

Saint David Catholic Church

February 28, 2021 Second Sunday Of Lent



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Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m. -

Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m.

Daily Masses:

Tuesday thru Friday at 7:30 a.m. in the rectory chapel.

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

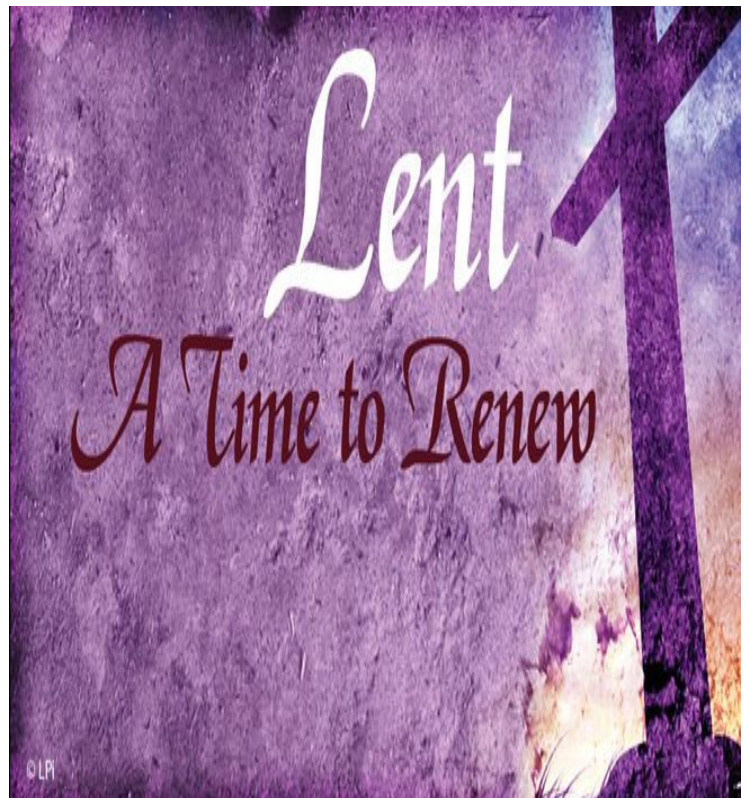
Confessions: 30 minutes before weekend Masses or anytime by request.

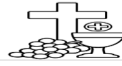
Eucharistic Adoration: Fridays, 6:30 p.m. in The Rectory Chapel

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.. Pastor's office hours: Tuesday-Friday 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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)





Mass Intentions for the Week of February 28, 2021 - March 6, 2021

Sun., Feb. 28th:	9:00 a.m.	Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church
Tues., Mar. 2nd:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Wed., Mar. 3rd:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Thurs., Mar. 4th:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Fri., Mar. 5th:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Sat., Mar. 6th:	4:00 p.m.	Joseph O. Simms, Jr. RIP requested by Nadine Ancar

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Collections and Attendance:

Sat., February 20, 2021 and Sun., February 21, 2021:

SATURDAY _____	\$1,005.00
SUNDAY _____	\$948.00
TOTAL COLLECTION TWO MASS _____	\$1,953.00
MAIL-IN CONTRIBUTIONS: _____	\$402.00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS: _____	\$2,355.00
WEEKLY BUDGETED EXPENSES _____	\$3,000.00
DIFFERENCE (short) _____	\$645.00
EXTRA:	
Ash Wednesday: _____	\$240.00
TOTAL Deposit: _____	\$2,595.00

PS: Once again, thank you for being so generous to your beloved parish.

Attendance:

Ash Wednesday: 48
Saturday: (27) Sunday: (54) **Total: (81)**

Sick & Shut-in



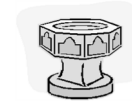
Mary Honore, Joyce Costello, Lana Piquet, Shirley Martinez, Shirley Williams, Louis Caliste, Jr., Gilbert Luke, Joseph Caliste, Arlene Craft, Doris Claiborne, Karen Wyseman, Beryl Wingate, Virginia Paul, Lewis Turner, Grace Leonce, Rasheed Picquet, Edith Smith, Armani Fernandez, Saalyiah Leslie, Yvonne Sanchez, Darryl Sanders, Emma Smith, Arniesha Fernandez, Fabian Ancar, Norma Conohan, Shane Dave, David Williams, Shirley Francois, Ann Parfaite, John Wysemam, Gaynell St. Julien

Theme For The Parish:

St. David: Faith, Family, and Fellowship

Mass Intentions

Throughout the Covid-19 pandemic, Fr. Oswald will be saying a daily Mass for all parishioners affected by the Coronavirus.



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 office of the parish.
- Seminar with parents and godparents to be arranged with the pastor before the baptism.
- Coordinator: Mrs. Linda Pichon



Weekly Scripture Readings March 1, 2021-March 6, 2021

Monday: Daniel 9:4b-10; Psalm 79:8,9, 11 & 13; Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday: Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Psalm 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23; Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jeremiah 18:18-20; Psalm 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday: Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1:1-2,3, 4, & 6; Luke 16:19-31

Friday: Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Psalm 105:16-17, 18-19, 2021; Matthew 21:33-34, 45-46

Saturday: Micah 7:14-16, 18-20; Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

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From Loyola Press:

Gospel Reading

Mark 9:2-10

Jesus is transfigured in the presence of Peter, James, and John.



Background on the Gospel Reading:

On the second Sunday of Lent in each Lectionary cycle, the Gospel reading proclaims the story of Jesus' Transfiguration. This event is reported in each of the Synoptic Gospels—Matthew, Mark, and Luke. This year, in Lectionary Cycle B, we hear Mark's report of this event.

The context for Mark's Transfiguration story is similar to that found in both Matthew's and Luke's Gospel. The Transfiguration occurs after Peter's confession that Jesus is the Messiah and Jesus' prediction about his passion. After this, in each of these Gospels, there is also a discussion of the cost of discipleship.

In each case, Jesus takes three of his disciples—Peter, James, and John—to a high mountain. While they are there, Elijah and Moses appear with Jesus. In Matthew's and Mark's Gospel, there is reference to a conversation among Jesus, Elijah, and Moses, but only Luke's Gospel includes the detail that this conversation is about what Jesus will accomplish in Jerusalem.

Elijah and Moses are significant figures in the history of Israel. Moses led the Israelites from slavery in Egypt and received from Yahweh the Ten Commandments. In appearing with Jesus at his Transfiguration, Moses represents the Law that guides the lives of the Jewish people. Elijah is remembered as one of the most important prophets of Israel who helped the Israelites stay faithful to Yahweh. Some Jews believed that Elijah's return would signal the coming of the Messiah for the Jewish people. This belief is evidenced in the question posed by Jesus' disciples after they have witnessed the Transfiguration. The appearance of these two important figures from Israel's history with Jesus signifies Jesus' continuity with the Law and with the prophets and that Jesus is the fulfillment of all that was promised to the people of Israel.

On seeing Jesus with Elijah and Moses and having witnessed his Transfiguration, Peter offers to construct three tents for them. Mark reports that the disciples are terrified by what they have witnessed and that Peter's offer is made out of confusion. We also notice that Peter has reverted from his earlier confession that Jesus is the Messiah, calling Jesus *rabbi* instead. As if in reply to Peter's confusion, a voice from heaven speaks, affirming Jesus as God's Son and commanding the disciples to obey him. This voice from heaven recalls the voice that was heard at Jesus' baptism.

In his Transfiguration, we see an anticipation of the glory of Jesus' Resurrection. In each of the reports of the Transfiguration, Jesus instructs the disciples to keep secret what they have seen until after the Son of Man has risen from the dead. The disciples' confusion continues as they wonder what Jesus means by rising from the dead. The disciples cannot possibly understand Jesus' Transfiguration until they also witness his passion and death. We hear the story of Jesus' Transfiguration early in Lent, but we have the benefit of hindsight. In our hearing of it, we anticipate Jesus' Resurrection, even as we prepare to remember Jesus' passion and death.

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