

ST. MARGARET ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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~ **MASS BELLS** ~

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**THIRTY-THIRD
SUNDAY
IN
ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 17, 2019**

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.	NOVEMBER 17 - THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
7:30	Anne Hynes
9:00	Joseph Russo/Daniele Bussa/Rosaria, Rosario e Nunzio Taormina/Sanfrancesco DiPaola/Alessio Atria/Concetta Giampapa Sanfilippo, Giuseppe, Vincenza, Antonino, Vito e Antonino/Vincenzo Battaglini/Famiglia Pitassi, Battaglini e Cercone/ Margaret M. Forte (BIRTH)
10:30	People of the Parish
NOON	
5:00PM	Fred Basedow
MON.	NOVEMBER 18 - DEDICATION OF THE BASILICAS OF STS. PETER AND PAUL/ST. ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE
7:00	John Hint
9:00	Rose D'Amato
TUE.	NOVEMBER 19 - WEEKDAY
7:00	Walter W. and Katherine Weiner
9:00	Fred Basedow
WED.	NOVEMBER 20 - WEEKDAY
7:00	In Thanksgiving
9:00	Julia Duignan
THU.	NOVEMBER 21 - THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
7:00	John Martinkat
9:00	Rosaria Ragussa/Maria Falsetta
FRI.	NOVEMBER 22 - ST. CECILIA
7:00	Ann I. Giordano
9:00	Fran K. Miller
SAT.	NOVEMBER 23 - STS. CLEMENT AND COLUMBAN/BLESSED MIGUEL AUSTIN PRO
9:00	Collective: Lena & Joseph Mazzola/ Peter & Rita Cooney
5:00PM	
SUN.	NOVEMBER 24 - THIRTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
7:30	Thomas Mazza
9:00	Vincenza, Mariano e Salvatore Palmeri/ Antonino e Antonina Costa/ John Downer
10:30	Richard Garezynski
NOON	
5:00PM	People of the Parish



**THE PRESENTATION
OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN
MARY
NOVEMBER 21**

PARISH INFORMATION

Rectory Office Hours

**Monday - Friday - 9 am to Noon, and
1 pm to 5pm**

**Tuesday & Wednesday evenings
5-7pm**

**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.

THE ROSARY AND DIVINE MERCY devotion are prayed every morning in the church at 8:30am.

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 Monday, 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.

SENIOR CITIZENS meet every Wednesday at 12 Noon in the Parish Center.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Karen Guarascio, Connie Faccibene, Linda Frazier, Cari Ann Falk-LoBello, Glen Falk, Ronald Frazier, Robert Sabini, Lee Falk, Scott White, Baby McKinley Kelleher, Sean Harrison, Justin James Quirke, Elizabeth Ott, John Wert, Mary Harrison, John Murphy, Anne McGinnis, Norma Voyer, Vicky Turato, Julio Pelaez, Maritza Gutierrez, Graciela Mora, Cindy Mulore, Salvatore Tuttolomondo, Gloria Mojica, Gloria Pemaj, Anne Gorian, Allen McConville, Joseph Simon, Jack Marchindiondo, The Scaturro Family, Joseph Siano, Louis Pittelli, Marion Caracciola, Vita Mazzola, Giovanni Campo, Edward Stoltzenberg, Louis Pittelli, James Graff, Carol Arevalo, Immaculate Marge D'Elia, Jim O'Friscoll, Mary Rigovich, Matteo Sabini, Bob Biolsi, The Mojica Family, Fr. William Farrugia, Msgr. Leonard Badia, Matthew Zender, Cathie Greulich, Joseph & Mary Augustine,

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**



***WE RECALL OUR
BELOVED DECEASED***

*Especially,
William J. Lienhart
May they rest in Christ's Peace!*

MEMORIALS

WINE & HOST THIS WEEK

*are offered in memory of John Martinkat at the
request of Hildegard Martinkat & Family.*

TABERNACLE LAMP THIS WEEK

*is lit in memory of Hans Winter at the
request of the Winter Family.*

ALTAR CANDLES THIS WEEK

*are offered in memory of Lena & Joseph
Mazzola at the request of Ben Armato.*

TODAY'S READINGS

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mal 3:19-20a
Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9
2 Thes 3:7-12
Lk 21:5-19

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158 Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	2 Mc 6:18-31 Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	2 Mc 7:1, 20-31 Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15 Lk 19:11-28
Thursday:	1 Mc 2:15-29 Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	1 Mc 6:1-13 Ps 9:2-3, 4, 6, 16, 19, Lk 20:27-40
Sunday:	2 Sm 5:1-3 Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 Col 1:12-20 Lk 23:35-43



MEMORIALIZE A MISSALETTE FOR 2020

You can put the name of a loved one on a missalette for one year. There are two types of forms: a white one “In Honor of (living)”, and a purple one “In Memory of (deceased)”. Each person who uses the missalette is asked to pray one Hail Mary for your intention.

Forms are in the vestibule and on the radiators in Church. Please fill out the form and return it to the Rectory as soon as possible, or place it in the collection basket in an envelope together with your \$10.00 donation for each commemoration.

160TH ANNIVERSARY EVENTS

Save the dates! Several events are being planned for the celebration of our Parish’s 160th anniversary. Among them are *Lessons and Carols* on **Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15**, followed by light refreshments and a raffle drawing, and a *jubilee dinner-dance* benefiting the Parish and the Academy on **Saturday evening, May 16**.

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 #: (____) - ____ - _____

INTERFAITH SERVICE

There will be an interfaith prayer service at Our Lady of the Angelus, 63-63 98th St., Rego Park, at 4:00pm Sunday, November 24. Light refreshments will follow.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society are helping us to extend our Parish ministry to the sick or elderly homebound, so that we can address their needs for the Sacraments, food, and/or social contact.

Please call Terry (1-718-326-0188) to set up a visit by a Society member or a priest.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please do not delay in contacting the Rectory in the event that someone needs the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick because of advanced age or illness.

COMMITMENT

Many thanks to the families who have made a commitment to increase their weekly contributions to the Parish! Forms still are available in church, if you haven’t completed one yet. *Your* Parish is counting on *you*. Collections already are up slightly from last year.

As always, thanks for your sacrifice and generosity!



**SAINT
CECILIA
NOVEMBER
22**

ST. MARGARET GIFT SHOP

Wednesdays, 12:00 - 4:00pm
Saturdays, 4:00 - 5:00pm
Sundays, 9:00am - 1:00pm

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: parishcalendar@aol.com

E-GIVING IS HERE!

Have you signed up yet with *Faith Direct* or another e-giving service? It benefits both you and our Parish. Enrollment is friendly, safe, and trouble-free, AND you can change your intended giving anytime that your wish.

Please visit our Parish website,
stmargaretmv.com
and click DONATE, or contact the Rectory,
718-326-1911
for more information.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

We've done it!!! We're now at **\$67,352, 102.2%** of our *Annual Catholic Appeal* goal of **\$65,897**, thanks to the **183** families who have pledged so far. **\$66,240** has been paid in already, which means that **we're getting back some money this year.**

If you've been hesitating until now, this is a good time to consider giving to this year's *Appeal*. **Every dollar over goal that is received by 12/31/19 will come back to the Parish.** Envelopes are still available in church. *Send your donation directly to the Appeals office.*

MONTHLY MEMORIAL MASS

A **memorial Mass with music** is celebrated each month for the repose of the souls of those who were buried from our church during the preceding month.

While we no longer celebrate private memorial Masses, families who wish to have an annual or "month's mind" Mass offered for a loved one can join in this monthly celebration. Please contact the Rectory at 718-326-1911 to make the arrangements.

The next memorial Mass will be celebrated at 11:45 am Saturday, December 14.



THE ST. VINCENT FOOD PANTRY

is located in the Convent
66-25 79th Place

**The Pantry is open every
WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY
from 10:00 am to 12:00 Noon.**

The Holidays are coming! Please donate coffee, tea, apple juice or cider, stuffing mix, canned yams, instant mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce and cooking oil.

For more info. call Terry, 718-326-0188


As always, thank you for your generosity!

SAVE THE DATE . . .

This year our *Lessons & Carols* will be dedicated to the deceased members of the adult choir, *Anne Abbruzzese, Tom Brucato, Augie DeSimone, Joe DiChiaro, Joe and Georgette Hauck, Rose LaVaglia, Dorothy Murawski, Joe Ritti, and Joe VanSchaick*, who served for many years.

Lessons & Carols will be a combination of our adult choirs and our "Cherub" (youth) choir and their parents!

Please join us for a prayerful and spiritual afternoon. Mark the date: **Sunday, December 15, at 3:00pm in the Church.**

The
Bulletin Board

**A WAY TO HELP ST. MARGARET
CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

Yankee Candle is one of the fundraisers St. Margaret Catholic Academy participates in. If you would like to help us in our effort to raise funds for our school, go to www.yankeecandlefundraising.com and enter our Group #990015939 in the “**Start Shopping**” box. Shop for catalog items to help us increase sales. Your shipment will come directly to your home. On-line sales can be entered up until **January 8, 2020**.

SUPERMARKET BLITZ

Friday, November 22nd

\$15 p/p includes coffee & cake

For tickets or information, call Margaret,

917-578-8237

**TICKETS ARE
ON SALE!!**



**ST. MARGARET'S
YONKERS
EMPIRE CITY BUS TRIP**

Our next trip will be on this
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2019.

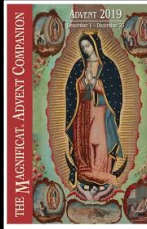
The bus will be in front of the Church and
will leave promptly at 9am.

The cost is **\$25.00 per person.**

For reservations or more information call
Betty at 718-326-0198.

**ONE LUCKY PERSON WILL WIN
A FREE RIDE FOR OUR DECEMBER TRIP.**

**MAGNIFICAT
ADVENT COMPANION**



To enrich your 2019 Advent/Christmas preparation, we have purchased copies of the *Magnificat Advent Companion*, a small booklet that contains prayers for the blessing of the Advent Wreath and the Christmas Tree as well as readings and reflections for each day of the Advent season. It also has Advent Stations of the Cross and an Advent Penance Service.

If you long for the meaning of God in your life, this little booklet promises to bring you ever closer to the One Who promised: “I am with you always.”

Copies of the *Magnificat Advent Companion* will be on sale shortly in the church vestibule and the Gift Shop for just **\$2.00/copy**. Get yours while they last!

RETREAT DAY FOR SENIORS

Saturday, November 23, from
9:30am to 12 Noon

Our Lady of Hope Academy Cafeteria
(please enter through the parking lot)

Guest Speaker, Sr. Ave Clark, O.P.

Theme Talk: “Gratitude the Heart of Love”

Light refreshments will be served.

For more information

ourladyofhopeparish.org

**THE ST. VINCENT dePAUL
CLOTHING PICK-UP**

will be held **TODAY, Sunday, November 17.**
The truck will be on 79th Place from 8:30am to
12:30pm for your items.

**PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE YOUR
ITEMS AT THE RECTORY DOOR**