

February 28, 2016

3rd Sunday of Lent

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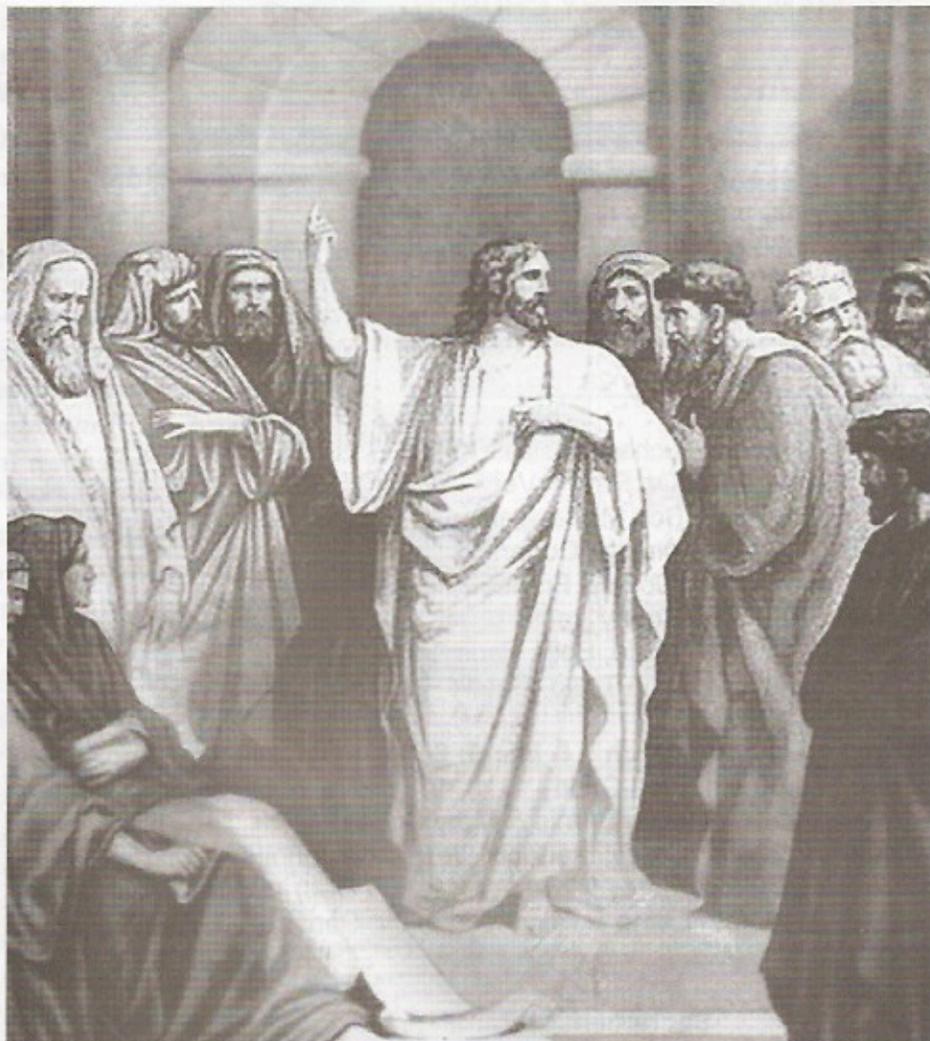
MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM

Mon., Wed., Fri.: 8:30 AM

Tues., Thurs.: 7:00 AM



Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" - Lk 13:2-3

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

It seems to me that our Lord's earnest desire to have his sacred heart honored in a special way is directed toward renewing the effects of redemption in our souls. For the sacred heart is an inexhaustible fountain and its sole desire is to pour itself out into the hearts of the humble so as to free them and prepare them to lead lives according to his good pleasure.

Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque (1647-1690)

Welcome to
St. Margaret Mary
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This weekend: February 27 & February 28

- Sat. 4:00 pm Mary Kelly (Patricia Rauch)
- Sun. 7:30 am Agnes Pavlak (Ron & Jean Panko)
- 9:30 am Michelle Hanlon (Donna Del Greco)
- 11:30 am Living & Deceased of the Parish

This week: February 29 thru March 4

Daily Masses:

- Mon. 8:30 am Richard Walasik
(Dr. Paul & Verna Dornin)
- Tues. 7:00 am Bob McGoogan (Wife, Joan)
- Wed. 8:30 am Marilyn Dugan
(John & Frances Young)
- Thurs. 7:00 am Sonny Paris
(Wife, Belle Paris & Family)
- Fri. 8:30 am John Tullio (Bercik Family)

Next weekend: March 5 & March 6

- Sat. 4:00 pm Elna Cuddy
(Son, Bernie & Mary Cuddy)
- Sun. 7:30 am Cheryl Martonik (Jessica & Jennifer)
- 9:30 am Jeffrey C. Butera (Mom & Dad)
- 1130 am Living & Deceased of the Parish

Sacrament of Penance

Wed.—9:00 am & Sat.—11:00 am till noon

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the soul of:
James Beer
(husband of Lorraine Beer)
May his soul and all the souls of the
faithful departed rest in peace.
Amen

March items needed:

- Kitchen Cleaning Supplies
- Bathroom Cleaning Supplies
- Thank You!

There will not be Donut Sunday during Lent.

The Candles in the Sanctuary burn this week

In memory of
Bob McGoogan
by
Wife, Joan McGoogan & Family

Next weekend, March 5/6, the second is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Catholic Home Missions Appeal, and National Collection for Black & Indian Missions.

Please note that our second collection for the Parish Share Program for the month of March will be on the weekend of March 12/13.

St. Margaret Mary Penance Service is on Thursday, March 3, at 6:30 pm. There will be a number of priests to hear Confessions.

The Light is on for YOU!

Haven't been to Confession in a while? Interested, but worry you don't remember how to make a good Confession? No problem, Read "A Short Guide to Confession" located at the church entrances. Stop by any Catholic church in the Diocese of Pittsburgh on Wednesday, March 9, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. You'll feel great!

52nd Annual Boy Scout Troop 905 Spaghetti Dinner —March 6

St. Margaret Mary Parish's chartered Boy Scout Troop 905 will hold its annual fund raising Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, March 6, from 12:30—6:00 pm, in the church hall. Tickets will be available for pre-sale before and after each Mass this weekend, February 27-28. Pre-sale tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for children. Tickets purchased at the door are \$1 more. Funds raised support all of the Troop's camping, service and leadership development activities. Please support our Boy Scouts!

Religious Education

We are collecting **Saint Holy Cards** and **Medals** for a Confirmation craft. If you would like to contribute, please drop them off at the Dompka Education Center. Please **do not drop off** prayer books as they cannot be accepted. Thank you for your support.

Youth Ministry

A Special Thanks to Tony and Patty Zusinas, and all The adults for their leadership with our Valentine's Day free pancake breakfast.

8th-12th grade teens helped serve as well to over 110 guests. Thanks so much for making this event a great success! *Bob Summers*

Mission Trip Update: Attention grades 8-12th. We now have just a few spots available for our Summer Mission Trip to serve the poor in Nashville, Tennessee. Hurry, grab a friend and sign up now! Contact: Bob Summers at ym@stmargaretmary-moon.org

Service Saturday—On Saturday, March 5, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, our teens will be serving anyone from our parish who needs help. Cleaning windows, basements or any project you may have. Please call Bob Summers if you or you know someone who needs help. 724.674.4383.

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BAPTISM AND BAPTISM CLASS

Baptism Classes will be held on Saturday of every other month. They will start at 10 am in the Dompka Education Center. The next class is:

Saturday, April 2

You need to attend a Baptism class. Call the parish office, 412.264.2573, for the class and for the Baptism. Please submit this paper work to the parish office as soon as possible...at least two weeks before the Baptism. Thank You!

Sacrament of Baptism

March 6	12:30 pm
March 13	12:30 pm
April 3	12:30 pm
April 17	12:30 pm

As these are being scheduled in advance, they are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances. A Godparent must be a baptized Catholic who is at least 16 years of age and has received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation, and is in good standing with the Catholic Church. Also, you cannot be the parent. If you are married, you must be in a valid marriage in the Catholic Church. To be a sponsor you need to be registered in a parish and participating at Mass every weekend is expected. When you need a sponsor letter to be signed, please do not wait to the last moment. Thank You!

St. Margaret Mary Men's Group will meet on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. They meet at 7 pm in the family room of the church. Please call or text Jerry Mackin at 412.559.3958. All men of the parish are welcome to join them.

St. Margaret Mary Child Care Center is now registering for pre-school and pre-kindergarten for the 2016-2017 school year. For more information, please call 412.264.9716 or 412.262.3674.

Drop off day care is also available.

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Readings for the Week of February 28 thru March 6

Sunday 28	3rd Sunday of Lent	Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15 Luke 13:1-9	1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12
Monday 29	Lenten weekday	2 Kings 5:1-15	Luke 4:24-30
Tuesday 1	Lenten weekday	Daniel 3:25, 34-43	Matthew 18-21-35
Wednesday 2	Lenten Weekday	Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9	Matthew 5:17-19
Thursday 3	St. Katharine Drexel	Jeremiah 7:23-28	Luke 11:14-23
Friday 4	St. Casimir	Hosea 14:2-10	Mark 12:28-34
Saturday 5	Lenten Weekday	Hosea 6:1-6	Luke 18:9-14
Sunday 6	4th Sunday of Lent	Joshua 5:9-12 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32	2 Corinthians 5:17-21

PLEASE NOTE: ON A SAINTS' FEAST DAY, OR ON PARTICULAR CIVIC HOLIDAYS, THE READINGS MAY VARY DUE TO MULTIPLE OPTIONS. THANK YOU.

DAY OF RECOLLECTION

The Christian Mothers of St. Frances Cabrini Church, Center Township, have scheduled a Day of Recollection for Tuesday, March 15, 2016. Father Michael Greb, OFM Cap., Director of Pastoral Care at McGuire Memorial will preach the sermon and conduct devotions.

The events of the day will begin in the morning at 9:45 am and conclude in the afternoon at 3 pm. The program will consist of conference, confessions, devotions, lunch and celebration of the Eucharist. A buffet luncheon will be served at noon, catered by Diva DeSantis, Roma Catering. The complete cost for the day is \$15 per person. Please send your reservations with check, payable to St. Frances Cabrini Christian Mothers, to: Mrs. Theresa Colalella, 113 Mengel Ave., Aliquippa, PA 15001, or Ms. Rochelle Barnes, 141 Charity Drive, Aliquippa, PA 15001.

Reservations must be made by Tuesday, March 8, 2016. The cost of \$15.00 must be included with your reservations.

St. Margaret Mary Parish Calendar

March 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 CCD Confessions 4:15-5:30pm Aerobics-9:30am 1 st Reconciliation 6:30-8:00pm Christian Meditation 7:00pm AA- 7:30pm- DEC	2 Confession 9:00am Rosary 6:30pm	3 St. Margaret Mary Penance Service 6:30pm	4 1 st Friday Litany Aerobics 9:30am AA 10:00 am Stations of the Cross 7:00pm	5 Confession 11:00am YM Service Saturday Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner prep- all day
6 Baptism 12:30pm Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner 12:30-6:00pm	7 CCD Prayer Line 2:00pm YM Play Practice 6:30-8:30pm	8 CCD Aerobics-9:30am Christian Meditation 7:00pm AA- 7:30pm- DEC	9 Confession 9:00am The Light is Still on for You-6-9:00pm St. Catherine Penance Service-6:00pm Confirmation Class 7:00pm	10 Kids Choir- 6:00pm Adult Choir-7:00pm Boy Scouts 7:30 p	11 Aerobics 9:30am AA 10:00 am Stations of the Cross 7:00pm	12 Confession 11:00am
13 Baptism 12:30pm	14 CCD YM Play Practice 6:30-8:30pm Men's Bible Study 7:00pm	15 CCD Aerobics-9:30am Christian Meditation 7:00pm AA- 7:30pm- DEC	16 Confession 9:00 am Confirmation Stations of the Cross 8-8:30pm	17 SGMA Pro Life Group 10:00am Kids Choir- 6:00pm Adult Choir-7:00pm Boy Scouts 7:30 pm	18 Aerobics 9:30am AA 10:00 am Stations of the Cross 7:00pm	19 Confession 11:00am Passion Play Dress Rehearsal
20 <i>Holy Week</i>	21 St. Joseph Penance Service 6:30pm	22 Aerobics-9:30am Christian Meditation 7:00pm AA- 7:30pm- DEC	23 Confession 9:00am ↑	24 <i>Holy Thursday</i> 7:00pm Mass	25 <i>Good Friday</i> 1:30pm Service Stations of the Cross 7:00pm	26 <i>Holy Saturday</i> Blessing of Easter Baskets Easter Vigil 8:30pm
27 <i>Happy</i>  <i>Easter!</i>	28 CCD Men's Bible Study 7:00pm	29 CCD Aerobics-9:30am Christian Meditation 7:00pm AA- 7:30pm- DEC	30 Confession 9:00am	31		

2016 Easter Flower Memorials and Decorations

If you would like to offer a memorial for a deceased loved one, please use the form below and place it in an envelope marked Easter Flowers with your donation. Place your envelope in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office. We ask a donation of at least \$5 per name. Please use this form. Thank You!

Examples:

Individual Name(s): John Smith Family name: Smith Family Married Couple: John & Lucy Smith

IN MEMORY OF: (DECEASED)

Please print:

IN HONOR OF: (LIVING)

Requested by: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Envelope Number; _____

DEADLINE: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2016

ST. MARGARET MARY CHURCH

Moon Township, PA

Mission Statement

We, the parish community of St. Margaret Mary, in Moon Township, PA, were called into being to serve the spiritual needs of a young, growing community. Today, as we continue to grow, we are a richly diverse Catholic parish of active, compassionate, and open people.

Through our baptism, we share in the life of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit by the celebration of liturgy and life, especially as we gather to celebrate the Eucharist. Since we are the largest Christian congregation in our community, we recognize our responsibility to demonstrate Jesus Christ's presence by our words and actions. We do this by perpetuating His ministry through evangelization, service, healing, and community.

We seek to be a parish family of spiritual and social unity - worshiping together, sharing gifts, caring for and loving one another. We open our arms to welcome and embrace all who seek the Word and comfort of God as we strive to be Christ-like to every one who lives in our community.

2015 Parish Share Assessment

2015 Goal	\$103,107
Collected as of Nov. 30, 2015	\$108,683
Over Assessment	\$5,576

Collection for February 20/21

Offertory	\$11,271
Parish Share	\$332
Grounds & Maintenance	\$390
Flowers	\$490

Thank you for being so generous!

Parish Office: 412.264.2573

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Mr. Brenden Griffey, Music Minister

Judy Elias, Choir Director **412.299.2930**

Religious Education Office 412.264.9368

Ms. Judene Indovina, Director, Religious Ed

email: dre@stmargaretmary-moon.org

Youth Ministry 724.674.4383

Bob Summers

email: ym@stmargaretmary-moon.org

Child Care Center 412.264.9716

Ms. Sandi Lubick, Director

Ms. Kathie Martonik, Executive Director

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Mass Schedule: Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Weekday: 7:00 AM–Tuesday and Thursday

8:30 AM–Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Sacrament of Confession: noted under Mass intentions

Sacrament of Baptism

A class is required for parents who wish to have their child(ren) baptized. Please contact the rectory to register for the Baptism and for the class.

Sacrament of Marriage: Dates for Marriages are

scheduled only through the Priest and only after an initial meeting with the couple. Church law requires a minimum of six months notice before a wedding can be celebrated

BULLETIN DEADLINE — FRIDAY — NOON

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