



# **St. Margaret of Scotland**

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## **January 12, 2020**

# **BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

Rev. Donald Eruaga, M.S.P.  
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School Principal

Mrs. Kelly Florek  
Operations Director

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Parish Secretary

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### **Sunday Masses**

Saturday evening: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

### **Daily Masses**

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m.

### **Reconciliation (Confession)**

Saturdays, 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Every Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Benediction, 10:00 a.m. All are invited.  
Please sign the book provided in the Church

### **Baptisms**

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated monthly immediately following Mass. Baptisms are also celebrated as part of Sunday Mass when requested. Celebrating Baptism at Mass is encouraged.

### **Weddings**

Weddings are a special part of the sacramental life at Saint Margaret of Scotland. We welcome couples in Saint Margaret of Scotland to celebrate their wedding in our parish church. Please contact the pastor to discuss this matter and schedule a date.

### **Funeral Arrangements**

Our prayers go out to all who have lost loved ones. Please contact the Parish Office at (773)779-5151 to set up an appointment with our Bereavement Committee.

Those considering membership in the Catholic Community of Saint Margaret of Scotland Parish are asked to fill out and return the yellow registration form located in the center pews. It would be a privilege to welcome you into our faith family.

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, January 11, 2020

4:30 p.m. — Deacon Jimmie Flewollen (†)  
Jerry Jaterka

### Sunday, January 12, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Rev. Charles Payne (†)

11:00 a.m. — For the People of St. Margaret of Scotland

### Monday, January 13, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Rob Murphy

### Tuesday, January 14, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Special Intentions

### Wednesday, January 15, 2020

8:30 a.m. — The Holan Family (Living & Deceased) (David)

### Thursday, January 16, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Dr. Marcus Ahmed (†)

### Friday, January 17, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Ear T. McKay, Sr. (†)

### Saturday, January 18, 2020

4:30 p.m. — Helen Dillon (†) (Dillon Family)

### Sunday, January 19, 2020

8:30 a.m. — Chuck & Betty Oswald & Family (60th  
Wedding Anniversary) (Larry & Ann-Marie  
Oswald & Family)

11:00 a.m. — For the People of St. Margaret of Scotland

## OUR ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

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THEM KNOW YOU APPRECIATE THEIR SUPPORT OF  
OUR BULLETIN.**

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### **January 11: 4:30 p.m. —**

*Cantor:* Lauren Jeschke

*Lectors:* Emelita Davis Eric Dunham

*Greeters/Hospitality:* Deborah A. Woods

*Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:*

Stanley Rodrigue Deborah Woods Missy Wright

*Ushers:* Spencer Banks James Cain C. Ward

### **January 12: 8:30 a.m. —**

*Cantor:* Diane Atkinson

*Lectors:* Judith Odo Antoinette Thomas

*Greeters Hospitality:* Phylliss Konczal LaMonica Scott

*Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:*

Rodney Brewer Donna Clark Felicia Eagan

*Ushers:* Don Atkinson Terry Coughlan

Wylie McCarroll Charles Thompson

### **January 12: 11:00 a.m. —**

*Lectors:* Ernest Blouin Richard Gardner, Sr.

*Greeters/Hospitality:* Helen Newell Mirl Simmons

*Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:*

Leon Nevill LaMonica Scott Dewetts Thompson

*Ushers:* Jerome Bell Thomas J. Miles, Jr.

Phillip Sanders Philip Smith Dr. Richard Gardner

## SAVE THE DATE!

February 29th, St. Patrick's Day Party

**Please remember us in your will.** We encourage you to remember St. Margaret of Scotland in your Last Will and Testament. It is a wonderful way to help ensure that the many good works of your parish keep becoming realities. Thank you for your generosity!

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Budgeted Collection \$7,260.00

Sunday & Holy Day Collection December 29, \$8,105.90

Year-to-Date Weekly Collection **Deficit**

**Thank You for Your Generosity!**

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

*Curtis Perry, Leon Nevill, Beatrice Van Cleave, Kathy Glenn, Jean Collins, Sharon Urbon, Delois McKay, Beatrice O'Connell, Rita Harth, Angela Williams, Robert and Ruby Cush-inberry, Tessa Gaines, Patricia Jalivay, Talia Farrell, Leonard Smith, Jerry Jaterka, TeTe Tambah, Josea Lopez, Candace El-lison-Morgan, Picola Jordan, Claudia Knight, Delores Brevard, Minnie Lassai, Julinda Scott, Sharran Y. Winchester, Penny Knight, Vernon Hoskins, Janice Brewster, Metra President, Thomas Wells, Ron Lewis, Bob Hallberg, Rob Murphy, Glinda Scott, Myrna Escalante, Marcia Kilpatrick, Phillis Konczal, Anita Thornton, Mattie Stockholm, Earl Hamilton, Esther Hamilton, Ronald Marble, Yvonne Bell, Thelma Farley, Raymond Woodfox, Cora Johnson, Carl Flagg, Joan Brewster, and Sammie Coleman.*

**Please notify the Parish Office if a name should  
be removed from our Prayer List.**

## THIS WEEK AT SMOS

### **Wednesday, January 15,**

Bible Study, 11:00 a.m., Meeting Room 1

Choir Rehearsal, 3:30 p.m.

Gospel Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m.

### **Friday, January 17,**

Food Pantry Restock, 10:00 a.m. —  
12:00 p.m.

### **Saturday, January 18,**

Religious Education, 9:00 a.m., East  
Sacristy

Food Pantry, 10:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

AA Meeting, 10:00 a.m., Meeting  
Room 1

Knight of Peter Claver Ladies,  
12:00 p.m., Meeting Room 1

### **Sunday, January 19,**

Rosary, 8:00 a.m.

St. Vincent de Paul, 9:45 a.m., Meeting  
Room 1

## REFLECTIONS

### Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

<b>Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7</b>	Here is my servant.
<b>Psalms 29</b>	“The Lord will bless His people with peace.”
<b>Acts 10:34-38</b>	God anointed Jesus with the Holy Spirit and power.
<b>Matthew 3:13-17</b>	The Spirit of God descends like a dove.

The Son of God is gradually revealed to the world. Isaiah speaks of the servant of the LORD who brings justice and compassion. Peter preaches to a group of Gentiles, telling them that God was with Jesus as he brought hope and healing to all people. Finally, we hear the Father's voice from the heavens at Jesus' baptism: "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." May we see Him revealed today in the Word, in the Eucharist, and in each other.

### ONE MINUTE MEDITATION

**St. Thomas Aquinas:** Against his family's wishes, St. Thomas Aquinas joined the newly founded Dominican Order of Preachers. A brilliant, humble scholar, he taught theology at universities in Paris, Cologne, and Rome, and advised popes, kings, and students. His greatest achievement was his *Summa Theologica*, a thorough, logical, concise treatise on the faith. Exhausted by constant work and travel, St. Thomas collapsed en route to a Church council and died at Fossanova. He is the patron of students and schools.

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Are we open to seeing the Holy Spirit acting through unexpected people or guiding us in unexpected ways?

### SHED BAD HABITS IN THE NEW YEAR (Continued)

**Eliminate triggers.** Make it easier to cure bad habits by avoiding the conditions that nurture them. Do you want to avoid eating junk food? Don't have it around you at home or at work. Want to change a gossip habit? Avoid the people with whom you gossip. Change your environment to change your behavior. **Find good influences.** It may not be necessary to lose your old friends, but consider finding new ones who already live the way you want to live.

### FEAST & CELEBRATION

**Jan. 12 – The Baptism of the Lord (1st century).** Jesus began His public ministry by getting baptized by St. John the Baptist. Jesus was free of sin, but He allowed Himself to be baptized in order to “fulfill all righteousness” (Matthew 3:15). By His baptism, Jesus declared His willingness to fulfill God's saving plan.

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