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**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 21, 2018**

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the St. Margaret Parish Community, are a Catholic Parish of diverse ages, gifts and backgrounds. We dedicate ourselves to our personal relationship with Jesus and to growing as a community of faith.

We endeavor to serve the community through education, and service and social ministries, and commit ourselves to the nurturing of the spiritual life by celebrating the Sacraments, by enriching our life of prayer and by deepening our understanding of the Scriptures. We strive to reach out and respond to the changing needs of our community.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

**SUN. OCTOBER 21 - TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 Mary Bivona
9:00 Calogero e Salvatore DiMaggio/Daniele
Bussa/Lucia Tartamella/Defunti della
Familia DiPaola/Giovanna Bivona
10:30 Msgr. Peter Zendzian (ANNI)
NOON People of the Parish
5:00PM Anna May Capplemann/Mary Schatz

MON. OCTOBER 22 - ST. JOHN PAUL II, POPE

7:00 Rose Santoro
9:00 Robert Narky

**TUE. OCTOBER 23 - ST. JOHN OF
CAPISTRANO**

7:00 Gandolfa Musca
9:00 Maria & Calogero Ciaccio

**WED. OCTOBER 24 - ST. ANTHONY MARY
CLARET**

7:00 Gandolfa Musca
9:00 Fred Basedow

THU. OCTOBER 25 - WEEKDAY

7:00 Mary Westman
9:00 Virginia Congemi

FRI. OCTOBER 26 - WEEKDAY

7:00 Pat Pellegrino
9:00 Ted Mundy, Jr. (BIRTH)

SAT. OCTOBER 27 - WEEKDAY

9:00 COLLECTIVE: Joseph Mugno/Salvatore
Diglio/Pasquale Pompeo (BIRTH)/
5:00PM Frank Cerar, Sr.

**SUN. OCTOBER 28 - THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 Mary & Bob Hallahan
9:00 Gandolfa Musca/Vincenzo e Aurelia Laudani
Salvatore Casabianca e Famiglia/Giovanna
Bivona/
10:30 Mass of Thanksgiving
NOON Edward H. & Ellen T. Morrissey
5:00PM People of the Parish



ST. JOHN PAUL II, POPE

PARISH INFORMATION

**The Rectory office is open
Monday - Thursday - 9 am to Noon, and
1 pm to 7pm
Friday - 9 am to Noon, and 1 pm to 5 pm
Saturday - by appointment
Sunday - closed**

CONFESSIONS - Saturday, 4-4:45 pm or by
appointment with a priest.

NOVENA to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
Mondays after the 9am Mass.

BAPTISMS take place on the 1st and 3rd
Sundays of the month. Please call the
rectory for an appointment and to register
your child.

WEDDINGS MUST be scheduled at least
six months in advance by appointment with a
priest or a deacon. Please call the rectory office.
For marriage preparation information visit
www.pre-cana.org.

THE ENGLISH CHOIR rehearses on Tuesday,
at 7 pm in the Church. Tenors and baritones
needed!

IL CORO ITALIANO pratica ogni Domenica
prima della Messa Italiana.

THE YOUTH CHOIR rehearses on Thursday,
from 6-7 pm in the Church. For more info,
DnDsingit@aol.com

BOY SCOUT TROOP #119 meets on Tuesdays
from 7:15-9 pm in the Parish Hall. New members
are welcome, age 10 1/2 & up. Call Mr. Krzewski,
718-894-4099.

CUB PACK #119 meets on Mondays from
7-8:30 pm in the Parish Hall. New members
welcome, age 6 to 10-1/2. Call Mr. Krzewski,
718-894-4099.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Karen Guarascio, Connie Faccibene, Eileen Hinrichs, Linda Frazier, Cari Ann Falk-LoBello, Glen Falk, Ronald Frazier, John Downer, Robert Sabini, Lee Falk, Scott White, Baby McKinley Kelleher, Sean Harrison, Justin James Quirke, Elizabeth Ott, Marion Caracciola, Baby Keila Mary Champoli, The Ferrugio Family, Sandra Slattery, Richard Santangelo, Joseph Simon, James Taylor, James Leung, Dr. Joan Virostko, Alfie Poje, Margaret Cosentino, Ann Pompeo, Gloria Mojica, Larry Dumbra, Bob Marvin, Joseph O'Brien, Katie Bryzgoria, Daniel Fox, Domenica Millitello, Caterina D'Anna, Evelyn Mojica, Immaculate Marge D'Elia, Carol Arevalo, Jim O'Driscoll, Victoria Lippolis, Mary Rigovich, Matteo Sabini, Charles Schaaf, Alvaro Andres Gonzalez, Luis Sanchez, Billy Gillespie, George McGarry, Cathie Greulich, Anthony Bruno, Charles G. Krzewski, John Wert, Joseph Stubbs, Bob & Karen Schaefer, Michael Hirst, Mary Harrison, John Murphy, Anne McGinnis, Richard Santangelo, Norma Voyer, Vicky Turato, Adriana Caruso, Julio Pelaez, Maritza Gutierrez, Graciela Mora, Cindy Mulore,

The names will remain for 3 months, please call 718-326-1911 and ask for continued prayers.

Prayer Requests

**Pray for vocations to the Priesthood
and Religious Life.**

**Please pray for our men and women from our
Parish serving in the defense of our country:
Lt. Col. Thomas Frohnhoefer
Sgt. Robert A. Domenici**

TODAY'S READINGS

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11
Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22
Heb 4:14-16
Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2:1-10
Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5
Lk 12:35-38

Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22
Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14
Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12
Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6
Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Eph 3:14-21
Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19
Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6
Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6
Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16
Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5
Lk 13:1-9

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9
Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6
Heb 5:1-6
Mk 10:46-52



WE RECALL OUR BELOVED DECEASED

*Especially,
Carmella Spoto,
Magdalena Pogorelz,
May they rest in Christ's Peace!*

MEMORIALS

WINE & HOST THIS WEEK

*are offered in memory of Virginia Congemi at
the request of the Joe, Dorothy & John Congemi.*



**DON'T FORGET TO
FALL BACK ON
SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 4**



**COME ONE,
COME ALL!!**

Our Boy Scout Troop #119 will be outside the Church the weekend of October 27/28 selling *World's Finest Chocolate*.

Please stop by and help our Scouts and purchase your supply of goodies!

RCIA

Adults who have not been baptized or received First Communion or Confirmation should contact Sr. Bridget, 718-326-1911 to register for faith formation in the *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*. The Sacraments will be conferred next Spring, after participation in the formation process. Registration ends this Friday.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Very often, people come to the Rectory asking for a certificate or letter attesting to their being active members of our Parish. That's hard for us to do, if there is no record of their being registered.

All families worshipping here at St. Margaret's are encouraged to register with the Rectory Offices. All you have to do is complete the following information and drop it into the collection basket. We'll take it from there.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: (_____) - ____ - ____

VISITS TO THE HOMEBOUND

Call the Rectory to arrange for a **visit to the homebound by a priest** so that the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Anointing, and Communion can be administered to our sick and/or elderly parishioners.

MARIAN DEVOTIONS

Come, join us for an evening of Marian devotions and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 pm this Wednesday evening in the church.

Prayer is always needed, especially in these disturbing times, to overcome the evils in the world, in our country, and in the Church. Take time to pray the Rosary daily.



**ST. JOHN OF
CAPISTRANO**

St. John was born at Capistrano, Italy, in 1385, the son of a former German knight in that city. He studied law at the University of Perugia and practiced as a lawyer in the courts of Naples. King Ladislas of Naples appointed him governor of Perugia. During a war with a neighboring town, he was betrayed and imprisoned. Upon his release he entered the Franciscan community at Perugia in 1416. He and St. James of the March were fellow students under St. Bernardine of Siena, who inspired him to institute the devotion to the holy Name of Jesus and His Mother. John began his brilliant preaching apostolate with a deacon in 1420. After his ordination he traveled throughout Italy, Germany, Bohemia, Austria, Hungary, Poland, and Russia, preaching penance and establishing numerous communities of Franciscan renewal. When Mohammed II was threatening Vienna and Rome, St. John, at the age of seventy, was commissioned by Pope Callistus III to preach and lead a crusade against the invading Turks. He gained victory in the battle of Belgrade against the Turks in 1456, personally leading part of the Christian army. Three months later he died in Illok, Hungary.

FROM THE ACADEMY



Our annual Race for Education was held on Friday, October 19. Our students worked hard by walking and running laps both in the gym and the track at Juniper Park. Fun was had by all for this fantastic fundraiser. We thank the race committee who graciously spent many long hours working on envelopes, labels and more. A shout out to Carleen Corbett, Patty Caruana, Pat Dokter, Allison Converly, Dawn Smith, Pat Femia, Bridie Mitchell, Sister Patricia, Joan Gill and the many who helped the day of the event.

SAVE THE DATE

*for our 80's Supermarket Blitz on Friday,
November 16, 2018, details are below!*

BIBLE CLASS

Bible Class is starting up at Saint Margaret's. We will begin with the Gospel of Saint Luke, which we will be hearing at Sunday Mass beginning in Advent. We hope for a relaxed, prayerful time to encounter the Lord Jesus in His Word. Bible Class will be held on Mondays at 1pm in the Convent, if there is enough interest, a second group will meet on Thursdays at 7:30pm. If there is a lot of interest, we might have a third class on Sunday at 9am. Interested? Please email Father Wilson at Frwils@aol.com and tell me which of these three times is good for you.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thanks to the **239 families** who have contributed toward the *2018 Annual Catholic Appeal!* We're over **our Parish goal** of \$69,365 with **\$72,576** in pledges, **104.6% of goal.**

Support YOUR Parish with whatever you can give, if you haven't made a pledge yet. Only money above goal that is received by December 31 will come back to the Parish for needed projects, so please make your payments as soon as possible.

THANKS, SCOUTS!

Thanks to the members of our **Scout Troop #119**, who are taking pride in our facilities and are doing a great job to spruce up the property and buildings!

**THE ST. VINCENT dePAUL
FOOD PANTRY**
is located in the Convent.



**The pantry is open on
WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY
from 10am to 12 Noon.**

Thank you for your very generous support of the urgent need for food. The shelves are comfortably full and we look forward to serving our less fortunate families better. Always in short supply are coffee, bottled juice, mayo, peanut butter, and jelly.



TICKETS FOR THE 2018 - 80's SUPERMARKET BLITZ ARE ON SALE!!

DATE OF EVENT: Friday, November 16

TIME: Doors open at 6:30 pm

TICKET PRICE: \$15.00 p/p

CONTACT: Margaret Varuzzi, 917-578-8237

*We are in need of baskets for our Blitz.
If you would like to donate some, please bring them to the School.*

SAINT MARGARET
GIFT SHOP
OPEN

Wednesdays, 12pm - 4pm
Saturdays, 4pm - 5pm and
Sundays, 9am - 1pm

We have a selection of religious goods: Rosaries
- Medals - Gifts - Crucifixes - Statues - Bibles
other books **AND MORE!**

If we don't have it, we'll try to get it for you.
The Gift Shop is located in the rectory. Please
use the red side door in the parking lot.
If the door is closed, please knock.

Contact us: StMargGiftShop@yahoo.com

ST. MARGARET'S
YONKERS EMPIRE
CITY BUS TRIP

Monday, November 19, 2018

The bus will be in front of the Church and will leave
promptly at 9am. The cost is **\$25.00 p/p.**

For reservations/information call

Betty, 718-326-0198

ONE LUCKY PERSON WILL WIN
A FREE RIDE ON OUR DECEMBER TRIP



DEFENSIVE DRIVING
COURSE

to be given in St. Margaret
School Library on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

from 9am to 3:30pm

THE COST: \$45.00 per person

THE BENEFITS: 10% discount on liability
and collision insurance for 3 years. Up to 4
points deducted from your driving record.

CONTACT: Sister Bridget at

718-326-1911

for more information or to register.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

Our Religious Education Program is flourishing
with a present enrollment of about 350 children in
grades 1-8. As a result, we need more teachers so as
to keep our class sizes at a reasonable level. If you
would like to share the Faith and help young people
know Jesus Christ, please contact Ms. Richardson
Coordinator, Religious Education at:

stmargaretre@gmail.com

ALTAR SERVERS

Fr. Wilson is in the process of recruiting and training a
new class of altar servers and retraining those who were
installed previously. This important ministry is open to
boys and girls 5th Grade and up, whether attending our
Academy or our Religious Education Program.
Registration and the first training session will be
announced in upcoming bulletins.

Meanwhile, installed servers should check in at the
Sacristy whenever coming to Mass. We may need
**your assistance on a volunteer basis until regular
schedules can be issued.**

ZUMBA

Zumba Fitness is doing a 1-hour Zumba fundraiser
for our Academy at 7:30pm this Thursday, October
25, in the Parish Hall. Cost is \$10 p/p (cash only).
Wear your sneakers. Bring a friend, and have some
fun getting fit!

SEXUAL ABUSE

Call 1-800-342-3720, the toll-free, NY State
hotline, or the toll-free, Diocesan number, 1-888-634-
4499, to report **any possible sexual abuse of
children or adults** by anyone. Both lines are
confidential.

The Diocese will hold a **meeting** at 7:30 this
Wednesday evening at *Resurrection-Ascension* on
the **sexual abuse problem**. Please contact **our**
Rectory by Monday morning, if you want to attend,
so we can make a reservation for you.