

Announcements – May 11, 2025

Welcome visitors! We're so glad you're here, and we want to connect with you! Please look for the "I'm New Here" card in the back of the pew in front of you, fill it out, and drop it in the offering plate.



Stay in the know Are you receiving our weekly e-news? It's the best way to stay in the loop about upcoming events and opportunities. Use this QR code to add your email to our distribution list.

Please help us keep the sanctuary a sacred and clean space.

Please do not bring food or beverages into the sanctuary, and please remember to silence your cell phones. Thank you for your help in keeping it a holy space ready for worship.

We need YOU at Vacation Bible School!

May 27-30, 8:30 a.m. - noon

What a FUN way to serve God and show His love to our children!

To have a successful week of VBS, we need volunteers! Can you or your youth help? Please let us know your availability! Scan the QR code to the right to volunteer or email maryhaydenm@saintdavids.net.



- Can't help in-person but want to support VBS? You can purchase necessary supplies from our Amazon wish list and have them shipped straight to the church! Scan this QR code to view the list:
- You can also provide snacks and drinks for our amazing volunteers to keep them energized throughout the week. Look for the Sign Up Genius link in your weekly e-news!



Adult Sunday School – current classes

Our faith journey is not meant to be walked alone. Sunday School is a great way to connect, learn, and build relationships with others in our church community! We invite you to join us in McAllister Hall at 9:00 for breakfast and fellowship followed by Sunday School at 9:20. **Children's Sunday School also begins at 9:20, and nursery care is available.*

- **He is Risen** - Christ's Resurrection is what it is all about. This Easter season, embark on a transformative journey to deepen your understanding of the resurrection and its profound impact on our lives today. Starting April 27th and continuing through June 1st, Fr. Brian will guide us through "He is Risen," where we'll delve into the scripture passages that recount the astonishing resurrection appearances. Together, we'll uncover the rich tapestry of resurrection portrayals throughout church history and explore what this central tenet of our faith means for us as modern Christians. Come prepared to engage, reflect, and be inspired by the living story of the resurrection.
- **Here I Am. Send Me!** - Led by Rev. Mikel, this class will explore the profound call of God as expressed in Isaiah 6:8 (also the Diocesan theme for the year): "Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I. Send me!'" Join us as we delve into understanding God's call to His people, discerning when it is a call from God, and reflecting on how we each respond. As His people, we are equipped with unique gifts and are called to different missions at various points in our lives. Whether you're seeking clarity on your own call or simply wish to engage in meaningful discussion, all are welcome to join. Come and explore how we can embrace our roles in God's mission with open hearts and willing spirits.

Senior Sunday - May 18

Join us at 10:30 service on Sunday, May 18th, as we celebrate and pray for our high school and college graduating seniors! If your child is graduating this May, send their name to Mary Hayden so we can honor them! maryhaydenm@saintdavids.net

SDEC Young Families Podcast Study continues!

The men will meet on Monday, May 12th, at 7:00 p.m. at the 203 Rosemary Avenue, 78209. **Even if you've missed, come! All you need is a Bible...or a Bible app!* Questions: paigercad@gmail.com

Giving

Your generosity shapes hearts, lives, and futures within our church community and beyond these walls, and we are grateful for your gifts that support the mission of the church. Donations can be made online by scanning the QR code here, by placing your gift in the offering plate, or by mailing a check to the church office at 1300 Wiltshire Ave, 78209. Please contact Beth Crowley with giving questions: bethc@saintdavids.net.



UPCOMING DATES

Sundays

Adult Choir Rehearsal, 11:45 a.m.

Tuesdays

Morning Prayer, 7:30 a.m.

May 12

Young Families Men, 7:00 p.m.

May 18

Graduating Senior Sunday

**No Jr. High Youth*

May 19

Joint Jr. & Sr. High at Airtopia, 6:00 p.m.

May 27-30

Vacation Bible School

July 27-August 1

Duncan Park Retreat

Children's Sunday School Children's Sunday School takes place at 9:20 on Sunday mornings, and nursery care is available for children through 3 years of age during Sunday School hour and the 10:30 service. If you're interested in helping teach either group of kids (PK-2nd grade or 3rd grade & up), please let Mary Hayden know! It takes a village, and we'd love to add you to the rotation! maryhaydenm@saintdavid.net

Joint Youth Group Outing – Monday, May 19th, at Airtopia

Monday, May 19 - End of the year joint outing for middle and high school youth groups at Airtopia, 6:00-8:00 p.m. \$15 per child. **RSVP to Mary Hayden: maryhaydenm@saintdavid.net.** **Please note that middle school will not meet on May 18 since they are joining the high school youth on the 19th.*

St. David's Retreat at Duncan Park - July 27 - August 1

Our St. David's retreat at Duncan Park is scheduled for JULY 27 - AUGUST 1, and we hope you'll consider joining us! It's a beautiful setting in which to experience God's creation and share in fellowship with other parishioners. Hiking, white-water rafting, and more! Cost ranges from \$350-750 depending on choice of accommodations with travel and meal costs additional. To reserve your spot or get more information, email Father Brian: briant@saintdavid.net

Adult Choir – Come sing with us! We want more singers in every section! Come check us out any Sunday morning, either for the 9:30 a.m. warm-up or the post-service rehearsal at 11:45 a.m. The choir is a great group of people with whom you will enjoy singing! If you have any questions, please contact Ed at: edr@saintdavid.net.

Morning Prayer Join us for Morning Prayer on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 a.m. in the sanctuary.

Join The Camp Good Sam Campaign

Good Samaritan Community Services hosts Camp Good Sam Jr. and Camp Good Sam, serving children ages 5-18, each summer. This is a no-cost camp for families that provides a safe space for learning and exploration. All are invited to join the *1951 Camp Good Sam Campaign* with a gift of \$19.51 which will cover ONE day of camp. Scan the QR code here to donate on their website. You can also purchase items from their Amazon wish list using the link in your weekly e-news. Please email katherinegainey@gmail.com with any questions. *And stay tuned for more ways you can support Good Sam in the future!*



Sponsor the Altar Flowers

Altar Flowers are a wonderful way to honor a loved one! Scan here to sign up to sponsor the altar flowers on a Sunday morning. Minimum suggested donation is \$75 (you can certainly give more to be used for your arrangements) and can be paid online at saintdavid.net/giving or with a check mailed to the church office. Please note "Altar Flowers" in the memo line. **If your date is not available or you're having trouble with the online calendar, please email whitneyo@saintdavid.net to be added.*



Nursery Care Infants and children up to 3 years are cared for on Sundays during Faith Formation and the 10:30 worship service in Bright Beginnings Room 1 across from church office. Please bring all of your child's necessities.

Weekday Visitors

If you are visiting the church during the week, please enter and sign in at the church office at 901 Canterbury Hill. Please help us keep the school area safe and secure while our little ones are on campus. Thank you!

Social Media

Follow us for church and school photos, reminders, and news!

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stdavidchurchandschool

Instagram: [@lifeatstdavid](https://www.instagram.com/lifeatstdavid)

Please join us in prayer for: Blake, Max & Gray, Brennan, Tim & Peggy, Colleen, Robert, Mari & Steve, Ethan, Jake, Maryln, Patsy, Bob and Joan, Josie Jo, Ginger, Jean, Sheryl, William, Mark, M'Lissa, Mike, Evangelina, Paxton, Sharon, Nena, Wilshire Elementary School

Email whitneyo@saintdavid.net to add or update an announcement. Email bethc@saintdavid.net to update your information, make an addition to the prayer list, or with any financial/giving questions.