

WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S PARISH

November 12th, 2023

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time – A –

Reflection

As we draw close to the end of the liturgical year, the church, invites us to contemplate the end – the end of our lives and the end of the world. Jesus has told us that the Son of Man will return in glory on the last day to judge the living and the dead, but no one knows when that will be. Jesus asks us to be prepared, to stay awake for his return.

CWS Christmas Breakfast and Market

The Catholic Women's Society is pleased to announce our 10th annual Christmas Breakfast and Market on Sunday Dec 3rd. Tickets are \$12.50 each and will be on sale after each Mass starting Nov 11, and at the parish office on weekdays. Please join us as we usher in the 2023 Christmas Season with St. Nicholas and our amazing vendors!!



Parish Council

The pastoral council of our parish will meet this Thursday, November 16th at 8:00 pm. All the members are kindly reminded to be present.

Shepherd's Trust

.....supports the needs of our retired clergy who have served our family of faith, enriching our lives in our own homes, schools, churches, hospitals and other areas of ministry. Through your support of the Shepherd's Trust, our retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years. There will be a special collection on the weekend of November 18 & 19 and special envelopes will be made available. Thank you.

Save the Date

Sale of Holy Land Olive Wood Products

On November 18 & 19, after all the Masses, there will be a Holy Land Christmas Olive Wood religious articles fundraising sale to support the Christian Catholics of Jerusalem & Bethlehem. Visa, MasterCard, Debit, Checks and Cash is accepted.



Children's Liturgy of the Word

St. David's is excited for the Children's Liturgy program to continue this year. We are still in great need of new leaders to come forward to assist as we engage the children of our parish with the Word of God. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer and taking part in this rewarding experience, please contact Anna Amato at annaamato3118@gmail.com for further information.



First Communion Registrations and Confirmation Registrations for 2024 are now CLOSED.

*****Remembering Deacon Dominic Pullano*****

Most of you have heard that our dear Deacon Dominic was called home to the Lord on Saturday, November 4th very suddenly and unexpectedly. As a parish community, which he served so faithfully for twelve years, we mourn his death, pray for the repose of his soul, and offer our heartfelt support to his wife Gina, our pastoral associate, and to his whole family. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Pray for Peace

During the whole month of November we will keep our beautiful olive wood statue of Our Lady of Bethlehem in the sanctuary. Please take time to pray for peace in Palestine, Israel, Ukraine and other parts of our world that are suffering because of hatred and division.

Archdiocesan Consultation Underway

Share your Ideas to assist with future planning!

Our archbishop, the Most Rev. Francis Leo, is inviting Catholics throughout the archdiocese to share their key priorities to help inform and guide an updated Pastoral Plan. To participate in the consultation, visit: www.archtoronto.org/consultation to complete a brief survey by December 15, 2023, where you can offer your suggestions and insights. Thank you.



Get excited!!! Youth Group gathers **every Friday** at 7:30 pm in the Church Hall. We are also happy to announce that Amanda Scenna is our new Youth Leader. We are so happy to gather our youth for fun and faith-filled activities. Spread the word!! Please email saintdavidyouthgroup@gmail.com If you have any inquiries.

Adult Confirmation

It is never too late.... if you are 18 years of age or over and wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please email stdavidsacraments@gmail.com or call the office at 905-832-5595.

Holy Land Pilgrimage –CANCELLED...However...

*****Greece & Turkey Pilgrimage*****

Fr. Ernie will be leading a group of pilgrims from our parish from April 15th to 26th, 2024 to visit Greece & Turkey: "In the Footsteps of St. Paul"- Featuring a cruise ship. This 12 day journey of faith will cost \$4,890 per person (double occupancy) with breakfast, dinner and great accommodations included. Do not miss this wonderful opportunity to travel to the places St. Paul visited and built up the early Christian community. Please call Henry at 647-272-2811 to book your spot.

Food Bin

The SVDP collects food all year long for those in need. Simply drop off your donations of non-perishable good in the bin. Thank you.

BENVENUTI A ST. DAVID'S

Ordinario: Trentaduesima Domenica – A –

Nella storia di nozze che ci viene raccontata oggi, è strano che non si parli della sposa. Ma è meglio non parlarne troppo in fretta. Perché questa sposa, che è la chiesa, è anche ciascuno di noi, nella misura in cui si prepara attivamente, nella fede, alla venuta del Signore. <<Io dormo, ma il mio cuore veglia>>. E il nostro cuore?

Colazione e Mercatino di Natale

La Società di Donne Cattoliche di St. David's è molto felice di annunciare la nostra decima colazione e mercatino di Natale annuali, domenica 3 dicembre. I biglietti costano \$12.50 a persona e saranno in vendita dopo tutte le messe domenicali. e presso l'ufficio parrocchiale nei giorni feriali. Unisciti a noi mentre inauguriamo il periodo natalizio 2023 con San Nicola e i nostri fantastici venditori!!



Shepherd's Trust

L'annuale colletta per il fondo di pensione per i sacerdoti si terrà domenica, 19 novembre. Questi fondi assistono i nostri sacerdoti anziani e ammalati che hanno servito la Chiesa con fedeltà e amore a vivere con dignità e serenità i loro ultimi anni. Troverete buste di offerte speciale al fondo della chiesa. Grazie per la vostra generosità.

Vendita di Oggetti Religiosi

Il 18 e 19 novembre, dopo tutte le messe, ci sarà una vendita di articoli religiosi in legno d'ulivo di Natale in Terra Santa per sostenere i cristiani cattolici di Gerusalemme e Betlemme. Si accettano Visa, MasterCard, debito, assegni e contanti.

Prega per la pace

Per tutto il mese di novembre custodiremo nel santuario la nostra bellissima statua in legno d'ulivo della Madonna di Betlemme. Per favore, prendetevi del tempo per pregare per la pace in Palestina, Israele, Ucraina e in altre parti del mondo che soffrono a causa dell'odio e della divisione.

Programma di Cibo per i Senzatetto

Continuamo sempre a preparare le "cassarole" di pasta per i poveri che vivono per le strade della città. Venite a l'ufficio parrocchiale per prendere le teglie.

Pellegrinaggio alla Terra Santa— CANCELLATO.... Invece.....

*******Pellegrinaggio in Grecia e Turchia*******

Fr. Ernie guiderà un gruppo di pellegrini della nostra parrocchia dal 15 al 26 aprile 2024 per visitare la Grecia e la Turchia: "Sulle orme di San Paolo" - Con una nave da crociera. Questo viaggio di fede di 12 giorni costerà \$ 4.890 a persona (camera doppia) con colazione, cena e ottimo alloggio inclusi. Non perdere questa meravigliosa opportunità di viaggiare nei luoghi visitati da San Paolo e dove ha costruito la prima comunità cristiana. Chiama Henry al numero 647-272-2811 per prenotare il tuo posto.



Saturday – Sabato November 11

5:30 p.m. †Nicola Mattacchione

Sunday – Domenica November 12

7:30 a.m. Tutte Le Anime

9:00 a.m. Pro Populo

10:30 a.m. †Maria Grande (1 Yr) †Filippina Torchia (7 Yrs) †Gerry Mariani †Rocco e Palma Lavalle †Calogero e Maria Palermo †Carmine e Filomena Sicoli †Camilo Rulli e Famiglia †Camilo De Thomas e Famiglia †All Souls in Purgatory †Lina e Salvatore Stellato †Pierino Ferraro †Cesido e Anthony Socci †Michele e Colomba Guida †Amadio e Maria Scenna †Defunti delle famiglie Scornaienchi e Provenzano †Salvatore Ruzza †Michele Di Roma †Donato Delgobbo †Nunzia e Giacinto Marcantonio †Francesco e Concetta Delgobbo

12:00 p.m. †José Suzana

2:00 p.m. Baptisms

5:30 p.m. †Lambertino Pullano †Archangelo Pugliese

Monday – Lunedì November 13

7:30 a.m. †Walter Contenta (Died in Italy)

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Alessandro Zonni (1 Yr)

Tuesday – Martedì November 14

7:30 a.m. †Eugenio Naccarato

No Evening Mass

Wednesday – Mercoledì November 15

St. Albert the Great

7:30 a.m. †Assunta Mancini †Luigi Bonfigli

8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 p.m. †All Souls

Thursday – Giovedì November 16

St. Margaret of Scotland

St. Gertrude

7:30 a.m. †Quinto Luigi Massaro

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass †Salvatore Martone (1 Yr)

Friday – Venerdì November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

7:30 a.m. †Schiavonea & Natale Straface

†Anna & Vincenzo Straface

7:00 p.m. Mem.Mass: †Rita Porco (Died in Venezuela)

Saturday – Sabato November 18

The Dedication of the Basilicas of

Sts. Peter and Paul

7:30 a.m. †All Souls

9:00 a.m. Mem.Mass: †Sante Centorame (2 Mos)

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!!!!!!

BONNE SEMAINE!!!!!!



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Massimo Lui
Bologna
Leia Avery Manis

Gabriel Alexander Miguel
Rocco Vero Tavernese
Emma Rose Winger