

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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— MATTHEW 15:22 —

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WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday 9:00 am SP
Tuesday 6:00 pm SMM
Wednesday 9:00 am SP
Wednesday 11:00 am SP
Wednesday 6:00 pm SMM
Thursday 9:00 am SP
Thursday 11:00 pm SMM
Thursday 6:00 pm SMM
Friday 9:00 am SP
Friday 6:00 pm SMM

ADORATION & RECONCILIATION:

Wednesday 6:00 pm SP
Friday after 6:00 pm Mass SMM
RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:00 pm SMM
Saturday after 6:00 Mass SP
Sunday 8:00 am SP
Sunday 10:00 am SMM
COMMUNION SERVICE:
Weekdays 7:15 am SP

COMBINED MASS SCHEDULE ST. PATRICK (SP) & ST. MARGARET MARY (SMM)

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday 10:00 am SP
Saturday 4:00 pm (Anticipatory) SMM
Saturday 6:00 pm (Anticipatory) SP
Sunday 9:00 am SP
Sunday 11:00 am SMM
Sunday 1:00 pm—Misa en Español
SMM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2026

Fr. Elmer Dula, RCJ
Parish Administrator

Fr. Tommy Latina, RCJ
Parochial Vicar

Fr. Paul John Mapacpac, RCJ
Parochial Vicar

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SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

Thus says the LORD:

Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come,
my justice, about to be revealed. (Is 56:1)

Psalm:

O God, let all the nations praise you!
(Ps 67)

Second Reading:

For God delivered all to disobedience,
that he might have mercy upon all.
(Rom 11:32)

Gospel:

Then Jesus said to her in reply,
"O woman, great is your faith!
Let it be done for you as you wish."
(Mt 15:28)

Scheduled Mass Intentions

Saturday August 15, 2026	4:00 St. Margaret Mary	Bill Saamn † (John R. Scott)
	6:00 PM St. Patrick	Arthur & Rena Gallagher † (Their Family)
Sunday August 16, 2026	9:00 AM St. Patrick	Tom Born † (The Ramen Family)
	11:00 AM St. Margaret Mary	The Favila Family
Sat. August 22, 2026	4:00 St. Margaret Mary	John Desantis † (Steve & Mary Kay Klapko)
	6:00 PM St. Patrick	John O'Neal † (Dale Ann O'Neal)
Sunday August 23, 2026	9:00 AM St. Patrick	Pro-Populo
	11:00 AM St. Margaret Mary	Renato Ecarma †

Deacon's Corners

The Eight Station - St. John The Baptist points to the Lamb of God Leader- The true Lamb of God!

In the New Testament, Saint John the Baptist, Jesus' cousin, standing at the River Jordan declares, "Behold the Lamb of God. Who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29).

St. John is clearly making a connection between his cousin and the spotless lamb of Abel, the replacement lamb of Abraham, the Passover Lamb of Moses and the sacrificial lambs of the temple.

Faithful Jews knew what a lamb was – a sacrificial animal that took away their sins and whom they must consume. St. John the Baptist is saying that Jesus is the Lamb of God, He is not only to be sacrificed on the altar of the cross, but also to be eaten in the Holy Eucharist where He becomes food for our salvation.

Jesus gives us His Body and Blood for atonement; forgiveness, but also communion. Just as the Jewish people ate from their sacrificial worship, we must eat the Flesh of the Son of God and drink His Blood if we desire eternal life.

Let us pray - Dear Lord, thank you for the sacrifice of the first Passover lamb thousands of years ago that set the Israelites free from slavery in Egypt, and thank you for the sacrifice of Jesus the true Lamb of God, who destroys our bondage to sin and death; may we choose to follow Him to true and lasting freedom. Amen.



– Deacon Mike

ST. MARGARET MARY

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the following people who are currently experiencing illness or difficulty. Please let us know when we can take someone off the list so we might have room for more prayer concerns. Thank you.

Josh Campbell	Tony Mancuso
Clint Cottrell	Alanya Orman
Conrad Daniels	Lauren Pate
Kohen Daniels	Jim Plew
Rhett Detamore	Donna Raguseo
Tony Ezefule	Gabriella Rigdon
Lily Farid	Kaye Rumsey
Kevin Fech	John R. Scott
Randy Hatfield	Margaret Sparenberg
Nancy Jozsa-	Yvonne Spittler
Altuze	Mary Sullivan
Doris King	Kyle Toney
Brady Lepore	Bill Verdeyen
Jane Long	Daniel Wilcox
Jocelyn Long	Andrea Yohey

ASSUMPTION OF MARY

We invite you to join with the parishioners of Saint Margaret Mary for a special celebration of the Assumption of Mary. Events include the Rosary, Mass, the Vara procession (our local version of the Vara procession in Messina, Italy), and dinner. All parishes are invited!

ST PATRICK & ST MARGARET MARY PARISHES

YOUTH & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

- CATECHISM
- DISCIPLESHIP
- BIBLE STUDY & SCRIPTURE
- ENCOUNTERING WITH CHRIST
- FAMILY WORSHIP EVENTS
- SERVICE PROJECTS

PRE-K TO 8TH GRADE

9:45-10:45 AM
SUNDAY MORNINGS

ST MARGARET MARY CAMPUS
2405 S. 7TH ST. TERRE HAUTE, IN 47802

REGISTRATION WILL BEGIN
AUGUST 3RD

Please remember in prayer all those who are serving in the military, and for the homebound, the caretakers, nursing home residents, and the many volunteers helping those in crisis. Please call the parish office for prayer requests at 812-232-8518.

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We have received word of the death of Delores Hatcher Case. The Hatchers were long time members of St. Margaret Mary Parish, and she was educated at St. Margaret Mary School. May God grant peace to Delores, and comfort to her relatives and friends.

Weekend Giving August 2, 2026

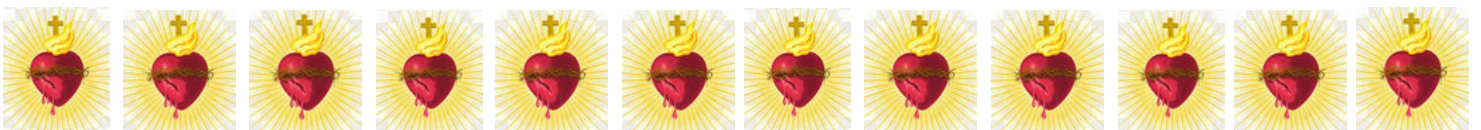
Total Weekly Giving	\$5,129.00
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St. Margaret Mary Mass Counts for Church Mass Counts for August 2, 2026

Saturday 4:00 PM	172
Sunday 11:00 AM	142
Sunday 1:00 PM	65
Total Weekend Attendance	379

SMM YARD SALE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please mark your calendars for the annual Yard Sale. We will need volunteers from Thursday, Sept. 3 until Monday (Labor Day) Sept. 7th. We need help with set-up on Thursday afternoon, about 3-4 pm and Friday morning around 7 am. We need cashiers on Friday (8 am to 2:30 pm), Saturday (8 am—2:30) and Monday (9 am—noon). We need volunteers to help with packing up on Monday at noon. Sign-up sheets are at each door of the church; or call Louise At 812-239-1227. Please find some time to help with this parish project.



ST. PATRICK

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for the following people who are currently experiencing illness or difficulty. Please let us know when we can take someone off the list so we might have room for more prayer concerns. Thank you.

Bonnie Born	Allison McElroy
Kelsey Fields Boyer	Diyo Muyumba
Joan Caldwell	Mike Newport
Harold Chapman	Devin Nibbs
Conrad Daniels	Helen Olinske
Kohen Daniels	Lauren Pate
Rhett Detamore	Donna Raguseo
Doug Fauber	Pamela Jo Reis
Mason Fulk	Gabriella Rigdon
Thomas Hauck	Doris & Marvin Seger
Barbara Hofmann	Michael Shacklee
Linda Howaniec	David Southard
Jack Jakowczyk	Kris Southard
Pat Johnson	Rebekah Southard
Jeannie Kaufman	Colleen Pettijohn-Spice
Martha Kirby	Chuck Tartaglia
William Landes	Joseph Tingle
Wilma Jean Lewellyn	Pat Tryon
Brady Lepore	Jerry Wagner
Marian Lindeman	Joseph Wagner
Jocelyn Long	Daniel Wilcox
Allison McElroy	Andrea Yohey

Please pray for homebound, caretakers, nursing home residents, and the many volunteers helping those in crisis. Please call the parish office for prayer requests.

Please Pray for our Military Family members. Currently serving from St. Patrick are:

Alan McQuiston	Jordan Niece
Bryan Hudson	Cameron Grim
Logan McDonald	Cole Grim
	Alexander McClean

GOOD GRIEF SCHEDULE

August 23rd - Breakfast at the Meadows Cafe after the 9:00 AM. mass

September 24th- Join us for a trip to Nashville, Indiana to visit the TC Steele State Historic Site and lunch in Nashville. We will meet at Meadows Center parking lot by the mailboxes at 9:30.

September 27th- Breakfast at the Meadows Cafe after the 9:00 AM mass.

If you plan to attend any of these events, please RSVP to Carla Haley 812-236-9602 or haleycarla38@gmail.com. Bring a friend!

STEPHEN MINISTRY

We feel it is important to share the Stephen Minister's Covenant to Care over the next few months with you. The first covenant to care is, "I will glorify God with a grateful heart. Stephen Ministers are first of all people of faith who seek to glorify God in all that they say and do. "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength."

FFC SUMMER PROGRAMS

There are two summer Adult Faith Formation Programs remaining. It has been a good series, and presenters have been well received. Please feel free to come to either or both.

- August 19th at St. Patrick, Veronica Rogers presents "Charisms."
- On August 26th at St. Margaret Mary, Beth Haley and Kathy Meany present "The Gift of Scripture in Daily Life."

Programs begin at 6:30 and end by 8:00. Dress is informal and we'll have a light snack and refreshments. You'll be welcome!

We are seeking mentors aged 16 and up to help guide our youth in Faith Formation. If you feel called to share your faith and support our young church, we'd love to have you join us. No teaching experience is necessary, just your love of God and willingness to share your time. Contact Veronica 812-232-8518.

St. Patrick Church Parish Offerings August 2, 2026

Total weekly giving	\$9,611.00
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St. Patrick Church Mass Counts August 2, 2026

Saturday 6:00 PM	85
Sunday 9:00 AM	83
Weekend Total	168



Job Opening

Director of Religious Education
St. Mary's Village Church
(Part-time)

Duties include:

- Supervise Sunday school program
 - Sacramental preparation
 - Children's liturgy
- Summer Vacation Bible School

Contact Elizabeth Davis at
Elizabeth@sacredheart-stmarysvillage.org
if you are interested.

ST. PATRICK PICNIC VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are looking for a few volunteers to plan and manage the St. Patrick Parish Picnic on September 27th. The shelter is already reserved, and you would have a staff member available to give you guidance on how it's been done in the past. If you don't serve on a ministry and want to contribute your time and talent to the parish on a more limited basis--this is for you! Please call the church office at 812-232-8518

Pilgrimage to Spain & France, May 3 -14, A Invitation From Fr. Rick Ginther



It is with great joy that I invite you to join me on this extraordinary pilgrimage to the Marian Shrines of Spain and France — sacred places where Our Lady has appeared, spoken, and poured out grace upon the faithful for centuries. Together we will walk in the

footsteps of St. Bernadette at Lourdes, venerate the Black Madonna of Montserrat, stand where St. James received a vision of Our Lady of the Pillar, bask in the wonder and beauty of La Sagrada Familia, and be renewed in our devotion to the Mother of God.

Mary always leads us to her Son. At every shrine on this pilgrimage, her message is the same as it was at Cana: "Do whatever He tells you." Come with open hands and an open heart, and allow Our Lady to transform you through the graces of these sacred places.

Below is a link to the brochure so you can discover the details -- and, hopefully, discern signing up!

-Father Rick Ginther,
Former Pastor

[https://tektonministries.org/
resources/270503-MS-Ginther.html](https://tektonministries.org/resources/270503-MS-Ginther.html)



ANNUAL ST. MARGARET MARY LABOR DAY YARD SALE!

The Annual St. Margaret Mary Yard Sale is coming up and donations will be accepted Tuesday – Friday from 9am – 4pm, June 30th through August 28

Furniture/outdoor items: Rectory Garage
Adult Clothing: white garage behind the house south of the church on 7th Street
All other items to Dede Center – 1st floor tables are set up for your donations

YARD SALE DATES
September 4 and 5 from 8 to 2:30
and Monday, September 7 (Labor Day)
9 to Noon.

PLEASE NOTE: NO computers, televisions, mattresses, infant car seats or any broken or badly soiled items.
Thanks!!

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE!

For questions or more info call the office: SMM 812-232-3512

ADORATION CHAPEL

Open spots remain on the calendar. It would be ideal to have two guardians for each hour; but, progress is being made.

Currently the chapel is not unlocked on Saturday after-noon due to the biggest gap in scheduled guardians. The new web site/software seems to be working great. It seems easier to get subs and to know when help is needed.

One great development is the addition of folks who cannot commit a specific time but are now included on the list of substitutes. They can hunt for and choose spots to fill.

Our priests have been great and are very supportive of the need for daily exposition and reposing.

*Happy the soul who knows
how to find Jesus in the
Eucharist and the Eucharist
in all things.*

--St. Peter Julian Eymard



ADORERS NEEDED

Would you be willing to sit for one hour in quiet adoration for the Lord? We would like to fill some empty slots in the schedule of adorers in St. Patrick's Adoration Chapel. If you would like to make a commitment to spend an hour each week with the Lord, please call 812-232-8518
Thank you!

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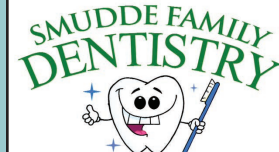


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