

# St. Margaret Mary Catholic Parish

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## November 28, 2021 · First Sunday of Advent

### PRAYER & WORSHIP

#### Liturgical Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m. Masses

Monday: 8:15 a.m. Communion Service

Tuesday-Friday: 8:15 a.m. Mass

#### Rite of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.

Wednesday: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

#### Rosary

Prayed before Masses on Tuesday-Friday

Prayed after Masses on Saturdays and Sundays

#### Devotions

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Tuesdays after Mass

Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotion, Fridays after Mass

The Hour of Great Mercy, Fridays at 3:00 p.m.

#### Eucharistic Adoration

First Fridays, after 8:15 a.m. Mass for one hour

### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### Parish Center Hours

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

#### Sacramental Life

Please contact the Parish Center at (414) 461-6073 for all sacramental inquiries.

#### Parish Membership

We invite you to join our parish. Please contact Jacque Kelnhofer, Pastoral Coordinator, and/or complete and return a *New Member Registration* form, available in Church, online, and in the Parish Center.

#### Official Business for Bequests

Our legal name must be used on bequests:

*St. Margaret Mary Congregation*

### UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

#### DECEMBER

4/5 *2nd Sunday of Advent / Salvatorian 2nd Collection*  
Community Social following 5 p.m., 9 and 11 a.m.

8 *8:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. The Immaculate*  
*Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Masses\**

11/12 *3rd Sunday of Advent*

13 6:45 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

16 7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting

18/19 *4th Sunday of Advent / SVdP Second collection*

21 9:00 a.m. Faith & Fiber Fellowship (Prayer Shawls)

22 6:30 p.m. Bereavement Support Meeting

23 8:45 a.m. Morning Mass Social

24 *5:00 and 10:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Masses*

*\*This is a Holy Day of Obligation*

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Monday, November 29

8:15 a.m.: Communion Service

#### Tuesday, November 30

8:15 a.m.: + Gene Thieler

#### Wednesday, December 1

8:15 a.m.: +

#### Thursday, December 2

9:00am: + Diane Lotter

#### Friday, December 3

8:15 a.m.: +

#### Saturday, December 4

5:00 p.m.: + Josephine Heidlinger

#### Sunday, December 5

9:00 a.m.: The members of our parish

11:00 a.m.: + Madyson Marshel

7:00 p.m.: the intentions of Fr. Pat

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Advent “Little Books”

*Suggested Donation \$1.00*

Little Blue Books are available in the Narthex. These books are wonderful resource for prayer and contemplation to accompany you through Advent. These short reflections begin November 28, 2021, end January 9, 2022. They are based on the daily Gospels.

### O Come, Let Us Adore Him!

#### Eucharistic Adoration Extended for Advent

*December 1, 8, 15, and 22  
11 a.m. to 3 p.m.*



As we celebrate the penitential and preparatory season of Advent, we invite you to spend time with Jesus.

We also extend special thanks to all who have volunteered to make this additional prayer opportunity available to the community!

**SERVING YOU  
SERVING  
CHRIST**  
Salvatorian Sunday  
December 4/5, 2021

<https://bit.ly/salvatorian-sunday-smm>  
WWW.SALVATORIANS.COM

### Join Us for Holiday Cheer Next Weekend!

Dec. 4th after 5 p.m. Mass  
Dec. 5th after 9 and 11 a.m. Masses

Join Us in Sampon Hall for  
Cocoa, Cider, Cookies, and Crafts!



### SVdP Christmas Giving Program



This Christmas Season we are asking our parishioners to help needy families by donating gift cards from department and grocery stores. Cards of all amounts are welcome! The cards will be sent to neighborhood and STMMP school families who are struggling to provide holiday food and gifts for their immediate families.

Please take a card from the Christmas Tree in the Narthex, beginning this weekend. The back of the card will have the name of a particular store for you to purchase gift cards. Please return the card and gift cards to STMMP by placing them in the collection box at the Church entrance or to the Parish Center in an envelope marked, *Christmas Giving Program*. Make sure gift cards are marked with the amount on the card. A gift receipt confirming the amount can usually be obtained when the card is purchased. Include that receipt if you can. Please return cards no later than Monday, December 12th so families receive them prior to Christmas.

Your generosity to provide a Merry Christmas for those who are experiencing a hard time to provide for their families is very much appreciated.

### Home for the Holidays Cookbook!

*We Need Your Recipes*



In anticipation of Christmas, we thought it might be fun to collect our most treasured and memorable recipes into a STMMP Cookbook to be shared will all of our parishioners.

Please submit all recipes to the Parish Center, in the box in the Narthex, and/or via email to Jacque Kelnhofer at [jkelnhofer@stmmp.org](mailto:jkelnhofer@stmmp.org).

Recipes should include:

- your name and phone number for clarifications
- type of recipe (ex: appetizer, dessert, etc.)
- name of the recipe
- prep time
- cook time / cook temperature
- ingredients
- detailed instructions
- optional but fun - a photo (of you, the finished recipe, or both)

**Recipes must be received by Sunday, December 5th.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### In the Spirit of Thanksgiving



This is from the desk of Ms. Tyler Curtis, Executive Director at Dismas Ministry. Our ministry, Dismas Ministry, was founded in Milwaukee

in the year 2000. We are a publications and mailing ministry sending Catholic Bibles, prayers books, rosaries and study courses to prisoners and the chaplains/volunteers who ministry to them. We are a national, Catholic outreach serving all 50 states. Our mission model is to send these materials free-of-charge.

The Dismas volunteers of St. Margaret Mary have been helping us manage our faith study course, A Reason for Hope. Their work entails enrolling prisoners in the course, then reviewing and grading their tests. In addition, they always offer notes of encouragement and send prayer cards, too, in support of these men and women who are building or renewing their faith life and their relationship with God and the Church. They have been engaged in this ministry for about 15 years.

We are so very grateful for their help, especially because we are a small organization with limited budget and staff.

I have come to know them as true Christian women who make a difference in the lives of the poor and marginalized in our society.

We, at Dismas Ministry, are grateful to our dedicated volunteers of St. Margaret Mary Parish: Mary Blinkhorn, Suzanne Giza, and Karen Valente. Thank you for your ministry to the incarcerated. To learn more, visit: [www.dismasministry.org](http://www.dismasministry.org)

### Limited Time Offer

#### Online Giving: Matching Up to \$1,000!

For every first gift from a new recurring donor that is added between November 1 and December 31, 2021, WeShare will match that first gift, up to \$50, with a maximum match of \$1,000 for our church. To be eligible for the matching gift, more than one installment must be set-up and the first recurring gift must be transacted by December 31, 2021.

Online giving is an easy and convenient way to save time and support our parish. Donating is simple, safe, and completely secure. You can set up a recurring donation using your checking, savings, or credit card, or make a one-time donation.



Follow the simple instructions at: <https://stmpmilwaukee.weshareonline.org/>



### Year End Contributions

In order for contributions to appear on your 2021 Giving Statement, they must be received in the Parish Center by **4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 29th.**

*Contributions received after this date will be booked in 2022.*

### Christmas Decoration Appeal

You are invited to support the Christmas Decoration Appeal. You may honor family and friends, both living and deceased, and provide for a beautiful worship environment.



Directions: Please enter the name(s) of the loved one(s) you would like to remember with a donation to this appeal. Please check living or deceased. All gifts for the living will be *In Honor of* and all gifts for the deceased will be *In Memory of*. You may also choose to make a gift for *Thanksgiving For Blessings Received*.

We would like to make a gift to celebrate the life/lives of the following person/people. We have enclosed a donation and understand that these funds will be used to purchase flowers and decorations for the Church.

#### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Person's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Living? \_\_\_\_\_ Deceased? \_\_\_\_\_  
For thanks of blessings received, please check here: \_\_\_\_\_

#### GIVEN BY: (Please print clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

CASH: \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK:# \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

**MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS DUE BY:  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17.**

Questions?  
Call Mary at the Parish Center (414) 461-6073