

Saint Margaret of Antioch Church

115 West Central Avenue ❖ Pearl River, New York 10965



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 25, 2020

Rev. Eric P. Raaser
Pastor

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Rev. Ransford S. Clarke
Parochial Vicar

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Mrs. Brenda Lattuca
Director of Religious Education

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Mrs. Patricia Maldonado
School Principal

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 PM,
5:45 PM (*September – June*)

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM,
10:30 AM, 12 Noon & 5:30 PM

Weekdays:

Monday– Friday: 7:00 AM & 9:00 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM & 12 Noon

Baptism: Every Sunday 1:30 PM in
Church. Contact Parish Center Office to
make arrangements.

Marriage: Engaged couples should contact
Parish Center Office at least six months in
advance.

Reconciliation: Saturdays in Church
9:30AM-10AM & 11:00AM-11:45AM

Sick Calls: Call Parish Center Office for
visits and/or Communion Calls to sick and
homebound. In danger of death, day or
night, call Parish Center Office for a Priest.

Parish Registration:

We welcome all new members to our parish
family. Please call the Parish Center Office
to register.

Devotions +

Rosary Recitation & Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Daily following 9:00 AM Mass

Holy Hour with Exposition:

Mondays 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM & 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Cenacle for Life:

Every Tuesday at 1:00 PM

Nocturnal Adoration:

1st Friday 8:00 PM -11:00 PM

St. Aedan's Church from January to March & July to September

*St. Margaret's Church from April to June &
October to December*

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Mondays at 7:30 PM & after 9:00 AM Mass on Saturday

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Parish Office Hours are Monday - Friday 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM

*The deadline for bulletin items is Monday 12 Noon of each
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From the Desk of Father Raaser

Some of you have been asking for the return of the weekly bulletin. We have of course the bulletin online, on our website and we have a hard copy on the bulletin boards. We were following the guidelines from the CDC concerning giving out materials and sharing resources like the missalettes. Since March the CDC has changed some of their protocols as the scientists discovered how this virus operates. At first they thought the virus would survive on paper and plastic for a long amount of time, now their thinking has changed. However, they still encourage us to be careful and not to leave out papers or bulletins out for more than one person to touch.

So what we can do, starting next Sunday, as you leave Church the weekly bulletin will be on the table for you to take home. Please do not leave your copy in Church or in the pews. The bulletins are available only as you leave, not as you enter the Church.

Every Monday evening at 7:00PM, we gather to pray the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet followed by Benediction. We have been praying for peace in our country. On Monday evening November 2nd at 7:00 PM we will pray the Patriotic Rosary.

The bishops of our country have asked us to pray an Election Day Novena starting tomorrow, October 26th until Wednesday Nov. 4th. Please pray one Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be followed by each intention. We will pray this novena during the weekday Masses. I encourage all to pray for our country and peace.

Day One: Monday, October 26

As we prepare for the national and local elections, in the midst of a global pandemic, may our political engagement be guided by our Catholic faith.

Day Two: Tuesday, October 27

In this month of the Holy Rosary, may Our Blessed Mother guide us in confronting racial inequalities and restoring peace in our communities.

Day Three: Wednesday, October 28

May all Americans recall the necessity of dialogue, civility and humility in this election season.

Day Four: Thursday, October 29

May all people understand the moral and ethical dimensions of political decisions and decide accordingly.

Day Five: Friday, October 30

May voters and elected leaders uphold the dignity of every human life in their political engagement.

Day Six: Saturday, October 31

May Catholics recall all aspects of Catholic social teaching as they consider their votes.

Day Seven: Sunday, November 1

May there be a transformation of politics to focus on the dignity of the human person and the common good.

Day Eight: Monday, November 2

May we keep in mind the gift of religious freedom and our duty to defend and exercise it as faithful citizens.

Day Nine: Tuesday, November 3

Today, as we approach the polls, may we understand and embrace the principles of our faith that guide our political engagement.

Closing: Wednesday, November 4

May the leaders elected this week be guided by the Holy Spirit as they fulfill their positions.

Our Lady, the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of our country, pray for us. Amen



Sunday, Oct. 25 -
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 PM – For the Parish
5:45 PM – Mary O'Flynn

7:30 AM – Sean Tonner & Anna Mae Tonner
9:00 AM – Deceased Members of Conry & O'Sullivan Fams.
10:30 AM – Helen M. Edsall – (Livestream)
12 Noon – Phil Prainito
5:30 PM – Antoinette Pezanowski

Mon., Oct. 26 - Weekday

7 AM – Peggy Kennelly
9 AM – The McGovern & Maloney Families

Tues., Oct. 27 - Weekday

7:00 AM – Msgr. Harrington (100th Birthday)
9:00 AM – Patricia Linekin

Wed., Oct. 28 – Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles

7:00 AM – Gerald Cunningham
9:00 AM – Mary Daly

Thurs., Oct. 29 - Weekday

7:00 AM – Michael Kunzmann
9:00 AM – Christie & Martin Foley – (living-birthday)

Fri., Oct. 30 - Weekday

7:00 AM – Michael Kunzmann
9:00 AM – George & Bridget J. Richardson

Sat., Oct. 31 - Weekday

9 AM – Joseph McDevitt
12 Noon – Martin J. Chambers

Sunday, Nov. 1 – All Saints Day

4:30 PM – Patricia Linekin
5:45 PM – For the Parish
7:30 AM – Jane & George Mackrell
9:00 AM – Patrick McGovern
10:30 AM – Anne McDonnell (Livestream)
12 Noon – Anna & Peter Prainito
5:30 PM – Joseph P. McVeigh

**CONFESSIONS: Saturdays: 9:30 AM – 10 AM and
11 AM – 11:45 AM (No Face to Face Confessions)**

Weekly Collection for Oct. 18th - \$ 7,443.07
Thank you for all who have contributed to the collection.

FINDING HOPE FOR THE HOLIDAYS: Family Life Office workshop for parishioners who are grieving the loss of a loved one will be held via Zoom conference on **Mon., Nov. 16–7PM**. Must register in advance by Fri., Nov. 13 to receive Zoom link. For more info, or to register, contact Vincent DaSilva at (646) 794-3168 or Vincent.DaSilva@archny.org

ALL SOULS NOVENA – Mon., Nov. 2nd – Tues., Nov. 10th
Please use your Holy Souls envelope. They are placed on the altar & all names will be remembered in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the month of Nov.



III Conor Reilly and Jillian Horgan
III Christopher Roeth and Stephanie Pavlu

Daily Readings of the Week

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Eph 4:32–5:8; Ps 1: 1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16
Thursday: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Phil 1:1-11; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday: Rv 7:204, 9-14; Ps 24: 1bc-2, 3 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a



RESPECT LIFE MONTH

*"Those who justify their inaction on the grounds that abortion is the law of the land need to recognize that there is a **higher law, the law of God. No human law can validly contradict the Commandment: "Thou shalt not kill."***

Action: Prayer is the foundation of all that we do in defense of human life. Say a short prayer, blessing, meditate; ask God's intercession. Devote time to pray a Holy Hour, or commit to a novena/Stations of the Cross.



Saint Margaret Rosary Altar Society

10/26 – 11/01 – Team #3- E. Neyen
11/02 – 11/08 – Team #4 – P. Michel
11/09 – 11/15 – Team #5 – A. Byrne
11/16 – 11/22 – Team #6 – S. Bellocchio
11/23 – 11/29 – Team #1 – G. Possavino
11/30 – 12/06 – Team #2 – M. Young

Any questions call Angela: 845-920-0264



Welcome Our New St. Margaret Parishioners

Mildred Stellatos **Tany Thibideau**
Robert Ulrich **Michael Tardibuono**

+ST. AEDAN PARISH ANOINTING MASS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31st – 12 Noon

"Are there people sick among you? Let them send for the priests of the Church and let them, the priests, pray over them anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick person, and the Lord will raise them up. If they have committed any sins, their sins will be forgiven them."

James 5: 14-15.

The sacrament is provided by the Church for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age. Anyone who is seriously ill is eligible. In old age, almost any illness takes on a serious nature. A person may also receive the sacrament prior to a serious medical procedure. **Come to me all who labor and are heavy burdened...and I will give you rest.**

St. Margaret of Antioch School News

**** TWO EXCITING FUNDRAISERS ****

- 1) Please see **Christmas Tree and Wreath Sale** information **on following pages.**

ALSO . . .

- 2) Please see **Carousel Cake & Pie choices & order form on following pages.**





Our local community is in need of non-perishable and canned food. Please bring your donations to the Doyle Center. Catholic Charities Community Services of Rockland thanks you whole-heartedly for your generous donation of 27 bags received in September. Many thanks for your continued support.

ALBERTUS MAGNUS HS - Virtual Open House –
Sun., Nov. 1st at 12noon. Resister:

<https://www.albertusmagnus.net/admissions/visit-our-campus>

Albertus Magnus HS MEGA RAFFLE: A chance to win \$20,000 plus 5 additional \$1000 prizes. Only 2000 tickets to be sold! \$50 per ticket. Drawing Nov. 25th. Winner need not be present. Purchase your ticket today by visiting www.albertusmagnus.net, GIVING, MEGA Raffle or call 845-623-8842 ext 218

ST. JOSEPH REGIONAL HS –OPEN HOUSE–Wed., Nov.4 –6:30 PM

Visit the SJR campus & meet students, faculty & coaches. Discover what makes St. Joseph Regional a unique high school experience. Reserve your spot: SJRNJ.org
40 Chestnut Ridge Rd, Montvale, NJ 07645-201-391-3300

St. Francis of Assisi “300” Club Raffle to help support Sister Cecilia’s One to One Literacy program. *Drawing will be held Nov. 1st.* 300 tickets will be sold. Half the proceeds (\$15,000) will benefit One to One Learning. For more info visit St. Francis web: <https://www.stfrancis-assisi.org/>

SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR
When you go to bed next Saturday evening
October 31st



SAINT MARGARET



Saint Simon and Saint Jude

October 28th

Little is known of these two apostles, whose names are always linked in the Gospel accounts.

Simon is called the Zealot, and Jude “son of James”.

Father, you revealed yourself to us through the preaching of your apostles Simon and Jude.

By their prayers, give your Church continued growth and increase the number of those who believe in you.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

SEE THANKSGIVING FOOD PROJECT **ON LAST PAGE OF BULLETIN**

WOMAN’S RETREAT - MARIAN SHRINE, Sat. Oct. 31st.

9:00AM-4PM. All women welcome. Distancing & masks are required. Its inexpensive — only \$20 for lunch. Includes Mass, rosary, talks, music, confessions. Pre-register please - closes - Wed the 28th. Questions: Donna at 845-947-2200 or Maureen.verschneider@gmail.com

The Sisters of Saint Dominic of Blauvelt 2021 Lottery Calendars are now available. Purchase a Lottery Calendar for \$20 and get 63 chances to win \$50 cash prizes between Jan. and Dec.. Makes a great gift for family and friends. Calendars can be purchased by calling 845-359-5600 ext. 165 or online by visiting www.opblauvelt.org/lottery-calendar.

Immaculate Heart Academy Open House – Sun., Oct. 25th, 11am-2pm & Thurs., Oct. 29th, 6:30 to 8:30pm. online registration: www.ihanj.com. Check website changes due to ongoing COVID-19. More info, contact: Ms. Alexis Fatigati, Dir. of Admissions, at 201.445.6800, ext. 112 or afatigati@ihanj.com. Located at 500 Van Emburgh Ave., Township of Washington, NJ, 07676.

Bereavement Support Group -St. Francis of Assisi

W. Nyack. Consolation Ministry offers sessions: Tuesdays: 7 to 8:30pm, through Nov. 24.in Classrooms 14 & 15.

In order to register, please call:

Bernadette (914) 907-8016;

Peggy (914) 589-7674; Sheila (845) 634-8315

Maintenance Job Opportunity in Blauvelt The Sisters of St. Dominic in Blauvelt are looking to hire a part-time maintenance person. If interested, please call 845-359-5697.

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ST. MARGARET SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

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Need some Cakes & Pies for Thanksgiving?

7" cakes are \$18

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Use the order form below & mail your check by Tuesday, Nov. 10th to:

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ATT: Orla Moore
34 N Magnolia Street
Pearl River, NY 10965

For more information call Orla, 917 822-6332

Pick up is at Saint Margaret School drive thru on Tuesday, Nov 24th.

Choice of Cakes: \$18

New York Cheesecake
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New York Blackout Cake
Carrot Spice Layer Cake
Chocolate Mousse Supreme
Black & White Mouse Supreme

Choice of Pies: \$ 16

Apple Pie
Blueberry Crumb Pie
Coconut Custard Pie
Pumpkin Pie
Apple Crumb Pie
Cherry Crumb Pie
Pecan Pie
Tollhouse Pie
Pumpkin Cheese Pie

-----tear-off-----

Cake(s) Name: _____; Number: _____; Amount: \$ _____
" " _____; Number: _____; Amount: \$ _____

Pie(s) Name: _____; Number: _____; Amount: \$ _____
" " _____; Number: _____; Amount: \$ _____

Total: \$ _____

Purchased by: _____

Phone #: _____

Check Enclosed: _____



4th Annual SMS Christmas Tree and Wreath Sale

Pre order form

Friday 11/27 10 am – 6 pm; Saturday 11/28 10 am – 6 pm; Sunday 11/29 10 am – 6 pm

Friday 12/04 4 pm – 6 pm; Saturday 12/05 10 am – 6 pm; Sunday 12/06 10 am – 6 pm

Friday 12/11 4 pm – 6 pm; Saturday 12/12 10 am – 6 pm; Sunday 12/13 10 am - 6pm

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All items available for pickup beginning 11/27/20

Due to Covid 19 scheduled pickup times are available upon request

All purchases apply towards each family's annual obligation

To schedule pickup or non sale hour appointments please email Meridith Denman @ mdenman512@gmail.com

Available items :

Fraser Fir Christmas Trees freshly cut Thanksgiving week _____ @ \$60 = _____

22 inch Fraser Fir wreath hand decorated by a SMS family _____ @ \$40 = _____

24 inch decorated Cross _____ @ \$50 = _____

Grave Blanket (stakes to secure to ground provided) _____ @ \$50 = _____

Total items _____ total cost _____

Please make all checks payable to St Margaret's School HSA and

return SMS Main Office by 11/18/20

Name _____ SMS student Y N

Phone _____ student(s) names _____

Thank You for your continued support of our students and their school!

Any questions please email Meridith Denman @ mdenman512@gmail.com



SAINT MARGARET PARISH
THANKSGIVING FOOD PROJECT

Drop off: Parish Center

33 North Magnolia Street

Saturday, November 14th ***

***** PLEASE NOTE:**

(This is the last date to bring food bags)!

between 8:15 & 10:00 AM

**Saint Margaret is again promoting a special
Thanksgiving Food Project.**

**Please use large double brown bags, inserted in the store
plastic bag. You are asked to use the suggested menu
below, so everything fits neatly.**

MENU – (no glass please):

1 box instant potatoes;	1 can of vegetables;
1 can cranberry sauce;	1 large soda;
1 can of yams;	1 package of turkey gravy mix;
1 can of fruit cocktail;	1 package dry soup mix;
1 can of coffee or box of teabags;	
candy, nuts, cookies; and ***	

***** IMPORTANT – TURKEYS WILL BE COLLECTED
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Saturday, November 14th

from 8:15 to 10:00 AM – St. Margaret Parish Center

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