

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church

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St. Catherine of Alexandria Chapel
2202 Hicks Avenue, San Antonio TX 78223

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome! Please register at the church office.

Pastor: Rev. Father Jimmy D. Drennan

Deacons: Gerardo Mechler,, Francisco Lafuente
Candelario Garcia

Retired Deacons: Jose Almanza & Gabriel Rosas

Director of Faith Formation: Linda Rubio

IT Coordinator: Luis Garcia

Director of Music Ministry: Juan Carlos Paz

Pastor's Secretary: Rosa Castillo

Parish Secretaries: Rita Guerrero, Mary Kipp,
Sandy Lopez, Elvia Reyna

Bookkeepers: Gloria Hinojosa, Stella Vela

Maintenance: Ramon Guerra

Activity Center Manager: Ana Marie Guzman
(210) 237-8592

Senior Center Manager: Maria Treviño
(210) 532-4777

St. Vincent de Paul Charitable Assistance:
Tuesday & Thursday, 210 532-6332 /(210) 532-6426

Office Hours

- Mon - Fri: 8:00 AM to 5:45 PM
- Sat - Sun: Closed

Weekend Masses

St. Margaret Mary Parish

- Saturday at 6:00 PM (English)
- Sunday at 8:00 AM (English)
- Sunday at 10:00 AM (Spanish)
- Sunday at 12:00 AM (English)
- Sunday at 6:00 PM (English)

St. Catherine of Alexandria Chapel

- Sunday at 10:00 AM (English)

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

- Saturday at 5:00 PM

Weekday Masses

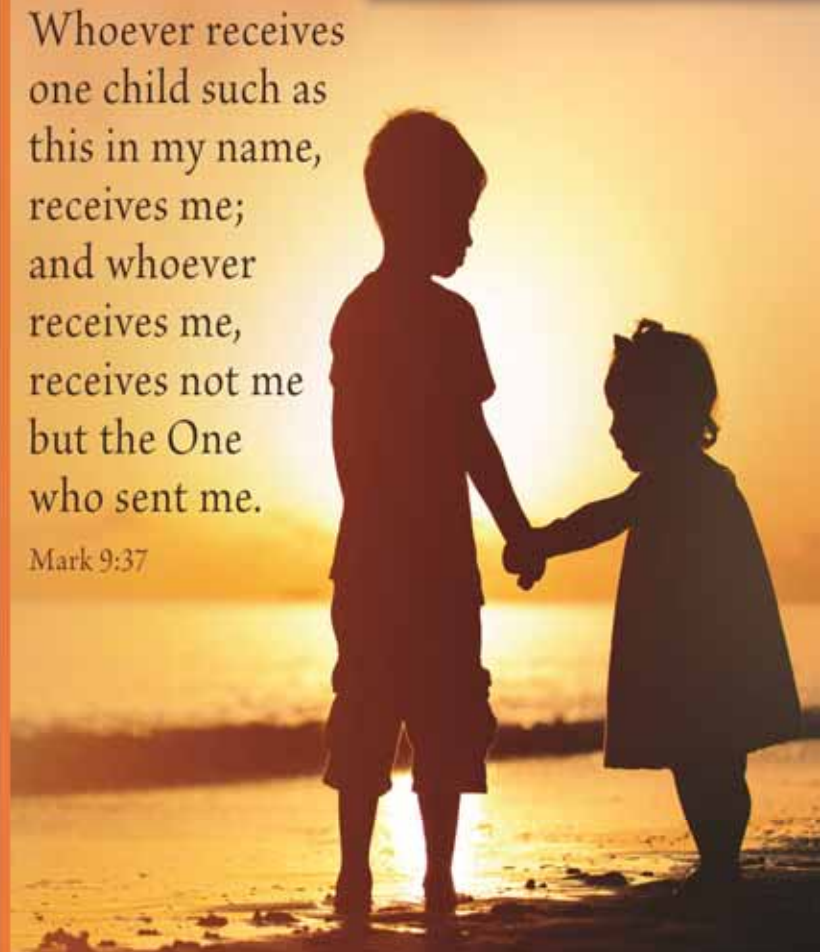
- Mon: 12 PM (Mass)
- Tues: 8 AM (Communion Service)
- Wed: 6 PM (Mass)
- Thurs-Fri: 8 AM (Mass)

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

Whoever receives
one child such as
this in my name,
receives me;
and whoever
receives me,
receives not me
but the One
who sent me.

Mark 9:37



Mass Intentions



SEPTEMBER 24-30, 2018

The Mass intention book is located in the Parish Administration Office. Intentions for person(s) may be entered once per month. Please PRINT CLEARLY! (Letra de imprenta) Intentions may have to be moved if it is necessary to change the Mass Schedule.

Monday, September 24:

12 Noon: †Jose B Sosa
Amelia Ortiz
†Gloria Arriaga
Jesse & Dolores Alvarez
Fidela Ramos
Laura Higgins
Mario Sosa

Tuesday, September 25:

8 AM: Communion Service
Wednesday, September 26:
6 PM: †Cathy Huizar Rae
†Stephen Tarillion
Kelly Smith
Maan Khatib
Raina Donnell
Chad Webb
Charlotte Frey

Thursday, September 27:

8 AM: Dolores Castor
Zenon & Berta Segura
Manuela Alvarez
Demetria Marquez
David Chavarria

Friday, September 28:

8 AM: Jude Ybarra
Mary Coronado
Hilda Robledo
Krystal Blu
Rebeka Ozuna
†Ramon Sandoval
Cheryl Sandoval

Saturday, September 29:

6 PM: Marianna Peeler
Jose Segura Alvarez B-Day
Heather Bunch Smith B-Day
†Juana De Leon
†Ruben Ortiz, Sr.
†Aurelio Orosco
†Romeo Gutierrez
†Amelia Gutierrez
Aurelio Almendares
Pedro Flores
Irene Mermea

Sunday, September 30:

**8 AM, 10AM (Spanish),
10 AM St. Catherine,**
†Camilo & Leonor Munoz
†Dolores G. Munoz
Anna Cruz
David & Misty Vasquez
Sergio & Sylvia Lujan
Rene & Angie Chavez
Pedro & Erica Pena
Arnulfo Reyes
Rene & Frances Garcia
Zandra
Sara G. Torres

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

How long have there been parochial schools in the United States? Longer than you may imagine. The Jesuit fathers opened Saint Mary School in Philadelphia in 1782 in the first light of independence. Catholic and Protestant squabbles about the nature of education forced the Fathers to make this risky and innovative venture in the heart of the city. The school was closed by a devastating fire in 1902, but reopened in 1968 as St. Mary Interparochial School, the first example of a shared parochial school. It is also the only Catholic school within the confines of a national park. This is the "Mother School" of this uniquely American institution. Many parochial schools, especially in "national parishes," were established to preserve the culture and language of the "old country," and also to protect young people from prejudice.

In other countries, Ireland for one, the Church is authorized to run national schools, sometimes under the sponsorship of a parish. In still other places, such as Quebec, publicly-funded "separate schools" were administered by the Church. Wherever the state funds Catholic schools, normally enrollment is guaranteed to all applicants. The Quebec system was dismantled in 1998 when the state decided to reorganize schools along linguistic lines rather than religious affiliation. Parochial schools require considerable sacrifice, but they endure as a distinctive treasure of the Church in the United States.

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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Collection September 15 & 16, 2018: \$6213.60

READINGS FOR THE WEEK- SEPTEMBER 24-30, 2018

Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13;
Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163;
Lk 9:1-6
Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9
Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a;
Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51
Sunday: Nm 11:25-19; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14;
Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF OUR PARISHIONERS
PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF THE SCHEDULE OF
PRIESTS CELEBRATING MASS NEXT WEEKEND.**

Sat. Sept. 29	5:00 PM Confessions	Fr. Jimmy Drennan
Sat. Sept. 29:	6:00 PM Mass	Fr. Jimmy Drennan
Sun. Sept. 30:	8:00 AM	Fr. Jimmy Drennan
Spanish	10:00 AM	Fr. Jimmy Drennan
St. Catherine	10:00 AM	Fr. James Chambers
	12 Noon	Fr. Jimmy Drennan
	6:00 PM	Fr. David Munoz



**WELCOME TO OUR
PARISH FAMILY**

**Richard & JoAnn Castillo
Norma Barenas
Patricia A. Villanueva**

INFANT/CHILD BAPTISMS

**Parents must come for an interview at
the church office on Wednesday,
October 10, 2018 by appointment only.**

Please call the church office, (210)
532-6309 for information on the docu-
ments needed before the interview.

"Apostolate for the Sick"



(Nine day visit with Blessed Mother)

She is a great missionary! She will work miracles!

Blessed Mother will come to you, if you are Battling an illness, being hospitalized or having an upcoming surgery.

Please call Edna Salas @ 210 254-5770 or Wanda Cordaway @ 210 849-8641 for more information.

PARISH FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 21, 2018
at Church Grounds
11:00 AM—8:00 PM



Donations needed:

- ◇ Packs of can soft drinks
- ◇ Bingo prizes (new, \$5 value & up)
- ◇ Plants on the day of the festival
- ◇ Monetary donations for the raffle (\$250 or more)
- ◇ Cakes on the day of the festival.
- ◇ Silent Auction items (\$25 value & up)
- ◇ Rummage sale items needed including clean reusable clothes.
- ◇ Arts & Craft vendors welcome, \$30 per space. Setups will not be provided.

With your help, our festival will be a success.
Thank you.



ROSARY RALLY

Everyone is invited in praying the rosary along with 15,000 Rosary Rallies held across America on **Saturday, October 13, 2018 at 12 PM (noon)** at St. Margaret Mary's parking lot.

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This is to commemorate the 101 Anniversary of the "Miracle of the Sun" performed by Our Lady of Fatima on October 13, 1917.

The power of prayer is very powerful especially when praying together in large groups. For more information, please call Delia Zarate at 210-648-0567.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Thank you to those of you who continue to give to the Capital Campaign. We have been collecting money for the Capital Campaign since 2009 when we did the big renovation and repairs project. Loan amounts were \$1,325,228.00. The money you give to the Capital Campaign goes to paying off the loans. As of June 30, 2018 the balance is approximately \$826,275.00

If you need more envelopes or would like to start giving to the Capital Campaign and would like envelopes, please contact the Rectory at 532-6309.



Covenant OF LOVE



datenight

MONTHLY MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

The Covenant of Love "Date Nights" is a ministry provided to the couples of our parish to help enrich and support Catholic marriages.

Attendees will discover God's plan for marriage, as well as gain practical tools to build a stronger and more joy-filled marriage.

Dinner will be provided, followed by a inspirational speaker and an opportunity to share with other couples and your spouse.

Our First Covenant of Love "Date Night" date and location has changed. We will issue more information at a later date.

Please RSVP by calling the church office or filling out one of our registration forms.

CCD Parent Orientation

Sunday, September 30th

10:30 - 11:00 am
Activity Center

This orientation is for parents who have Children enrolled in St. Margaret Mary's CCD Program

Orientación de Padres

Domingo, 30 Septiembre

8:30 - 9:00 am
Centro de Actividades

Esta orientación es para padres que tienen Hijos en la Doctrina de Sta. Margarita Maria

LEVEL 1 CATECHIST CERTIFICATION

Seeking individuals interested in receiving their Level 1 Catechist certification via a Spanish language class. Date and time to be determined based on interest from our parishes. To sign up please contact Elsa Tijerina, 210-202-1888 or at etijerina4jc@gmail.com.

Bible Study

Please join us as we continue our study of John's writings in Scripture. We will be studying the Epistles, 1 John, 2 John, and 3 John. You will need a Catholic Bible, the Catechism of the Catholic Church and the Collegeville Bible Commentary by Fr. John Lewis, S.J., The Gospel According to John. All of these items may be purchased at Cathedral Church Supplies or from Amazon.

We will meet from 6:30pm to 8:30pm every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month. We meet in room 109 of the Education complex. Everyone is welcome. Please call Pat Tarnowski at 210-532-6413, if you need additional information.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE! CCD REGISTRATION

Requirements to register:

- *Ages 5+
- *Birth Certificate
- *Baptism Certificate (if applicable)

Classes Began

Sunday September 16th

10:00 - 11:30 AM

12:00 PM Mass

Fees:

\$50 per child

****Ask about our CYO Combo****

1st Communion preparation

* Child must be 7 years old by Sept. 1st

* 2 year program

Confirmation Preparation

* Must be 14 years old by Sept. 1st

* 2 year program



Frank G. Lopez
Luis Garcia
Minnie Reyna
Edward Castillo
Petra Aguirre
Maria Cantu
Patricia
Mathuren
Martha Monita
Leonardo Perez
Andrew Janowski
Lucy Perez
Angie Munguia
Billy Mendoza
Leonard Perez
William Keller
Ron Fritz
Rebecca Charles
Rene Pena
Jesus Gomez

Carol Lay
Adolph Guzman
Albert Gonzalez
Margie Almanza
Alice Anaya
Janie Arredondo
Mary L. Esquivel
Hilda Albrecht
Carol Thompson
Julia T. Gamez
Dorothy Felux
Rory Limon
Elida Guzman
Ramiro Chairez
Valentina Garcia
Becky Flores
Raymond Cortez
Mary Rosas
Lencho Lerma
Ronald Brown
Mary De La Garza
Larry Lopez
Manuel Landin
Leonard Perez
Alfred Knippa
Elizabeth Knippa
Mary Paz
Frank Flores
Wanda Stubbe

Erica April Gutierrez
Ana Gomez de Romero Fam.
Rene Gonzalez Family
Linda Dominguez Family
Angelina Moncivais Family
Mary E. Moczygamba
Olivia Santos Family
Maggie Trevino & Family
Edward Lee Hernandez Fam.
Christopher Hall
Virginia de la Zerda
Jerry Drennan (Brother of Fr. Jimmy Drennan)
Beatrice & Kathy Zigmond
Betty Lou Simpson
Lillie Trevino Family
Gloria Martinez
E. Quinones
O'Leary & Janey Cortez
Hondo Cortez
Mary Jane Herrera
Guadalupe Castillo Family
Luke & Zechariah Cavazos
Thomas Julian Cavazos
Leo & Enzo Lopez
Gloria Arriaga Family
Gloria Salsedo
Leticia Garcia
Freddie Arguello
Arnie Francis
Stevie Joe Paez

Note: If your name or the name of your loved one reaches the top of the list and you want to be left on the pray list, just call the church office and we will put you on again.



We extend sympathy to and hold in our hearts the families of our parishioners who died:

Mr. Guadalupe Castillo
Josephine C. Flores
Faustino Montoya

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of non-perishable food items to replenish their food pantry. Their office hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 11 AM. Your generosity will help our parishioners in need.

SPANISH PRAYER GROUP

St. Catherine Chapel located at 2202 Hicks Ave. on Tuesdays @ 7:00 PM. Everyone is welcome. For questions, contact Cristina Casiano at (210) 268-5466.



JOIN US ON FACEBOOK AND YOUTUBE
Come Like and follow us on our new Facebook page



@stmargaretmarysa. Look for our Facebook Live mass broadcast. Check out our YouTube Channel as well.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, 9/30/18 CCD Parent Orientation Act. Ctr. 10:30-11am
Friday, 10/5/18 Mass & Anointing of the Sick 12:15pm
Saturday, 10/13/18 Rosary Rally 12noon
Thurs-Sun, 10-/18-21/18 St. MM Men's ACTS Retreat
Sunday, 10/21/18 Parish Festival 11 AM—8 PM

ST MARGARET MARY MEN'S ACTS

We would like to extend an invitation to all men to attend a spirit filled retreat, Oct 18-21st at Cordi Marian retreat center. If you feel it in your heart ...contact Daniel Hernandez, 210-365-7297, Chris Wieneke 210-269-0074 or Ric Espinoza 210-589-0458. Cost of retreat \$160.00.

ALTAR FLOWERS

SEPTEMBER 22-23, 2018:

The Altar Society would like to thank Irma Lara for the generous donation for altar flowers for Aunt Carrie Gonzales and Uncle Joe Gonzales.

If you would like to make a donation for an altar flower arrangement in memory of a loved one or any other occasion, please contact Olga Terrazas at (210) 602-6117.

Mass & Anointing of the Sick
Friday, October 5, 2018
@ 12:15 PM in Church.

Ceramic Painting Class for Teens & Adults

Ceramic makes an excellent gift for family and friends

Come as a group;
Create memories.



For more information contact:
Dora Sanchez at (210) 887-7448.

**NO ES MUY TARDE
REGISTRACIÓN CATECISMO**

Requisitos: *Edad 5 +
*Acta de Nacimiento
*Fe de Bautizo

Cuota - \$50 - 1er estudiante
clases comenzaron
Domingo, 16 de Septiembre
8:00 - 9:30 AM
Misa de 10:00 AM
** Informese de CYO **

1era Comunión

*Cumplidos 7 años el 1ero de Septiembre

*2 años de preparación

Confirmación

*Cumplidos 14 años el 1ero de Septiembre

*2 años de preparación

Estas interesada en ser Catequista???

Comunicarse con Linda Rubio al 532-6309 para más detalles.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN EN ESPAÑOL

**Capilla de Santa Catarina, 2202 Hicks Ave.
Los martes a las 7:00PM.**

TODOS BIENVENIDOS. Si requiere mayor información, comunicarse con Cristina Casiano al (210) 268-5466.

**FESTIVAL PARROQUIAL
21 de octubre de 2018**

Puede parecer demasiado temprano, pero el festival estará aquí antes de que te des cuenta.

Las donaciones necesarias son:

- Latas de coke, sprite, big red, etc
- Premios de bingo (nuevos, valor de \$5 o más)
- Plantas en el día del festival
- Donaciones monetarias para la rifa (\$250 o mas)
- Pasteles en el día del festival.
- Artículos de subasta silenciosa (valor de \$25 o más)
- Los vendedores de Arts & Crafts son bienvenidos, \$ 30 por espacio. No se proporcionarán configuraciones.



Con tu ayuda, nuestro festival será un éxito.

SEPTIEMBRE INFANTIL/INFANTILES BAUTISMOS

Los padres deben venir para una entrevista en la oficina de la iglesia el miércoles 10 de octubre de 2018. Solo por cita.

Por favor llame a la oficina de la iglesia, (210)532-6309 para obtener información sobre los documentos necesarios antes de la entrevista.

CAMPANA DE CAPITAL

Gracias a aquellos de ustedes que continúan dando a la campaña de capital. Hemos estado recolectando dinero para la campaña de capital desde 2009 cuando hicimos el gran proyecto de renovación y reparaciones. Los montos del préstamo fueron \$1.325.228,00. El dinero que le das a la campaña de capital va a pagar los préstamos. A partir del 30 de junio de 2018 el saldo es de aproximadamente \$826.275,00.

Si usted necesita más sobres o le gustaría empezar a dar a la campaña de capital y quisiera sobres, por favor haga contacto con la oficina al 210- 532-6309.

REMINDER

When you make a donation to the church, not using tithing envelopes with your account number, please remember to include your **name and address** on the envelope you are using. If you receive tithing envelopes in the mail, please do not forget to use them.

CLASE DE BIBLIA EN ESPAÑOL

La parroquia de Santa Margarita María ofrece una clase de Biblia en español los lunes a las 7:00 pm en el salón 109 del Centro de Educación. Este año estaremos repasando el evangelio según San Marcos siguiendo al año litúrgico. Todos están invitados. Traigan su Biblia si la tienen. Si requieren mayores informes, ponerse en contacto con Hugo Sapién al 210-922-1849 o a hasapien@gmail.com. ¡Los esperamos!