

Saint Margaret Parish
Saugus - North Revere Massachusetts
October 14, 2007
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint Margaret Parish Choir
Pilgrimage to Italy

September 24 - October 4, 2007
Saint Peter's Basilica
Vatican City

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Saugus ~ North Revere, Massachusetts

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Mass Schedule: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m.

Saturday 4:00 ~ 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 ~ 10:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 ~ 3:45 p.m. and by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Father George E. Morin, Pastor

Mid-week Assistance Father Donald Skerry, SVD

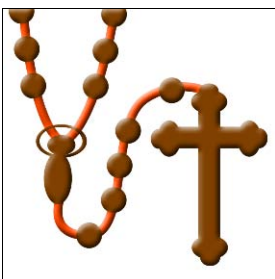
Weekend Assistance Father Lawrence Wetterholm - Father Vincent Cornejo



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

On Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. join us for all or part of this time of prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. At 7:00 p.m. those present participate in the recitation of the **Rosary**. Come, pray the Rosary and stay for all or part of that special

weekly time of prayer and adoration. You deserve the peace and quiet that come from being in the presence of the Lord. All are welcome. Also, on Sunday mornings, at 9:30 a.m. the Rosary will be prayed prior to the 10:00 a.m. Mass.



The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:

In the Letter of St. James we find the question, "Is there anyone sick among you?" The response is that the sick are to call the priests of the Church who are to pray over them anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. This Sacrament is not to be looked upon as the "Last Rites" but as a powerful instrument of God's healing and strength. Therefore, **prior to surgery or when diagnosed with or living with a serious illness** avail yourself of this gift. At times we officiate at funerals where a person may have been seriously ill for a long time and no one made arrangements for them to go to Confession, receive the Eucharist and receive the anointing of the sick. Reach out to the sick with love. Please call to arrange a time for this sacrament to be administered to our sick.

The Living Rosary Pilgrimage:

The next LRP will be Sunday, October 14 at 2:30 p.m. at Saint Mary's, South Common Street, Lynn. We will begin with a procession with the Blessed Sacrament into the Church. This will be followed by the recitation of the Rosary and Benediction. Rev. Msgr. Paul Garrity and the good people of St. Mary's Parish will be our hosts. The Rev. John Leonard will be the homilist. This begins the 21st year of the LRP which was begun under the leadership of Jeanette Kallery and Bishop John J. Mulcahy. All are welcome.

Marriage Intentions

Jason Rizzo & Laurie Forgione (10/20)

Matthew Poussard & Lauren Hanley (10/27)

Paul Donovan & Amy Thompson (11/2)

Mass Intentions

Hedwig Jasinski	51st Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(10/13)
Frank Trudeau	Birthday Remembrance	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(10/13)
James T. Currie	Memorial Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(10/14)
Rita D'Agostino	6th Anniversary Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(10/14)
Lucian & Edwin Cherubin	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Monday	(10/15)
Willard Lindquist III	19th Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(10/20)
Michael & Antoinette Guarino	Memorial Mass	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(10/20)
Joseph Ciampa	13th Anniversary Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(10/21)
Ida, Salvatore, Ronald & Robert Italiano	Memorial Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(10/21)



Prayers for our service men and women: Do you know of any men or women from our community who are presently serving in the military of our country? If possible, please give us their names and we would write their names in our bulletin so that our Parish could pray for them, for their families and loved ones and for their safe return home. Call the rectory at 781-233-1040. Thank you.

We pray for

Peace in the World, an end to war and terrorism, an end to world hunger, those who suffer with incurable illness and for **Paul Eaves** and **Jason Carmody** who are serving in Iraq.

The Faithful Departed Anthony Burt

The Sick

Paula LeTourneau



SAINT MARGARET PARISH PRESENTS RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation

of Adults (RCIA) is an ongoing process for those seeking to become members of the Catholic Church through Baptism, or if one has been Baptized in another Christian Faith, to be admitted into Full Communion in the Catholic Church. It also invites those who have been Baptized but have not received Eucharist and/or Confirmation to enter into the process and receive these sacraments. If you know anyone who might be interested, let them know what we are offering. Weekly meetings are informal gatherings of prayer, inquiry and rich discussion. **Meetings are on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to about 10:15 a.m.** For more information call 781-233-1040.

Religious Education

Grades 1 through 6: Classes are held on Sundays, from 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. at the Belmonte Middle School.

Grades 7 & 8: The next Class Grade 7 & 8 students is Friday, November 2, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Grade 9 Students meet on Sundays at 4:15 p.m. until 5:45 p.m. After class they will celebrate in Holy Mass together.

Grade 10 Students and Sponsors will have their next class on October 21, at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. There will be Mass at 5:45 p.m. prior to the beginning of class.

Mass at 5:45 p.m. On Sundays when there is a Confirmation Class, there will be a 5:45 p.m. evening Mass to which all are invited.

Saint Margaret Parish Pastoral Council: The Members are: Corinne Riley, Co-Chair, Tom Swanson, Bob Doucette, Pauline Kimball, Cindy Liuzza, Joanne Eaves, Dawn Hunt, Greg Nickolas, Nate Marsella, Bunnie Castaldo and Joe Johnson. We are grateful to these good people for the time and dedication they have for the care and spiritual growth of our Parish. During the past year we have committed ourselves to conversation and exploring areas of collaboration with Blessed Sacrament Parish. Our next joint PPC meeting with Blessed Sacrament PPC will be Thursday, October 25, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish hall.



St. Vincent DePaul Annual Sock Drive:

The sock drive will continue until next weekend (October 13th and 14th). The need for socks, **especially adult sizes** is very great. Please leave them in the bins, thank you for your thoughtfulness!

Saturday Morning Bible Study: Steve Dalton conducted a very successful Bible Study during the last Lenten Season. An excellent teacher, we are very excited that he is now offering this all new Bible Study entitled "**Responding to God: The Way of Discipleship.**" Themes to be addressed in this Study are: The God Who Jesus Revealed; Christian Identity and Mission; The Sacred Society; Prayer (and Growth); Friendship With Jesus. The Bible Study will be held at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall, 14 Summer Street, Saugus Center, on Saturday mornings from 9:00 to 10:30. The dates remaining are October 20 and 27. Take advantage of this opportunity. Don't let it pass you by. Bring along a Bible and a notebook and pen. (If you need a Bible, let us know and we will get one for you.) All are welcome and there is no cost.

"Ignorance of scripture is ignorance of Christ."
Saint Jerome

Saint Margaret's Movie Night

Who: Fun for ALL ages!

Where: St. Margaret's Church 431 Lincoln Ave.

When: Friday, October 19 7:00pm

What: Large Screen Viewing of:

EVAN ALMIGHTY

(90 minutes)

Cost: \$10.00 per family \$5.00p/p

Refreshments will be available to purchase for \$1.00 ea.
Pizza, beverages, snacks (popcorn, chips, etc.)

TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE AFTER MASSES or by emailing smym06@yahoo.com

CHILDREN UNDER 12 Must be accompanied by an Adult
• Children over 12 must bring the completed permission slip below

Proceeds will go to St. Margaret's Youth Ministry

Liability Release for those between 13-18 attending without an adult

Name: _____ Address: _____ Email: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Cell phone: _____
 Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____ Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____
INSURANCE INFORMATION Family Health Insurance Co. _____
 Policy# _____ Family Physician _____ Phone: _____
 MEDICAL INFO Are there any medical issues that are important for the Leaders to know _____ I give _____ permission to PARTICIPATE IN Movie Night at Saint Margaret Office for Youth Ministry. I give permission for the release of medical records to an attending physician in case of injury or illness. In the case of a medical emergency, I understand that every effort will be made to contact the parent(s) or guardian of my child. In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give permission to the physician attending my child to hospitalize, and administer the proper and necessary treatment for my son/daughter as named herein. I hereby agree that no liability is assumed by Saint Margaret Parish staff or volunteers or by the Archdiocese of Boston, which may arise out of this activity.
 Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

project Rachel

*"Rachel mourns her children;
she refuses to be consoled
because her children are no more.
Thus says the Lord:
Cease from your cries of mourning.
Wipe the tears from your eyes.
The sorrow you have shown
will have its reward.
There is hope for your future."
Jeremiah 31: 15-17*

A Catholic outreach
to women and men
hurting from
past abortions.

Trust in the Tender
Embrace of God's
Love and Mercy.

Project Rachel 508-651-3100
help@projectrachelboston.com



All are welcome to LIFT, a exciting monthly worship event which includes vibrant praise and music, challenging speakers and Eucharistic adoration. The next LIFT is Tuesday, October 16, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Fontbonne Academy, 930 Brook Road, Milton, MA. The speaker will be Steve Allgeyer.

Project Rachel: Do you know someone who is carrying grief and sorrow over past abortions? Project Rachel is the post-abortion ministry of the Catholic Church offering hope and healing to those hurting from the pain of abortion. Project Rachel will offer a weekend healing retreat October 19 - 21, 2007 and a one-day retreat on Saturday November 10, 2007. For location and registration information, contact Project Rachel at 508.651.3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com

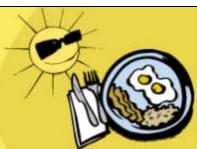


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Keep those Shaw's and Star Market cash register receipts coming (also get them from relatives, neighbors and coworkers, etc.)! At present we receive about \$4,000 dollars in cash register receipts every weekend. Thank you and keep them coming! Shaw's has been rather slow with their end of the bargain but we have confidence that they will come through! A basket is provided in the front vestibule of the Church. The Parish will receive 1% of the total of those cash register receipts. To date we have received **\$248.52**. Everything helps, so keep those receipt coming! Thank you.

Ready,
Set,
Breakfast!



Monthly Breakfasts will begin this week, Sunday, October 14 from 8:30 to

11:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall. The menu will consist of Scrambled eggs, Sausage links, potatoes, juice, and coffee. Donation: Adults: \$6.00 seniors and children ten and under: \$4.00. Come, enjoy fellowship together, support the wonderful efforts of our Kitchen Team and the Parish. All welcome.



All Souls Day Envelopes: November 2 is All Souls Day and the month of November has traditionally been the month to remember the souls of the faithful departed. Attached to the bulletin is an "All Souls

Day" envelope. If you wish, please use this envelope to write down the names of your deceased loved ones whom you would like to remember at Mass. These Masses for your loved ones will be said in the course of the coming year.

Parish Offertory Envelopes: If you wish to receive envelopes, please return the following information:

Name:

Address:

14 Days of Christmas Calendar: Returns for this fundraiser are coming in at a very good rate! Thanks for your response so far. There are more calendars available at the church doors and at the rectory. Can you help by perhaps asking neighbors, workmates, and relatives to make an offering for one of them? At only \$10.00 per calendar you support the Parish and you have a chance at winning a prize each day of the 14 Days of Christmas. All money received will be used exclusively for Saint Margaret's Parish, its property and programs. Thanks for your support.

CONSULTANT DAY FUNDRAISER: We will have in our Parish Hall several Consultants who will give you the opportunity to buy/order their top quality products. Representatives from **Pampered Chef, Avon, Creative Memories, Stamping Up, Home Interiors** and **Tastefully Simple** will be on hand, Saturday, November 3, 2007 from 12 Noon until 6:30 p.m. All orders will be in by Christmas. There will also be some cash and carry items, raffles and refreshments. Please come, view and buy some great products as part of your Christmas shopping. Your participation will help to raise funds for our Parish property and programs. Our thanks to these consultants and to those who will support this effort.

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Please support the valuable work of the S V de P Society by placing an offering in the Poor Boxes located at the Church doors. Everything received in the Poor Boxes goes to helping people in our community who are experiencing an urgent need related to food, shelter and clothing. Thank you.

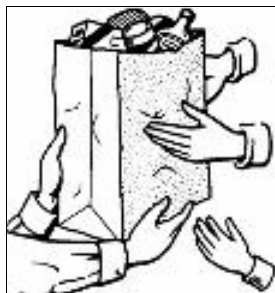
"Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers, you do to me."

Second Collections

Parish Monthly Collection - October 13 & 14
Mission Sunday - October 20 & 21

Offertory Collection Last Sunday's Collection was \$4,338.00. Thank you for your generosity to the needs of the Parish. Mass attendance was 579. Last year, October 15, 2006, the collection was \$3,444.00.





The United Parish Food Pantry

is located at the Cliftondale Congregational Church, 50 Essex Street. On the second weekend of each month we collect food for the food pantry. Also, we look for volunteers. If you

are free on Friday mornings, you are always needed. Drop by at 9:30 a.m. or call Carol Cashman at 781-558-1092 to volunteer. The Pantry operates Fridays from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. (Please note: Food that has gone beyond the expiration date cannot be given away and must be thrown out. Thank you for your cooperation.) **Our next Food Collection Weekend is October 13 & 14.** Your donation of food is always needed and very much appreciated. During the summer when many folks are away on vacation, would it be possible for you to bring a few extra items along? Thank you.

Open House

Most Catholic High Schools are having an "Open House" this time of the year. Why? Because the Catholic High School Placement exam is coming soon: Saturday, November 17 & Saturday, December 8. Therefore, if you are interested in a Catholic High School, act soon, visit, get pro-active! Listed are Catholic High Schools in our area. Give them a call and see when they are having their Open House and pay them a visit.

High Schools

Malden Catholic High School, Malden	781-322-3098
St. Mary Jr/Sr High School, Lynn	781-595-7885
Nazareth Academy, Wakefield	781-245-5210
Bishop Fenwick, Peabody	978-531-8200
St. John's Prep, Danvers	978-774-1050
Austin Prep Jr/Sr High School, Reading	781-944-4900
Pope John XXIII, Everett	617-389-0240
Arlington Catholic High School	781-646-7770
Boston College High School	617-474-5115



ST. PAUL CENTER FOR BIBLICAL THEOLOGY

Returning Thanks *By Dr. Scott Hahn*

A foreign leper is cleansed and in thanksgiving returns to offer homage to the God of Israel. We hear this same story in both the First Reading and Gospel today. There were many lepers in Israel in Elisha's time, but only Naaman the Syrian trusted in God's Word and was cleansed (see Luke 5:12-14). Today's Gospel likewise implies that most of the 10 lepers healed by Jesus were Israelites - but only a foreigner, the Samaritan, returned. In a dramatic way, we're being shown today how faith has been made the way to salvation, the road by which all nations will join themselves to the Lord, becoming His servants, gathered with the Israelites into one chosen people of God, the Church (see Isaiah 56:3-8). Today's Psalm also looks forward to the day when all peoples will see what Naaman sees - that there is no God in all the earth except the God of Israel. We see this day arriving in today's Gospel. The Samaritan leper is the only person in the New Testament who personally thanks Jesus. The Greek word used to describe his "giving thanks" is the word we translate as "Eucharist." And these lepers today reveal to us the inner dimensions of the Eucharist and sacramental life. We, too have been healed by our faith in Jesus. As Naaman's flesh is made again like that of a little child, our souls have been cleansed of sin in the waters of Baptism. We experience this cleansing again and again in the Sacrament of Penance - as we repent our sins, beg and receive mercy from our Master, Jesus. We return to glorify God in each Mass, to offer ourselves in sacrifice - falling on our knees before our Lord, giving thanks for our salvation. In this Eucharist, we remember "Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David," Israel's covenant king. And we pray, as Paul does in today's Epistle, to persevere in this faith - that we too may live and reign with Him in eternal glory.

*A service of the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology
www.SalvationHistory.com*



TRUE or FALSE ?

1. Naaman plunged into the Jordan ten times.
2. Naaman's flesh became like that of a child.
3. Elisha was happy to accept a gift from Naaman.
4. Naaman took two mule-loads of earth.
5. Naaman planned to offer sacrifice to plenty of gods.
6. Saint Paul was in chains, like a criminal.
7. If we have died with Jesus, we shall also live with him.
8. Jesus met seven lepers as he traveled through Samaria and Galilee.
9. Only a few of the lepers were healed.
10. Only one leper returned to thank Jesus for his healing.

ANSWERS 1 false, 2 true, 3 false, 4 true, 5 false, 6 true, 7 true, 8 false, 9 false, 10 true.

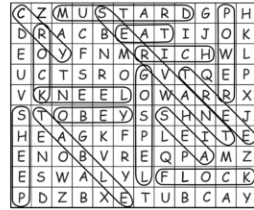
CROSSWORD

(Most answers are in today's readings)

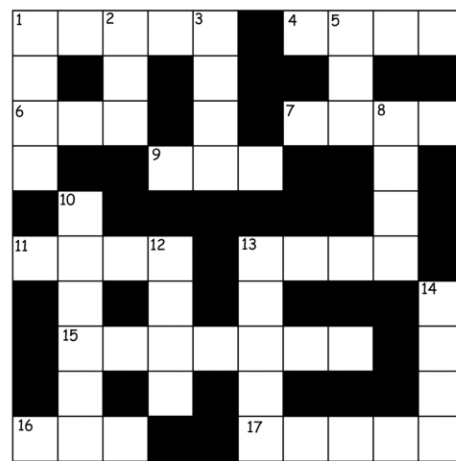
CLUES ACROSS

1. Naaman plunged in this number of times 4.
4. God is this 6, Not old
7. He ____ at the feet of Jesus
9. The number of lepers cleansed
11. Jesus was raised from the....
13. A title we give to God
15. Without end 16. Donkey
17. "____ up and go; your faith has saved you."

Last week's wordsearch



CLUES DOWN



2. A solemn promise 3. This number did not return 5. This number gave thanks 8. Not soft
10. People with a skin disease 12. If we have ____ with him...
13. Countries 14. The readings at Mass are the ____ of God

PICTURE PUZZLE

READING: 2 Kings 5: 14-17

IN THIS PICTURE OF NAAMAN GOING INTO THE JORDAN, THERE ARE AT LEAST EIGHT THINGS WHICH DO NOT BELONG. CAN YOU FIND THEM?



David Fielding