



Please Pray for...

Those who are ill or have special needs: Trey Bellows, Shaun Benbow, Susan Blanchard, Marie Blount, Dana Breeding, Ann Bridgman, Dianna Bryant, Dona Bureson, Joseph Buttera, J.R. Callahan, Barry Cook, Carolyn Dickenson, Mike Ducar, Maureen Flannigan, Mary Frazier, Linda Gurecky, Jackie Gunn, Yvonne Hale, Eleanor Harker, Allison Hoefling, Don & Rita Hoefling, Bill James, Lane Lehman, Janet Linda, Meghan McGinnis, Debra Maddox, Ruth Miller, Barb Morgan, Brandon & Heather Niemas, Jorge Ontiveros, Lori Owensby, Kathy Quarles, Marilyn Rebolz, Rhonda Rivera, Sally Schoen, Betty Testa, Arlene Turner, and Vickie Wright, Tony & Sandy Yacovelli.

Homebound or in nursing homes: Marian Bogdanowicz, Norma Brandin, Vicki Cram, Bernadette Ducar, Dorothy Kelly, Fr. Andy Latsko, Margaret Morrow, Glenda Nicholson, Brenda O'Shields, Anne Papay, Dorothy Pappert, Meri Reid, Mike Slaski, Annie Tiernan, Doris Thibodeau & Thomas Zichy.

Please call or email the office to update list.
828-686-8833, stmmc@charter.net.

Retreat: Heart of Mary

From May 7-9, the Catholic Conference Center in Hickory NC is offering a weekend retreat – a perfect gift to share with your mother for Mother's Day. We have options for one night or two, plus some for commuter sessions and even a separate Mother's Day Sunday brunch. In addition to powerful talks, you'll be able to enjoy our beautiful setting in full springtime bloom and delicious full-course meals prepared by our own Executive Chef.

Visit www.catholicconference.org/mary, email-info@catholicconference.org, or call 828.327.7441 for more information.

St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church

Serving the Swannanoa Valley since 1936

Mass Intentions

Sat 4/17 5:30PM.....† Bill Blanchard
Sun 4/18 8:30AM.....Pro Populo
11:00AM.....† Dorothy Clewis
1:00PM† Benito Castro-Anaya
Mon 4/19 7:30AM.....Heidi Kaufman
Wed 4/21 6:00PM.....† Larry Cullen
Thur 4/22 7:30AM.....† Hudson DeWeese
Fri 4/23 7:30AM.....† Mary Wilke

Scripture for the Week

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

We are an Easter people, and Alleluia is our song!
—St. Augustine

Condolences

Our condolences and prayers to the family and friends of parishioner Debra James.

May Debra rest in peace with the Lord.

Altar Flowers



Altar flowers this weekend are donated by Monroe Clewis in memory of his mother, Dorothy and his sister, Kathy Clewis

May they rest in peace with the Lord.

St. Vincent DePaul Society



St. Vincent de Paul Society has a new contact phone number. Please make a note of it:
1-800-862-1633

Your generous support of SVdP helps us to serve those in need throughout our community. Our Poor Boxes are in the church vestibule and in the Overflow Seating doorway. Thank You!

View more information about SVdP at the parish website: saintmmc.com

Catholic Schools Job Opportunity

The Diocesan Office of Development has an opening for a full-time Director of Development for Catholic Schools. The candidate must be a college graduate with a degree in marketing, communications, or related field. He or she must have at least three years of experience in fundraising and marketing. Extensive fundraising experience may be substituted for a completed undergraduate degree.

Responsibilities include working closely with all 19 diocesan Catholic schools and assisting them in developing and carrying out annual school fund development plans including but not limited to annual giving campaigns, major gifts efforts and planned giving activities. Candidate will meet regularly on site with all 19 schools to support and coordinate their fund development efforts.

Please submit a cover letter and resume by April 30, 2021 to Jim Kelley, Office of Development, jkkelley@charlottediocese.org.



"LIFE Runners use prayer and teamwork to defend Life from conception to natural death. Running optional. Faith required. Sign up to get your "REMEMBER The Unborn – Jer 1:5" jersey and team updates and devotions at <https://www.liferunners.org/>.

Invite others to join us. All In Christ for Pro-Life! Contact your NC - Swannanoa St. Margaret Mary chapter leader, Julie Hansbury, at jslosarczyk2@uwalumni.com

Stewardship

Weekly Offertory needed to meet our annual parish budget: **\$4,520.00**

Weekly Offering



Offertory April 11, 2021: \$4,035.00
Online Giving: \$845.00
Total Offertory: \$4,880.00

Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)
Goal: \$29,050 Collected: \$18,081.52
(65 households participating) over 60% of goal!

Offertory checks may be mailed to:
102 Andrews Place
Swannanoa, NC 28778

Donate online at: www.saintmmc.com

Thank you, may God bless you for your generosity!

Schedule for the Week

In General: Church is open for prayer when staff is on campus; if front lights are on, church is open.

Apr 19 6:45AM Confessions
7:30AM Mass
Church open for prayer
Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM

Apr 20 **OFFICE & CHURCH CLOSED**

Apr 21 Church open for prayer
Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM
5:15PM Confessions; Mass 6:00PM
6:45PM Faith Formation
RCIA (at Rectory)

Apr 22 6:45AM Confessions
7:30AM Mass
Church open for prayer
Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM

Apr 23 6:45AM Confessions
7:30AM Mass
Church open for prayer
Office Hours 9:00AM– 4:00PM

Apr 24 4:00PM Confessions
5:30PM Mass

Apr 25 8:30AM (Sung Mass with incense)
11:00AM
1:00PM-Español (Sung Mass with incense)

All Masses are livestreamed to our YouTube channel. Go to saintmmc.com. Click on "Mass Times & Livestream", scroll down and click "acknowledge and enter livestream"

Maintain distancing at all times in Church, overflow area, and Parish Hall. If occupancy is close to limit, ushers will redirect you to other areas.