



DATE	MASS INTENTIONS	SPECIAL EVENTS	DAILY READINGS
SUNDAY 03/05/2017	10:00 AM— Mass	Faith Formation after Mass. RCIA after Mass.	Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Ps 51:3-6, 12-13, 17 Rom 5:12-19 Mt 4:1-11
Monday 03/06/2017	NO MASS		Lv 19:1-2, 11-18 Ps 19:8-10, 15 Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday 03/07/2017	4:00 PM— Mass ✠Special Intention	9:30 AM— Bible Study in Parish Hall.	Is 55:10-11 Ps 34:4-7, 16-19 Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday 03/08/2017	8:00 AM— Mass ✠Special Intention .Pro-Life Rosary after Mass.	1:00 PM- Book of Psalms – Parish Hall. 7:00 PM- Holy Spirit Prayer Group. 7:00 PM— K of C Meeting in Parish Hall.	Jon 3:1-10 Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 Lk 11:29-32
Thursday 03/09/2017	8:00 AM—Mass ✠Special Intention	10:00 AM—Women's Guild Meeting in Parish Hall.	Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25 Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8 Mt 7:7-12
Friday 03/10/2017	8:00 AM— Communion Service ✠ 5:30 PM— Stations of the Cross	Soup & Bread after Stations Sign up sheet in vestibule. 	Ez 18:21-28 Ps 130:1-8 Mt 5:20-26
Saturday 03/11/2017	8:00 AM— Communion Service ✠ 4:00 PM—Mass ✠Lorraine Bennett by Theresa Treanor	3:15-3:45 PM- Reconciliation	Dt 26:16-19 Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 Mt 5:43-48
SUNDAY 03/12/2017	10:00 AM— Mass	Faith Formation after Mass. RCIA after Mass. Coffee & Donuts after Mass.	Gn 12:1-4a Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22 2 Tm 1:8b-10 Mt 17:1-9

MARCH 5, 2017

 LENT IS A TIME TO REFLECT ON OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD. WE ARE CALLED TO FOCUS ON PRAYER, FASTING, AND ALMSGIVING IN OUR LENTEN STEWARDSHIP.

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

37 Murphy Drive—P. O. Box 1359

Maggie Valley, NC 28751

Church Office 828-926-0106

Faith Formation Office 828-926-0106

NEW Website:

www.stmargaretofscotlandmv.org

March 5, 2017



Staff of St. Margaret of Scotland

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Mr. Peter Mino
Ms. Nicki Conroy

Pastor
Summer Deacon
Secretary
Organist
Choir Director
Parish Council Chairperson
Faith Formation Coordinator

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

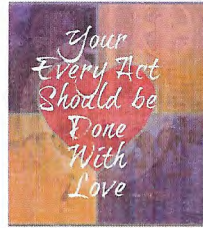
***WINTER:** Nov. 1ST to the last Sunday before Memorial Day

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 31ST

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



DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL—2017

“Your Every Act should be done with Love”

<u>Assessed Goal</u>	<u>Amt. Paid</u>	<u>Pledge Bal.</u>	<u>Over/Under</u>
12,265.	1,964.65	1,281.85	(9,018.50)

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 envelope and return it to the Parish Office or go to :

www.charlottediocese.org/dsa to make a gift online.

RICE BOWL

Lent is our time to encounter, to cultivate a spirit of global solidarity. CRS Rice Bowl is our guide, a vehicle for sharing the stories of communities around the world, and an invitation through which our prayers and Lenten sacrifices can change lives. **Rice Bowls are available on the table in the vestibule.**



PRISON MINISTRY

Please consider joining the Prison Ministry and visiting Haywood County Detention Center on **Tuesdays from 2-3 PM**. If you are interested, there will be a **meeting on Monday, March 6th at 6 PM** at the **Sheriff's office, 600 Brown Ave., Waynesville** to learn about procedures, rules and regulations.

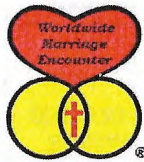
OUR LADY OF FATIMA

The international statue of Our Lady of Fatima is going to be at **St. John the Evangelist Church in Waynesville on March 12, 2017**. We will receive Our Lady Sunday morning and have a Rosary in Spanish at 9 AM. During Sunday School, 9:30 to 10:30, we will bring all the children over for a presentation on Our Lady and prayers. After the 11 AM Mass, we will have a procession, with the Rosary, then more time for private prayers until she has to be brought to Charlotte at 3:30 PM. **All are Welcome!**

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

“Then the eyes of both of them were opened.” Let us appreciate the totality of our spouses by taking part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next weekend is **March 24-26, 2017** in Atlantic Beach, NC. Contact Joe & Karen Grasso 828-631-3693.

REMINDER: Next Sunday, “Daylight Savings Time” begins!



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

R.Allan, Paul Audet, Tom Beyer, Ginny Condren, Deacon Miles, Jeanne Devlin, Thomas Dexter, Elliot Dowdell, Norma Esbenshade, Evelyn Fairbanks, Caroline Greene, David & Christina Hefke, Maryellen & Ray Hoefer, Josh Ketchum, Kimberly Krisan, Matt Loetz, G.Lydia, R.Mas, Kathleen Mercogliano, Robert Missana, Jeanne Mitchel, Joseph Orvos, Suzanne Palmiere, Pat & George Pastore, 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.**



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

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

WANTED: PICTURES & VIDEO OF FR. MURPHY



We are looking for early church pictures and video for a DVD project that is in the works about **Fr. Murphy and the history of St. Margaret's Church.**

We are especially looking for images to copy, of: *The Coronation, Church or Reflection Center Construction, parties and picnics, or any other images that you may have.*



No physical harm will occur to your pictures as they can be scanned from within albums. Pictures and Videos will be returned to you quickly.

Photo's, slides, negatives, digital copies of pictures....VHS, VHS-C, or DV video footage can be used.

If you have anything you wish to contribute, please contact Fr. Benonis, The church office, or myself. Please include your name and phone number attached to the submissions, so we may give credit for those images...and get them back to you. Thank you! **Jan Janowski 828-551-4521.**

In the Spirit of Giving

OFFERTORY	2,628.56
VOTIVES.....	39.00
HEAT FUND.....	50.00
BUILDING REPAIRS & MAINT.....	250.00
DSA.....	100.00



DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL 2017

Thousands of people across the diocese benefit because of the DSA-funded ministries. Among those served are:

- 46,187 children and adults through programs assisted by the Faith Formation Office
- 7,200 grade school and high school students in Catholic Schools
- 6,700 teenagers through Youth Ministry
- 3,500 Catholic college students through Campus Ministry programs
- 20,000+ clients of Catholic Charities Diocese of Charlotte, served in the following office locations:
 - Charlotte
 - Winston-Salem
 - Asheville
 - Murphy
- 100,000+ minority parishioners through multicultural ministries
- 121 permanent deacons through the Permanent Diaconate program
- 24 seminarians currently in formation for the diocese



Easy Ways to Contribute to the Diocesan Support Appeal

- 1) Use the pledge card you received in the mail
- 2) Fill out the pledge envelope available in the parish office
- 3) Fill out and mail the bottom of this page
- 4) Donate online at www.charlottediocese.org/dsa

To help support these ministries, each parish or mission has been assessed a specific amount. Those that surpass their assessed targets receive rebates of 100 percent of the amount received over their target. If a parish falls short of the target, then they must pay the shortfall from the parish operating budget.



2017 DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL

1123 South Church Street ~ Charlotte, NC 28203-4003

Amount Pledged \$ _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Balance Due \$ _____

Check # _____

First Name _____

Last Name _____

Address _____

Please make checks payable to: Diocesan Support Appeal

Monthly pledge reminders will be sent to you until the pledge is paid in full or until December 2017.

Please credit my gift to the following parish:

**DIOCESAN
SUPPORT
APPEAL 2017**

For more information
please contact the
Office of Development at
704-370-3302