

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS	SPECIAL EVENTS	DAILY READINGS
SUNDAY 4/10/16	10:00 Mass-	Faith Formation—Confirmation Class after Mass in Parish Hall. RCIA after Mass. Coffee & Donuts after Mass	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13 Rv 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-19
Monday 4/11/2016	NO MASS		Acts 6:8-15 Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday 4/12/2016	4:00 PM— Mass ✠	Bible Study <u>Cancelled</u> this week. Contemplative Prayer after Mass.	Acts 7:51—8:1a Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b,8a,17,21ab Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday 4/13/2016	8:00 AM- Mass ✠Gil Heim by Humphreys Family.	1:00 PM- Book of Psalms in Parish Hall. 7:00 PM- Holy Spirit Prayer Group— Immaculate Conception Prayer Group to join us. 7:00 PM— KofC meeting in Parish Hall.	Acts 8:1b-8 Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a Jn 6:35-40
Thursday 4/14/2016	8:00 Mass Frank & Pat Sullivan by Valuja Family	10:00 AM— Women's Guild Meeting in Parish Hall.	Acts 8:26-40 Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 Jn 6:44-51
Friday 4/15/2016	8:00 AM- Mass ✠Mary Hamel by Marion & Dick Hamel		Acts 9:1-20 Ps 117:1bc, 2 Jn 6:52-59
Saturday 4/16/2016	8:00 AM—Mass ✠ 4:00 PM—Vigil Mass	3:15-3:45 PM- Reconciliation Faith Formation— Confirmation Retreat in Parish Hall. <b>Tickets on sale for KofC Dinner next weekend.</b>	Acts 9:31-42 Ps 116:12-17 Jn 6:60-69
SUNDAY 4/17/16	10:00 AM— Mass  2:00 PM— Healing Mass	Faith Formation today.  RCIA after Mass. <b>Tickets on sale for KofC Dinner next weekend.</b>	Acts 13:14, 43-52 Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 Rv 7:9, 14b-17 Jn 10:27-30

**APRIL 10, 2016**

Stewardship opens an avenue of thought that allows us to give without always questioning what we will get in return.

**NOTE:** Please be aware that our bulletin is posted on our website; therefore, any information in the bulletin is out there in cyberspace, accessible to anyone. Please let the office know if this is an issue for you.

*Our Mission Statement : To Fulfill Fr. Michael Murphy's dream to be a welcoming community*

*\*To grow in the love of the Lord*

*\*To follow the teachings of the Church*

*\*To serve one another and the community.*



## St. Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church

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**NEW Website:**

[www.stmargaretofscotlandmv.org](http://www.stmargaretofscotlandmv.org)

**April 10, 2016**

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Office located next to the Church. (Closed on all Holy Days and Holidays)

**MASSES** — \*Tues. 4:00 PM—Wednesday thru Saturday 8:00 AM

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday: 3:15—3:45 PM (or by appointment)

**BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES:** By appointment

**HOLY DAY MASSES:** Vigil 6:30 PM, 8:00 AM & 6:30 PM

**\*see calendar on back for possible time changes**

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULES**

**\*WINTER:** Nov. 1<sup>ST</sup> to the last Sunday before Memorial Day

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM Sunday: 10:00 AM

**\*WINTER SNOW DAYS—SUNDAY MASS WILL BE AT 2:00 PM**

**SUMMER:** Memorial Day Weekend until October 31<sup>ST</sup>

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM



**ASSESSED GOAL** 16,135. **AMT. PAID** 2,710.00 **PLEDGE BAL.** 1,495.00 **OVER/(UNDER)** (11,930.00)

**DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL 2016**

Your pledge to the Diocesan Support Appeal is shared with the educational, multicultural, vocational, housing and social service ministries of the diocese. Thousands of people depend on your generosity. You may complete a pledge and envelope and return it to the Parish Office. Contributions can also be made online @ [www.charlottediocese.org/dsa](http://www.charlottediocese.org/dsa). Please designate it for St. Margaret of Scotland #85.

*Whatever you do...*



All those who have gone thru the "Life in the Spirit Seminar" as well as all who are interested are encouraged to attend the "Holy Spirit Prayer Group" on Wed., April 13th at 7:00 PM. Members of the *Immaculate Conception Prayer Group* are coming to visit and we would like to have a good showing so we can have a good sharing.

**DSA- SECOND COLLECTION**

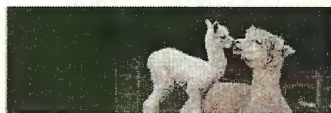
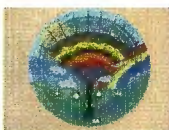
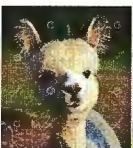
The theme of the 2016 DSA is "Whatever you do..." This song retells the Gospel message in Mathew 25:35-40; and reiterates the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. It also beautifully reminds us what the ministries supported by the DSA do for thousands of our brothers and sisters across Western North Carolina. The DSA provides support for more than 20 services that Catholic Charities of Charlotte offers throughout the diocese. The appeal also provides funding for the Housing Ministry, Education Ministries (providing over 30 different programs), Multicultural Ministries, Eucharistic Congress, and Vocations. *Next weekend* we will have our first collection for this years appeal. On behalf of those that benefit from the Diocesan Support Appeal, thank you for your generosity.



Dear Friends,  
Steve was released from the heart surgeon's care today only 20 days after double by-pass operation. All is well and thank you for all your prayers. On to 3 months of cardio-rehab!  
*Steve and Mary Jean Tonda*

**WOMEN'S GUILD**

Ladies, Bring your ideas and bring your Catholic Buddies to our St. Margaret's Women's Guild meeting on **Thursday, April 14th @ 10:00 AM.** Marissa Dana will be acquainting us with some of her farm animals as well as demonstrating her weaving talents. We will also be making a decision on the location for your Mother's Day Luncheon.



**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Katie & Len Adams, R.Allan, Tom Beyer, Karin Dent, Thomas Dexter, Elliot Dowdell, Norma Esbenshade, Marian Halasz, Peter Mino, Cathy Jones, Josh Ketchum, Lori Kyle, Jerry LaPointe, Matt Loetz, G.Lydia, Lisa M., R.Mas, Liz McEnany, Kathleen Mercogliano, Robert Missana, David P.

Mundy, Joseph Orvos, Suzanne Palmiere, Pat & George Pastore, Carroll Smathers, Cathy Sykes, Boone Tilley, Olivia Triollo, Barb & Bob Williams, Bella Grace Yarrington, Bruce Yarrington, - **AND ALL THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER. NAMES WILL REMAIN FOR ONE MONTH, UNLESS NOTIFIED OTHERWISE.**

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**WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY**



All newcomers interested in officially joining the parish are asked to call the church office to register.

**STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN**

There is much to digest (literally) in today's Gospel Reading from St. John. It reports the third time that Jesus appeared to His Apostles. The Lord appears on the shore of the Sea of Tiberias, which is another name by which the Sea of Galilee is known. It is early in the morning, and Peter and the others had been fishing unsuccessfully, and obviously were near to the shore, but at Jesus' urging they cast their nets again and caught many fish, which they then brought to shore.



According to the Gospel Jesus had breakfast with them, and then He poses the question to Peter specifically, "Do you love me?" The exchange between the Lord and Peter is carefully narrated, as are Jesus' responses. However, at the end of the Gospel Reading for today, Jesus says two simple words to Peter, "Follow Me." Of course, these are the same two words with which we are familiar that Jesus used to call Peter and the others in the beginning.

We need to understand that these instructions from Jesus are not just for the Apostles but for us as well. How have we responded to that call? Our reaction does not have to be as dramatic as Peter's and the others, who abandoned their lives and their livelihood and became total followers of Christ. However, we, too, need to find the strength and the commitment to follow the Lord. How we carry that out is our stewardship, how we live our lives.

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