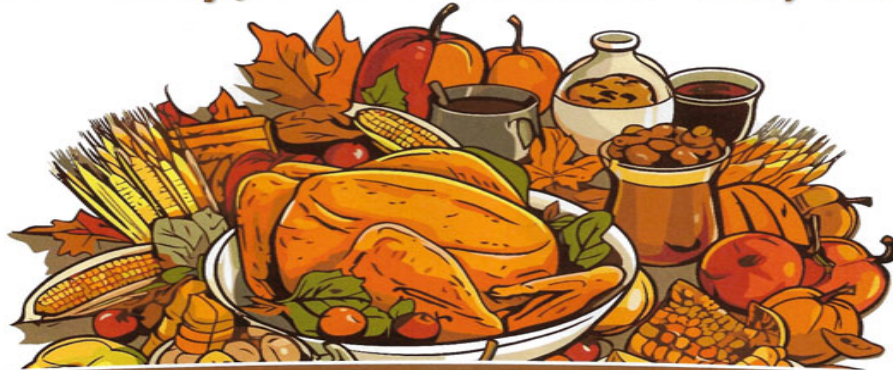
Please submit your donation by mail or in any weekly collection when you are able.

As always, your support is greatly appreciated and much needed. But most of all, it is a show of LOVE for our revered parish.

Thanking you in advance, with prayers and love.

Very Rev. Oswald P. Pierre-Jules, Jr., S.S.J., Your Pastor

**Saturday, November 23, 2024**



**HOLIDAY FOOD  
DISTRIBUTION**

**Andrew P. Sanchez & Copelin-Byrd Multi-Service Center**

**1616 Fats Domino Ave., New Orleans, LA**

**Start Time – 10:00 AM**

Food donations will be distributed to the public on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last  
For any inquiries, please contact Cynthia Guillemet, L9WHA, at [cmguillemet@yahoo.com](mailto:cmguillemet@yahoo.com)

## *The Pastor's Weekly Schedule*

Monday, November 18, 2024—Sunday, November 24, 2024

### **Monday, November 18, 2024**

The Pastor's is off.

The office of the Parish is closed.

### **Tuesday, November 19, 2024**

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 3PM: The Josephite General Council Meeting via Zoom
- 5PM to 6PM: Meeting with Couple
- 6:30PM: Pastoral Council Monthly Meeting

### **Wednesday, November 20, 2024**

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 2PM: The Pastor's Office Hours
- 4PM to 5:30PM: Wedding Prep Seminar
- 6:30PM to 8PM: Meeting at St. David

### **Thursday, November 21, 2024**

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 11AM: Home bound parishioner Visits
- 3PM to 5:30PM: Meeting at St. David
- 6:30PM to 8PM: Meeting with Priests

### **Friday, November 22, 2024**

- 7AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 2PM: The Pastor's Office Hours
- 5PM to 6:30PM: Confirmation Class
- 7PM to 8:45PM: Meeting with Haitians

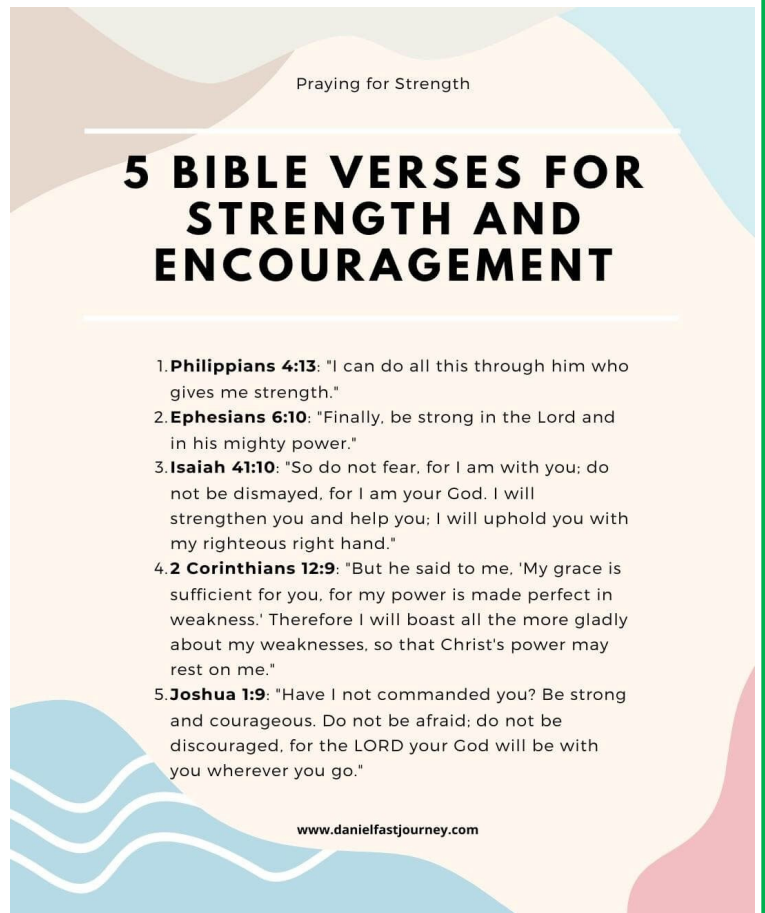
### **Saturday, November 23, 2024**

- 11AM to 12:30PM: Meeting at St. David
- 4PM: Vigil Mass
- 7:30PM: Birthday Party in Westbank

### **Sunday, November 24, 2024**

- 9AM: Sunday Liturgy
- 12PM to 1:30PM: Meeting at St. David
- 5PM to 6:15PM: Wedding prep Seminar in Westbank
- 6:30PM: Sunday Liturgy in Westbank

*Again and again, your beloved Pastor wishes you a very productive, safe, and blessed week. Please be safe and May God be with you throughout the week.*



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### Maintenance Part-time Position.

Beginning the first of September 2024, the maintenance part time position will be opened to anyone who is qualified for the job. If you want to apply, please call the office during its hours of operation to express your interest. What are the criteria and requirements of the Maintenance Position?

- 1) The position is opened to any man who can do the job.
- 2) The maintenance guy is required to do the following:
  - a) To take care of the Church and rectory, parish hall and Marais grounds.
  - b) To pay attention to what needs to be fixed or repaired in all buildings.
  - c) To maintain the parish car such as: oils changes, washing, etc.
  - d) To make sure both parish hall and Marais buildings are cleaned for weekend use.
  - e) To put out the garbage every Wednesday for pick up Thursday morning.
  - f) To open and close the St. David School Gymnasium whenever there is an event.
  - g) To do inventory, especially for the rectory, such as bulbs, tools, etc.

If you or someone you know who may be interested, please call or advise them to call the parish office at: 504 947 2853

Or Email: stdavid@arch-no.org

### Garden of Giving Update

23 Paid in Full; 15 Payment Plans; 3 Pledges

**Total Collected as of 11/10/24: \$33,855.25**

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.

*3 Year Campaign*  
*"Garden of Giving"*





## Youth and Young Adult Corner

In today's Gospel, Jesus continues this teaching by offering his disciples signs to look for that will indicate that the coming of the Son of Man is near. His words and images draw upon Old Testament imagery, especially images found in the Book of Daniel. Next, Jesus offers the lesson of the fig tree, a parable that teaches that if one knows how to read the signs, one can be prepared for the end times. Jesus also teaches, however, that no one knows when the end time will come, except the Father. In the verses that follow this reading in Mark's Gospel, Jesus continues to warn his disciples to be on watch for this end time. (Loyola Press)

### Ready for His Return

"Be on guard! Be alert! You do not know when that time will come." Mark 13:33 (NIV)

Choose the word that best matches the definition. Answers can be found in Mark 13:32-37 (NIV)



What time  
is it?

- \_\_\_ 1. The person who has something such as property  
A. owner B. servant C. angel D. father
- \_\_\_ 2. To be in a period of rest such as when we go to bed at night  
A. alert B. sleeping C. awake D. watch
- \_\_\_ 3. The loud cry of an adult male chicken  
A. bark B. meow C. moo D. crow
- \_\_\_ 4. A period of sixty minutes  
A. watch B. hour C. day D. week
- \_\_\_ 5. An adult male chicken  
A. rooster B. hen C. chick D. goose
- \_\_\_ 6. To have information about something; to be aware of something  
A. know B. think C. hope D. watch
- \_\_\_ 7. A period of 24 hours  
A. minute B. week C. day D. month
- \_\_\_ 8. To keep an eye on; to guard  
A. hide B. sleep C. time D. watch
- \_\_\_ 9. A particular moment in the day, such as eight o'clock  
A. time B. watch C. sleep D. night
- \_\_\_ 10. The place where a person or family lives  
A. tent B. heaven C. door D. house

# *November Birthdays*



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