



# First Sunday of **LENT**

March 10, 2019

Jesus said to the devil,  
“You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test.”

*Luke 4:12*



**St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church**

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**St. Catherine of Alexandria Chapel**

2202 Hicks Avenue, San Antonio , TX 78223

**Pastor:** Rev. Father Jimmy D. Drennan

**Deacons:** Gerardo Mechler, Francisco Lafuente  
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(210) 237-8592

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**St. Vincent de Paul Charitable Assistance:**  
9am — 11am Tuesday & Thursday  
210 532-6332

**Meals on Wheels:** 9am — 11am  
Monday thru Friday 210 532-6309

**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 NOON (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 NOON (Mass)
- Tues: 8 AM (Communion Service)
- Wed: 6 PM ( Mass)
- Thurs-Fri: 8 AM (Mass)

**Last Wednesday of Month: Mass | Adoration with Praise and Worship | Starts at 6 PM**

**For the convenience of our parishioners. Please make note of the schedule of priests celebrating mass next weekend**

Sat. Mar. 16:	5:00 PM Confessions
Sat. Mar. 16:	6:00 PM Mass
Sun. Mar. 17:	8:00 AM Mass
Spanish	10:00 AM Mass
St. Catherine	10:00 AM Mass
	12 Noon Mass
	6:00 PM Mass

Fr. Jimmy Drennan
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Fr. David Munoz
Fr. Jimmy Drennan
Fr. James Galvin
Fr. Alfredo Basualdo

Mass Intentions



**MARCH 11-17, 2019**

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, March 11:**

**12 Noon:** †Jose B. Sosa  
†Carol Kotzur  
†Ramiro Vielma  
Choncita Urias, B-day

**Tuesday, March 12:**

**8 AM: Communion Service**

**Wednesday, March 13:**

**6 PM** St. MM Parishioners

**Thursday, March 14:**

**8 AM:** †Cecelia Gawlik  
Abbie Moy, B-day  
†Lorenzo Palacios

**Friday, March 15:**

**8 AM:** For World Peace

**Saturday, March 16:**

**6 PM:** †Jose Francisco Hernandez

**Sunday, March 17:**

**8 AM, 10 AM (Spanish),  
10 AM St. Catherine,  
12 NOON and 6 PM**

†Joaquina Rodarte  
†Regina Lashley  
†Jose Miranda  
†Benita Miranda  
†Jose Gonzales  
†Miguel Angel Valadez  
†Dario Chapa  
†Fisher Woodchick  
†Altagracia De La O  
†Lola & Alberto Ruiz  
†Rosaillo Ruiz

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 11-17, 2019**

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46  
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15  
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32  
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12  
Friday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19  
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48  
Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36

**ANNUAL 40 CANS FOR LENT**

"Brothers and Sisters, St. Margaret Mary and St. Catherine Churches will start the annual 40 Cans for Lent Food Drive to help our St. Vincent de Paul Ministry on Ash Wednesday. We can use any canned goods and dry packaged items. Please think about setting up a donation box where you work or start a food drive at your school to help those in need in our community. We need packaged spaghetti, beans, rice, mac and cheese, breakfast cereals and other sopas and pasta's that go a long way to fill hungry bellies." Boxes will be available in the back of the church.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Often, when a family keeps vigil around a person who is preparing for death, they may notice three interwoven activities. First, the dying person may become more prayerful and reflective than ever before, reviewing life's journey in gratitude to God, or seeking forgiveness and making amends for wrongs. Second, as death approaches, the need to eat and drink is lessened until even an ice cube brushed against the lips is satisfying. Third, persons who are dying often make plans to give their possessions away, making bequests, handing treasures down, providing for favorite charities.

Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving: with these three "pillars" of Lent, we rehearse our death every year in this season, and anticipate the final work we will do in this life. And every year, at the end of our journey, is the joy of Easter and the experience of the victory of Christ over death's darkness and power. Annually, we remind ourselves that the Christian experiences the same power and presence at the end of life's journey: Christ to the rescue and the lasting joy of heaven.

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**STEWARDSHIP**

**Collection March 2 & 3, 2019: \$ 8,790.34**

The second collection this weekend is for the Catholic Missions among the Black and the Native Americans.

**ANNOUNCEMENT/ANUNCIOS**

During Lent, we will have a moment of silence after the homily and after communion at all the Masses.

Durante la Cuaresma, tendremos un momento de silencio despues de la homilia y communion en todas las misas.



**OPERATION RICE BOWL**

Catholic Relief Services' Operation Rice Bowl. Throughout Lent we will pray, fast, learn and give as a way to reach out in solidarity with our brothers and sisters around the world to fight global hunger. Please be sure to take home a Rice Bowl packet and follow the simple yet powerful Lenten practice. Rice Bowls will be issued on Ash Wednesday and collected on Easter Sunday.



# ST. MARGARET MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

**\$8.50** Fish Lunch  
or Dinner

( 2 pcs of fish, hushpuppies,  
White Rice, Green Beans & Bread )

*Dine In or Take Out*

Accepting additional donations!

Where: **Parish Cafeteria**  
1314 Fair Avenue  
San Antonio, TX 78223

Time: **11 - 7 pm**

*Soft Drinks & Desserts  
will also be available*



### Upcoming Fish Fry Fridays

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| March 15, 2019 | April 5, 2019  |
| March 22, 2019 | April 12, 2019 |
| March 29, 2019 | April 19, 2019 |

## EASTER LILIES LIRIOS DE PASCUA



The Altar Society is now accepting monetary donations for Easter Lilies. If you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one or for any special occasion, please use the envelope in the back of the church. The envelope may be dropped in the collection basket at church or dropped off at the church office. We appreciate all donations. Thank you so very much for your generosity. If you have any questions, please call Ms. Rory Limon at (210) 701-2245. God Bless!

La Sociedad del Altar está aceptando donaciones monetarias para lirios de pascua. Si desea hacer una donación en memoria de un ser querido o para cualquier ocasión especial, utilice el sobre que se encuentra en la parte posterior de la iglesia. El sobre puede ser dejado en la canasta de recolección en la iglesia o en la oficina de la iglesia. Agradecemos todas las donaciones. Muchas gracias por su generosidad. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la Sra. Rory Limon al (210) 701-2245. ¡Dios bendiga!

## Come Join the Senior Nutrition Program at St. Margaret Mary in Activity Center

**Senior Center Hours of Operation**  
Monday-Friday - 8:00am-12:30 pm, Closed Holidays

Ofrecemos almuerzo diario- una comida equilibrada nutricionalmente. Nos asociamos con el Banco de Alimentos de San Antonio para proporcionar alimentos suplementarios para personas mayores de bajos ingresos:

We provide lunch daily- a nutritionally balanced meal. We partner with the San Antonio Food Bank to provide supplementary groceries for low-income seniors:

- ◇ Project H.O.P.E. (Healthy Options for Elderly Program)
- ◇ Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CFSP)
- ◇ Bingo/Loteria, Line Dancing, Celebrations
- ◇ Trips to Kickapoo Senior Day, City Events for Seniors

**There is no charge for these services.**

**ENROLLMENT: Adults 60+ years of age; Please bring: ID, Social Security Award Letter, Current Bank Statement. Our Senior Program Director will help you register and access all of the resources available to you!**

Adultos mayores de 60 años; Por favor traiga: identificación, carta de adjudicación **del Seguro Social, extracto bancario actual. ¡Nuestro Director Senior de Programas lo ayudará a registrarse y acceder a todos los recursos disponibles para usted!**

SUNDAY, MARCH 24th 2019  
8:00AM-3:00PM

The Prayer Group is doing this fundraiser selling tacos for Breakfast, after the 8am mass, BBQ Chicken Plate, after the masses of 10am and 12pm. We will also have a mini yard sale of used items.

On Sunday, March 24, if you have something you want to donate, you can bring your donations on Saturday the 23rd at 6pm in the cafeteria breezeway. We would like to thank you with all our heart!

El Grupo de Oracion esta realizando esta recaudación: venta de tacos para el almuerzo, despues de la misa de 8am, venta de platillos de pollo asado, despues de las misas de 10am y 12pm.

Ademas tendremos una mini pulga de articulos usados. El domingo 24 de marzo, si tienes algo que quieras donar, puedes traer tus donaciones el sabado 23 a las 6pm en camino de brisa Telo agradecemos con todo nuestro corazon!



**BAUTISMOS INFANTILES  
INFANT-CHILD BAPTISMS**

**Next baptism/Proximo bautismos  
April 28, 2019**

**No Baptisms during Lent  
No hay bautismos durante Cuaresma**

**Lenten Retreat for Ladies/Women**

**Register now** and give yourself the gift of an afternoon/evening of prayer, reflection and adoration. Take time to deepen your relationship with God during this Holy Season of Lent.

**Date:** Sunday, March 24, 2019

**Time:** 1:30—5:30 PM

**Venue:** Sisters of the Holy Spirit Convent,  
300 Yucca Street, SATX 78203

**Contact:** Sister Miriam Mitchell, S.H.Sp.

**Phone:** (210) 912-0406

**Email:** [sistermiriam.mitchell@shsp.org](mailto:sistermiriam.mitchell@shsp.org)

**GEVERS HALL:** If anyone is interested in booking Gevers Hall for baby showers, birthday parties, etc., please contact the church office at 532-6309.



**Adult Confirmation Classes**

\$50 registration fee  
Stop by the church office to pick up a registration form.

**\*Items needed to register\***

- ◇ Birth Certificate
- ◇ Baptism & Communion Certificates
- ◇ Sponsor (aka godparent)

Classes run March 17 through June 16, 2019  
For approx. 10 weeks every Sunday 10am-11:30am  
**REGISTER NOW!!**

**One Day Revival for Men**

**One Day Men's Revival at the Lake**  
**A faith renewal with scripture, fellowship.**  
Breakfast & Lunch provided

**Date:** Sunday, March 30, 2019

**Time:** 7:30—4:00 PM

**Meet Up :** St. Margaret Mary  
1314 Fair Avenue, SATX 78223

**Contact Directors for more info:**

**David Martinez or Danny Hernandez**

**Phone: (210) 585-0180 or (210) 365-7297**



## God's Gift Of Forgiveness

Fr. Jimmy Drennan & Fr. David Muñoz, OMI

**April 8th, 7pm**  
Fr. Jimmy Drennan

**St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church**

**April 9th, 7pm**  
Fr. David Muñoz, OMI

1314 Fair Ave. 78223, SA, Tx

**April 10th, 6pm**  
**MASS**  
**Followed by:**  
**PENANCE SERVICE, 7pm**



For more information call 210-532-6309  
[www.stmmcc.org](http://www.stmmcc.org)



Sandra Ramos  
Annabel Castro  
Cindy Velez  
Maribel Martinez  
Gloria Salsedo  
Angela Jimenez  
Rosie Pacheco  
Sherrie Herchey  
Juanita Huerta  
Jessica Preciado  
Tom Hernandez  
Valentina Garcia  
Erica Gutierrez  
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Beatrice Abrego  
Frank Lopez  
Hilda Alfrey  
Minnie Reyna  
John Flatten  
William Martinez  
Rudy M.  
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Cameron Martin  
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Alaina Garza  
Naomi Cavazos  
Greg Zamora  
John Bonilla  
Mildred Murray  
Linda N. Cazares  
Wande Stubbe  
Frank Flores  
Laura Lopez  
Silvia Bonilla  
Ronald Brown  
Lisa Miller  
Arnie Francis  
Miguel Estrada  
Carol Thompson  
Joe & Janie Garza  
Yvette Villa  
Raymond Cortez  
Frank Hernandez  
Trisha Castillo  
Mary Rosas  
R.M.  
Richard Lawson  
Salvador Gonzalez  
Cindy Gonzalez

Jacob Gonzalez  
Julie Martinez & Family  
Trisha Muñoz Alonzo  
Mark Sutherland-Trevino  
Gilberto De Los Santos  
Baby Ashton Moreno  
María Isabel Garcia  
Tom & Dora Hernandez  
Leonardo Perez & Family  
Adeline (Vi) Wagenfehr  
Christopher & Erica Hall  
Cristianne Scheel  
Manuel Gonzales, III  
Phillip Luis Maldonado  
Alejandra Smith  
Roy Cardona  
Rose Knippa & Preston  
Alejandro (Alex) Rodriguez  
Joe & Janie Garza  
Randy & Martha Lavender  
Alfred & Elizabeth Knippa  
Virginia de la Zerda  
Jerry Drennan (Brother of  
Fr. Jimmy Drennan)  
Beatrice & Kathy Zigmund  
Mary Louise Adkisson  
Rebecca & Robert Martinez  
O'Leary & Janie Cortez  
Florence Pintor  
Cristine & Jeremy Buck  
Ramon & Gloria Borrego  
Richard Rodriguez

**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.**

**Save the Date! On Tuesday, March 26, 2019** Catholics from across the Lone Star State, under the leadership of our Bishops, will unite for the 2019 Texas Catholic Advocacy Day in Austin. Advocacy Days is an opportunity for Catholics around the state to participate in the political process by voicing the concerns of the people of God. Participants are invited to visit the State Capitol to pray, rally, advocate and be witnesses to our faith as we promote our Legislative Concerns regarding the life and dignity of the people of Texas. If you are interested in participating in Catholic Advocacy Day visit the website at [www.archsa.org/Advocacy-day](http://www.archsa.org/Advocacy-day).

**CLASE DE BIBLIA EN ESPAÑOL**

La Parroquia de Santa Margarita María ofrece un estudio de la biblia en español. Las clases son a las 7:00 pm en el salón 109 del centro de educación de la parroquia. Si requiere más informes, comuníquese con Hugo Sapién al 210 922 1849 o por email a [hasapien@gmail.com](mailto:hasapien@gmail.com).  
11 DE MARZO NO TENDREMOS CLASE.

**OPERACIÓN TAZONES DE ARROZ**

Se le invita a participar en los Servicios Católicos de Socorro' funcionamiento Cuenco de Arroz. A lo largo de la cuaresma vamos a ayudar, orar, aprender y dar como un modo de alcanzar en solidaridad con nuestros hermanos y hermanas de todo el mundo para combatir el hambre mundial. Por favor, asegúrese de tener en casa un Cuenco de Arroz paquete y siga el sencillo pero potente práctica cuaresmal. Tazones de arroz serán recogidos el Domingo de Pascua.

**ANUAL 40 LATAS PARA LA CUARESMA**

"Hermanos y hermanas, las Iglesias Santa Margarita María y Santa Catarina comenzarán el anual 40 latas de comida para la Cuaresma el Miércoles de Ceniza para ayudar a nuestro ministerio de San Vicente de Paúl. Podemos utilizar cualquier producto enlatados y secos envasados, por favor piense en configurar un cuadro de donación donde trabajas o iniciar una unidad alimentaria en su escuela para ayudar a los necesitados en nuestra comunidad. Cajas estarán disponibles en la parte posterior de la iglesia.

**"DISCIPULOS EN LA JORNADA 2019 "**

Una vez más como cada año, se invita a la comunidad de esta parroquia a caminar con Jesús esta Cuaresma los martes de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. en la capilla de Sta. Catarina ubicada en el 2202 Hicks Ave. Nuestra primer jornada será el martes 5 de marzo. Como guía para este peregrinaje de conversión utilizaremos el folleto "Discipulos en la Jornada". Estos folletos estarán a la venta en la puerta de la capilla con un costo de \$3.50. Las sesiones serán en español. Si tienen alguna pregunta o requieren mayor información, llamar a Cristina al 210 (268-5466). Bienvenidos todos los que quieran caminar con Jesús durante esta Cuaresma. ¡Los esperamos!

**Drivers Needed for Meals on Wheels  
Delivery Time: 10:00 –11:00 am  
One day a Week  
Call Church Office to Volunteer.  
(210) 532-6309**

EJERCICIOS ESPIRITUALES

# CUARESMA 2019

TRAYENDO DESDE MONTERREY, MX. AL

## PADRE "JUANJO" MARTINEZ



Conductor por 14 años del Programa de Televisa: "Hablando derecho"

Conferencista en temas de: Familia y Juventud

Vicario Episcopal y Director de Comunicacion del Arzobispado



### Virtudes - Penitencia - Conversion

**MARZO 25, 7pm**

Platicas y Reflexiones

**St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church**

**MARZO 26, 7pm**

Platicas y Reflexiones

1314 Fair Ave. 78223, SA, Tx

**MARZO 27, 6pm**

Misa 6pm

Adoracion y Alabanza 7pm

