Mass Schedule

St. Catharine Church
215 Essex Ave, Spring Lake, NJ 07762
Saturday: 5 PM
Sunday: 7 AM, 9 AM, 10:30 AM
Monday- Saturday (except Wednesday): 8 AM

St. Catharine Chapel
Sunday: 12 Noon
Wednesday: 8 AM & 12 Noon
Monday - Friday 12 Noon

St. Margaret Church
300 Ludlow Ave. Spring Lake, NJ 07762
Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30 AM, 10 AM, 11:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
St. Catharine Chapel, Saturday 3:30– 4:30PM
St. Margaret Church, Saturday 3:00 – 3:45 PM

Parish Directory
Rev. Msgr. Harold F. Cullen PhD, Pastor
Rev. William Dunlap, Associate Pastor
Rev. Charles Weiser, Senior Priest
Rev Martin Padovani, Weekend Assistant
Rev William Dowd, Weekend Assistant
Edward Jennings, Deacon
Dr. John Little, Deacon
Rich Baier, Buildings
Richard Cambron, special projects
Tammy Sablom, Religious Education
Ed Stevens, Director of Cemeteries
Sister Margaret Tierney, SC Pastoral Care
Dr. Jarred Tafaro, Director of Music
Lisa Defilippco, business manager

NEW PARISHIONERS:
Welcome! We encourage all new families who move into St. Catharine - St. Margaret Parish to call the rectory to register in the parish.

Thirty-first Sunday in ordinary time
November 4, 2018

www.stcatharine-stmargaret.org  ContactUs@stcatharine-stmargaret.org
732-449-5765
Dear Parishioners:

If you read the bulletin, you will have noticed that the Parish Pastoral Council has been running a notice for the past weeks addressing the sex abuse crisis in the Church. In our recent meetings the members of the council have made the crisis the foremost topic for consideration and discussion. As the council have discussed the issue, they have weighed their own personal responses to the crisis, and their responsibility to respond as representatives of the members of the parish.

As the notice running in the bulletin asserts, ultimately the council realizes that the area that we have most control over is what happens here in our own parish, and the council has taken the opportunity to examine the child protection policies and procedures that are in place in St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish. As part of that process the council invited the person charged in the parish to implement these safeguards to come and address the council, and share these safeguards.

The council members derived a measure of reassurance as they examined the safety measures that are followed in the parish, and expressed that members of the parish deserve to have the same reassurance. Accordingly, over the next weeks we will be highlighting in this bulletin some of the safeguards that are in place here.

The new Parish Pastoral Council will be installed at the 11:30 AM Mass at St. Margaret Church on November 18th. The council is in agreement that this Mass should be an occasion when we focus and pray for the victims of sexual abuse within the Catholic Church.

We are inviting Lisa Cole, the Parish Safeguard Coordinator to speak briefly at the Mass about the diocesan and parish child protection safeguards. And as we introduce the council, we will give the council the opportunity to assure the members of the parish that they will use their position in the parish to ensure that these guidelines are faithfully followed, so that our parish will be a safe and nurturing environment for all the members of the parish as we move ahead.

Msgr. Cullen

A Message From Your Pastoral Council Regarding the Church Abuse Scandal

We, the lay members of the Pastoral Council at St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish, wish to address the subject of the Church’s abuse scandal. With the approval and active support of Monsignor Cullen, we have examined this subject in relation to our parish and have the following comments:

Our school and parish have extremely thorough and rigorous vetting processes and protective protocols and policies in effect regarding potential child and youth abuse. They are reported to be even more rigorous than those of our local public school systems.

We affirm our confidence in our parish priests (as well as sisters, teachers and parish employees) and all those priests in the United States whose reputations have been sullied by the few. There are no current investigations or questions about any personnel involved in our parish.

We, and the other parish ministries, are renewing our efforts to create greater participation in church ministries, activities and daily/Sunday Mass going forward. Be on the lookout for future announcements.

We can only control our local situation. We must stay focused on the Gospel as well as on the Eucharist which is the source and summit of our faith. The names and contact information of current parish pastoral council members are listed on the parish website, if we can be of assistance to anyone. Thank you for your attention!

The Pastoral Council Members of St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish

Congratulations
New Eucharistic Ministers

We wish to congratulate all our new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who will be blessed at the 10:30 AM Mass this weekend. We thank them for volunteering for this special ministry of serving the people of this Parish in their distribution of Holy Communion at Masses and in the 5 assisted living facilities, the hospital, and to those who are in their homes. They are: Theresa Breslin, Suzanne Carroll, Stephen Colman, Ann Marie Conte, Laura R. Diver, Brian Donahue, Marion Mullarkey, Patrick Reilly, Arleen Roche, Mary Skibola, Jim Stokes, and Clare Weiner.
ST. CATHARINE CHURCH

MONDAY, November 5
8:00 AM  Ryan/McDermott Fam.
12:00 PM (Chapel)  Joe Burke

TUESDAY, November 6
8:00 AM  Janet Kokoll
12:00 PM (Chapel)  William Coyle

WEDNESDAY, November 7
8:00 AM (Chapel)  Sean Lyden
Frank DiNapoli
Angelina Bruno
Dec’d Phister Fam. Mbrs.
Gioan Dang Nguyen &
Anna Mai Nguyen
James K. Lennon
12:00 PM (Chapel)  Peggy Murphy

THURSDAY, November 8
8:00 AM  Art McDermott
12:00 PM (Chapel)  Joseph J. Burke

FRIDAY, November 9
8:00 AM  Christiaan Rose
Alvah M. Kenah
Colleen Higgins
Kathleen McCarthy
Deidre Sieck
Raymond McAlarney
12:00 PM (Chapel)  Andrew Fisher

SATURDAY, November 10
8:00 AM  Thomas Salsman
5:00 PM  Jeff Finken, 2nd Annv.

SUNDAY, November 11
7:00 AM  Richard Hatem
9:00 AM  Edmund Burke
10:30 AM  I. Barbara Friedel
12:00 PM (Chapel)  Margaret M. Burns

ST. MARGARET CHURCH

SATURDAY, November 10
4:00 PM  Douglas & Edward Ledden, Jr.

SUNDAY, November 11
8:30 AM  Dolores Tully
10:00 AM  Bernard Moore
11:30 AM  People of the Parish

MAUSOLEUM, ST. CATHARINE CEMETERY

SATURDAY, November 10
9:30 AM  Dec’d. Parish Mbrs. buried in
our Cemeteries.

Please remember our sick:  Patrick Scanlon,
Richard Kimak, Joe Carroll, Bob Patrignelli, Gail
Patrignelli, Nick Costantini, Ronald Thomas, Fr.
Dennis Gallagher, Helen Reh, Charles Williams,
Msgr. James J. Finnerty, Susan Ferraro, Brendan
McWeeney, Marlene Reisner, Patricia Fedorko, Kurt
Alberts, Jill Heck**

Please pray for our deceased:  Patricia Miller,
Joseph James Diaz, Pam Mazur, Ruth Ann Murphy,
Florence Derrig, Victoria Valente, Eileen Donoghue,
Frances Caser**

Names remain on the sick and deceased at the request
of parishioners for 4 weeks.  If extended prayers are
needed, please send a note or call.  Thank you.

PASTORAL CARE  732-449-5765

If you are going into the hospital, our
priests will be happy to anoint you by
appointment before admittance.  If you
are IN the hospital, please call us to let us know so we can
visit you, since hospitals no longer list patients’ parishes.
If you wish someone to visit you or your loved one in your
home or assisted living, please notify me directly,
Sr. Margaret Tierney, 732-449-5765, ext. 124.

Blood Pressure Screenings on the 2nd Tuesday of
each month, 12:30pm - 1:30pm, in the Convent.

Bereavement Ministry meet on Thursdays 1:30 p.m.
in the Convent.  Please call Sr. Margaret Tierney, 732-449-
5765 ext. 124 to register or for more information.

Members of our Parish who have family or
friends in the service have given us their names
which can be found in our Remembrance books
in both churches in front of one of the side
altars. We encourage you to stop there, say a prayer for
those listed and for all our service people. To add a name
to our prayer list, please call Barbara 732-449-5392 or
Karen 732-685-7065 or parishcouncil@stcatherine-
stmargaret.org.

Christmas Grave Blankets &
Mausoleum Wreaths

St. Catharine-St. Anne Cemetery are selling
Christmas Grave Blankets $49.00 and Mausoleum
Wreaths $39.00.  To Order Call 732-681-6269 or
mail check to:

St. Anne Mausoleum
1610 Allenwood Road
Wall, NJ 07719.

Last day for placing orders is Mon., November 19th.
Thank you.
2019 Mass Intention Book Opens
Thursday, November 8th at 1:30 PM
The Mass Intention Book Opening will take place at the RECTORY.

We will book Masses for next year in person on a first-come, first-served basis. **We regret that we must limit the number of Masses booked to 5 per family at this time.** No Mass intentions can be accepted by phone.
The usual offering for each announced Mass is $10.
Forms are available in the churches and in the rectory office.
Please be patient. Last year there were hundreds of requests during the first week.
Please keep in mind that we also can accept any number of UNANNOUNCED Mass intentions, although we cannot tell you when or where the Mass will be said and there will be no announcement in the bulletin for this Mass.
*You can also enroll your deceased loved one in the Memorial Mass Society.*
The Mass book will be opened as usual on Friday, **November 9th** at the RECTORY reception desk.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Rectory Office will be closed on Monday, November 12th in observance of Veterans Day.

**THE OFFICE STAFF**

*Memorial Mass Society*
12 month enrollment
Masses are said at the 1st Sunday at 9am
Names are listed in bulletin and announced first month
Names remain in special book on altar for the subsequent 11 months $10 per person. One person per enrollment.
Deluxe mass card included

Our Parish Family of St. Catharine - St. Margaret would like to congratulate the following couples who were married in September and October:

**September 2018 weddings**
John Drosner and Heather McGonegle, David Dolan and Joy Forlenza, Michael Ferrelli and Lauren Mahon, Andrew Sisock and Tara Spillane, Joe Finora and Elizabeth Hammitt, Daniel McHale and Erin Venables, James Stephens and Vittoria Climes, Corinne Prisco and David Schissler, Chad Drake and Haley McNeal.

**October 2018 weddings**

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Please join us for a
All Souls Memorial Mass
Saturday, November 10, 2018
9:30AM
Resurrection Mausoleum
Located at St. Catharine Cemetery
1100 West Chicago Blvd.
Sea Girt, NJ
Refreshments provided following mass

Donations are needed to benefit the children in Haiti for both Boys and Girls ages 3-13. Boxers are especially needed in small, medium, large & x-large.

A Van will be in front of the Churches after all Masses to collect the items.

Monetary donations accepted for Shipping

The St. Catharine-St. Margaret Health Ministry and the Social Concerns Committee are collecting NEW items for the people of Haiti after all Masses on November 17th & 18th. Please help us succeed with our mission by donating the items above. Thank You!

We welcome into our Parish Family the following infants who were Baptized in October: Angelina Marie De Blasio, Declan Robert Schatzman, Owen James Lacoti, and Madison Rae Healey.
The Social Concerns Ministry is the *NEW* Community Outreach Ministry

The Community Outreach Ministry will be focused helping those in need, starting in our local community to different areas of the globe. Feeding the hungry, helping the sick, assisting the elderly, and cleaning up the community will be simple missions for the start of this transformed ministry.

Current Social Concerns projects that this new Ministry will grow upon include:

- Monthly frozen food drive for The Center in Asbury Park
- Monthly non-perishable food drive
- Assist in financial aid for those in need in local community
- Christmas Giving Tree
- Winter Clothing Drive

Past Social Concerns accomplishments include:

- During our parish’s centennial, the ministry partnered with Habitat for Humanity and built a home for a family with a physically disabled child.
- Raised funds for Sisters Academy to furnish classes with needed books and equipment when the school was renovated and expanded.

The C.O.M. is being led by young parishioners, who will be planning fun and exciting parish events to directly help those in need in our local community. This will be a "hands-on" ministry that is looking for others that want to help make a difference. If interested in finding out more information, please contact John Natale, Jr. by text: (732) 546-6177 or email: natalesells@gmail.com.

Proverbs 3:27

27 Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in your power to act.

The Following have been enrolled in the St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish Memorial Mass Society and will share in special masses to be celebrated at the 9:00am for 12 first Sundays beginning November 4, 2018:

- Michael Mastrangelo
- Michael Stokes
- Geraldine Amoscato
- Rose Marie Donahue
- Claire Addario Clark
- Margaret "Betty" Clark
- William Rottino
- Christaan Rose
- William L. Coyle
- Michael McAtasney
- Frank McMahon
- John Brolewicz
- Irene Gross
- Bernadette Barry
- Joseph Diaz
- Bobby Troisi
- Tony Hoefflinger
- Rosemary McCann
- The Papolrello Family
- Salvatore Saferno
- Donna Moore
- Kyle Edward Janeczck
- Joanne Dowling
- John Hall
- Rick Shreves
- Rose Tosone
- Teresa Ferrazzano
- Richard W. Langstaff
- Maruja Sanchez
- John Conheeney
- Frank Reilly
- Robert Hannon
- George Picorelli
- Gertrude Kleissler
- T.R. Ryan
- Millie Applegate
- Jeannie Dillon
- Lisa Neary
- Kyler Griffin
- Dorothy Harkrader
- Rita Broderick
- Walter Wall
- Nancy Gardella
- Marisa Aversa
- Thomas E. Rilley
- Michael Faiella
- Neil Brennan
- William D. Wimmer
- Jeremiah G. Murray
- Patrick Anderson
- Nicholas Davis
- Anthony Ranaudo
- Anne Nitto
- Charles McMahen
- Mary Arlene Crocco
- Paul Carr
- Jane D. Zimmermann
- Peter James Wagner
- Antonios O. Zacharatos
- Melissa Ricciardi
- Patricia Ann Flaherty
- Robert Redling
- Rosemarie Aramanda
- Scott T. Dieter
- William Cray
- Ellen Zientek
- Richard M. Snitko
- Rosemarie Marchitto

A PRAYER FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

God of Love and Compassion,
You look with tenderness on your beloved sons and daughters, who have been saved by the death and resurrection of Jesus.
We ask you to show that same embracing compassion and tender mercy to (mention names/intention here) whom You have called from this life.
May they enjoy the fullness of the risen life with Jesus and all the saints, bathed in Your glory, light and tender mercy. Amen
St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish Music Program

We at St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish are blessed with a vibrant, flourishing Music Program. The past year has brought many wonderful developments to our Music Program, and we are excited to continue to grow and improve! We thank the Parish Council, administration, and especially Msgr. Cullen for their support through this exciting time in the life of our Parish!

We want you, the Parishioners, to be aware of the many wonderful opportunities to enjoy the wonderful music in our Liturgies here in the Parish. We offer many distinct musical styles to help you enter into the Mass each week. Here is a summary of what you can currently expect musically in all the different Masses:

4pm St. Margaret - Mix of traditional, classical, and contemporary style hymns. Musicians included members from our Youth Ensemble and instrumental ensembles. Prelude music begins at 3:30pm.

5pm St. Catharine - Classical Sacred music, including traditional hymnody, Gregorian Chant, and choral masterpieces. This Mass features the Saint Catharine Chorale Ensemble, our newly-formed ensemble specializing in polyphony, Gregorian Chant and music of J. S. Bach and others. Following the Mass, stay a while to enjoy beautiful, prayerful postlude music featuring the Chorale Ensemble, which sings a choral works each week after Mass.

8:30 St. Margaret - Contemporary style music with soft instrumental sounds, featuring soloists and instrumentalists from our Youth Ensemble. Instrumental preludes begin at 8am.

9am St. Catharine - Traditional hymnody with organ accompaniment. Soft prelude music featuring soloists from our string ensemble starts by 8:30.

10am St. Margaret - Family Mass. The official Mass which features our acclaimed Youth Ensemble. Enjoy inspiring, joyful vocal and instrumental music of the very highest caliber, in a wonderful family friendly environment.

10:30 St. Catharine - Saint Catharine Choir Mass. Our Choir sings traditional hymnody accompanied by the sounds of our grand organ, joined by beautiful instrumentalists.

11:30 St. Margaret - Soloists from our Youth Ensemble are accompanied by our team of professional contemporary musicians. This Mass is very popular for all desiring to worship in a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere surrounded by beautifully executed contemporary hymns.

12noon St. Catharine - St. Catharine String Quartet accompanies our vocal soloists, leading us in traditional hymnody with some contemporary songs. The Quartet also accompanies the Mass with elegant classical music throughout. Prelude music starts at 11:30.

As the Music Program continues to grow and develop, you can expect to see great, positive changes as we move forward. With God’s blessing you will see more young people sharing their talents, as we progress in our newly-launched Music Enrichment Education Program through our St. Catharine School. As a result we will enjoy more engaging, joyful sounds at the School Masses.

In addition, we will start to see soft accompaniment at some of our daily Masses.

We are exceptionally proud of all our groups and ensembles as they now stand: Our adult Cantors are experienced performers and music professionals, appearing in local, national, and international productions. Our Youth Ensemble members are active in the music scene throughout the local and tri-state area. All musicians and instrumentalists here in the Parish are highly qualified, educated professionals who perform in orchestras and musical venues of the very highest caliber. We as a Music team work hard each week, rehearsing and practicing to bring you the finest Liturgies anywhere, befitting our beautiful Parish here in Spring Lake.

In addition we boast an acclaimed concert series, hosting many international performers here in St. Catharine Church. Stay tuned for information on next year’s events.

I wish most especially, to thank you, our Parishioners, for your continued support. I am always available for your feedback, ideas and needs and remain cordially yours,

Dr. Jarred Tafaro, Director of Music.

PARISH MEET & GREET

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH
FRANCIS DUFFY HALL
FOLLOWING THE 11:30AM MASS

St. Catharine and St. Margaret Parishioners:

Please join the Parish Hospitality Team for a Parish Meet & Greet on Sunday, November 18th in Francis Duffy Hall following the 11:30AM Mass as we welcome both our current and past members of the St. Catharine -St. Margaret Parish Pastoral Council. All parishioners are welcome to join us and it will be a great opportunity to learn about all the wonderful things happening within our parish community. Plenty of coffee, juice, bagels, donuts, and sandwiches to enjoy and we hope to see you there!

St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish Hospitality Team
St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish Pastoral Council
To All Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, & Altar Servers:
Your captains will be assigning ministers for the Winter Schedule, December 1st through February 24th. Please let us know if you plan to be away for this rotation, or if you have any changes in your mass requests.

**Lectors:**
Karen Tanzola: krtanzola@gmail.com

**Eucharistic Ministers:**
Cindy Graves: cindygraves@optonline.net

**Altar Servers:**
Holly O’Brien: hollyobrien@optonline.net

As always, thanks for your dedication!

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| Liturgical Ministry Schedule for St. Margaret Church Saturday, November 10 & Sunday, November 11 |
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| SAT. 4:00PM                     | SUN. 8:30AM                     | SUN. 10:00AM                    | SUN. 11:30AM                    |
| Celebrant                       | Msgr. Cullen                   | Fr. Sumanga                    | Fr. Sumanga                    |
| Altar Server                    | Lily Rodgers                   | Andrew Gowen                   | Lucy Callahan                  |
|                                 | Thomas Rodgers                 | Hailey Hathaway                | Joseph Murphy                  |
|                                 | Andrew Tesauro                 | Joseph White                   | Reild Matusch                  |
|                                 | Nicholas Tesauro               |                                | Emilee Rible                   |
|                                 |                                |                                | Terrence Marks                 |
|                                 |                                |                                | Patrick Frost                  |
|                                 |                                |                                | Declan Sullivan                |
| Lector                          | Michelle McMahon              | Florence Tedesco               | Maureen O’Reilly               |
| Eucharistic Minister            | Helen Nugent                   | Mary-Jo Capko                  | Mike Falcone                   |
|                                 | Gia Beyer                      | Kathleen McCarthy              | Michele Spang                  |
|                                 | Robert Dougherty               | Donna Schrader                 |                                |
|                                 |                                | Frances Scuilli                 |                                |
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| Liturgical Ministry Schedule for St. Margaret Chapel Sunday, November 11 |
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| SUN 12 NOON                                       |                          |
| Celebrant                                        | Msgr. Cullen             |
| Altar Server                                     | Ryan Gloster             |
| Lector                                           | Madeleine Magnier        |
| Eucharistic Minister                             | Anita Kruse               |

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Attention Lectors:
The 2019 Workbooks have arrived. Please pick them up at the rectory as soon as possible. Thank you!

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Humble yourself that you may be exalted

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### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Monday, November 5**
- 8:30 AM Dancersize, Hall.
- 2:30 PM Cheerleaders, Gym.
- 4:00 PM Girl’s V Bball, Gym.
- 5:30 PM Boy’s V Bball, Gym.
- 7:00 PM Parish Health Ministry, Hall.

**Tuesday, November 6**
- 6:45 AM Men’s Morning Prayer Group, Convent.
- 8:30 AM Pastoral Care, Allaire.
- 9:30 AM Healthy Bones, Hall.
- 10:00 AM Pastoral Care, Brandywine.
- 1:30 PM Chair Yoga, Hall.
- 2:30 PM Cheerleaders, Gym.
- 4:30 PM CCD, K-5, SCS.
- 7:00 PM CCD, 6th, 7th & 8th, SCS.

**Wednesday, November 7**
- 8:30 AM Dancersize, Hall.
- 10:15 AM Fire and Faith/Kingdom of Happiness, Hall.
- 10:30 AM Pastoral Care, Wellington.
- 12:00 PM Altar Sewing/Craft Guild, Hall.
- 1:30 PM 2019 Mass Intention Book Opens, Rectory.
- 2:30 PM Girl Scouts, SCS.
- 2:30 PM Cheerleaders, SCS.
- 3:00 PM Irish Social Dancing, Hall.
- 4:00 PM Girl’s JV Bball, Gym.
- 5:30 PM Boy’s JV Ball, Gym.
- 5:00 PM Youth Ensemble.
- 6:30 PM Fire and Faith/Kingdom of Happiness, Hall.
- 7:00 PM RCIA, Convent.

**Thursday, November 8**
- 9:30 AM Healthy Bones, Hall.
- 10:00 AM Pastoral Care, Wellington.
- 12:00 PM Altar Sewing/Craft Guild, Hall.
- 1:30 PM 2019 Mass Intention Book Opens, Rectory.
- 2:30 PM Girl Scouts, SCS.
- 2:30 PM Girl’s JV Bball, Gym.
- 4:00 PM Girl’s V Bball, Gym.
- 5:30 PM Boy’s V Bball, Gym.
- 7:00 PM Boy’s JV Ball, Gym.
- 7:00 PM Parish Health Mtg, Hall.
- 7:00 PM Adult Choir, St. Catharine Church.

**Friday, November 9**
- 8:30 AM Dancersize, Hall.
- 2:30 PM Girl’s JV Bball, Gym.
- 4:00 PM Girl’s V Bball, Gym.
- 5:00 PM Boy’s V Bball, Gym.
- 6:00 PM Boy’s JV Ball, Gym.

**Saturday, November 10**
- 9:00 AM Girl’s V Bball Game, Gym.
- 9:30 AM All Souls Memorial Mass, Maus, St. Cath Cemetery
- 10:15 AM Boy’s V Bball Game, Gym.
- 11:30 AM Girl’s JV Bball Game, Gym.
- 12:45 PM Boy’s JV Bball Game, Gym.

**Sunday, November 11**
- 10:00 AM Children’s Liturgy of the Word.

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### A Good Homily...

*Another feature of a good homily is that it is positive. It is not so much concerned with pointing out what shouldn’t be done, but with suggesting what can be done better.*

Positive preaching always offers hope, points to the future, does not leave us trapped in negativity.”

- Pope Francis, in Evangelii Gaudium

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**Nov. 9-11: A “Silent” weekend retreat for both Men & Women at Loyola House of Retreats in Morristown. This retreat offers a time to relax away from business problems & family worries, a time to pray and awaken the sense of the reality of God and to grow in the precious gift of faith. Join together with Joe Leone for a quiet, prayerful weekend. To register contact Joe Leone at retreat@joeleones.com. For more info, visit the website at wwwLOYOLA.org**

**Nov. 9, 10, 16, 17 (7pm), Nov. 11 (2pm), Nov. 15 (5pm): Pegasus Production Company Presents The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940 at Christian Brothers Academy, 850 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft. Henderson Theater. Purchase tickets at cba.booktix.com or at the door.**

**Nov. 11: Catholic Charities Christmas Market at Manasquan River Golf Club, 4-8pm. Support local stores and specialty vendors. Tickets are $90 in advance, $100 at the door. For info & tickets visit catholiccharitiesrenton.org/events or call Jennifer Leip at 609-394-5181 X 1137.**

**Nov. 16: The Classics. You are invited to attend a luncheon & presentation given by Dorothy A. Wilson, C.P.A. Wilson will speak on “Updates on Financial Matters affecting seniors” including tax laws & real estate laws. 1 PM at Duffy Hall at St. Margaret Church. Lunch will be provided. RSVP Virginia Cox at 732-974-0978. The deadline is Nov. 13, 2018.**

**Nov. 15, 16, 17 at 7pm & Nov. 18 at 2pm Donovan Catholic High School presents, "A Christmas Carol". Tickets $15 Adults & $12 Students & Seniors. Group rates available. Buy your tickets now! Call 732-349-8801 x2403 or visit www.donovancatholic.org. "GOD BLESS US EVERYONE".**

**Nov. 30: CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR. Welcome the holiday season with the elegance and grace of Father Alphonse Stevenson conducting the renowned Orchestra of St. Peter by the Sea on at 7:30 PM at St. Dominic’s Church, 250 Old Squan Rd., Brick. Tickets are $35 in advance $40 at the door & will be sold after all weekend Masses. For more info, call 732-840-1410 Mon.-Fri, 9 AM-4 PM. Checks or cash only.**

**Dec. 3: Spirituality and the Arts Christmas Concert at St. Catharine Church at 7PM.**

**Dec. 9: 150th Anniversary of St. Vincent Academy at the Shore Reunion Brunch at the Spring Lake Golf Club at 11:30 am. All Alumnae and Friends are invited to attend. The cost is $50. For more info visit tnolan@svanj.org or call Pat Delaney Hanbury 732-922-0634.**

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**Daughters & Sons of St. Catharine—St. Margaret Parish**

Our next meeting is Thursday, November 29, 2018 7:00PM in Francis Duffy Hall, St. Margaret Church Our guest speaker will be Steve Kenny who will speak on Faithful Citizenship and the Church Scandal issues. Watch bulletin for more details! For questions or more information, please call Gretchen Stevens at 732-213-7475 or email gretchenstevens22@gmail.com.
PARISH INFORMATION

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS: Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs. & Fri. 9 AM - 4 PM.

Evenings and Saturdays by appointment.
If you wish an appointment with a priest, please call beforehand.
On Holy Days & Holidays, the rectory office is closed.

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Rectory, 215 Essex Avenue 732-449-5765
Convent, 211 Essex Avenue 732-449-5765, ext 126
Sr. Carole MacKenthun, RSM
Sr. Margaret Tierney, SC
Sr. Mary Bilderback, RSM
Sr. Barbara Williams, RSM
St. Catharine School, 301 Second Ave., Spring Lake 732-449-4424
Religious Education Office, SC School 732-449-4424, ext 305, 310
St. Catharine Cemetery, 1100 W Chicago Blvd. Sea Girt 732-681-6269
St. Anne Cemetery, 1610 Allenwood Road, Wall 732-681-6269

PARISH WEBSITE: www.stcatharine-stmargaret.org
SCHOOL WEBSITE: www.stcatharineschool.net
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PASTORAL COUNCIL E-MAIL: parishcouncil@stcatharine-stmargaret.org
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION E-MAIL: religioused@stcatharine-stmargaret.org

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: after 8am mass on Monday at St. Catharine Church.

QUEEN OF PEACE: Sunday at 2pm, St. Catharine Chapel.

EUCHARISTIC DEVOTION: Weekly Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held EVERY Wednesday following the 8am mass in St. Catharine Chapel, Benediction at 4pm.

THIRD ORDER OF LAY CARMELITES: Prayer and reflection after the 8am Mass on the first Saturday of each month.

BAPTISMS: Beginning in September 2018, Baptisms will be held on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month. Baptist Preparation Classes are held on the 1st Tuesday of each month and must be taken before the Baptism. We urge parents to take the class before the baby’s birth. Please call 732-449-5765, ext 100 to arrange for Baptisms and the Preparation Class.

MARRIAGES: All couples planning marriage should notify the parish at least one year in advance. The Church sees marriage in one’s own parish as the most proper arrangement, therefore, people who reside in St. Catharine - St. Margaret Parish have a right to be married here. Others should receive the sacrament in their own parishes. The bride, the groom, or their parents must be registered and living in this Parish for at least one year. Pre-Cana or Engaged Encounter Weekend is required or participation in FOCCUS; a self-diagnostic inventory designed to help couples learn more about themselves and their unique relationship. Please call 732-449-5765, ext 134.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Catholic community of St. Catharine - St. Margaret, gather in Christ’s name to nurture spiritual growth through the various stages and challenges of life.
We are committed through liturgy, sacraments and parish activities - to proclaim the message of the Gospel, to provide a quality Catholic education for children and adults, to continue to build community and to serve those in need.
Rich in the traditions established in this community during the last century, we challenge ourselves to live our faith in loving service to the community’s residents and its many summer visitors.
We affirm our concern for all members of the Mystical Body of Christ everywhere and particularly those who require assistance.
And always, we seek to know and love God and to love our neighbor as Jesus taught us.

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Archives Ext 410
Baptisms Ext 102
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Buildings & Grounds Ext 104
Bulletin Ext 110
Envelopes, Registration Ext 169
Family Ministry Ext. 168
Funerals Ext 102/101
Music Office Ext 103
Pastoral Care Ext 124
Publicity Ext 169
Religious Education Ext 305/310
Scheduling Ext 173
Tax Letters Ext 178
Weddings Ext 134

Weekly Collection

October 27/28, 2018
First Collection Summary By Mass
St. Margaret’s
Saturday 4.00PM $ 2,573.00
Sunday 8.30AM $ 1,909.00
Sunday 10.00AM $ 3,291.00
Sunday 11.30AM $ 1,858.00
Total St Margaret’s $ 9,631.00
St. Catharine’s
Saturday 5.00PM $ 1,975.00
Sunday 7.00AM $ 1,255.00
Sunday 9.00AM $ 1,035.00
Sunday 10.30AM $ 1,546.00
Sunday 12.00PM (Chapel) $ 1,927.00
Total St Catharine’s Church $7,738.00
Contributions that come in the mail $ 1,985.00
Total Collection $19,354.00

Remember St. Catharine’s in Your Will

Have the following statement included in your will: “I leave to the St. Catharine School/Parish, Spring Lake, NJ, the sum of $__________ or_______ percent of the residue of my estate, whichever is greater, for its religious, educational and charitable works”. Stock may also be donated to the parish.
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