

# ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

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Custodian: Jim Lamers



## Thanksgiving

For wealth and plenty in the land,  
For faith in God's sustaining hand,  
For every blessing great and small  
We thank the giver of it all.



**Tuesday Oct. 10th**

12:05pm +Stephen Bradshaw  
Requested by Sharron & family

**Wednesday Oct. 11th**

**Saint John XXIII, Pope**  
12:05pm +Julia, Reg & Rheel  
Requested by Marie & Peter Lacroix

**Thursday Oct 12th**

12:05 pm For the Intentions of Peter & Marie Lacroix  
Requested Sharron Bradshaw

**Friday Oct.13th**

11am – Holy Hour  
12:05 pm Special Intentions for Healing  
For Karen Keays  
Requested by Bernadette & Lorraine

**Saturday Oct.14th**

**Our Lady of the Rosary**  
10:00 am Special Intentions for the Healing  
Of Paul Maguire  
Requested by Charles & Dolores Maguire

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Vigil Mass – Saturday Oct, 14th**

**St. Callistus ,Pope and Martyr , BVM**  
5 pm +Andrew Lavigne  
Requested by Bill Lavigne

**Sunday – Oct.15th**

9am + Mass for the People  
11:30 am+ David Melnichak  
Requested by Bill Lavigne



**The Pope’s Prayer Intention for October**

*For the Synod*

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

**Children’s Liturgy Returns!**

Children’s Liturgy will begin running again at the 9am mass on October 15th. Children in kindergarten through grade 2 will be presented with the gospel message at their level and return to their families at offertory. Younger children are also welcome when accompanied by an adult.

**2023-24 First Reconciliation & First Communion Classes**

All the sacraments of the church are a celebration and an extension of the Catholic community. If your child is currently in Grade Two, it is time to consider the next steps in their faith journey.

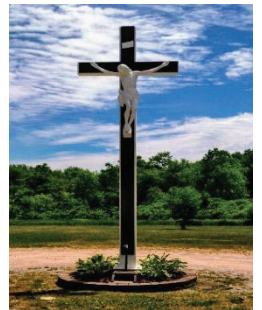
Registration forms for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion preparation program are available at the parish office and at [stmargaretsmi.archtoronto.org](http://stmargaretsmi.archtoronto.org) under the “About Us” tab.

**Enrollment Masses: Sat. Oct. 28 at 5 PM and Sun. Oct. 29 at 11:30 AM**

**Registration deadline is Tues. Oct. 31, 2023.**

**Fall Cemetery Cleaning**

Thank you to all the parishioners who help keep our cemetery beautiful. It is time to prepare for fall and winter while the weather is still warm. Water will be available until October 15th 2023, and we will be closing the gate upon snowfall.



We kindly ask that all summer decorations be removed by October 15th, and consider placing a winter wreath that will withstand the winter winds and weather. Our Cemetery Coordinator, Rose Ladouceur is happy to assist you with monument and plot purchases through the winter before the 2024 rates come into effect January 1st.

**Thank you from St. Margaret’s Cemetery.**

*Serving our community of faith with compassion*



OCTOBER 8, 2023

### School Masses at St. Margaret's

If you would like to help sponsor the bussing costs associated with bringing the school community to Mass, please contact Juanita at the Parish Office 705-526-6313 or [stmargaretsmi@archtoronto.org](mailto:stmargaretsmi@archtoronto.org)

***Together we are building a strong family-church-school community!***

### R.C.I.A. ADULT CATECHISM

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), restored following the Second Vatican Council, is the normative way for adults to prepare for baptism. The program will begin later this fall. This course is also intended for other baptized Christians who are considering entering into full communion with the Catholic Church or those who were baptized Catholic but never confirmed. For more information, please call the office 705-526-6313 ext. 1

### C.W.L. NEWS

Our next meeting is Monday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. It will be a food drive for St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please give generously, thank you!

#### St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive

Please give generously to our Thanksgiving food drive and feed local families. Thank you!!

### Your Family of Faith Fund at Work!

Thanks to your generosity, we have been able to install new windows in the office and rectory. Now we need to put new blinds up. The cost of this new project is approximately \$6,500.

### 2023 Women Together Retreat

Queen Of Apostles Renewal Centre invites all women to come for a time of renewal and reflection facilitated by Anne Hales and Questa Fernandes. Refreshments and a hot lunch are included and the retreat concludes with Mass.

Wednesday October 25, 2023 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.  
Cost \$45.00

Contact the QOA Office at 905-278-5229 or email [office@qoa.ca](mailto:office@qoa.ca) to register.



*Daughters of Isabella*

*Christmas Luncheon & Bazaar*

**Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>**

**11:00am – 1:00pm**

Bake sale ~ Crafts ~ 50/50 Draws & More

Admission: Free ~ Lunch: \$8.00 per person

Knights of Columbus Hall, 17 Poyntz St., Penetang.

*In Unity, Friendship & Charity*

*Please join us for*

### **St. Margaret's Oktoberfest Celebration**

Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023  
Following the 5pm Mass

Inviting all parishioners to a Family-Friendly dinner party in the Parish Hall.

*More details to follow!*



### **Please remember the following people in your**

**prayers:** Karen Keays, Vincentia Bee, Bob Dorion, Carol Quesnelle, Janice Lizottte, Barrett Smith, Alex Latondress, Malachy Maguire; Nick Tardif, Lynda Stanek; Lloyd Leroux; Mary Fletcher; Sherry Archer; Abigail Brown; Romelda Morson; Nicole Marchildon; Stephen Roach; Lilah Bates; Shelley Smith; Nadine Adams; Peter Pattenaude; Bob Kokron; Brenda Bylow; John Jerome; Marshal Laurin

**Please pray for our recently deceased relatives and friends:** Aline Jessome, Mary MacLeod, Peter Kiernan, and John Dusome

*Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever!*

*-Psalm 107:1*

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