

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS	SPECIAL EVENTS	DAILY READINGS,
SUNDAY 11/06/2016	10:00 AM— Mass ✠	Faith Formation after 10:00 Mass. RCIA after 10:00 Mass	Mc7:1-2, 9-14 Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 Thes 2:16—3:5 Lk 20:27-38
<b>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS</b>	<b>WINTER SCHEDULE BEGINS</b>	<b>4:30 PM—7:30PM—</b> First Evening Youth Group (8th—12th grade)	
Monday 11/07/2016	NO MASS		Ti 1:1-9 Ps 24:1b-4b, 5-6 Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday 11/08/2016	4:00 PM— Mass ✠Shirley Hillyer by Joe & Janet Horn.	9:30 AM- Bible Study  Contemplative Prayer after Mass.	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29 Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday 11/09/2016	8:00 AM— Mass Carrie & Tim Ludlow by Carol Hall.	1:00 PM -Book of Psalms –  7:00 PM— Holy Spirit Prayer Group. 7:00 PM— K of C Meeting in Parish Hall.	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 Jn 2:13-22
Thursday 11/10/2016	8:00 AM—Mass Donna & Tony Talbert	10:00 AM— Women's Guild Meeting in Parish Hall.	Phlm 7-20 Ps 146:7-10 Lk 17:20-25 Sir 39:6-10 Mt 16:13-19
Friday 11/11/2016	8:00 AM— Mass ✠		Jn 4-9 Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18 Lk 17:26-37 Is 61:1-3a Mt 25:31-40
Saturday 11/12/2016	8:00 AM—Mass  4:00 PM—Mass For Parishioners	3:15-3:45 PM- Reconciliation	Jn 5-8 Ps 112:1-6 Lk 18:1-8 Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 Jn 17:20-26
SUNDAY 11/13/2016	10:00 AM— Mass ✠Rita Lykins by Karen Conner	FF after 10:00 Mass RCIA after 10:00 Mass  Coffee & Donuts after Mass.	Mal 3:19-20a Ps 98:5-9 Thes 3:7-12 Lk 21:5-19

### NOVEMBER 6, 2016

AS WE PRACTICE STEWARDSHIP, WE FIND THAT WE GROW SPIRITUALLY AND THAT OUR FAITH IS DEPPENED.

**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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## November 6, 2016

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Office Hours: 9:30 AM—5:00 PM Monday—Friday

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

<u>ASSESSED GOAL</u>	<u>AMT. PAID</u>	<u>PLEDGE BAL.</u>	<u>OVER/(UNDER)</u>
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## COLLECTION FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES, USA (AMS)

This week we will support our parishioners and their families who serve or have served this nation with distinction as members of the U.S. military. The Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA will provide the Gospel, the sacraments and other forms of spiritual support to the men and women of the U.S. Armed Forces wherever they serve and to veterans who are in VA medical centers. Please prayerfully consider a generous contribution to this special triennial collection approved by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops in 2012 and last taken in 2013.



## HAYWOOD CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES—UPDATE

HCM would like to thank everyone for their generous donations of food. They are still in desperate need for : **Rice, Dry Beans, Canned Pasta & Jello.**

## WOMEN'S GUILD

There is going to be a lot going on at the Women's Guild Meeting this week! We will learn about Meals on Wheels and the opportunities available to assist in their worthy cause. A deputy from the Haywood County Sheriff's Department will come inform us of activities happening in our county as well as how to protect ourselves if the need arises. Marjorie will update us on new Medicare Tax issues. And... we will be electing new officers for 2017. So please come be with us at our meeting on **Thursday, November 10th at 9:30am.**

## PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

For anyone who wished to take Protecting God's Children here at St. Margaret's but was unable to attend, a session will be held at St. John's in Waynesville on **November 12th from 2:30 to 5:30 pm.** Registration can be done at : [http://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg\\_list2.cfm?theOrgID=14049&theme=0](http://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg_list2.cfm?theOrgID=14049&theme=0).

## TIS THE SEASON.....

*Christmas is quickly approaching!* Our decorating elves have informed us that the Christmas tree that we have used for many years in the church is on it's last legs. A suggestion was made that some may be interested in donating towards the Christmas flowers and tree as is done in many parishes during Christmas and Easter when it is a considerable expense. If you would like to make a donation towards this **just note it on your check or envelope. Thank you.**



## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Katie Adams, Lynnae Adkins & family, R.Allan, Mary Beatty, Tom Beyer, Ginny Condren, Natalia Cresti, Bobbi DeBaldo, Jeanne Devlin, Thomas Dexter, Elliot Dowdell, Norma Esbenshade, Evelyn Fairbanks, Patti Fullbright, Caroline Greene, Tyler Hankins, Ray Hoefler, Josh Ketchum, Kimberly Krisan, Jerry LaPointe, Matt Loetz, G.Lydia, Lisa M., R.Mas, Mattie, Kathleen Mercogliano, Robert Missana, Jeanne Mitchel, Joseph Orvos, Suzanne Palmiere, Pat & George Pastore, Carroll Smathers, Boone Tilley, Olivia Triollo, Barb & Bob Williams, Bella Grace Yarrington, Bruce Yarrington, David 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 REFLECTION

The last verse of today's Gospel Reading from St. Luke declares, "... and he is not God of the dead, but of the living." This concept of the "living God" is used by the Lord to emphasize the power and assurance of the Resurrection. This explanation provided by Jesus to the Sadducees appears in all three synoptic Gospels: Matthew, Mark, and Luke. The term "living God" occurs several times in Holy Scripture.

In Psalm 84, for example, the psalmist sings "My heart and flesh cry out for the living God," and later in that same psalm we hear, "O lord of hosts bless the man who trusts in you." How often do we see the phrase "In God we trust?" — more often than we probably take note. Yet that is the exact message of Jesus to us in this Gospel.

Another phrase which may ring familiarly to us is, "Our hope is in the Lord." Trust and the hope which results from that trust are at the heart of lives of stewardship. It is the "living God," His covenant with us and His promise to us of everlasting life which allows us to trust Him and to have that hope which strengthens that trust.

Having hope in the Lord is what can give our lives meaning. At a World Youth Day in 2002, St. Pope John Paul II opened his message to the young people gathered by saying, "Trust Christ because Christ trusts you." Our trust in the Lord provides us hope. His trust in us fortifies us to be good stewards.

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