SAINT PATRICK

SAINT MARGARET MARY



First Reading:

Then the LORD said to him,
"Go outside and stand on the mountain
before the LORD; the LORD will be passing
by." (1 Kgs 19:11)

Psalm:

Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation. (Ps 85)

Second Reading:

My conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in my heart.

For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, (Rom 9:1-3)

Gospel:

Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus.

(Mt 14:28-29)

ST. PATRICK CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULES

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

ADORATION & RECONCILIATION Wednesday 5:00-6:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday after Mass Sunday 8:00am

COMMUNION SERVICE

Monday-Friday, 7:15am

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Readings for the Week of August 13, 2023

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9, 10, 11-

12, 13-14 (8)/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33 **Monday:** Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-

20/Mt 17:22-27

<u>Tuesday:</u> Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/ Lk 11:27 -28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8,

16-17/Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2,

3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22

and 24/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8,

11/Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28



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

ADORATION & RECONCILIATION

Friday at 9:30am-10:30am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 3:00pm-3:45pm

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AUGUST 13, 2023

Together in Faith

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Overcoming Obstacles

Obstacles aren't fun to deal with. They slow up our plans. They keep us from moving forward in our dreams and desires that are in our hearts. They block us from seeing the untapped potential for our future. Challenges in life are rarely pleasant. They are trying and tiring because God didn't create us to be in conflict, but to be at peace.

Our obstacles don't look like epic quests but more like a washing machine that breaks or a child with extra health needs or that one fight you keep circling around and around to in your marriage. The final part of a good story is resolution. This doesn't mean "And they lived happily ever after." While the Hallmark channel may try to convince us otherwise, we know the world is full of stories that don't wrap up nicely with a bow on top.

Sometimes the resolution isn't that the problem is solved, but the main character is changed because of the conflict and that is you and me. Here are a few suggestions to overcome obstacles;

We may not understand why an obstacle is there. If we spend too much time trying to understand the 'why', we may lose focus on how to walk through the challenges we face.

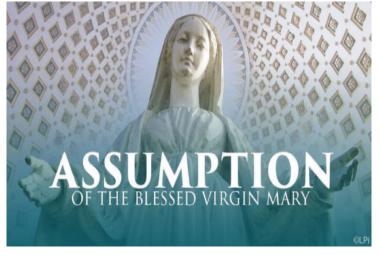
Try to control our emotions, stay calm and breathe before making rational decisions when learning how to overcome obstacles.

We can seek wise counsel about our situation and lift the burden of carrying it alone. Learning how to overcome obstacles alone is much harder than sharing the problem with people we love and trust.

We can pray and give our situation to the Lord. Our obstacle may not move or change but our courage and strength will grow with Jesus at our side. Trouble, challenges and conflict are all part of life. But you can have peace and overcome obstacles with Jesus.



Deacon Mike



St. Margaret Mary

ST. MARGARET MARY PRAYER REQUESTS:



Don Arns, Mary Baker, Marsha Bialaszewski, Billie Cvengos. Rhett Detamore, Lily Farid, Rosemary Freeze, Michael Hassler, Randy Hatfield, Doris King, Geri March, Kay Martin, Jim Plew, Marty Sholten, and Delores Snow.

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. Margaret Mary Church

2405 S 7th St.



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WE NEED YOUR STUFF!!!!

Please consider donating your unwanted stuff for our Labor Day Weekend Sale!







We are accepting: furniture, household items, linens, collectables, books, tools, clothing, children's clothing, toys, etc.. until August 25th.

We have pick-up available for furniture items by appointment only.

What we are NOT accepting: computers, mattresses, infant car seats or any broken items!

Please call Missy at 812-232-8518 for more information. Drop-offs accepted Tues-Fri 9am-4:00pm at the Dede Center (1st floor landing). Outdoor items or furniture are to be placed in the open garage.

Do NOT leave items outside of any building!

SMM Events for the Week

Saturday, August 12th

- •10:00am-Confirmation Rehearsal at St. Ben's
 - •3:00pm-Reconciliation
 - •4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, August 13th

- •11:00am-Mass
- •1:00pm-Misa
- •2:00pm-Confirmation at St. Ben's

Tuesday, August 15th The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- •5:30pm-Assumption Procession
- ●6:00pm-Mass followed by dinner in Legacy Room

Thursday, August 17th

- •11:00am-Mass
- •12:00pm-Retiree Lunch at The Ranch in Rockville

Friday, August 18th

- •9:00am-Mass
- 9:30am-Adoration & Reconciliation

Saturday, August 19th

- •3:00pm-Reconciliation
 - •4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, August 20th

- •11:00am-Mass
- •1:00pm-Misa

Retirees will meet for Mass at 11:00am on Thursday, August 17, 2023. Following Mass they will head to The Ranch in Rockville for lunch. Wrapping up with a visit to the Boutique, also located in Rockville. Please contact Jane Long 812-239-4691 or Louise Meneghini 812-239-1227 if you plan to attend or need more information. All are welcome.

St. Patrick Church

ST. PATRICK PRAYER REQUESTS:

Geri March, Ray Veit, Sherry Taylor, William Landes, Julian Palmer, Trey Lizanith, Ariana Olexa, Erick Schmidt, Sheila Schenk, Frank Mershon, Helen Olinske, Rhett Detamore, Eunice Pate, and Scott Carpenter



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

" A new commandment I give you, that you love one another; even as I have loved you, that you also love one another." (John 13:34)

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The Shamrockers meet the first Wednesday of the month for lunch. Next month they will be going to Simon Brute College and meet the Seminarians. They will attend Mass in Indianapolis. Please call Betty at 812-877-3548 or Mark and Liz at 812-243-3756 if you plan to go. All are welcome.

Everyday Stewardship

I remember when all three of my children were learning to swim. In the beginning, it seemed like no matter how much assurance I gave them. they were certain they would drown. Even after watching me float in the water, they were pretty sure their bodies were created to sink. In time, they grew more comfortable in the water. Eventually, they could even swim the length of the pool. But this did not happen overnight. They had to grow in their faith that swimming was possible, not just for others, but for them as well.

Too many of us who are Christians believe that holiness is for someone else. We believe that the stories of the saints are about super humans who had something in greater supply than us. When our faith is weak, we assume that we can never have the faith of these holy men and women.

On the contrary, faith and holiness are not things only possible for a few. But we must practice our faith to grow in our faith. We must strive for holiness if we are to become holy.

Like a child fears the water before learning to swim, we often fear the path that leads to greater faith or holiness. We are not convinced that God can work in our lives to create a saint. Yet except for Mary, the Immaculate Conception, every saint was a sinner. God called every saint to exit the boat and walk toward Jesus on the water. In time, with practice and trust in God, they found they did not sink either.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Teens invited to volunteer with Sisters of Providence

Teenagers! Come share your time and talents with the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana. Join us Saturday, August 26, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m., to assist the sisters and health care residents with various activities. Register

at TeenVolunteer.SistersofProvidence.org or contact Sister Joni Luna at 361-500-9505 or iluna@spsmw.org to learn more.



It's that time again. August is St. Pat's turn to collect cans of soup for the 12 Points Brown **Bag Project. This** Ministry serves the

needy of Garfield Towers and Warren Village. We ask that you bring cans of soup to Mass and turn them in to a greeter. Let us all be Souper Hero's and make this a successful Soup Drive. Help us feed God's people!

Together in Faith



Registration for Youth Faith Formation starts August 9th!

Youth Faith Formation (Religious Ed) is for grades K-8. We meet Wednesday evenings at 6:30-7:30pm at St. Margaret Mary Church. We offer Sacramental

preparation for First Reconciliation & Holy Communion. Use this QR code to register on or after August 9th.



Terre Haute Catholic Teens: Teen Connection

Use the QR code to access the Registration Form



NCYC

- •NCYC participation is still open. If you have a teen that is interested in attending, please request an attendee packet. vrogers@saintpat.org
- •1st payment of \$118.55 (NR deposit and 1st installment \$68.75) can be mailed or dropped off to Veronica Rogers at the parish office: 1807 Poplar St., Terre Haute, In 47803
- Please make checks payable to St. Patrick Church and in the memo line write teen's name and NCYC deposit.
- •What is NCYC and why should I send my teen? Scan the QR code to watch promo video.



Save the Date!!!

22nd Annual Youth Ministry Golf Scramble: Friday, September 15th at Idle Creek. Get your team together and join us for a great afternoon of golf! \$300 for a four person team includes lunch, golf cart and green fees. Registration



fliers available at the parish office and church entrances. Online registration is now available! Register your team and sponsor your golf hole. Find the link on the parish websites: www.sainpat.org or www.smmth.org



St. Patrick Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, July 29, 2023 6:00pm	92
Sunday, July 30, 2023 9:00am	159
St. Margaret Mary Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, July 29, 2023 4:00pm	115
Sunday, July 30, 2023 11:00am	154

Sunday Envelope Collection	\$13,294
Total Automated Giving	<u>\$8,820</u>
Total Monthly Collection	\$22,114

St. Margaret Mary Church Offerings

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\$326,019
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<u>\$315,690</u>
<u>(\$10,329)</u>

Thank you for your continued generosity!

St. Patrick Church Parish Offerings June 2023 Sunday Envelope Collection \$23,525

Sunday Loose Collection	\$1,598
Total Automated Giving	<u>\$29,818</u>
Total Monthly Collection	\$54,941
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:	\$774,593
Year-to-Date Actual Sunday Collections:	<u>\$752,158</u>
Over (Under) Budget	<u>(\$22,795)</u>

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