



## ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

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Office Hours: (Monday—Friday) 9:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

### Liturgical Schedule

**Saturday Anticipated Mass 4:00 p.m.**

**Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m.**

**Sacrament of Penance 3:30 p.m. Saturday or by appointment**

### Parish Staff

<u>Pastor:</u>	Rev. Paul J. Alciati
<u>Faith Formation Director:</u>	Christine Williams
<u>Maintenance:</u>	DaQuon Franklin
<u>Music Director:</u>	Erika Linsdell
<u>Office Manager:</u>	Toni Williams
<u>Sacristan/Liturgy:</u>	AnnMarie Mooney
<u>Trustees:</u>	Kathryn Reynolds & Patrick Hayes
<u>Pastoral Council Chair:</u>	Mary McNeil

**Baptisms** - call the parish office for information on baptismal class and the scheduling of Baptism.

**Marriages** - arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. All couples are required to attend Pre-Cana classes. Call the parish office for an appointment.

**Sick and Home-bound** - please notify the Parish Office when serious illness occurs, and when the sick, aged, or incapacitated are confined to home or hospital for an extended length of time. Arrangements can be made for a Eucharistic Minister to take Communion to them at home, at the hospital, or at nursing home. When hospitalized please tell them you are a parishioner of St. Margaret's.

### Dear Parishioners,

We are trying to wrap up our HOPE APPEAL for this year. Presently only 70 families from our parish have made a pledge or donation! We have approximately 300 families registered at St. Margaret's. I am asking you to please take time to make your donation to this year's Hope Appeal. Our goal (assessment) is \$26,013. We are about \$6,950 from reaching that goal. I know that families have many expenses- college tuition, food, heat and electricity bills, etc, etc. However, this is your opportunity to help many people in our diocese who are in need. Please prayerfully consider a pledge or donation to our diocesan appeal.

**Many thanks. God Bless You, Fr. Paul J. Alciati**

### This Week In The Parish (Oct. 20 –25)

Sat	10 a.m. Women's Spiritual Group in hall 10 a.m. Men's Spiritual Group in conf. rm. 4 p.m. Vigil Mass 6 p.m. Candidate Pasta Dinner
Sun	9:15 a.m. Faith Formation Grades 1-5 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass
Mon	5 p.m. Daily Mass 6:30 p.m. Confirmation rehearsal at St. Anthony's
Tue	No Daily Mass 7 p.m. Confirmation-St. Anthony's Church-Cortland
Wed	12 p.m. Daily Mass 5 & 6:15 p.m. Harvest Dinner in parish hall
Thu	12 p.m. Sr. Lunch Bunch at Dryden Hotel
Fri	7 p.m. Movie Night "The Shack"

### Next Week In The Parish (Oct. 27—31)

Sat	4 p.m. Vigil Mass
Sun	9:00 a.m. Spiritual Enrichment meet in conf. rm. 9:15 a.m. Faith Formation Grades 1-5 10:30 a.m. Sunday Youth Mass 11:30 a.m. Faith Formation Grades 6-10
Mon	5 p.m. Daily Mass 6:30 p.m. Pastoral Council meet in conf. rm.
Tue	9:15 a.m. Mass @ Walden Place 5 p.m. Daily Mass 7 p.m. St. Margaret's choir rehearsal
Wed	12 p.m. Daily Mass
Thu	5:30 p.m. Holy Day Mass—All Saints

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

**Saturday** 4:00 p.m. **October 20**  
For Donald L. Barber—Maureen Dykoschak

**Sunday** 10:30 a.m. **October 21**  
For those who have been abused by Clergy

**Monday** 5:00 p.m. **October 22**  
For Lucy Panzino—Edward Wojelehoski  
For Margaret Saunders—Bob & Sally Manning

**Tuesday** **October 23**  
No Daily Mass

**Wednesday** 12:00 p.m. **October 24**  
For Mildred K Saifes—Vic & Yvonne D’Amico  
For Col. & Mrs. William Vinette—Joan Clifford

**Saturday** 4:00 p.m. **October 27**  
For David & Joyce Seubert—Harry & Mary Alice Bellardini

**Sunday** 10:30 a.m. **October 28**  
For Kristen Frost Decker—Sue Smith & Family  
For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions

**Readings for the Week of October 21, 2018**

Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21  
Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22/Lk 12:35-38  
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48  
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53  
Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59

**Observances for the Week of October 21, 2018**

Monday: St. John Paul II, Pope  
Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano, Priest  
Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop  
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**LITURGICAL MINISTERS THIS WEEK**

October 20-21	4:00 P.M.	10:30 A.M.
Lector	Carl Moses	Sandra Harrington Connie Powers
Eucharistic Ministers	Arlene Gower Paul Gower Sarah Discenza	April Calale Chris Dewey Mary Van Miller
Ushers	Harry Bellardini Harry Reddick	Colin Harrington Carole Harris
Altar Servers	Olivia Andreas	Isabella Dallaire Nora Gross      Nicholas Powers

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEXT WEEK**

October 27-28	4:00 P.M.	10:30 A.M.
Lector	Luke Biondi	Jeremy Boylan Mollie Riley
Eucharistic Ministers	Michael Morgan Kathy Jacobsen Ann Marie Mooney	Karen McLaughlin David Peters Eileen Peters
Ushers	Mary Jo Helms Shawn McMahan	Jeff Griswold Rusty McLaughlin
Altar Servers	Riley Delage	Christopher Boylan Lucas Johnson      Becky Jones

**Altar Care Next Saturday:** (October 27) Dorothy Stevens & Peggy Strauf

**Sunday Total: \$ 5,065      E-Give: \$ 860      Grand Total: \$ 5,925**  
Thank You, your generosity is a blessing to St. Margaret’s Parish.



**PRAYER CORNER**

Please hold in prayer those who are ill:  
*Linda Morgan, Millie Horak and Calvin Griswold*

**Bottles & Cans Quick Stop Beverage** on Rt. 281 will be accepting our can/bottle deposits. You may combine cans and plastic bottles in plastic bags but please place glass into a separate box. **Empty Inkjet Cartridges**—bring all your empty inkjet cartridges to the drop box in the church hall. St. Margaret’s gets a donation per cartridge.

### FAITH FORMATION

Grades 1-5 will meet this Sunday from 9:15-10:15. Our Confirmation is being held at 7:00 pm. on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd at St. Anthony's Church in Cortland.

Our Faith Formation students will be hosting a Youth Mass next Sunday, October 28th at 10:30. If you have not done so, please make sure that your child is registered in our Faith Formation Program. We need to keep our records complete and updated yearly.

### HOPE APPEAL 2018 YOUR GIFT MAKES A DIFFERENCE TOGETHER IN FAITH, HOPE & CHARITY

**\*\*UPDATED\*\*** - Thank You to those who have already contributed to our 2018 Hope Appeal! Our assessment this year is \$26,013. Pledges received to date \$19,059 with 70 families pledged. You may place your pledge in the collection basket or deliver your pledge to the parish center. You can also make a secure online gift or pledge at [www.syrdio.org](http://www.syrdio.org)

### Senior Lunch Bunch

We will meet on **Thursday, October 25** at noon at The Dryden Hotel, in Dryden. Please call your reservation into the parish office 749-2542 by Wed. Oct. 24. To car pool to the lunch, please meet in the Parish Parking lot at 11:15 a.m.

### BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The Book of Remembrance is in the front vestibule for you to enter the names of the faithful departed. It will remain there through November. We will remember those loved ones at our Masses throughout the month.

### Catholic Daughters of the Americas

There will be a meeting Wednesday, November 7th at 7:00 p.m. in St. Mary's Church Hall. It will be a business meeting and to honor our deceased members. A coffee hour will follow. The Mass for our deceased members will be held on Sunday, November 4th at 11:30 a.m. in St Mary's Church.

Our Bread Sale will be held on the weekend of November 17th & 18th after all Masses in St Mary's Church Hall.

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Annual Catholic Women's Conference join hundreds of women for a day out at the Annual Catholic Women's Conference on Saturday, October 27th at the Oncenter Convention Center in Syracuse. For more information or to register online visit [syracusewcw.com](http://syracusewcw.com).

### November Bake Sale



There is no October Bake Sale. The November Bake Sale will be held the weekend of November 10-11. Bakers, please sign up in Communication Center or call: Carole Harris: 315-696-8515. Remember to include ingredients on the label.



### Sanctuary Candle Burning

In Loving Memory of:  
**Angelo Jr. & Carolyn Cincotta**  
Given By:  
**Family**



### ADULT SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

On Fri. Oct. 26th at 7:00 p.m. we are holding a Parish Film Screening of *The Shack* that will be shown in the Parish Hall. This riveting, fictional story addresses the timeless question of, "Where is God in a world so filled with unspeakable pain?" This movie will leave you craving for the presence of God.

On Sun. Oct. 28th at 9:00 a.m. is our next meeting of Adult Spiritual Enrichment Committee. All are welcome.

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry has shawls on display on the window sills of the church. These are baby blankets and lap robes that are knitted and crocheted for the sick and family members of deceased parishioners, for nursing home residents, and for new moms. The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on the second Thursday of each month in the Parish Conference Room. All are welcome to join. We have yarn and people willing to teach knitting and crocheting.

**ST. MARY'S GROCERY CARDS:** are back to **St. Margaret's**. The school receives **5%** from the sale of each card and you receive **100%** for the amount of the card. **Grocery cards** for Price Chopper, P&C, and Tops are available at St. Margaret's church office.

**ITHACA 40 DAYS FOR LIFE**, a peaceful and prayerful campaign...takes place right here in our community. From Sep. 26–Nov. 4, join us in peaceful vigil across from Planned Parenthood, 620 W. Seneca St., Ithaca, along the public right-of way, 7a.m.-7 p.m. Please consider praying with us for just one or 2hr weekly, with a friend, your church, or your family. Contact Mary Anne Tissot by email [sweetwind53@yahoo.com](mailto:sweetwind53@yahoo.com) or 315-246-7479.