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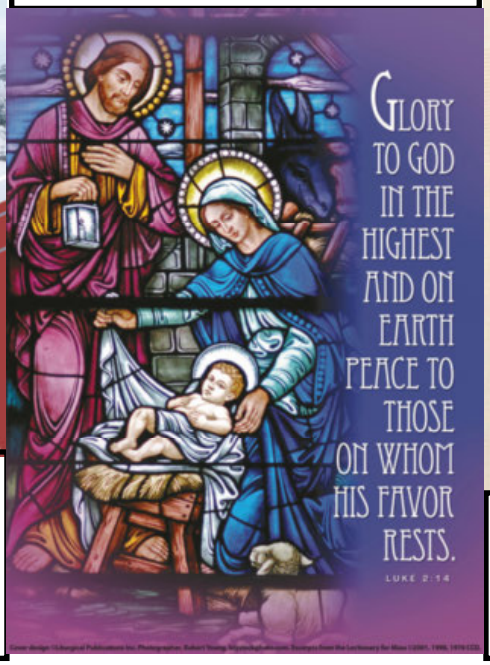
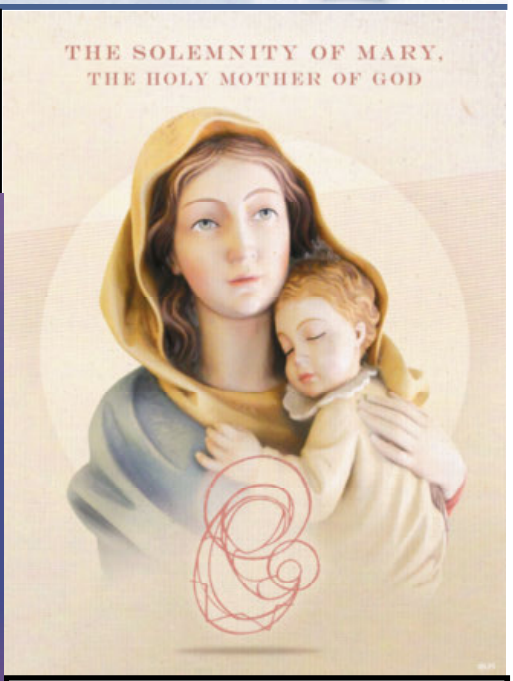
SAINT MARGARET MARY

**Sunday,
December 18, 2022
Fourth Sunday of Advent**

**Sunday,
December 25, 2022
Holy Day of Obligation**





**Sunday, January 1, 2023
Holy Day of Obligation**

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

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

COMMUNION SERVICE
Monday-Friday, 7:15 am

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MASS SCHEDULES
Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 11:00am
3:00pm—Misa en Español
Thursday & Friday 9:00am
Except third Thursday, Mass at 11:00am

RECONCILIATION
Saturday at 3:00pm-3:45pm or
by appointment

STAFF
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DECEMBER 18, 2022 THROUGH JANUARY 1, 2023

Together in Faith

Mass Intentions

Saturday Dec. 17th	4:00pm-SMM 6:00pm-SP	Norbert A. Yellig † (Elizabeth Davidson) Ed & Bea Farrington † (Farrington Family)
Sunday Dec. 18th **Fourth Sunday of Advent**	9:00am-SP 11:00am-SMM 1:00pm-SMM Misa en Español	Pro-Populo Mass for the People of Our Parish Camila Cortez-Gonzales † (Lilia Cortez) Fr. John Moung † (Fr. Ben Syberg)
Tuesday Dec. 20th	9:00am-SP All School Mass	Rod Bosley † (Cheryl Errgang)
Wednesday Dec. 21st	9:00am-SP 5:00pm-SP	Clayton Duchene † (Mary & Ray Veit) Reconciliation & Adoration
Thursday Dec. 22nd	9:00am-SMM	Jacob Hills † (Jeff & Debbie Hills)
Friday Dec. 23rd	9:00am-SMM	Sheryll Graves † (Paula Detamore)
Saturday Dec. 24th **Christmas Eve**	4:00pm-SMM 6:30pm-SP 10:30pm-SP	Catherine & Peter Pawelczak † (The Bialaszewski's) Danny Hicks † (Hilliree Brown) Arthur & Rena Gallagher † (Louise Topolosek)
Sunday Dec. 25th **The Nativity Of The Lord**	9:00am-SMM **No Hispanic Mass Today**	Pro-Populo Mass for the People of Our Parish

In observance of the Christmas and New Year Holidays the offices of St. Margaret Mary Church and St. Patrick Church will be closed from Friday, December 23, 2022 to Tuesday, January 3, 2023.

Readings for the week of December 18, 2022

Sunday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [7c, 10b]/Rom 1:1-7/ Mt 1:18-24
Monday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17/ Lk 1:5-25
Tuesday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 1:26-38
Wednesday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21/Lk 1:39-45
Thursday: 1 Sm 1:24-28/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Lk 1:46-56
Friday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/ Lk 1:57-66
Saturday: **Morning**: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79 : **Vigil**: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 (2a)/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25; **Night**: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13/ Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14; **Dawn**: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15 -20 Day: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [3])/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

Readings for the week of December 25, 2022

Sunday: **Vigil:** Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 (2a)/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-**25 Night**: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 **Dawn**: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 **Day**: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [3])/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
Monday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22
Tuesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8
Wednesday 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/ Mt 2:13-18
Thursday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6/Lk 2:22-35
Friday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mt 2:13-15, 19-23
Saturday: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13/Jn 1:1-18

Tuesday Dec. 27th	9:00am-SP	Special Intentions
Wednesday Dec. 28th	9:00am-SP	Special Intentions
Thursday Dec. 29th	9:00am-SMM	Special Intentions
Friday Dec. 30th	9:00am-SMM	Special Intentions
Saturday Dec. 31st	4:00pm-SMM 6:00pm-SP	Doris Kremer † (Cheryl Kremer) Pro-Populo Mass For The People Of Our Parish
Sunday January 1st, 2023 **Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**	9:00am-SP 11:00am-SMM 1:00pm-SMM Misa en Español	David Bedel † (From a friend) Ted Brentlinger † (SMM Staff) Special Intentions

St. Margaret Mary

SMM Events for the Week

Friday, December 16th
8:30am-Mass
9:00am-9:00pm-12 Hours of Grace

Saturday, December 17th
4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, December 18th
11:00am-Mass
12:30-2:30pm-Youth Ministry/Legacy Room
1:00pm-Misa

Thursday, December 22nd
9:00am-Mass

Friday, December 23rd
9:00am-Mass

Saturday, December 24th
4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, December 25th
Christmas Day
9:00am-Mass

Thursday, December 29th
9:00am-Mass

Friday, December 30th
9:00am-Mass

Saturday, December 31st
4:00pm-Mass

Sunday, January 1st
New Year's Day
11:00am-Mass
1:00pm-Misa

ST. MARGARET MARY PRAYER REQUESTS:

Don Arns, Theo Beuvelet, Dennis Bialaszewski, Marsha Bialaszewski, Ted Brentlinger, Pat Cox, Billie Cvengos, Rhett Detamore, Michael Dwyer, Lily Farid, Rosemary Freeze, Mike Harden, Doris King, Sara Meyer, Ariana Olexa, Alanya Orman, Jim Plew, Martha Sholten, Delores Snow, Mason Spittler, Mary Sullivan, Susan Wilbur and Charlie Williams

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:

Trey Lizanith, Ariana Olexa, Erick Schmidt, Sheila Schenk, Alekko Jones, Linda Howaniek, Frank Mershon, Sandy McBroom, Linda Mohrhaus, Sheila Barnhart, Helen Olinske, Rhett Detamore, Eunice Pate, Helen Horrall, 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

Parish Pastoral Council Officers 2023

Richard Shagley: President
Larry Kelly: Vice President
Greg Neumann: Secretary

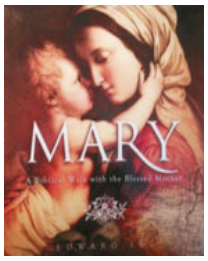
Parish Pastoral Council Members 2023

John Aidoo	Chris Barrett
Sheila Dinkel	Tyler Dinkel
Molly Callahan	Tom Haley
Sharon Hellmann	Fritz Issacs
Kevin Sutterer	

Thank you Jeanne!

St. Patrick and St. Margaret Mary would like to extend a heartfelt note of gratitude to Jeanne Akers for her years of service to our parishes. We wish you much happiness and blessings in your future endeavors!

MARIAN BIBLE STUDY TO BEGIN IN JANUARY!!!!



Have you ever wondered why Mary is so important to our faith as Catholics? We turn to her prayer, in the Mass, in the Rosary and in Marian devotions. We honor her with special feasts celebrating the significant events in her life. We place images of her in our churches and homes. **Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother** is an extraordinary study that reveals Mary's unique role in God's Kingdom and in our lives. Filmed on location in the Holy Land.

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of her earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son. This study will help Mary become a part of your daily life and help you to become more like Christ.

St. Patrick will be hosting **Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother** Bible Study beginning Sunday morning, January 22nd and Wednesday evening January 25th. For more information or to register for the study, call Geri March at 812-240-7456 or email: Victorian1411@gmail.com

Christmas Every Day

This Christmas, remember that the true value of a gift depends on how you measure it. Sure, a gift with a large price tag might seem more valuable, but only by the world's standards. As usual, God looks at it differently: In Luke chapter 21 he writes, "As Jesus looked up, he saw the rich putting their gifts into the temple treasury. He also saw a poor widow put in two very small copper coins. "Truly I tell you," he said, "this poor widow has put in more than all the others.

All these people gave their gifts out of their wealth; but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on." If you're feeling like you have nothing left to give right now, that verse is worth pondering. She gave more; she gave out of her poverty; she put in all she had to live on. Think about this a little bit—it puts a whole new twist on Christmas when we consider this passage in light of who we are in Christ and who Christ is in us.

Mary carried Jesus for nine months in order to deliver Him to the world. We carry Jesus for the rest of our lives in order to deliver Him to the world. As living sacrifices, we take Him to mankind so that Christ might literally touch people through our hands, feet, and voices. When we allow Christ to live through us in this way, we are sharing our very life, everything we have, more than anything that can be bought.

Have you ever thought about this? God basically asks us to do the same thing He asked Mary to do. He came to Mary, someone who had nothing to give, and He basically said, make your body a living sacrifice to me. Entrust yourself to me. Now He looks at us and says exactly the same thing.

In the midst of all the holiday noise, may we be used as the packaging and wrapping of your gift of Jesus to our world, every day, all year long with kind acts of love!

Merry Christmas from my family to yours,
Deacon Mike

Together in Faith

Youth Faith Formation & Ministry:

● During the Holiday Season more than ever, our thoughts turn gratefully to those who have made our progress possible. In this spirit we sincerely say Thank you and Best Wishes for the holiday season and a Happy New Year.

● There are no Youth Faith Formation classes on 12/21 & 28. We will resume on 01/04/23.

● December Teen Connection Youth Ministry dates: December 18th is our annual Ugly Sweater Party and gift exchange. Please bring a $10 White Elephant gift.

● High School Teen Connection January Sessions are January 8 & 22 12:30pm-2:30pm. Teens save the date for our Spring retreat to be held at Camp Rancho Framasa April 15-16. This is a required event for Confirmation candidates.

For more details contact: Veronica Rogers at vrogers@saintpat.org

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

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Readings for the week of January 1, 2023

Sunday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (2a)/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21
Monday: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 1:19-28
Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6/Jn 1:29-34
Wednesday: 1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/Jn 1:35-42
Thursday: 1 Jn 3:11-21/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Jn 1:43-51
Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38
Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a, and 9b/ Jn 2:1-11
Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/ Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

St. Patrick Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, December 3, 2022 6:00pm	79
Sunday, December 4, 2022 9:00am	208
St. Margaret Mary Church Mass Counts	
Saturday, December 3, 2022 4:00pm	106
Sunday, December 4, 2022 11:00am	174

St. Margaret Mary Church Offerings	December 2022
Sunday Envelope Collection	$9,161
Total Automated Giving	$5,280
Total Monthly Collection	$14,441
YTD Fiscal Year 2022-23 (7/1/22-6/30/23)	
July 2022-June 2023 Collections Goal:	$326,019
Year-to-Date Budgeted Sunday Collections:	$144,201
Year-to-Date Actual Sunday Collections:	$138,727
Over (Under) Budget	**($5,474)**

Thank you for your continued generosity!

St. Patrick Church Parish Offerings	December 2022
Sunday Envelope Collection	$13,477
Sunday Loose Collection	$483
Total Automated Giving	$13,433
Total Monthly Collection	$27,393
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:	$342,768
Year-to-Date Actual Sunday Collections:	$328,684
Over (Under) Budget	**($14,084)**

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