WELCOME TO THE NSA MONTEREY CHAPEL
ST. THOMAS AQUINAS ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
17 FEBRUARY 2019
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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ATTENDANCE & FINANCIALS

Sunday, February 10, 2018: 113
Weekday: 61
Offering: $557.00

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Available by Appointment & the
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ST. DAVID: According to tradition, St. David was the son of King Sant of South Wales and St. Non. He was ordained a priest and later studied under St. Paulinus. Later, he was involved in missionary work and founded a number of monasteries. The monastery he founded at Menevia in Southwestern Wales was noted for extreme asceticism. David and his monks drank neither wine nor beer - only water - while putting in a full day of heavy manual labor and intense study. Around the year 550, David attended a synod at Brevi in Cardiganshire. His contributions at the synod are said to have been the major cause for his election as primate of the Cambrian Church. He was reportedly consecrated archbishop by the patriarch of Jerusalem while on a visit to the Holy Land. He also is said to have invoked a council that ended the last vestiges of Pelagianism. David died at his monastery in Menevia around the year 589, and his cult was approved in 1120 by Pope Callistus II. He is revered as the patron of Wales. Undoubtedly, St. David was endowed with substantial qualities of spiritual leadership. What is more, many monasteries flourished as a result of his leadership and good example. His staunch adherence to monastic piety bespeaks a fine example for modern Christians seeking order and form in their prayer life. His feast day is March 1. Source: https://www.catholic.org/saints/saint.php?saaint_id=220

CATHOLIC WOMEN OF THE CHAPEL:
The Catholic Women of the Chapel meet on Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30 AM at St. Angela Merici Parish Hall (362 Lighthouse Ave Pacific Grove) and from 7:00-8:00 PM on the second Tuesday of every month at Panera Bread (2080 California Ave Sand City). We are a group of women associated with the military who come together to learn about our faith, serve our community, and provide fellowship to one another. We hope you will come join us! For more information please email: CWOC.MontereyCA@gmail.com and find us on Facebook at: Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC) ~ Monterey, CA During the month of January, CWOC will be collecting items for Confidence Pregnancy Center in Salinas. Items needed: girl’s clothing 12-18m (used or new), boy’s shoes under 24m (used or new), diapers size 3 or 4, women’s maternity pants all sizes, baby spoons, baby soaps, shampoo, and lotion, and pacifiers. Please place donated items in the marked box at the church entrance.

WEEKDAY READINGS:
TUE 19: GN 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; PS 29:1A AND 2, 3AC-4, 3B AND 9C-10; JN 14:23; MK 8:14-21
WED 20: GN 8:6-13, 19-21, 29 AND 22-23; SEE JN 6:33C, 68C; MK 8:27-33
SAT 23: HEB 11:1-7; PS 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; SEE MK 9:6; MK 9:2-13

MONTEREY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
The Monterey Knights of Columbus council 1465 meets at 462 Webster Street on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm. The council serves all requests from the local clergy and most of our manpower is drawn from St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic community. The 2nd Wednesday of each month is a family social where we offer a place for like-minded Catholic families to fellowship, and freely speak Catholicism without fear of reprisal. The council offers several opportunities for group charitable works including vocations sponsorship, support to the mentally disabled and seminarians, Catholic funeral and baptism assistance, and we put American flags at the graves of Catholic veterans on Memorial Day and Independence Day each year. If you are an adult male, a practicing Catholic, and desire to support Monterey’s exclusively Catholic network, come to the next family social. The Monterey Knights of Columbus council 1465 meets at 462 Webster Street on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm. The council serves all requests from the local clergy and most of our manpower is drawn from St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic community. The 2nd Wednesday of each month is a family social where we offer a place for like-minded Catholic families to fellowship, and freely speak Catholicism without fear of reprisal. The council offers several opportunities for group charitable works including vocations sponsorship, support to the mentally disabled and seminarians, Catholic funeral and baptism assistance, and we put American flags at the graves of Catholic veterans on Memorial Day and Independence Day each year. If you are an adult male, a practicing Catholic, and desire to support Monterey’s exclusively Catholic network, come to the next family social. We are in need of ushers, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, lectors, altar servers, daily Mass servers, religious education teachers, or anywhere you can help. We thank you for your prayerful consideration; please contact John Gats at jvgats@nps.edu if you can help.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:
Do you have a child that is interested in becoming an altar server? If your child has received their First Communion and is enrolled in our religious education program, please contact Sarah Farley, sfarley82@gmail.com for details on new altar server training.

DAILY MASS: AN IDEA WHOSE TIME HAS COME?
Many of us may have thought about attending daily Mass, but there never seems to be enough time. Studies, family life, sports, you name it. Too many things to do! But there is good news. If we attend daily Mass, somehow God can make us more effective in our relationships, work, and play. So give daily Mass a try – a one week trial should let you know if it is something good for you and your life. It’s worth the gamble!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHAPEL MINISTRIES
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LOOKING FOR AN EASY NEW YEAR’S RESOLUTION? Many of us make New Year’s resolutions and within days or weeks, are stumbling in our efforts to keep them. Here’s an easy one: Resolve to ask one inactive Catholic, whether family member or friend, to attend mass with you. Just attend one mass, no obligation after that. What could be an easier New Year’s resolution?