

ST. MARGARET

of SCOTLAND



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Second Sunday in Advent
5 December 2021

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday (Anticipated Sunday Mass) 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday – Saturday 8:00 AM
Daily Morning Prayer 7:20 AM
Daily Evening Prayer 5:00 PM
All Services Transmitted on 90.3 FM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 2:30–3:30 PM
or by appointment

Welcome in the name of Jesus

St. Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church is a parish of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte, located in Maggie Valley, North Carolina. It has been a place of peace and contemplation for over fifty years, where area residents and visitors alike are invited to find fellowship and to seek God through the teachings of His Son, Jesus Christ, in Word and Sacrament.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 9:00 AM–2:00 PM
Friday – Sunday: Closed

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PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Welcome to St. Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church! We are grateful for your worshipping with us. If you regularly attend Mass here in Maggie Valley, you are encouraged to register in the parish at the office during the week. Please note that a family must be registered at St. Margaret's in order for their children to be enrolled in our religious education program.

DAILY MORNING AND EVENING PRAYER: Daily Morning Prayer is at 7:20 am and Daily Evening Prayer is at 5:00 pm. Please check calendar for schedule changes. Books are available for those who wish to participate; all are welcome.

DAILY MASS: Mass is offered at 8:00 am daily. Mass on Saturday morning is from the *Book of Divine Worship: The Missal*. Please check calendar for schedule changes.

BREAKFAST WITH BECKET: Bible study on Thursday mornings, right after 8:00 AM Mass. This week we will begin our study on the Book of Genesis (Ch. 7). All are welcome.

INTERGENERATIONAL BIBLE STUDY: This Sunday we will continue intergenerational bible simulations after Mass at 11:15 am in Murphy Garland Hall. All are welcome. This week: The Magi (Matthew 2)

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CIRCLE: We will meet in the rectory sitting room on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 PM. This week we will examine l. q. 8: "Is God everywhere? How? Is being everywhere something that belongs to God alone? All are welcome.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: In the United States the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING: Anyone interested in helping decorate the church for Christmas please contact the office.

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS COLLECTION: Elderly religious need your help. Thousands of senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests serve for years in Catholic schools, hospitals, and parishes—often for little to no pay. Now, many religious communities do not have enough retirement savings and struggle to provide for aging members. Your gift to next weeks Retirement Fund for Religious collection helps provide medications, nursing care, and more.

ANGEL TREE: Thank you to everyone that participated in the Salvation Army “Giving Tree”. We were able to make Christmas brighter for thirty children and seniors.

RIGHT TO LIFE: The President of the North Carolina Right to Life organization, Dr Bill Pincus, will be the keynote speaker at the Immaculate Conception Hendersonville Respect Life Meeting on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 6:30 – 8:00 PM. The meeting will be held in Meeting Room 1, located in the basement of the Immaculate Conception Church (208 7th Avenue West, Hendersonville, NC 28791). All are invited who have an interest in pro-life work. For more information, please contact Jack Bride at (248-766-6914) or jackbride1@gmail.com

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Kathy Andersen, Cecilia Berg, Stephen Boyle, Denise Collins, Elliot Dowdell, Norma Esbenshade, Harrington family, Myles Harris, Maryellen & Ray Hoefler, Joe Hoefler, Catherine & Larry Jones, Ben Loetz, Matt Loetz, John McCausland, Betty Metzger, Peter Mino, Christopher Palmiere, Pat & Suzanne Palmiere, George Pastore, Wayne Patton, Sue Quick, Ella Grace Revere, Edward Smathers, Suppon family, Tinley Jane Toner, Ed Toner, Lois Triolo, Pvt. Luke Turner, Stephen Underwood, Bruce Yarrington. ***Names will remain on this list for one month unless notified otherwise.***

OFFERINGS		
Offertory	Votives	Preservation & Improvement
\$2,885.14**	\$19.25	\$5
DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL 2021		
Assessment/Goal	Paid to Date	Pledge Balance
\$20,352	\$28,322.08*	\$643.92
*Diocesan ledger does not always reflect recent contributions. ** Offertory does not reflect online giving.		

Date	Mass	Event
Saturday 4 December	8:00 am Guild of All Souls 4:00 pm +Rodney Schultz <i>Requested by the Minniti family</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer 2:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Second Sunday in Advent 5 December	8:00 am Pro Populo 10:00 am +Michael & June Naydock <i>Requested by William & Lisa Bernreuther</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer 11:15 am Bible Simulation/FF 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Monday 6 December	8:00 am Marshall Bolling <i>Requested by Christina Reitz</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer
Tuesday 7 December	6:00 pm Alan Ford <i>Requested by the Meisenbacher family</i>	5:00 pm Evening Prayer 7:00 pm Aquinas Circle: l.q.8
The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8 December	8:00 am Pro Populo 6:00 pm +Bella Grace Yarrington	7:20 am Morning Prayer 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Thursday 9 December	8:00 am +Justin Austin <i>Requested by the Meisenbacher family</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer 8:45 am Bible Study 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Friday 10 December	8:00 am Crisis pregnancies <i>Requested by Joe Poelma</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Saturday 11 December	8:00 am +Lois Austin <i>Requested by the Meisenbacher family</i> 4:00 pm +Pat Pastore <i>Requested by JoAnn Toner</i>	7:20 am Morning Prayer 2:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Evening Prayer
Third Sunday in Advent 12 December	8:00 am Benefactors of St. Joseph's Academy <i>Requested by Sr. Ruth</i> 10:00 am Pro Populo	7:20 am Morning Prayer 11:15 am Bible Simulation/FF 5:00 pm Evening Prayer

To request a Mass intention, please visit or call the parish office during normal business hours.

Please make bulletin announcement submissions by Wednesday at noon.