

Saint Margaret Parish Weekly Bulletin

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SACRAMENTS + PUBLIC PRAYER

6pm Saturdays (*in lieu of Sunday*)

A quiet & simple spoken Mass.

7am Sundays

The ancient Roman Rite, quiet Latin, English readings and sometimes sung.

8:30 am Sundays

With chanting of psalms and prayers.

11am Sundays

Seasoned with traditional hymns and English choral.

7am Weekdays

A simple, quiet and spoken 30 min Mass before the workday begins.

Confessions

Saturdays 5:15pm, Sundays 8am & 10:30am.

Adoration, Evening Prayer and Benediction

Every First Friday of the month at 7:30am the Blessed Sacrament is exposed on the altar for adoration during the day. Evening Prayer and Benediction begin at 6pm and conclude at 6:30pm.

Baptisms are detailed on our parish webpage under "1st Sacraments".

Weddings and other services are detailed on our parish webpage under "Plan 4".

Parish Store: 9:30am-11am & 12-1pm

Parish Office Hours: M-F: 8:30am – 4:30pm

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THIS WEEK'S REFLECTIONS

O God, who have prepared for those who love You good things which no eye can see, fill our hearts, we pray, with the warmth of Your love, so that, loving You in all things and above all things, we may attain Your promises, which surpass every human desire. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Today's Mass Readings

1st Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Reflection: *In the ancient world, family harmony was a sign of those who lived lives of virtue. Christians, in particular, tried to give a witness to the world of mutual respect and responsibilities within families. Yet, even this most important relationship is secondary to the call of discipleship, which might require one to make a choice between Christ and family.*

Responsorial Psalm Meditation

Ps 40:2-4, 14, 18

The Responsorial Psalm celebrates the fact that God delivers us from all our difficulties.

This is especially significant today, for the First Reading and the Gospel speak of the fact that we will suffer if we give witness to the word of God in our lives.

When we are suffering, for whatever reason, the reaction is often depression or anger or frustration. We wonder why God is not doing anything to help us. We wonder, like the psalmist, when God will intervene (for we waited, waited for Him).

This psalm reminds us to trust in God who will deliver us. He is our hope and our all. The image of the pit of destruction and the mud of the swamp were often used as a symbol for death.

Week Beginning - Sunday, August 18th, 2019 - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

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Christ's One and Eternal Sacrifice was and is for all humanity. With each Mass offered at the Altar, we give thanks that Christ offers His Sacrifice, keeping close to His Sacred Heart the following:

Sunday, August 18, People of the Parish
Monday, August 19, Marlene Verduci
Tue., August 20, Gregory Ratajczak & family
Wednesday, August 21, Gabriele Family
Thursday, August 22, Mary Diaz +
Friday, August 23, Montine Garza +
Saturday, August 24, People of the Parish

THIS WEEK'S UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Tuesday, August 20
Divine Mercy Chaplet, *7:30am*
Wednesday, August 21
Junior Legion of Mary, *4pm*
Legion of Mary, *6:30pm*
Thursday, August 22
Altar Server Refresher Training, *6pm*
AHG, *6:30pm*



Save the date! Sunday, September 8th we will have our annual Parish Picnic. Highlights of the afternoon will include: Water balloon games, a beer garden, bouncy castle, eating and baking contests!

For volunteering opportunities, please speak with Brooks out in the piazza after all the Sunday Masses.

Last Names bring:

A-I: Cold Side
J-N: Dessert
O-Z: Hot Side

Bring your lawn chairs and pop ups!

ONLINE ENROLLMENT DEADLINE IS AUGUST 26!

For Public School and Private School students without Catholic Education classes and all the children of the Parish preparing for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. For more information visit our website: oceanside4christ.com click on **Family Catholic Ed.**



MARRIAGE HELP

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope.

Retrouaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together.

For more information about an upcoming Retrouaille Weekend program for couples, call **(951) 259-9474** Or visit HelpOurMarriage.com

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE RETREAT

Sponsored by the Diocesan Office of Family Life
www.beginningexperience.org

The organization called Beginning Experience is a ministry focused on helping divorced, widowed, and separated get beyond grief and begin again. The **October 11-13, 2019** weekend retreat will be held at Prince of Peace Abbey:

650 Benet Hill Rd.
Oceanside, CA 92058

This retreat focuses on healing and moving beyond grief in a supportive and caring environment with others that are going through and have gone through the same experiences. If you know someone experiencing the pain of loss, Beginning Experience can help. For registration and more information call **Vicki Fach** at **(858) 748-2273**

Representatives from Beginning Experience will be in the piazza after all Masses on the weekend of August 17 and 18 to answer any questions.