

Saint David Catholic Church

June 15, 2025

Most Holy Trinity

John 16:12-15

Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit of Truth will guide us.



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 15, 2025-June 21, 2025

Monday: 2 Corinthians 6:1-10; Psalm 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4; Matthew 5:238-42

Tuesday: 2 Corinthians 8:1-9; Psalm 146;2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a; Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Corinthians 9:6-11; Psalm 112:1bc-21, 3-4, 9; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Corinthians 11:1-11; Psalm 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8; Matthew 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30; Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Matthew 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Corinthians 12:1-10; Psalm 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Matthew 6:24-34

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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

June 7, 2025 & Sunday, June 8, 2025

Saturday	-----	-\$1129.00
Sunday	-----	\$ 629.00
Mail-Ins	-----	\$ 180.00
Online	-----	-\$ 110.00
Total Collection All Masses	-----	\$2048.00
Weekly Budget Expenses	-----	-- \$3000.00
Difference (short)	-----	-\$ 952.00
St. V.D.P.	-----	\$ 131.00
Total Deposit	-----	\$2179.00

Attendance: Sat-34; Sun-79

Total Attendance-113

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



*Lana Piquet, Shirley Martinez,
Louis Caliste, Jr., Joseph Caliste,
Arlene Craft, Doris Claiborne,
Karen Wyseman, Lewis Turner,
Grace Leonce, Rasheed Picquet,
Saalyiah Leslie, Yvonne Sanchez,
Darryl Sanders, Norma Conohan,
Shane Dave, David Williams,
Shirley Francois, John Wysemam,
Gaynell St. Julien, Veronica Nolan, Dolore*

Mass Intentions for the Week of June 15, 2025—June 21, 2025

Sun., Jun. 15:	9:00 a.m. Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church
Tues., Jun. 17:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Wed., Jun. 18:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Thurs., Jun. 19:	7:30 a.m. Mass Intentions
Fri., Jun. 20:	7:30a.m. Mass Intentions
Sat., Jun. 21:	4:00p.m. Sarah Laste: Requested By: KPC Court 125;

Charles A. Claverie, III, Requested By: Rideau & Mirabin Family;
Edith J. Smith





A Message from the Pastor

Beloved,

I invite you to join me to celebrate with the Fathers and Grandfathers of our Parish. Yes, this is the day that Lord has made, and we are rejoicing with them and their families. Oh Happy Day!! Indeed, we are very blessed to have these wonderful men as our parishioners. I personally thank them for their membership, their dedication, and their commitment to St. David.

Moreover, we give thanks to God for calling those men to be fathers and grandfathers. May God continue to bless them abundantly as they continue to live their vocation as fathers and grandfather. We thank all fathers and grandfathers for what they continue to do for St. David. Indeed, their presence in the parish remains a blessing. This is their weekend. Therefore, let us celebrate them. Throughout the intercession of St. Joseph, may they continue to be great and wonderful Christian fathers and grandfathers.

My friends, this is your day. Please allow the ladies in your life to treat you like a Prince, that's how you have been for them and for St. David.

Finally, your Pastor wishes you a Happy Father's and Grandfather's Day. Well, enjoy your Big weekend my friends. Again, thank you for All that you continue to do for your beloved parish. We love you dearly, and may God be with you and yours.

I remain yours truly and always,

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

Announcements

Vote of Thanks

Good people and Pastor of St. David, may the Lord continue to bless and enrich you abundantly. Amen. Thank you so very much from the bottom of my heart for your prayers and support, and for the gifts you gave me on my ordination to the Priesthood. I appreciate you all.

Fr. Linus A. James, S.S.J.

Workshop Seminar

We will hold a workshop seminar for ALL Lectors of the Eucharistic and Ministers of Hospitality on Saturday, June 28, 2025, from 10AM to 12PM in the Parish Hall. Please call the Office to R.S.V.P. We look forward to seeing you all in attendance.

News About the Parishioners Still Away

Last week, the office of the parish reached out to the following parishioners:

Adeline and Bridet Harris, Paulette Daniels, Ann Henry, Cynthia Bentley, Bertha Ballard, Walter Merricks, Yvonne Plaisance.

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Yes, we intend to hold a Vacation Bible School as we do every year. We will bring you more information next weekend. Indeed, the Vacation Bible School will be for both our youth and adults of our parish. Please stay tuned for more information forth coming. For any questions, please contact your Pastor, Fr. Oswald.

The Pastor's Weekly Schedule

Monday, June 16, 2025—Sunday, June 22, 2025

Monday, June 16, 2025

Office of the parish is closed.

The Pastor is not off!!

- 10AM: The Pastor's Meeting with Josephites in the are at St. David.

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 2PM: The Pastor's Office Hours
- 4PM to 5:30PM: Marriage Counseling Session
- 6:30PM to 7:30PM: The Pastoral Monthly Meeting

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 2PM: Josephite General Council Meeting at Corpus Christi
- 5PM to 7PM: Joint Meeting of Josephite General Council and St. Augustine High School Board of Directors

Thursday, June 19, 2025

In Observation of Juneteenth, the office of the Parish is closed and the Pastor is off.

Friday, June 20, 2025

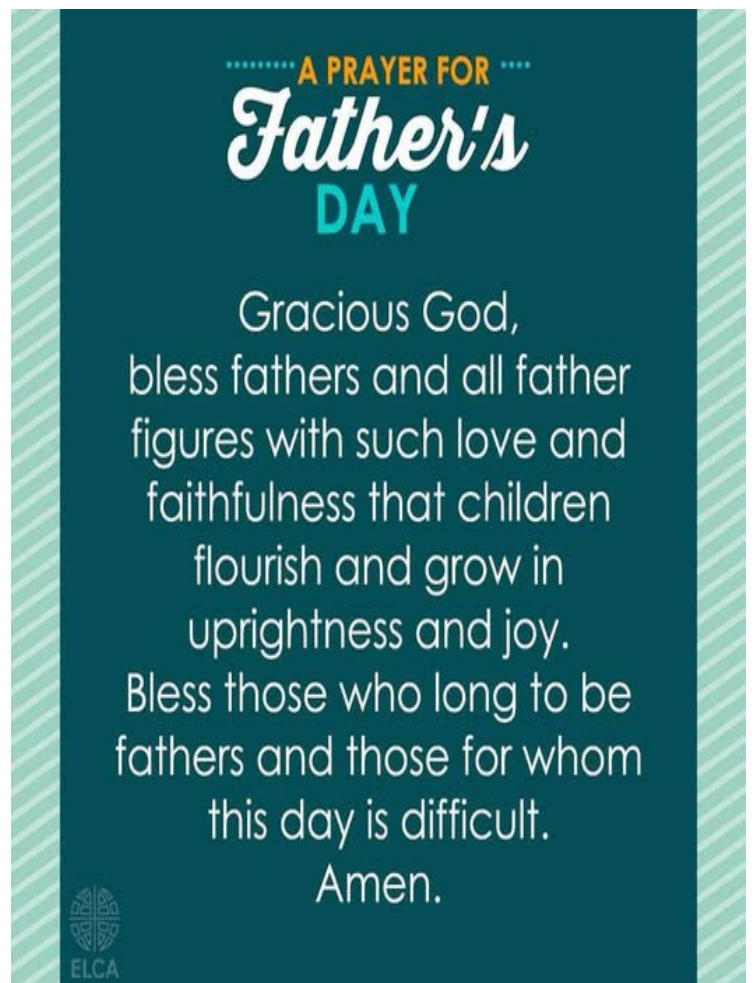
- 7:30AM: Daily Mass
- 10AM to 12:30PM: The Pastor's Office Hours
- 1PM: Meeting with the Archdiocese Building Office Representative
- 7PM to 8:45PM: Meeting at St. David

Saturday, June 21, 2025

- 11AM: Mass of Christian Burial/Funeral
- 4PM: Vigil Mass
- 7PM: Meeting at St. David

Sunday, June 22, 2025

- 9AM: Sunday Liturgy
- 12:30PM to 1PM: Meeting at St. David
- 6:30PM: Sunday Liturgy in Westbank



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Maintenance Part-Time Position is still Available

If you or anyone you know would like to apply, or for more information, please contact the parish office during office hours.



Garden of Giving Update

33 Paid in Full; 11 Payment Plans; 2 Pledges

Total Collected as of 6/8/25: \$42,358.10

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

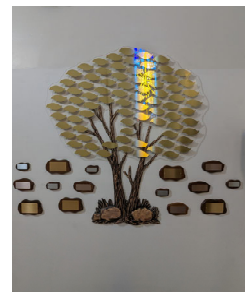
3 Year Campaign "Garden of Giving"

\$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.

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel



*St. Michael the Archangel,
Defend us in battle,
Be our protection against the malice and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him,
We humbly pray.
And do you, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the divine power,
Thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl about the
world,
Seeking the ruin of souls.*

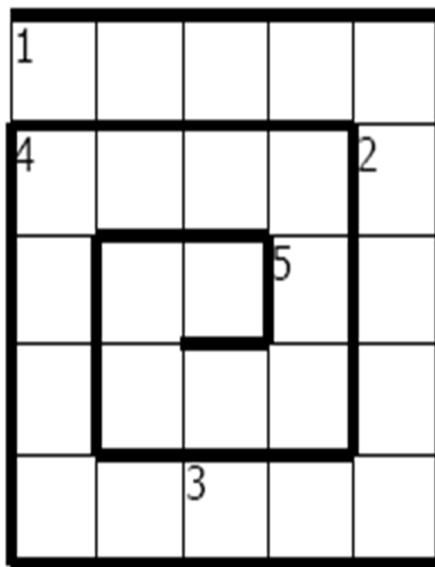
Youth and Young Adult Corner

God is the model for us of selfless love. There was no need for God to create our planet or the creatures that inhabit it; it was an act of selfless love. There was also no need for God to send his only Son to save us. That too was an act of selfless love. (Loyola Press)

The Work of the Holy Spirit



"But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come." John 16:13 (NIV)



1. To show the way by leading, directing, or advising
2. To express your thoughts, opinions, or emotions orally
3. A statement proven to be or accepted as being true
4. To receive a sound using your ears
5. God coming to us without human body; The Holy _____.

truth

Spirit

speak

guide

hear

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

In Loving Memory

- Leslie Williams 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

