

**Collaborating with Mother of Good Counsel**

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:**  
**Saturday: 5pm**  
**Sunday: 9 & 11am & 7pm**

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
**MONDAY COMMUNION SERVICE**  
**TUESDAY—FRIDAY MASS**  
**8:15am each day**

**CONFESSION TIMES:**  
**WEDNESDAY: 11:30-1PM &**  
**SATURDAY: 3:30-until 5pm mass starts**

**August 30, 2020**  
**Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**St. Margaret Mary, pray for us!**

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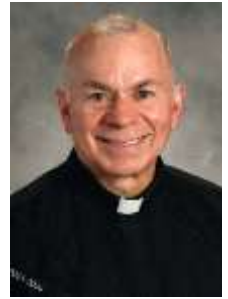




### *From A Grateful Heart .....*

*Jesus said to his disciples,  
 "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself,  
 take up his cross, and follow me.  
 For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it,  
 but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it....  
 For the Son of Man will come, with his angels in his Father's glory,  
 and he will repay each according to their conduct."*

*(Mt. 16:24-25.27)*



### **Jesus asks us to Follow...**

Now, Jesus never said: "I never promised you a rose garden". But, in this 16<sup>th</sup> chapter of Matthew's Gospel – that is pretty much what we hear Jesus say!

When the unusually hot and dry forests of California burn with a fury never seen and destroy over a thousand homes of people who have raised their families in the lush and beauty of those ancient woodlands; when the hurricanes come from the ocean year after year and drive people away from homes in New Orleans and elsewhere; when children and young people are gunned down in our streets from senseless violence – "Where is God?" some will ask: "Why does he let these things happen to the good, the young and the innocent?"

The answer is surprisingly simple!

God does not CAUSE these things – they are the result of many human interactions with others and the natural world that surrounds us. The delicate balance of our living with nature can alter the very sensitive balances they depend on for survival. Not to mention the delicate balance of living with each other. We have plenty of incidences where even people of the same country can't get along without violence. None of these are acts of God – they are results of human and natural interactions.

To truly follow Jesus we need to be as mindful of the real world as Jesus was. The world has evils and natural disasters are always possible as we live in it.

Love and mercy and not passive virtues – they require patience, endurance, forgiveness and tolerance. To love like Jesus we will be asked to bear hardships and injustice with forbearance. This is what Jesus means by "take up your cross, and follow me"!

The GOOD NEWS is that we are not alone in our hardships to practice the values of the Gospel. Jesus has given us The Church – that is all of us – baptized into one body for the salvation of souls. There is strength in numbers and to try to go it alone is a path to failure.

Pray for unity in the members of The Church and then Jesus will be strong to bring the Peace he promised. Love is our mission. Salvation is our Hope. And Jesus is our Strength.

***May Our Risen Savior Bless you!***  
**Fr. Patrick Nelson, SDS**





A formal complaint of abuse can be made to the archdiocese by calling the **Victim Assistance Coordinator** at [414-758-2232](tel:414-758-2232).

An alternative way to make a formal report for those not wanting to contact the archdiocese is available to you 24 hours a day/7 days a week through the **Healing Center website** or by calling [414-219-5555](tel:414-219-5555).



Please pray for Stanley Moranski who has passed to eternal life.

Thank you so much to all who have responded to the school supply drive with your generous donations. We will continue to collect donations through **September 6.**



We are "LIVESTREAMING" Sunday, 9am Mass on FACEBOOK. You do not need a FACEBOOK account to join us. Simply GOOGLE "FACEBOOK ST. MARGARET MARY PARISH, MILWAUKEE" and join the live session. We can't wait to "see" you there!



**Archdiocesan Marian Shrine  
(Milwaukee Fatima Shrine)**

141 N. 68th St.  
Milwaukee

Contact Deacon Frank if you have questions:

262-385-5696

Please come & pray each Saturday in September & October at 12noon for the following intentions:

- **Our Country**
- **Strengthening of the Family**
- **Sanctity of Life**
- **That people will embrace the Fatima Message**



We welcome new members to our parish family community:

Michael & Sadie Kapczynski





The Archbishop has extended mass dispensation to **September 13**, so if you don't feel well or can't attend, staying at home is a good option.

Please do not come to Mass if you have any illness symptoms or if you have a compromised immune system.

If you can join us at Mass:

Wear a mask.

Do not congregate in the Narthex, near the entrances, and do not enter the Sacristy.

Maintain a 6 foot distance from others not in your household.

Follow seating instructions as directed by the ushers

Follow communion line instructions provided by Fr. Pat and the ushers.

Leave your kneeler down when you leave so that we know which pews were occupied.

Follow the ushers lead in leaving Church to avoid congestion in the aisles and Narthex. Leave the building and avoid standing near the exits.

### At Home Mass Options

#### Join us for Sunday Mass on FOX6 Every Week!

FOX6 News Milwaukee is broadcasting **Sunday Mass LIVE EVERY SUNDAY at 11 a.m.** during this time. Every Sunday is LIVE from The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in Milwaukee. Please share with family and friends, and join us!

Sunday Mass **Listen** at 9 a.m., Sunday mornings on 920 AM WOLF.

**Watch** at 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. on WVTM, My24; and at 5:30 a.m. on WITI Fox 6.

**View online** at Heart of the Nation any time Weekday Masses Listen at 12 noon on 100.1FM WSJP-FM or 1640AM WSJP.

**View online** at Daily TV Mass or Relevant Radio website.

**Mass Intentions for 2020 & 2021!**  
**There are still a few dates left in the 2020 mass intentions book.** Please stop by or call the parish center so we can fill the rest of this year. Remembering our friends & loved ones at the altar of God is an act of mercy. The mass intentions book for 2021 is now open. Come early to choose your dates.

Sunday:	Jer 20:7-9/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2b]/ Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27
Monday:	1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102 [97]/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday:	1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14 [17]/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday:	1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21 [12]/ Lk 4:38-44
Thursday:	1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [1]/ Lk 5:1-11
Friday:	1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40 [39a]/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday:	1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21 [18]/ Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday:	Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 13:8-10/ Mt 18:15-20

#### Monday, August 31

8:15am: Communion Service

#### Tuesday, September 1

8:15am: Gene Theiler +

#### Wednesday, September 2

8:15am: Innocent Ndu +

#### Thursday, September 3

8:15am: Irene Heumann +

#### Friday, September 4

8:15am: Mark Schroeder

#### Saturday, September 5

5pm: Pam Poull +

#### Sunday, September 6

9am: Mike Willihganz +

11am: The members of our parish

7:00pm: SVDP: for the intentions of those we serve



### 2020-2021 School Year Enrollment Information, School starts August 31

St. Margaret Mary enrolls students either by private tuition or through the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program "MPCP". Word of mouth is one of the best advertisements for our school. Our Parish School offers a safe and nurturing environment with small class sizes and a faith-focused culture. We provide academic excellence through blended learning with technology. Please encourage any of your family and friends with K4 - 8th grade school age children to come visit our school. Tuition enrollment may be accepted at any time. For more information, please call 414-463-8760 or visit the school website for school registration information: [stmms.org](http://stmms.org).

**We can't wait to meet you & show you what our school has to offer your child!**

## 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 Buckawiecki
- Sergeant Joshua Kohut
- Warrant Officer Bradley Dompke
- Master Gunnery Sergeant David John Winter

### St. Margaret Mary:

- Army Captain James Hedman (KofC 106710, Grand Knight)

## SACRAMENTAL LIFE AT ST. MARGARET MARY

**BAPTISM:** Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as members of Christ. Since the Church is Christ we are grafted to Jesus and his mission, as Church. **Infants** need parental instructions to prepare. To arrange Formation Classes **for those 7 yrs. or older**, please contact the Parish Office, 414-461-6073.

**CONFIRMATION:** Those 16 yrs. old, after **Baptism** complete *Christian Initiation* with a special strength of The Holy Spirit to begin the life of a Catholic. Hence, as a true witnesses of Christ, they are more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed. To arrange Formation Classes, please contact the Parish Office, 414-461-6073.

**RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION):** The Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation are explained as we invite you to love The Catholic Faith and understand how to live in Christ's teachings. Classes encourage but, never pressure a participant. We walk the path of formation with you. These classes are for Adults, coming into the Church or Catholic children not in Catholic schools. To arrange Formation Classes, please contact the Parish Office, 414-461-6073.

**MINISTRY TO THE SICK OR DYING:** Call Fr. Patrick at the office or directly, 414-581-2397

**CONFESSIONS:** See the Parish Schedule on Wed. & Sat. or call Fr. Patrick directly, 414-581-2397.

**CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE:** The marital covenant, between a man and a woman establishes them as partners for life and is by its nature intended by God as a good for the spouses and the children of their union. We welcome adults to call for Sacramental Preparation: 414-461-6073.

## 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