



# ST. MARGARET SHRINE

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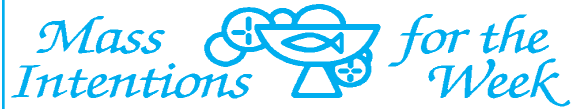
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1/31/2021

### Clergy & Staff

Fr. Giandomenico Flora, *Rector*  
Deacon Don Foust, *Administrator*  
Deacon Tom Masaryk  
Lucia Palmieri, *Music Director*

### Mass Schedule

*Weekdays:* 8:15 a.m., Rosary & Reconciliation after Mass

*Saturday:* 8:15 a.m.; St. Anthony Novena, 3:45 p.m.

*Saturday Vigil:* 4:00 p.m.

*Sunday:* 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. in Italian, 11:00 a.m.

*Holy Days:* 8:15 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 7 p.m.

*Holy Day Vigils:* 7:00 p.m.

### Reconciliation Schedule

*Monday through Saturday:* after the 8:15 a.m. Mass

*Saturday:* 3:00 p.m.

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

*First Friday of the Month:* 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

### Pastoral Care

Contact the office to schedule a visit to the sick

### Cursillo: Ultreyas

*First Thursday of the Month:*

7 p.m. in the Community Hall

### St. Pio of Pietrelcina Mass

*Last Friday of Month, April-November:* 7:00 p.m.

*Rosary before Mass* at 6:30 p.m.

### St. Anthony Chapel

*Monday through Friday:* 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

### All Saints Chapel

*Monday through Friday:* 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

### **Saturday, January 30, 2021**

8:15 a.m. For All the Sick of the Shrine

4:00 p.m. Ray Stoverink by Nick Mastroianni & Family

### **Sunday, January 31, 2021**

8:00 a.m. Ludovico Urbani & Gina Iaboni by son, Nick & Louisa Urbani

9:30 a.m. Francesco & Giuseppe Maione & Mariella Guidi by Eva Cerquozzi

11:00 a.m. Janet Memoli by the Altar Guild

### **Monday, February 1, 2021**

8:15 a.m. All the Deceased & Blanca by Maria Guidi

### **Tuesday, February 2, 2021**

8:15 a.m. Clifford Quinn by Sister Lorraine

### **Wednesday, February 3, 2021**

8:15 a.m. A Special Intention

### **Thursday, February 4, 2021**

8:15 a.m. Elie Makhras & Sassine Makhras by Mariette

### **Friday, February 5, 2021**

8:15 a.m. Robert Thomas Paulin by friend, Marilyn

### **Saturday, February 6, 2021**

8:15 a.m. For All Veterans

4:00 p.m. For All the Sick of the Shrine

### **Sunday, February 7, 2021**

8:00 a.m. For Our Priest & Deacons

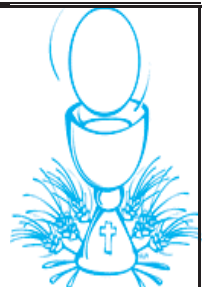
9:30 a.m. Quirino & Maddalena Cerro by John Cerro

11:00 a.m. Joseph Palmieri, Sr. by daughter, Lucia



### Sanctuary Candle

In Loving Memory of  
Janet Memoli by a Friend



**Offertory Collections—GOAL \$5,500**

*Please make all checks payable to St Margaret Shrine.*



**Please keep in your prayers the following members of our Shrine Community**

**Sick:** Jeff C., Rick C., Carmen, John Carroll, Christian Ciarapica, Phyllis Cascella, Pat Copetta, Carmela Cueto, Daisy, Jerry and Betty DeBiaggio, Dorothea Cueto, Lorenzo Cuoco, Lucy Dee, Marlene Dervil, Gasner Dervil, Jean Dervil, Roc Desances, Lyndsey Ellis, Gina Freddino, Umberto Fronterotta, Janet G., Stan Garlo, Beth Herbert, Jonathan, Kaylee, Danni Kemp, Linda, Kathy Liello, Kathy Masserano, Diane Martinsky, Carlos Minopoli, Ruby Noel, Lucille P., Lynda Palmieri, David Palumbo, Michael Plucker, Tony R., Jaqueline Raposo, Bob Reed, Alicia Reilly, Dave Reynolds, Maryam Robles, Paul Rigoli, Matteo S., Alessandra Marie Simon, Sister MaryJane, Rachel Thau, Anthony Tucci, Anthony Urciuoli, Alonso Villegas, David Volderauer, Joseph Zeppieri.

*Call the office to request names be added to the List*

**INDOOR MASS - SATURDAY AT 4 pm and SUNDAY AT 8 am & 9:30 am & 11:00 YOU MUST MAKE A RESERVATION**

**4:00 pm Mass - Call Mary Lou Cuccaro at 203-335-6283**

**8 am Mass – Call Nancy Teixeira at 203-374-4400**

**9:30 am Mass – Call Marissa & Egidio Ferrante at 203-261-5769**

**11am Mass –Call Joe Aurilio at 203-335-1294**

If there is no answer please leave a message with your name, number of people attending, and your phone number. **PLEASE NOTE: You must wear a mask.** Do not come if you are sick or have been with someone who is sick or has tested positive

**Prayer Line**

If you know someone in need of prayer, please contact: **Rose Gresh (203-371-0098)** to provide their name (s). We will pray for them and pass their name on to others for additional prayers. In a short period of time, they will have many prayers said for them.

**Prayer To St. Rocco**

**PATRON SAINT OF CONTAGION, EPIDEMICS, ILLNESS O great St. Rocco, deliver us, we beseech you from contagious diseases, and the contagion of sin. Obtain for us, a purity of heart which will assist us to make good use of our health and to bear sufferings with patience. Teach us to follow your example in the practice of penance and charity, so that we may, one day enjoy the happiness of being with Christ our Savior, in Heaven. Amen**

**Saint Michael the Archangel,** defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who wander about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

**Altar Guild**

Interested in the Altar Guild?  
Membership drive starts January. Please call Lorraine Carrano for information at 203-445-9954.

**PRESEPIO**

The Presepio will be open **Wednesdays 10 am to Noon** or by appointment call the office at **203-333-9627**. **Also** feel free to ask any clergy member to open the presepio after any weekend mass.

**Confession In the Community Hall**

**Every Saturday, 3-3:45 pm**

**DEACON COLUMN: Hi Everyone:**

Inserted in the bulletin this weekend is a letter explaining all of our undertakings this past year. We are very proud to say this list is quite long. With your support, we have been able to do many things. This being our ninth anniversary together as a family, the accomplishments that are listed are symbolic of how successful this union has been. None of these things could have been achieved if all the various parts of our family were not working together for the honor and glory of God. We would like to thank each of you for your continued support and love of the Shrine. **Amen!**

**Men's Group Saturday February 6 th 7am**



**BLESSING OF THE THROAT IN HONOR OF ST. BLAISE**

**February 3rd at 8:15 am Mass February 6th and 7th at all weekend Masses**



**PRAYER AFTER MASS**

We will pray the Hail Mary after each mass for the intercession of our Blessed Mother for **1. Peace** in our country **2. An end to the Pandemic** and **3. An end to Abortion.**

**Pray the Rosary**

**Then add a stone to our stone basket so that we can count how many rosaries we have prayed to our Blessed Mother as a community**

**COVID-19 VACCINE**

It is recommended that all USA citizens get vaccinated. If you are concerned about getting the vaccine, **call your doctor** to discuss your concern. Vaccines are being given out in phases. Right now if you are a healthcare or front line worker or 75 and over you are eligible. To register on-line go to: <https://VAMS.CDC.gov> or call **1-877-918-2224** Monday through Friday from 8AM to 4:30PM While you wait for your vaccine remember to:

1. Wear your mask
2. Keep your hands away from your face
3. Wash your hands with soap and water often / use hand sanitizer
4. Practice self-distancing
5. Minimize your exposure by staying home more and limiting the number of people into your home who do not live with you.
6. Pray for an end to the pandemic, for the people suffering with it and for the families who have lost family members to the virus.



## Upcoming News and Events

Any request for use of the Community Hall must be made to the Office.

### Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Reading 1 Dt 18:15-20

Moses spoke to all the people, saying: "A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you from among your own kin; to him you shall listen. This is exactly what you requested of the LORD, your God, at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, 'Let us not again hear the voice of the LORD, our God, nor see this great fire any more, lest we die.' And the LORD said to me, 'This was well said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kin, and will put my words into his mouth; he shall tell them all that I command him.

Whoever will not listen to my words which he speaks in my name, I myself will make him answer for it. But if a prophet presumes to speak in my name an oracle that I have not commanded him to speak, or speaks in the name of other gods, he shall die.'"

#### Responsorial Psalm Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9

**R. If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.** Come, let us sing joyfully to the LORD; let us acclaim the rock of our salvation. Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us joyfully sing psalms to him.

**R. If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.** Come, let us bow down in worship; let us kneel before the LORD who made us. For he is our God, and we are the people he shepherds, the flock he guides.

**R. If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.** Oh, that today you would hear his voice: Harden not your hearts as at Meribah, as in the day of Massah in the desert, Where your fathers tempted me; they tested me though they had seen my works."

**R. If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.**

#### Reading 2 1 Cor 7:32-35

Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties. An unmarried man is anxious about the things of the Lord, how he may please the Lord. But a married man is anxious about the things of the world, how he may please his wife, and he is divided. An unmarried woman or a virgin is anxious about the things of the Lord, so that she may be holy in both body and spirit. A married woman, on the other hand, is anxious about the things of the world, how she may please her husband. I am telling you this for your own benefit, not to impose a restraint upon you, but for the sake of propriety and adherence to the Lord without distraction.



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## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**Alleluia** Mt 4:16 **R. Alleluia, alleluia.** The people who sit in darkness have seen a great light; on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death, light has arisen. **R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

#### Gospel Mk 1:21-28

Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him. All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee.