



2014!

**ASH WEDNESDAY (MARCH 5TH)
HOLY EUCHARIST W/ THE
IMPOSITION OF ASHES
@ 12 NOON & 7 PM.**

THURSDAYS IN LENT:

**MARCH 6TH | MARCH 13TH | MARCH 20TH
MARCH 27TH | APRIL 3RD | APRIL 10TH
5:30 PM EVENING PRAYER; SOUP SUPPER
YESTERDAY, TODAY & NOW WHAT?**

SUNDAYS IN LENT:

**MARCH 9TH | MARCH 16TH
MARCH 23RD | MARCH 30TH
APRIL 6TH**



**PALM SUNDAY - APRIL 13TH
LITURGY OF THE PALMS & PASSION SUNDAY**

**HOLY WEEK - APRIL 14 - 19TH:
STATIONS OF THE CROSS
MAUNDY THURSDAY
GOOD FRIDAY**

**THE GREAT VIGIL OF EASTER - APRIL 19TH
EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 20TH**

OUR LENTEN GATHERING

During Lent, your Congregational Development Team will focus on congregational exercises to better understand our collective identity. The team, including Fr. Joe, Patti Case, Toby Kevin, Laurie McClanahan, Judy Ogden and Barb Weza, is planning at least two elements for the Lenten season: First, an exercise involving creating a parish timeline, to help us understand where we've been as a parish here in Shelton. A similar exercise was completed at St. Mark's Seattle a few years ago and yielded important insights into patterns of the

parish. To quote Edmund Burke, "Those who don't know history are destined to repeat it." Whether you are a history buff or a newcomer to St. David's please join us as we map our history during Lent.

Our second exercise will use the 15 elements contained in "A People Called Episcopalians" by John Westerhoff, to map how we see ourselves as a parish. What areas is our parish especially good at? For example: Liturgy/Biblical, Comprehensive,

Ambiguous, Open-minded, Intuitive, Aesthetic, Moderate, Mystical, Pastoral, and more. We hope this exercise will also help us see what we as individuals, and we as a parish, can do to deepen our faith. We'll map out our parish and our individual priorities according to the elements unique to Episcopalians.

Join us on Thursdays during Lent to create and test-drive these exercises. Then join us on Sundays to watch and participate as our history and our identity unfold. *Patti Case, Sr. Warden*

St. David of Wales

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
MARCH 2ND - MARCH 8TH

When the pagan Anglo-Saxons invaded Britain in the fifth and sixth centuries, many British Christians sought refuge in the hill country of Wales. There they developed a style of Christian life devoted to learning, asceticism, and missionary fervor. Since there were no cities, the centers of culture were the monasteries, and most abbots were bishops as well. Dewi (David in English) was the founder, abbot, and bishop of the monastery of Mynyw (Menevia in English) in Pembrokeshire. He was responsible for much of the spread of Christianity in Wales, and his monastery was sought out by many scholars from Ireland and elsewhere. He is commonly accounted the apostle of Wales, as Patrick is of Ireland. His tomb is in St. David's cathedral, on the site of ancient Mynyw, now called Ty-Dewi (House of David).

ST. DAVID OF WALES FEAST DAY

MINISTERS OF THE SERVICE

7:30 AM SERVICE

LECTOR: GEORGE DAVIDSON
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: GEORGE DAVIDSON
 GREETER: ROSEMARY DAWSON

10:30 AM SERVICE

LECTORS:
 1ST LESSON: LAURIE MCCLANAHAN
 PSALM: NORM EVELETH
 2ND LESSON: HAROLD SWEARINGEN
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: JUDY OGDEN
 GREETERS: MIKE CALLAGHAN & ANN ANDERSON
 ALTAR GUILD: ANN OLLI & ANN ANDERSON
 FLOWERS: LAURIE MCCLANAHAN
 10:30 AM
 HOST: MARIAN EVELETH & JOAN NIEMANN
 ORGANIST: SUZANNE MONTGOMERY
 DEACON: THE REV. JOAN NIEMANN
 PRIEST-IN-CHARGE: THE REV. JOSEPH MIKEL

ST. DAVID'S PRAYER LIST

Helen	Norine
Saylah & Hector	Christine
Grandma Marion	Connie
Elaine	Gordon
Don	Al
Allison	Jamie
Mary Lynn	Joe
Eric	Laura
Betty	Zach
Carey	Linda
Mary Lee	Kathy
Carol	Steve
Elizabeth (B.J.)	Dr. Fred
Jen	Pat
Brian	Jerry
Bob	Elizabeth M.
Bob	Jim
Mike	Jose
Benigno	Felipa
Hisidora	Concepsion
Isabel	

Eucharistic Ministers Meeting Today!
 9 am in the EFM/Library. Join us for fellowship and discussion.

ST. DAVID'S LAST WEEK

Attendance	
7:30	10:30
17	43
Pledge	
\$625	\$82



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Barb Whitener	March 5th
Helen Brewer	March 7th
Mildred Starr	March 7th
Jay Reandeau	March 9th
Donna Fairbanks	March 10th
Blase Gorney	March 10th

Knit & Pray!
 Join us:
 Monday,
 March 3rd at
 1:30 pm at
Alpine Way in
 the Dogwood Dining Room. Help us
 celebrate Donna Fairbanks 90th
 birthday! Questions/information, call
 Suzy Petty at 432-0989.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- ♥ MARCH 2ND, SUNDAY @ 9 am; All Eucharistic Ministers Meeting!
- ♥ MARCH 3RD @ 1:30 PM: KNIT & PRAY, Monday, at Alpine Way in the Dogwood Dining Room!
- ♥ MARCH 5TH, ASH WEDNESDAY Services @ 12 noon & 7 pm.
- ♥ MARCH 6TH, THURSDAY, 1st Gathering of Lenten Program @ 5:30
- ♥ MARCH 8TH, CURSILLO TEAM MEETING at St. David's; 9 to 3 pm.
- ♥ MARCH 17TH, Monday, St. Patrick's Day Luncheon!
- ♥ APRIL 13TH, PALM SUNDAY
- ♥ APRIL 20TH, EASTER
- ♥ MAY 15-18, Thurs. – Sun., Cursillo using all of Church & Parish Hall

COMMUNITY LIFELINE

(Formerly St. David's Parish Hall Ministries)

Community LifeLine needs your help!
 Volunteers needed for the Office and the Shower Ministry: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday from 10 am to 2 pm.
 Please see Barb Weza @ 360.427.0825

Did you sign up to Host our Fellowship Hour after the 10:30 am Eucharist? We Need You! This is a ministry of us all, so please look at our sign-up sheet on the information table in the back of the Church and join the fun!