Collaborating with Mother of Good Counsel

Weekday Masses
Monday- Friday: 8:15am
Wednesday: 7pm
Weekend Masses
Saturday: 5 & 7pm
Sunday: 9 & 11am & 7pm

Reconciliation
Wed. 11:30-2pm & 5:45-6:45pm
& Sat.: 3– 4:45pm

MARCH 1, 2020
First Sunday of Lent
St. Margaret Mary, pray for us!
"The Promises of God" Prayer Group
Meets each Wednesday after the 7:00 pm Mass, in the Legion of Mary Room, across from Sampon Hall.
ALL ARE WELCOME!!

~ I cry out to all .... Christians: Open yourselves to gifts of the Spirit! Accept gracefully and obediently the charisms which the Spirit bestows on us! Do not forget that every charism is given for the common good, for the benefit of the whole Church. –Pope St. John Paul II (5-30-1998)

~ One of the many positive elements of Catholic Charismatic Renewal is their emphasis on the gifts of the Holy Spirit and recalling their relevance in today’s Church. –Pope Benedict XVI (10-31-2008)

~ “Whenever the Spirit intervenes, He leaves people astonished. He radically changes persons and history. Allotting His gifts according as He will (cf. I Cor. 12:11), He makes them fit and ready to undertake the renewal and building up of the Church” - (Vatican II - Lumen Gentium, ¶12).

~ New life and a new consciousness of God’s power and presence is a grace experience which touches every dimension of the Church’s life; worship, preaching, teaching, ministry, evangelism, prayer and spirituality, service and community. Because of this, it is our conviction that reawakening the Christian experience, in the Catholic Charismatic Renewal, is part of a normal Christian Life.” - United States Catholic Bishops 1997.

DON’T FORGET TO TURN YOUR CLOCKS AHEAD ONE HOUR NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 8

From A Grateful Heart

The Disciple Maker Index Survey Opens the Week of February 23!

It’s official! The Disciple Maker Index Survey opens this week and we need your help!

Please help us by completing a 10-15 minute survey as soon as possible.

Go to www.disciplemakerindex.com to complete the survey.
Please choose your correct parish – St. Margaret Mary, Milwaukee.

If you are unable to complete the survey online, there are paper copies available in Church or by contacting the St. Margaret Mary Pastoral Center Office at 414-461-6073.

The survey will only be available from Sunday, February 23, 2020 - Monday, March 23, 2020 and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish’s efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as whole.

We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will be invaluable to our Pastor, Fr. Patrick Nelson, SDS, and to our various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

We strongly encourage everyone to participate in this survey. Thank you for helping with this important project!

May the Heart of The Savior Bless you!
Fr. Patrick Nelson, SDS
St. Margaret Mary Parish & School
LENT 2020

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:

**CRS RICE BOWLS:** PLEASE TAKE A RICE BOWL, FILL IT AND BRING AN OFFERING BY PALM SUNDAY (make a check payable to the parish)

**CAPUCHIN HYGIENE BAG DRIVE:** PLEASE TAKE A BROWN PAPER HYGIENE BAG, FILL IT WITH ANY ITEM(S) LISTED ON THE BAG AND RETURN IT TO CHURCH BY MARCH 15

**CONFESSIONS:** (Times are extended during LENT)

- **WEDNESDAYS:** 11:30am – 2pm & 5:45– 6:45pm
  (WED. APRIL 1 ONLY —Confessions are 8am to 8pm,
  Four priests available all day - Masses are CANCELLED)
- **SATURDAYS:** 3:00pm—4:45pm

**STATIONS of the CROSS:** (During Lent) EVERY FRIDAY at 5:30pm in Church

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**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

**APRIL 5:**
- **PALM SUNDAY:** Sat. 5 & 7:00pm / Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm

**APRIL 9:**
- **HOLY THURSDAY:** 7:00pm (No 8:15am Mass)

**APRIL 10:**
- **GOOD FRIDAY:** 3:00pm LITURGY with COMMUNION SERVICE (No 8:15am Mass)

**APRIL 11:**
- **HOLY SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL MASS:** 8:00pm

**APRIL 12:**
- **EASTER SUNDAY THE RESURRECTION:** Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm

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**SACRAMENTAL LIFE AT OUR PARISH**

- **Baptism:** Please contact the parish center to arrange.
- **Marriage:** Preparation sessions with a pastoral staff member begin no later than six months prior to the wedding date.
- **Ministry to the Sick:** The Sacrament of Healing & Strength is for persons who are seriously or chronically ill, or facing major surgery.
- **RCIA:** If you are interested in becoming Catholic please contact Fr. Pat Nelson.
- **Adoration Chapel:** Open from 7am– 7pm. Please call the parish center for access.

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**ST. VINCENT DEPAUL INTAKE OFFICE**
414-462-7837
Please call this number to apply for assistance from our SVDP conference.

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St. Margaret Mary Parish & School, Milwaukee, WI
Check our websites for the most current events and to read the bulletin. Stmmp.org  stmms.org
Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17
[cf. 3a]/Rom 5:12 - 19 or 5:12, 17 - 19/Mt 4:1-11
Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15
[Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 5:6-7
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Mt 6:7-15
Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48
Next Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33;4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

Monday, March 2
8:15am: Jim & Tom Fitzpatrick

Tuesday, March 3
8:15am: Walter & Roberta Krentz +

Wednesday, March 4
8:15 am: Margaret Wimmer +
10:00 am: Our School Staff & Students
7:00 pm: The intentions of Fr. Pat

Thursday, March 5
8:15am: Lawrence Ehorn +

Friday, March 6
8:15am: Mary & Elmer Reindl +

Saturday, March 7
5pm: Vlasta Hlavac +
7pm:

Sunday, March 8
9am:
11am: The members of our parish
7pm: The intentions of Fr. Pat

Pancake Breakfast
Sunday, March 15
9:30am-1pm

Easter Memorial Flowers
What is this? It is an Easter gift for the parish to make a special donation of flowers in “Memory of” or “In Honor of” a loved one. Please fill out the form and return it to the Parish Office or put it in the weekend’s collection basket at Mass with your donation in a clearly marked envelope.

Please put “Easter Memorial” in the memo area of your check. Please return by Friday, April 3.

Amount Enclosed: $________________

In loving memory of:

In honor of:

Donated by:

Phone number __________________________

Preparation for the Feast of St. Joseph

Join the Marian Center as we prepare ourselves for the feast of St. Joseph on March 19th 2020 with the newest book about this righteous man, the spouse of the Blessed Mother and chosen foster father of Jesus.

We started on Wednesday, 2/12/20, and every Wednesday at 5-6 PM, we will discuss what we were reading, pray and watch something about this holy man, the terror of demons. The space is limited, so sign up soon. The books “Consecration to St. Joseph” - fresh off the press … are in the store!

To sign up please, come, call 414-464-7288 or write us an email: paula@mariancenter.com St. Joseph, pray for us!

Are You A Parish Member?
If you would like to join our parish, OR
If you are already attending, but never registered,
PLEASE: Fill out a New Member Registration Form
Call Mary in the office at 414-461-6073.
We want to know you are here at St. Margaret Mary, for our parish count and our continuing relation. Thank you!!
– Fr. Pat
Pray for our Military Members

Mother of Good Counsel:
- Nelson Xavier Nunez
- Luis Ornelas,
- Navy Petty Officer Kyle Walcheske,
- Louis Cruz
- Senior Chief Petty Officer
- Kenneth Seefeld
- Captain Christopher Wiesneski
- Sergeant Dwain J. Burke
- Sergeant Major James Cook
- Sergeant Kurt Buckwiecki
- Sergeant Joshua Kohut
- Warrant Officer Bradley Dompke
- Master Gunnery Sergeant David John Winter

St. Margaret Mary:
- Army Captain James Hedman (KofC 106710, Grand Knight)

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**Knights of Columbus**

**St. Patrick’s Day Dinner**

Enjoy dinner with your Parish Knights of Columbus
Heart of Christ Council 16710

Menu: Cole slaw, rye bread, corned beef & cabbage, baked chicken, mixed vegetables, dessert, soda, coffee

**Tickets:**
- Early Bird: $20
- At Door: $25

Proceeds benefit Knights of Columbus Charities
(Pro-life, Seminarians, Youth)

For more info, contact:
Gregg Vosswinkel
414-758-8962
vosswinkels@netzero.net

**Saturday, March 14, 2020**
Doors open at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.
St. Margaret Mary – Parish Gym Hall
3970 N. 92nd St., Milwaukee, WI 53222

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Number of Attendees: ____
Make checks payable to: Knights of Columbus, Council 16710
Send checks to:
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