

ST. MARGARET OF CORTONA AND ST. GABRIEL PARISH



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LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

St. Margaret of Cortona

SUNDAY MASSES: (Vigil) 5:15 PM Saturday

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon and 5:15 PM

LATIN RITE MASS: 1st Sunday of the month at 3:00PM

WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:30 AM and 12 Noon

SATURDAYS: 8:30 AM

LEGAL HOLIDAYS: 12:00 PM

1st SATURDAY: Rosary in Honor of Our Lady 9:00 AM

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:

Monday preceding 8:30 AM Mass

CONFESSIONS: are available on Saturdays at 4:00 PM

until 5:00 PM and upon request.

HOLY HOUR/ADORATION:

Thursday 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF

THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Friday after Noon

Mass. Concludes with Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction at 3:00 PM

St. Gabriel

SUNDAY MASSES: (Vigil) 5:00 PM Saturday

Sunday: 9:30 & 11:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASS: Monday – Friday 9:00 AM

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:

Monday following the 9:00 AM Mass

CONFESSIONS: are available on Saturdays at 4:15 PM until 4:45 PM and upon request.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Arrangements may be made by speaking with one of the priests.

MARRIAGE: Before the date is confirmed, couples should meet with one of the priests. This should be done at least one year ahead. Pre-Cana is required.

SICK CALLS: For the ill, the Sacrament of the Sick is available. Please call the Rectory at any time.

PASTORAL STAFF:

Rev. Brian P. McCarthy, Pastor

Rev. Julius M. Eyyazo, Parochial Vicar

Rev. George Lodi, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Msgr. Dermot Brennan, Weekend Associate

Deacon Joaquim Pereira

Deacon George Pitula

Deacon Donald M. Quigley

St. Mary Amadeus McKenna, O.P., Pastoral Associate

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: To be considered active members of St. Margaret of Cortona and St. Gabriel Parish, each family and single adult must be properly registered and regularly use the weekly donation envelopes for our parish. This is the only way the parish can issue documents attesting to parish membership and *Catholic practice* (e.g. A LETTER TO BE A GODPARENT OR SPONSOR. *Newly registered parishioners must be registered & use envelopes for at least 6 months before a Sponsor Letter can be issued.*). New parishioners are requested to visit the parish office.

ENVELOPE SYSTEM: To assist us in keeping accurate records of your contributions, we request that you use the weekly envelope system. This enables us to verify your donations should it be necessary for tax purposes. Please notify the Rectory if you change your address.

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

ST. MARGARET OF CORTONA SCHOOL:

Grade Pre-K through Grade 8. For information, call the principal, **Mr. Hugh Keenan**, at 718-549-8580 or visit the school website at: www.smcsriverdale.org.

ST. GABRIEL SCHOOL:

Grade Pre-K through Grade 8. For information, call the principal, **Mr. Anthony Naccari**, at 718-548-0444 or visit the school website at: www.stgabrielsinthebronx.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

For children in public and private schools, Grade 1 through Grade 8. For information, email the School of Religion:

Mrs. Georgina Nieves, St. Gabriel at stgabrielsreled@gmail.com or

Mrs. Kerry Bader, St. Margaret of Cortona: at saintmargaretsccd@gmail.com.

HOMEBOUND: For those confined at home, Extraordinary Ministers bring Holy Communion. If anyone is not on the regular list, please call the Rectory.



Bishop Gerald T. Walsh

will administer the **Sacrament of Confirmation** at **St. Gabriel Church** next

Confirmation Sunday, May 19th. We congratulate our confirmandi and offer our prayers that they may be guided by the Holy Spirit.

CONFIRMANDI

Meghan **Bridget** Adamson
 Diego **Peter** Avellaneda
 Gabriella **Catherine** Brito
 Joaquin **Oscar** Dowling
 North **George** Ediela
 Gael **Simon** Fernandez
 Michael **Ignatius** Ghaleb
 Ella **Catherine** Gonzalez
 Jalyn **Rose** Gonzalez
 Will **Bartholomew** Gregory
 Jason **Francis** Harley
 Andrew **Simon** Hasshund
 Brianne **Lucy** Hogarty
 Madison **Thais** Lopez-Crespo
 Destiny **Dymphna** Lucien
 Jaylene **Camilla** Maldonado
 Alexandra **Alicia** McEntee
 Jose **Joseph** Mercedes
 Georgiana **Jude** Mitchell
 Louisa **Jerome** Mitchell
 Ryan **James** Peterson
 Savannah **Catherine** Rosa
 Isabela **Elizabeth** Rosario
 Helen **Cecilia** Seda
 Amelia **Catherine** Tejada

SPONSOR

Timothy O'Reilly
 Erika Manrique
 Ellen Bree
 Ignacio Dowling
 Yolanda Cheng
 Maria C. Prat-Mendoza
 George Ghaleb
 Evelyn Rodriguez
 Josephine De Jesus
 Christopher Mayer
 Natasha Williams
 Isabelle Hasshund
 Rozlyn Reyes
 Alberto Crespo
 Claudette Bell
 Jorge Orta
 Patricia McEntee
 Robin Cruzey
 Jennifer Bailey
 Theodore Mitchell
 Irene Schuster
 Yvette Reyes
 Rafael Espaillat
 Theresa Smith
 Alejandro Vigniero

GIFT OF LIFE — GIFT OF LOVE our **Life Ministry** is sponsoring its 14th annual **Flower Basket Drive** for Mother's Day. You can still participate...**this is the final weekend!** Two organizations will receive our donations are: **Siena House**, a home for mothers & babies, and Sisters of Charity Multi-Service Center-**Casa de Esperanza**, a vibrant and welcoming center dedicated to improving the lives of immigrants.

THE COLLECTION REPORTS

We are grateful for your generosity to our parish:

May 5th **\$ 16,499.58**
 (second collection) **\$ 4,537.25**

Thank you for all you do for our parish.



First Communion

It is with great joy that we congratulate and ask God's blessings on the children of **St Margaret of Cortona Religious Education Program** who received Our Lord in First Holy Communion on **Saturday, May 11th.** We extend our congratulations to the parents, families and teachers of the First Communicants.

- Isabella Antigua**
- Jessica Barbier**
- Thomas Cush**
- Jason Farciert**
- Michael Gross**
- Emmeline Heer**
- Samantha Moreno**
- Noah Murga**
- Gabriel Pena**
- Chloe Shaw**
- Ariella Thompson**

ST. MARGARET'S LEISURE CLUB will attend the performance of **Four by Four** at the **Westchester Dinner Theatre** on Tuesday, May 14th. The bus will leave at 10:00 AM from the Church. Their **next meeting is Friday**, May 17th at 12:30 in the Rectory Meeting Room. **Van Martin** will entertain. Coffee & tea will be served. All are welcome!

Reservations can be made for the Spring buffet luncheon on **Friday, June 14th** at 12 Noon at **Downey's**. Cost is \$55 including bus. Musical entertainment by **Jimmy Walsh**. Call Barbara Kiernan for additional information, 718-548-8373.

Fourth Sunday of Easter



On this Mother's Day, we offer our prayerful good wishes to all the mothers in our parish and all mothers who are visiting us. Today is a wonderful day to celebrate those women in our lives who cooperated with God to create new life and those who have nurtured our lives with love and compassion. Yes, we believe that when we are open to children, we have cooperated with God in creation. In addition, those women who have said, "yes" should be recognized.

This Mother's Day take some time and thank your Mom with more than flowers & a box of candy, tell her how much you love her and spend time with her.



"SIGHT and SOUND THEATRE" & SANDS CASINO

Dates: May 23rd & 24th

Cost: \$275

Includes: deluxe round trip motor coach, Quilt and Craft Shop on an Amish Farm, 1 night accommodations, 1 breakfast, 1 family-style dinner, admission to "JESUS" at the Sight and Sound Theatre. They will visit the **Sands Casino in Bethlehem** en route home. Also included: baggage handling, hotel taxes & meal gratuities. **Please check St. Gabriel's Rectory for availability.**

BELMONT RACE TRACK, Saturday, June 29

Cost: \$106 includes deluxe coach transportation, admission to the track, Race Program & lunch.

Please check St. Gabriel's Rectory for availability.



PENNIES FOR THE POOR

collection will take place **next Sunday, May 19th** at St.

Margaret's. Barrels for your coins will be placed at the doors of the Church. This money goes to the support of P.O.T.S. (**Part of the Solution**) a center in the South Bronx which feeds and helps the poor. *(Please do not wrap your coins!)*



CAR WASH 8th Grade fundraiser in **St. Gabriel's** Schoolyard, **Saturday, May 18th** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Come out and support our students!



ST. MARGARET'S RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

will sponsor a Baby Shower this **Sunday, May 12th** to celebrate the birth of our Spiritually Adopted Babies who will be born this month. Most needed are diapers and baby wipes. Please bring your gift to Church or you may bring your gifts to St. Margaret's Rectory.



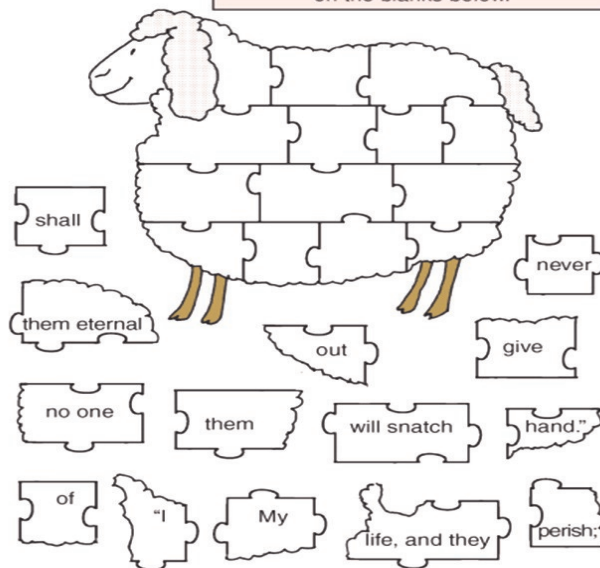
MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS

Mother's Day is this Sunday, May 12th. Masses at St. Margaret's will be offered for all our mothers, living and dead. For those who would like them, **Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards** are available in the vestibule of St. Margaret's Church. Names which are returned to us (leave them in the Rectory or place them in the collection basket), will be placed on Our Lady's Altar for Mother's Day and will remain there for the remainder of the month of May.

CHILDREN'S CORNER:

What did Jesus say next?

Fit the puzzle pieces into the sheep. Write the words in order on the blanks below.



May 12, 2019

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Courtney Amsinger	Dimitrios Anastasiou
Todd Anderson	Irene Anzalone
Georgina Ayra	John Beckley
Louis Ballarin	Iva Boatin
Timothy Breen	Betsy Boruchoff
Joshua Brennan	Tom Brody
Ellen Brown	Ellen Butler
Edward Cleary	Frank Caliendo
Brian Crawford	Michele Cipriano
Mary L. Cronin	Norma Connolly
Thomas & Mary Cronin	Sr. Margaret Coomey
Michael DiRusso	Karen Cunniffe
Patrick Donaghy	Michael Dannucci
Michael Dunne	Patricia & John Doran
Jane Elliott	Aurelia Rodriguez- Flores
Janet Fulcher	Mary Ellen Gibbs
Lydia Gonzalez	Michael Griffin
Bridie A. Gaffney	Michael J. Healy
Donna Gray	Donna Hearla
Frances Hage	Aidan Hernandez
Michele Sanchez Henley	Alina Hernandez
Mary Kelleher	Maura Hurless
Elizabeth Landau	Nora Keegan
Olivia Leroy	Brian Kolterman
Terry Loftus	Jose Lizardi
Louis Marino	Gloria Lotierzo
Thomas McGrath	Jack Marchindo
Darlene McMeekin	Bridie Monaghan
Susan Mercurio	Irene Morgan
Kathryn Merton	Diane Morvillo
Kevin Mullen	Eileen Moynihan
Bill Murphy	Bozena Mul
Jeanne Myers	Caitlin O'Callahan
Arlene O'Callahan	Jean O'Malley
George Orphanides	Bridie O'Sullivan
Sr. Eileen O'Sullivan	Margaret O'Shaughnessy
Brian Phillips	Carmen Perez
Grace & John Rose	Rodolfo Pinzon
Henry Snyder	Angie & Estrella Rivera
Onelia Soto	Katherine & Mary Seanson
Marilyn Spawn	Lorraine Shearn
Leon Staskevicius	Ellen Sherwood
Mary Sullivan	Adelynn Smith
Catherine Tobin	Harlie Smith
Elido Vega	Arlene Viola

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Mary Frances Griffin

MASS INTENTIONS 5/13— 5/19

St. Margaret of Cortona

MONDAY: *Our Lady of Fatima*
8:30 Nat LaMarna
12:00 Daniel Greaney

TUESDAY *St. Matthias, Apostle*
8:30 All mothers living & deceased
12:00 Kathleen Brennan &
Thomas & Katie Gallagher

WEDNESDAY *St. Isidore*
8:30 All mothers living & deceased
12:00 Annie & Daniel Baldwin

THURSDAY
8:30 All mothers living & deceased
12:00 Thomas, Margaret & Patrick Morris

FRIDAY:
8:30 Joan Donofrio
12:00 All mothers living & deceased

SATURDAY:
8:30 All mothers living & deceased

SUNDAY: *Fifth Sunday of Easter*
5:15 PM (Vigil) Michael Cremin
8:00 Peter & Anthony Geoghegan
10:00 Nat LaMarna
12:00 Agnes Collins
5:15 All mothers living & deceased

St. Gabriel

MONDAY: *Our Lady of Fatima*
9:00 Mary Quinn

TUESDAY *St. Matthias, Apostle*
9:00 To Honor the Holy Face of Jesus

WEDNESDAY *St. Isidore*
9:00 Veronica Smyth

THURSDAY
9:00 Robert Quinn

FRIDAY:
9:00 Rice & Owens Families

SUNDAY: *Fifth Sunday of Easter*
5:00 PM (Vigil) Anna Tiedemann
9:30 People of St. Margaret of Cortona
& St. Gabriel
11:30 Ricky Brody