

The Church of

St. Margaret Mary



July 1, 2018
July 8, 2018

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Fourteenth 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

Tuesday: 5:30 pm Adoration and
6:30 pm Mass
Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 am
Mass

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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MARK 5:36

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2 Corinthians 12:9

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Reflections from Father Tom

Do Not Be Afraid; Just Have Faith

The beauty of Jesus' words and his works is that they are alive even today after 2000 years. The Gospel of Jesus is the eternal word that will be reenacted in the life of people in all times. The gospel episode of this weekend is a typical example how those life experiences are repeated in our lives. Jesus told the synagogue official who wanted to save his daughter's life: "Disregarding the message that was reported, Jesus said to the synagogue official, 'Do not be afraid; just have faith.'" (Mk: 5:36)

When we are troubled with despair, pain, sickness, struggles of work, and frustration, we need to remember what Jesus told the official. 'Do not be afraid; just have faith.' If we have faith in Jesus we could move the mountains of suffering by the powerful name of Jesus. Before we can have such faith in Jesus, we have to disregard the untruths, biases, rumors, self-righteousness and wrong philosophies. "Disregard the message that was reported, just have faith".



July 4th- Independence Day: Like the synagogue official that moved from the fear of death to freedom of faith by believing in Jesus' words, the great fathers of our nation fought for the freedom of our nation years ago. The freedom they attained for us was not free and keeping up that freedom will not be free either. We, as the faithful children of our fore-parents, should use the freedom they won for us with great respect and without abusing the great freedom we obtained at the cost of many lives. As we need water in our daily living, we also need freedom. When the water is not controlled, it becomes a flood that destroys lives and causes great damages. The uncontrolled freedom, like the flood, that begets havocs. Freedom should be channeled through moral values and self-control. Uncontrolled-Full freedom cannot be the true freedom. I wish you all a Happy July 4th!

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it."- Voltaire

Prayer: *Lord, Lead our nation to your kingdom where we are united in mind and heart, filled with a spirit of love, equality and freedom. Amen.*

Faith Formation



"Superheros" Vacation Bible School July 16-20 1-5pm

Learn about ordinary people that God chose to make superheros! Everyday will include music, activities, and games to help learn about these heros from the bible.

VBS is for students entering Kindergarten through 5th grade. Volunteers are also needed to help lead activities.

Student sign up forms are available in the entrance of the church. If you are interested in volunteering. Please contact Josh Diaz in the Parish Office.

Weakness and Strength



The opposite of strong faith may not be weakness, but rather misplacing faith by relying on ourselves, our material possessions, or others. When we think we can do things on our own, we leave little room for God in our lives. When we develop a false sense of security that is rooted in material things, our trust in Jesus is quite shallow.

Growing in faith calls us to rely on God's great goodness above all things. When we open our minds and hearts and allow ourselves to be astonished at the love and life found in Jesus Christ, we realize that we do not need to rely on ourselves. St Paul teaches us a very important lesson about this in his second letter to the Corinthians, in which we hear, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness."

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St. Margaret Mary Parishioner Updates

Rest in Peace

Richard Hirtzel June 25, 2018

June 30 ~ July 15

Saturday, June 30

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass..... † Les Herbert

Sunday, July 1 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Monday, July 2

Tuesday, July 3

5:30 pm Adoration

6:30 pm Mass..... † Rev Francis Roach

Wednesday, July 4 Independence Day

8:00 am Mass

Parish Office Closed

Thursday, July 5

No Mass, Parish Office Closed

Friday, July 6

Dinner at Your Door

Saturday, July 7

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass..... † Peter Fisher

Sunday, July 8 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Tuesday, July 10

5:30 pm Adoration

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm Festival Meeting

Wednesday, July 11

8:00 am Mass..... † Rev Martin Fleming

Thursday, July 12

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, July 14

4:00 pm Confessions

4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, July 15 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

† deceased * living

Parish Festival Update

St. Margaret Mary Fall Festival Sunday, September 16

Silent Auction: Do you have items to donate to the Silent Auction? The sky is the limit! Tickets to Twins, Wild, Vikings or Gopher games are great Silent Auction items. Dinner tickets to the Ordway, Chanhassen Dinner Theatre or gift cards to a restaurant are excellent choices. Do you quilt? Are you a handiman and make/craft items? These are more great examples for the Silent Auction.

Donations to the Silent Auction can be brought to the parish office or make arrangements with Mark Hastie by email mark.hastie@gmail.com

Raffle Tickets: Your raffle tickets are available in the back of church for you to pick up. There are 13 cash prizes on the grand raffle; the meaning of Lucky 13 will be true to the winners of these prizes.

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

Social Ministry

Peter's Pence Collection

Your contributions to the annual Peter's Pence Collection for Pope Francis enables the Holy Father to carry out his charitable works around the world. For example, in Nyamirambo, Rwanda, the Salesian Sisters of the Sacred Hearts used contributions from Peter's Pence to expand their building enabling them to increase education for poor, hearing-impaired children. Please support our brothers and sisters through Peter's Pence and charitable works of the Holy Father.

Envelopes are available in the vestibule of church.



PRISM

PRISM: Please help supply kid friendly foods such as pasta, canned fruit, peanut butter, cereal, etc.

Also needed are pantry items (flour, sugar, seasonings, oil, etc).

PRISM Shop for Change is a very inexpensive thrift store with a variety of items: clothing for all ages, household items, greeting cards, jewelry, etc. Shop for Change is located at 1220 Zane Ave N in Golden Valley.

Hours are: Monday-Friday 9:00 - 5:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 - 7:00 pm

1st Saturday of the month 10:00 - 2:00 pm

Peace Coffee orders due July 15.

Order forms on table in back of church. Please make checks payable to Peace Coffee and place your order form in the collection basket.



Liturgy

How does your garden grow?

Calling all gardeners to share the work of your hands!

If you have some beautiful blooms to share that would enhance our weekend liturgical environment, please call Josh at the parish office and arrange to drop flowers off Friday afternoon or Saturday/Sunday before the masses.



Upcoming Parish Events

July 16-20 **Vacation Bible School**
(See article inside bulletin)

Sunday, Sept 16 St Margaret Mary Parish Festival

During the summer months, the bulletin will be published bi-weekly. The next bulletin will be July 15 & 22

Update the parish with your [email address](#). This is an easy way to communicate parish events to you.

Neighboring Events

Good Shepherd Golf Tournament

July 16

11 am Lunch and Registration; 12:30 Tee off
Golden Valley Country Club

\$150/person Early bird registration until July 1
Bidpal.net/golfgs

Interested in sponsoring this event, contact 763-545-4285

RWC 100 Hole Challenge will be held on Monday, Sept 24 at 7 am , Rush Creek Golf Course. Guys and gals register now at www.RWCinfo.org
Kick off breakfast will be held Tues, July 31

This is a Red Carpet golf experience.

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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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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Pastoral Team

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

Parish Leadership

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