

The Church of St. Margaret Mary



June 3, 2018
June 10, 2018

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

You Are Welcome Here!

We're glad you're here.
Wherever you are
on your journey of faith,
you have a home
with us.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass 4:30 pm
Reconciliation 4:00 pm
(or by appointment)

Sunday Mass 10:00 am
with *Children's Liturgy of the Word*

Weekday Mass Schedule

8:00 am
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Experiencing the Heart of
Christ, we

Know Jesus
in Word and Worship.

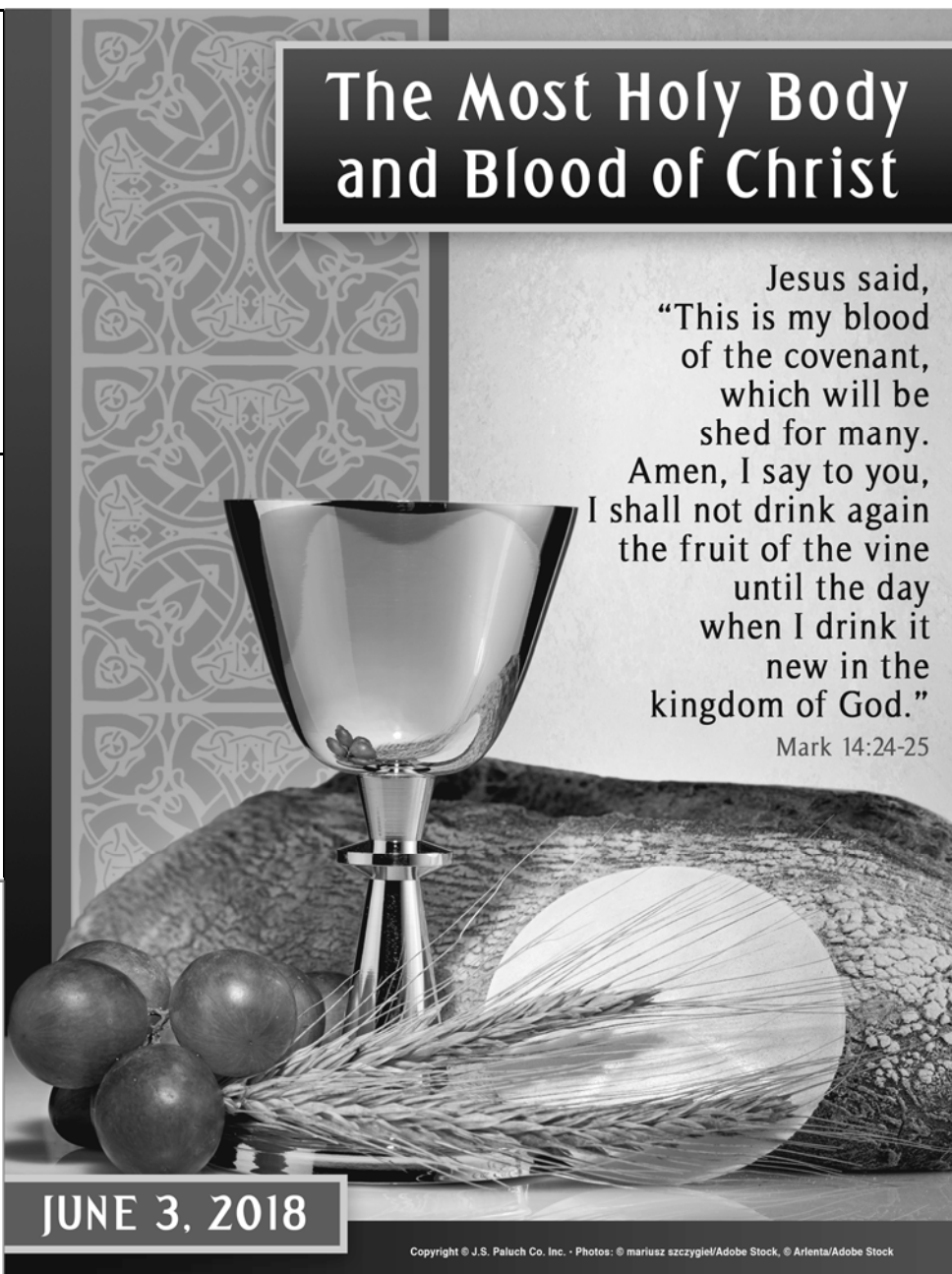
Live Jesus
in a vibrant, welcoming
Catholic community.

Serve Jesus
in outreach and justice.

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Jesus said,
"This is my blood
of the covenant,
which will be
shed for many.
Amen, I say to you,
I shall not drink again
the fruit of the vine
until the day
when I drink it
new in the
kingdom of God."

Mark 14:24-25



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Reflections from Father Tom

The Feast of Body and Blood of Christ

St. Paul writing to the Corinthians expresses how we participate in one body of Jesus by drinking from one cup and breaking one bread. As I mentioned last week, unity and oneness are the constant struggles in the society today. Are we united? Are we members of the one body, Jesus? These are the questions that pop up in our mind. Being in one body of Christ does not mean that we need to have uniformity but unity of our hearts. The body has different parts and each of them assigned to do their duties. We have our hands to share and shake hands with others. And we have legs to walk with the needy as Jesus would do. Eyes are to see others' struggle and ears are to hear the troubles of poor. The normal function of the whole body depends on the various functions of different parts of our body. If the eyes are to say that 'we cannot see any longer and we are going to start hearing', there will be a confusion and chaos. In the organization of our body, the respective parts need to do their duty.

The analogy of body to any community is so meaningful and powerful. You may like to read St. Paul's letter to Corinthians 12:3-14 where he speaks about the one body and having many parts in unity. The community of faith is like the body. We come to gather to celebrate that **oneness** every time we come to Church acknowledging each one's different gifts and ministries. As God designed our human body with different parts for their special functions of our body, we the member of Body of Christ, are called by the same spirit for the various ministries or functions of our one Church. Some time we may get carried away with the idea of oneness and ownership by interfering in others' special ministries. Imagine what will happen if the ears are trying to take the job of eating instead of the mouth. The ears still argue that they are also important parts of the body and have every right to taste the food and why always the mouth. For the normal function of our body we need to let the parts do their work in different ways under the instruction of the brain. The unity of our bodily function cannot be in the uniformity of their performance but in the diversity of their function with the spirit of unity. So let us be united in the same Lord with our different ministers inspired by the one Spirit.



Speaking about the body and blood of Christ, I would like to mention here about the devotion to the Blessed Sacrament of Holy Eucharist. We come to celebrate and express our faith in Eucharistic Jesus. You and I know through our faith that what we receive is not a mere piece of bread but the body and blood of Christ. Don't we think we need to speak to Jesus through prayer, as we feel he comes into our hearts? The praying community is always the growing community, as the Apostles were united in prayer.
May the Eucharist Lord bless you and your families!

Liturgy



Neighborhood Mass

I talked to you couple weeks ago at the end of the Mass about Neighborhood Mass. Some of you asked me to give more details. Here it is. We are planning to have Mass in your homes. Mostly it would happen on Friday evenings at the convenience of hosting families. The hosting families are to invite our parishioners living close by and any other Christians for this celebration. I encourage the host family to have a potluck so that there could informal social after the Mass to get know the neighbors.

Such small community Eucharistic celebration was main source of evangelization and community-building in the early Church. I know it may be a little challenge; however I encourage you to host the event at your home. If you have any questions, please call our parish office or email me directly: frtom@smm-gv.org.

May God bless you all. Fr. Tom

God Answers Prayers

Mass Intentions: St. Margaret Mary is pleased to include daily and weekend mass intentions for our beloved dead, special intentions, in thanksgiving and for our parish community.

To schedule a mass intention, please contact the office by phone, email (myparish@smm-gv.org), or in person. We will do our best to schedule on the date(s) you wish.

Council for Mission & Ministry

On Pentecost Sunday, selection process brought forth new members to serve on the council. They are: Tina Gorgos, Kayleen Taffe, Brittney Hynes.

Thank you to Richard Karels and Anne Marsnik who have served the parish for the past three years.

June 2 ~ June 17

Saturday, June 2

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass....★Rachel H Chung MD & family

Sunday, June 3 Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

10:00 am Mass.....★People of St Margaret Mary

Tuesday, June 5

5:30 pm Adoration

6:30 pm Mass

Wednesday, June 6

8:00 am Mass...★For a successful Parish Festival

Thursday, June 7

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, June 9

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass.....★People of St Margaret Mary

Sunday, June 10 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Mass.....★All Graduates
Hospitality

Tuesday, June 12

5:30 pm Adoration

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm CMM Potluck Dinner

Wednesday, June 13

8:00 am Mass...★In Thanksgiving J.M.

Thursday, June 14

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, June 16

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass.....†Les Herbert
.....†Anne Potvin

Sunday, June 17 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Mass...★People of St Margaret Mary
.... All Fathers

† deceased ★ living

Parish Festival Update

St. Margaret Mary Fall Festival

Sunday, September 16

10:00 am Mass

Sirloin Pork Chop Dinner

Games for All Ages

Bingo

Raffle & Silent Auction

Entertainment

"We need your help to make this event a success!"

Volunteer to co-chair a committee this year.

Call Tina Gorgos at 612-242-5070 or Tarah Cleveland at 218-252-9060 to volunteer to be a committee co-chair.

Join us for the next Planning Meeting on **Wednesday, June 13 beginning at 6:00 pm** in Visitation Hall.

Readings for the Week

Daily Readings are available online at the United States Council of Catholic Bishop's website.

www.usccb.org/biblereadings

CCW News

Our CCW Ladies held their Spring Meeting in Visitation Hall on May 14. They came together to socialize with one another and to share ideas. A presentation was given by two Dinner at Your Dinner Board Members on ways we can help their ministry. Currently St. Margaret Mary has several dedicated volunteers who participate in this organization.

We look forward to more CCW events such as this one, and invite **each** woman in our parish to participate! We are currently in need of a president and a secretary for our CCW chapter. Please consider volunteering in order for this special group to continue.

Laurie Geving, former CCW president

Faith Formation

Save the DATE

Vacation Bible School is planned for the week of July 16 - 20 from 1pm-5pm. Students entering grades Kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to attend. Volunteers will also be needed to help with the week's activities. More details will follow.

Social Ministry



School's out ~ "What's for lunch?"
No school often means no hot lunch for many children in our area.

PRISM needs easy to prepare foods like macaroni and cheese, canned soups and pasta, peanut butter, granola bars, and canned fruit.

St Therese Circle is looking for women interested in quilting, crafting and generally helping with functions like the Holiday Bazaar at SMM. Times and location to meet to be determined. Contact Geri Westly at westlygd@comcast.net.

Thanks to all the customers of the CCW Flower Sale. It was a success and the flowers were beautiful as usual. Proceeds from the Flower Sale will be used to help fund parish needs.

Thanks, also, to the many volunteers who assisted with unloading the truck, sorting the orders, and assisting our customers with plant carry out. They were: Maddy and Kate Dimler, Mary DuPont, Jennifer and Steve Erickson, Susan Hoke, Barb and Rich Kramer, Jeanne Lechner, Karen Percic, Elizabeth Spohn, Diane Stoddard and Emma Walker.
Thanks, Nancy Huntley

Upcoming Parish Events

June 13 Festival Planning Meeting, 6 pm
July 16-20 Vacation Bible School.
More information to follow.

Sunday, Sept 16 St Margaret Mary Parish Festival

During the summer months, the bulletin will be published bi-weekly. The next bulletin will be June 17/24

Update the parish with your email address. This is an easy way to communicate parish events to you.

Neighboring Events

Summer's Finally Here, It's Time to Volunteer!

Birthright of Minneapolis is a pro-life organization located in downtown Minneapolis. We are open Monday through Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. We are looking for volunteers to staff the office for one or two days a month. All of our services are free: diapers, baby and maternity clothes, layettes, etc. Please contact corrine@birthrightmpls.org for further information. Thank you.

Register Now: Archdiocesan Youth Day will be Saturday, October 27 from 1:30 to 9 pm.

The theme this year is "Do not be afraid." Luke 1:30.

Archbishop Hebda and Bishop Cozzens will be in attendance this year!

For the first time, there will be separate men's and women's sessions featuring Nick Redd, the Sons of Thunder and the Sisters of Life! For registration questions, contact Sonya Flomo at flomos@archspm.org or (651) 291-4488. For all other questions, contact Katie Duncan at duncank@archspm.org or (651) 291-4506.

Catholic Schools

Catholic Schools Affiliated with St. Margaret Mary

Good Shepherd (K-6) 763-545-4285 145 Jersey Ave S. Golden Valley www.gsgvschool.org	Sacred Heart (PreK-8) 763-537-1329 4050 Hubbard Ave N. Robbinsdale www.sacredheartrobbinsdale.org
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Spiritual Life

Anointing of the Sick

If you, or someone you know of, is ill, elderly or facing surgery, please call the Parish Office.

Baptism

Please call the Parish Center early in your pregnancy or adoption process to register for a Baptism Preparation Session.

Marriage

Please call the parish office six months in advance.

RCIA, First Eucharist, Confirmation

Please call the Parish Center.

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2323 Zenith Ave. N., Golden Valley, MN 55422

Parish Center Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8 - 3:30 pm, Friday 8 - noon

763-588-9466 Fax: 763-588-0040

Web: www.smm-gv.org
Email: myparish@smm-gv.org

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Sunday Mass..... 10:00 am
with Children's Liturgy of the Word

Weekday Mass Schedule

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Wednesday and Thursday, Mass at 8:00 am

Pastoral Team

Pastor	Father Thomas Rayar frtom@smm-gv.org
Coordinator of Faith Formation / Youth Ministry	Joshua Diaz jdiaz@smm-gv.org
Director of Liturgy	Joshua Diaz jdiaz@smm-gv.org
Parish Business Administrator	Diane Mareck dmareck@smm-gv.org

Pastoral Emergencies and Anointing of the Sick
call Father Tom at 763-515-2005

Parish Leadership

COUNCIL FOR MISSION & MINISTRY

Marian Beumer, *First Chair*..... 612-529-4945
Mark Hastie, *Second Chair* 763-710-4149
Susan Hoke, *Secretary*..... 763-546-6744
Richard Karels..... 763-588-3271
Richard Kramer..... 763-521-0851
Anne Marsnik..... 763-535-4125

COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES for CMM

Nancy Huntley, *Trustee* 763-522-9437
Jean Plucinski, *Adult Faith Formation*..... 763-593-0664
Georgeann Wobschall, *Social Ministry*..... 763-545-7026

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sybi Czeneszew, *Chair*..... 612-377-3992
Rick Riley 763-529-8741
Gene Blanski..... 763-544-0343
Jim Sherburne 763-588-5364
Jeb Myers, *Trustee*..... 952-693-8135

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (CCW)

Laurie Geving 763-546-6828

PRAYER CHAIN

Jennie Schlumberger..... 763-546-5088