

Saint David Catholic Church

April 25, 2021 Fourth Sunday of Easter



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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.

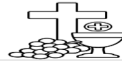
Eucharistic Adoration: Fridays, 6:30 p.m. in The Rectory Chapel

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 April 25, 2021 - May 1, 2021

Sun., Apr. 25th:	9:00 a.m.	Pro-Populo St. David and St. Maurice Church
Tues., Apr. 27h:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Wed., April 28th:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Thurs. Apr. 29th	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Fri., Apr. 30th:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intentions
Sat., May 1st:	4:00 p.m.	Special Intentions



Contribution and Attendance:

Please see bulletin insert.

Archdiocesan Employment Opportunities

Job opportunities are currently listed on our HR page: <https://nolacatholic.org/employment>. Please refer to our Job-Link often and share with qualified referrals!

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

Trust in the Lord

with all your **heart** and lean not on your own **understanding**, in all ways acknowledge him, and **He** will make your paths.

Proverbs 3:5-6

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 April 25, 2021—May 1, 2021

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Psalm 42:2-3, 43:3, 4; John 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Psalm 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; John 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24-13:5a; Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8; John 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Psalm 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27; John 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Psalm 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; John 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; John 14:7-14

Parish Upcoming Activities

Garage Sale

Saturday, May 1, 2021 from 7a.m. to 2p.m. in the parish parking lot.

Celebration of Confirmation

Saturday, May 1, 2021 during the celebration of the 4p.m. Liturgy.

2021 Graduations

If you know a family member, friend or anyone graduating in a particular field, please have them call the parish office between now until May 1, 2021 at (504) 947-2853. Thank you for your assistance.

Archdiocesan Natural Family Planning Classes

With professional instruction, Natural Family Planning has proven itself to be safe, effective, and a moral way for couples to plan their families. It is a method which respects the meaning of human sexuality as God created it and thus marital love is enhanced and strengthened. This class series the Office of Marriage and Family Life is offering in the SymptoPro™ Method of Natural Family Planning will be conducted by Kelly Donahue of the Archdiocese of New Orleans. This series will be virtual by using Zoom. The dates of the class series are May 1, May 15, May 29 and June 26, 2021. The Zoom class hours are 9:00 a.m. – noon. You do need to attend all sessions. Register online [https:// nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/symptothermal-nfp-course](https://nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/symptothermal-nfp-course).



A Message From the Pastor:

Dear Beloved Family Members;

I truly hope that you and your loved ones are well. I also hope that you continue to take the opportunity to get vaccinated when it is your time to do so. Please know that you have been in my thoughts and prayers throughout this week. Please join me as we continue to pray for our brothers and sisters who are sick, and those who are unable to join us every weekend to celebrate the Eucharist as a family.

On this Good Shepherd Sunday, Jesus describes the role of a good shepherd where He stated : “A good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep.” My friends and families, Jesus, the Good Shepherd asks us to care for one another, to be disciples to one another, and to encourage one another. Throughout this Easter season, we continue to reflect and meditate on God’s love for mankind by giving humanity His son Jesus as the ultimate gift. Yes, every year, we go through the season, and every year, we know and learn more about God’s everlasting love. In return, Jesus, the son of God asks us to treat others the way we want to be treated.

Dear beloved friends, among so many things we have learned throughout this pandemic has been that we need the support from one another, and that we are living in an interconnected world. Indeed caring for one another must be the mark of our discipleship. Personally, throughout my priestly ministry at this wonderful parish, I have learned that I am a blessed and fortunate individual; a fortunate and blessed priest with amazing, committed, and dedicated parishioners. For that, I will forever remain grateful.

Dear friends and families, I love you and please stay safe. May the Risen Lord continue to bless and protect you and your loved ones. I wish you all a very blessed and productive week. May this Easter Season be and remain a blessed season for you, families, and friends.

I remain yours truly and always,

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