

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS	SPECIAL EVENTS	DAILY READINGS,
SUNDAY 09/03/2017	8:00 AM— Mass ✠ Unjalee & Family by Joan Portman 10:00 AM— Mass ✠	RCIA after 10:00 Mass	Jer 20: 7-9 Ps 63: 2-6, 8-9 Rom 12:1-2 Mt 16:21-27
Monday 09/04/2017 Labor Day	NO MASS	OFFICE CLOSED	Thes 4:13-18 Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13 Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday 09/05/2017	4:00 PM— Mass ✠ Alex Metzger by Charlie & Joan Fields	Bible Study: Starts again September 12th @ 9:30 am in Parish Hall.	Thes 5:1-6, 9-11 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday 09/06/2017	8:00 AM— Mass ✠ Elly Leonard by Ann Saumier Pro-Life Rosary after Service.	1:00 PM- Book of Psalms in Parish Hall. 7:00 PM— Holy Spirit Prayer Group 7:00 PM— KofC meeting in Parish Hall.	Col 1:1-8 Ps 52:10-11 Lk 4:38-44
Thursday 09/07/2017	8:00 AM — Mass Ann Saumier by Saumier children	10:00 AM— Women's Guild meeting in Parish Hall.	Col 1:9-14 Ps 98:2-6 Lk 5:1-11
Friday 09/08/2017	8:00 AM — Mass ✠ Carroll Smathers by John & Rita Kuebrich		Mi 5:1-4a Ps 13:6abc Mt 1:1-16, 18-23
Saturday 09/09/2017	8:00 AM— Mass ✠ Special Intention by N. Hoang. 4:00 PM— Mass Joe & Jan Anniversary Mass.	3:15-3:45 PM- Reconciliation	Col 1:21-23 Ps 54:3-4, 6,8 Lk 6:1-5
SUNDAY 09/10/2017	8:00 AM— Mass ✠ All souls in Purgatory by Valuja family. 10:00 AM— Mass	RCIA after 10:00 Mass Faith Formation starts after 10:00 Mass.	Ez 33:7-9 Ps 95:1-2, 6-9 Rom 13:8-10 Mt 18:15-20

SEPTEMBER 3, 2017

"Above all, let your love for one another be constant, for love covers a multitude of sins. Be mutually hospitable without complaining. As generous distributors of God's manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another, each in the measure you have received." (1 Peter 4:8-10)

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

September 3, 2017

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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. 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.	11,636.55	2565.95	1,937.50

You may return pledge envelope to the Parish Office or go to :

www.charlottediocese.org/dsa to make a gift online. Please designate it for **St. Margaret of Scotland #085.**

PRIEST RETIREMENT FUND :

<u>Assessed Goal</u>	<u>Amt. Paid</u>	<u>Balance</u>
4,742.		

HURRICANE HARVEY DISASTER RELIEF COLLECTION

The Diocese of Charlotte is responding to the recent devastating flooding caused by Hurricane Harvey by collecting funds to be used to support disaster recovery efforts. Disasters such as this widespread flooding create a situation of human suffering that victims cannot alleviate without assistance. The Catholic community of the Diocese of Charlotte is responding by collecting funds to be used in short-term and long-term relief and recovery efforts. A **special collection** will take place during Masses in diocesan parishes celebrated **next weekend.** If you wish to donate, please make your contributions in the specified collection, making **checks payable to St. Margaret & clearly marking the envelope for Disaster Relief.**

Thank you for your generosity.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The St. Margaret's Open Door group needs a volunteer to help two days a month for about three hours a day. For details call **Don Loetz at 926-1148.**



K OF C DINNER

Our September Dinner is scheduled for **Saturday, September 23.** The menu will be: **BBQ Country Style Pork Ribs, Tater Tots, Coleslaw, Rolls and Drinks.** Tickets will go on sale next weekend.

In the Spirit of Giving

Offertory: 5,450.05

Votives: 60.02



Heat Fund: 230.00

Building Rep & Maint: 165.00



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

R.Allan, Tom Beyer, Ginny Condren, Jeanne Devlin, Thomas Dexter, Elliot Dowdell, Norma Esbenshade, Maryellen & Ray Hofer, Josh Ketchum, Kimberly Krisan, Lisa Larsen, Matt Loetz, G.Lydia, R.Mas, Kathleen Mercogliano, Robert Missana, Jeanne Mitchel, Joseph Orvos, Suzanne Palmiere, Pat & George Pastore, Mike R., Sue Quick, Olivia Triollo, Barb & Bob Williams, Bella Grace Yarrington, Bruce & Jane Yarrington, David Yarrington- & all in need of prayer.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

If it were not for your many prayers, cards, telephone calls, concerns & support, I don't think I would have come through my two surgeries these past 2 months.... Your love & kindness during this time was felt tremendously. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your kindness. I feel truly blessed to have all of you in my life. May our Lord continue to bless each & every one of you. In Christ's Love,

Pam Naplen



On behalf of the Women's Guild we would like to thank all of you for your donations which helped us raise over \$1,900. from the yard sale on 8/19. I would like to thank all of the ladies and gentlemen who gave of their time & hard work on Thursday, Friday & Saturday to deliver and set up so the doors could open at 8am on Sat. We would especially like to thank Denny Cole for picking up at people's homes and Jasay & Ann Ketchum for meeting people at the storage building for drop offs. Without the combined efforts of all, this project which takes about 2 months to pull off would never be successful. Thank you again & God Bless.

Marlene Cole, President of the Women's Guild.

Thank you Joe & Jan Plazerine for all your hard work on the Car Show & Silent Auction which netted St. Margaret's 1,914.00.

Thank you Knights of Columbus for feeding everyone!

Thank you to the anonymous donor who took Faith Formation students to the Haywood County Fair on August 26th.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all who helped with our last food drive. We delivered about 500 lbs. of food to the Jonathan Valley Elementary School. Thank You & God Bless.

Jimmy