SAINT MARGARET MARY

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

The LORD God formed man out of the clay of the ground and blew into his nostrils the breath of life. (Gn 2:7)

Psalm: Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned. (Ps 51)

Second Reading:

For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so, through the obedience of the one, the many will be made righteous. (Rom 5:19)

Gospel:

At that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. He fasted for forty days and forty nights. (Mt 4:1-2)

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MASS SCHEDULES Sunday 9:00am Tuesday 9:00am Wednesday 9:00am Saturday 6:00pm

RECONCILIATION Saturday 7:15-7:45pm Sunday 8-8:30am or by appointment

COMMUNION SERVICE Monday-Friday, 7:15am

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1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

Then the devil took Jesus up to a very high mountain, and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in their magnificence, and he said to him, "All these I shall give to you, if you will prostrate yourself and worship me." - Mt 4:8-9

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 26, 2023

Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12 -13, 17 (see 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/Mt 25:31-46 Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/Mt 6:7-15 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk 11:29-32 Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12 Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 507a, 7bc-8/Mt 5:20-26 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/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



ST. MARGARET MARY

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MASS SCHEDULES Saturday 4:00pm Sunday 11:00am 1:00pm—Misa en Español Thursday & Friday 9:00am Except third Thursday, Mass at 11:00am RECONCILIATION Friday at 9:30am-10:30am Saturday at 3:00pm-3:45pm or by appointment

STAFF Melissa Auterson, Parish Secretary mcoad@smmth.org

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

Together in Faith

Mass Intentions			
<u>Saturday</u> Feb. 25th	4:00pm-SMM	Angelo Meneghini, Jr. † (Louise Meneghini)	
	6:00pm-SP	Sandy McBroom † (Myrthel Frye)	
<u>Sunday</u> <u>Feb. 26th</u>	9:00am-SP	Mary Walker † (Nelia Sison)	
1st Sunday of Lent	11:00am-SMM	Pro-Populo Mass for the People of Our Parish	
	1:00pm-SMM Misa en Español	Special Intentions	
<u>Tuesday</u> Feb. 28th	9:00am-SP	Duane Greer † (Anonymous)	
<u>Wednesday</u> <u>March 1st</u>	9:00am-SP	Special Intentions for Julian Palmer (Anonymous)	
	5:00pm-SP	Reconciliation & Adoration	
<u>Thursday</u> <u>March 2nd</u>	9:00am-SMM	Special Intentions for Syria & Turkey (SMM Parish)	
<u>Friday</u> <u>March 3rd</u>	9:00am-SMM	Special Intentions	
<u>Saturday</u> <u>March 4th</u>	4:00pm-SMM	Tom & Sandy McBroom † (Louise Meneghini)	
	6:00pm-SP	Joyce Sanquenetti † (Linda Harrington)	
<u>Sunday</u> <u>March 5th</u>	9:00am-SP	Pro-Populo Mass for the People of Our Parish	
2nd Sunday of Lent	11:00am-SMM	Ted Brentlinger † (Mike & Debbie Martell)	
	1:00pm-SMM Misa en Español	Special Intentions	

Where do our fears live?

What is it that causes you the most anxiety, worry and fear? It is a struggle we all deal with. There is no shame in admitting it. So what is it? Identify that which overwhelms you the most because it seems that Satan preys powerfully upon our fears. In addition, our fears can be paralyzing.

In addition, fear is, in the final analysis, always a lie. However, we often feel helpless when we try to fight our fears alone. We have no defense. We just let the tape run in our head cataloging all the things that could go wrong, and probably will go wrong, and all the reasons why we should never hope.

Hope is the antidote to fear. Hope can only be offered in the darkness, without guarantees. In addition, the reason that we often do not hope is that we do not want to be disappointed. However, what if we took the pressure off ourselves? What if we gave up our notion that we can accomplish everything through our self-discipline and will, and just let God do it?

The reason we do not do this is obvious. Because God might not do the things we want. We think that being able to do what we want is freedom. In addition, letting God be free to do to us what He wants, is blind obedience. We humans like to control things. However, this abandonment in blind obedience to a God who truly loves us is where everything really begins. Hope and obedience is meeting Christ at the point of our greatest fear, a Radical courage.

In these days where there is so much, presumably, to fear, so many dangers, and so much doubt, we can turn to Our Lady and she will lead us to the Cross. Our Lord will meet us there, at the point of our greatest fear. He will listen. In addition, He will set us free!



Deacon Mike

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St. Margaret Mary



Whether you are re-vamping your New Year's resolutions, adjusting to ordinary time or preparing for Lent in your life, Covenant Network has it covered for you. Everyday events are examined through a Catholic lens. Commit to joining in prayer throughout the day: the Holy Rosary; the Angelus; the Holy Mass; the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Covenant Network Catholic Radio brings you the best in Catholic programming. Listen on WHOJ 91.9 FM, or anytime on our Covenant Network app or at OurCatholicRadio.org.



Please join the SMM Retiree's on the third Thursday of each month for 11 AM Mass at St. Margaret Mary Church. After mass, we head to a new place

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each month for lunch and sometimes do a tour or activity! We would love to have more folks join us for this time of fellowship and conversation. Watch for our 2023 calendar coming soon!

IST SUNDAY OF LENT



BE MERCIFUL, LORD, FOR WE HAVE SINNED. PSALM 51

SMM Events for the Week

Saturday, February 25th 4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, February 26th 11:00am-Mass 1:00pm-Misa

Wednesday, March 1st 6:30pm-Faith Formation/RE

7:00pm-Filipino Rosary

Thursday, March 2nd 9:00am-Mass

Friday, March 3rd

9:00am-Mass 9:30am-Adoration & Reconciliation 6:00pm-Stations then Soup & Bread

> Saturday, March 4th 4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, March 5th 11:00am-Mass 12:30-2:30pm-Teen Connection/Legacy Room



ST. MARGARET MARY PRAYER REQUESTS:

Don Arns, Mary Baker, Dennis Bialaszewski, Marsha Bialaszewski, Pat Cox, Billie Cvengos, Rhett Detamore, Lily Farid, Rosemary Freeze, Mike Harden, Doris King, Sara Meyer, Jim Plew,

Marty Sholten, Delores Snow, Mary Sullivan, and Susan Wilbur

Please remember in prayer all nursing home residents, those serving in the military, those who are homebound, those with chronic illness/pain and all of their caretakers. Please call the Parish office for prayer requests at (812) 232-3512.

St. Patrick Church

ST. PATRICK PRAYER REQUESTS:

Susan McCarthy, Julian Palmer, Ken Eberhart, Trey Lizanith, Ariana Olexa, Erick Schmidt, Sheila Schenk, Frank Mershon, Linda Mohrhaus, Helen Olinske, Rhett Detamore, Eunice Pate, and Scott Carpenter

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Please also remember in prayer all those who are serving in the military, the homebound, the caretakers, nursing home residents, and the many volunteers helping those in crisis. Please call the parish office for prayer requests at 812-232-8518.

St. Patrick Soup Kitchen Monthly Need

Week 1: Peanut Butter & Jellies

Week 2: Fresh fruit

(bags of apples, oranges, and banana's)

Week 3: Fruit cups & Canned Vegetables



Week 4: Rice/Noodles/Pasta



Registration for the 2023-2024 St. Patrick School year will open on

SOUP

February 6th. Please visit the school website at saintpat.school to register. If you have any questions please contact the school office at (812)232-2157.



The St. Patrick School of the Terre Haute Deanery is hosting the 20th Annual Irish Dash on Saturday, March 11, 2023 in Terre Haute. The race is a growing community tradition during the local St. Patrick

Celebration festivities. The event will feature a 5K race, 5K walk, and a 1 mile fun run. You can register at saintpat.school/irish-dash or you can contact the school for more information at (812)232-2157.

TAKE A CAN OF SOUP TO MASS IN FEBRUARY

The Twelve Points Brown Bag Project is asking each parish to donate, twice annually, cans of soup for the Brown Bag Lunch Program serving residents of the Garfield Towers and Warren Village. February is St. Pat's month to collect cans of soup.

Donation bags are located at each church entrance.

Parish Secretary Opening

Beginning immediately, St. Patrick Catholic Church in Terre Haute, Indiana is seeking a fulltime parish secretary to offer clerical support for the office staff and oversee daily parish operations.

Applicant must have prior experience in clerical support and have proficient computer skills. Experience in a parish setting preferred. Must hold a High School diploma or equivalent, Associate or higher education degree preferred. To apply, please email a cover letter, resume, and list of references, in confidence. to:

Sharon Gick Assistant to Fr. Benjamin Syberg Email: sharon.gick@saintpat.org Equal Opportunity Employer



Together in Faith

Youth Faith Formation:



Parents please scan the QR code to join the St. Patrick & St. Margaret Mary Youth Faith Formation (K-8) Group, if you have not done so already. This App is used to

communicate information regarding the program.

•Youth Faith Formation classes are on Wednesday evenings 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Children are welcome to come early at 6:15pm for Ice Breaker Games.

Are you being called? Our Faith Formation is thriving. We would greatly appreciate your support by sharing your time, talents, and prayers. Please consider helping as a Catechist. Contact Veronica at vrogers@saintpat.org

High School Youth Group: Teen Connection

• The March Teen Connection/Confirmation Preparation sessions are March 5th & the 19th at 12:30pm-2:30pm at St. Margaret Mary Church.

•All High School students are invited to the Teen Connection Youth Ministry Program. Faith Formation doesn't stop after Confirmation and this is a fantastic way for teens to strengthen their relationship with Christ with like minded teens in their community. #staycatholic **For more details contact: Veronica Rogers at vrogers@saintpat.org**





Lenten Novena: Join St. Mother Theodore Guerin Council 541 of the Knights of Columbus for a Virtual Lenten Novena for the Sanctity of All Life. Beginning at 8am Feb. 22, 2023 and continuing for the next 8

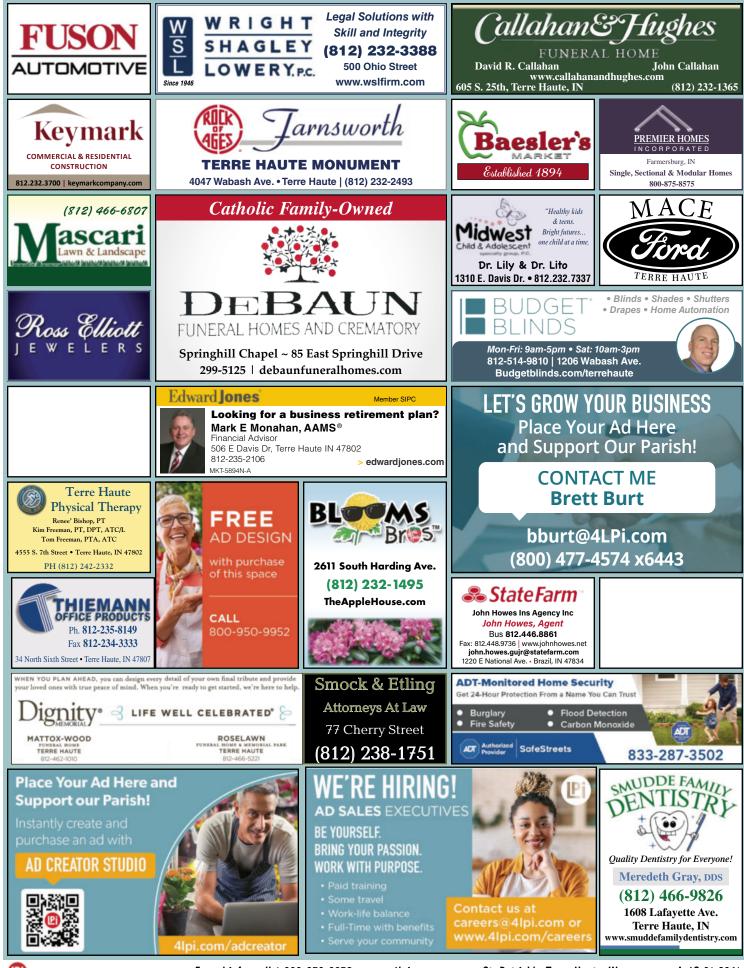
mornings, council 541 members will lead the Blessed Rosary, praying for an increased awareness for the sanctity of all life. Following the 9th morning, join Fr. Ben Syberg at St. Margaret Mary Church on March 2nd at 9am, either in person or virtually. Between the end of the novena and Mass on March 2nd, there will be virtual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Patrick Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, February 11, 2023 6:00pm	120
Sunday, February 12, 2023 9:00am	185
St. Margaret Mary Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, February 11, 2023 4:00pm	120
Sunday, February 12, 2023 11:00am	132
St. Margaret Mary Church Offerings	February 2023
Sunday Envelope Collection	February 2023 \$7,361
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Sunday Envelope Collection Total Automated Giving	\$7,361 <u>\$6,560</u>
Sunday Envelope Collection Total Automated Giving Total Monthly Collection	\$7,361 <u>\$6,560</u>
Sunday Envelope Collection Total Automated Giving Total Monthly Collection YTD Fiscal Year 2022-23 (7/1/22-6/30/23)	\$7,361 <u>\$6,560</u> \$13,921
Sunday Envelope Collection Total Automated Giving Total Monthly Collection YTD Fiscal Year 2022-23 (7/1/22-6/30/23) July 2022-June 2023 Collections Goal:	\$7,361 <u>\$6,560</u> \$13,921 \$326,019

Thank you for your continued generosity!

St. Patrick Church Parish Offering	s February 2023
Sunday Envelope Collection	\$11,775
Sunday Loose Collection	\$847
Total Automated Giving	<u>\$18,044</u>
Total Monthly Collection	\$30,666
YTD Fiscal Year 2022-23 (7/1/22-6/30/23)	
July 2022-June 2023 Collections Goal:	\$774,953
Year-to-Date Budgeted Sunday Collections:	\$491,797
Year-to-Date Actual Sunday Collections:	<u>\$486,957</u>
Over (Under) Budget	<u>(\$4,840)</u>

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