

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
JULY 18, 2021



THE APOSTLES REPORTED ALL THEY HAD DONE AND TAUGHT. JESUS SAID TO THEM,

"Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while."

MARK 6:30, 31



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 Burleson, Joseph Buttera, J.R. Callahan, Barry Cook, Carolyn Dickenson, Maureen Flannigan, Linda Gurecky, Jackie Gunn, Eleanor Harker, Allison Hoefling, Don & Rita Hoefling, Lane Lehman, Ty Lenk, Janet Linda, Meghan McGinnis, Debra Maddox, Lori Owensby, Kathy Quarles, Marilyn Rebholz, Rhonda Rivera, Sally Schoen, Betty Testa, Arlene Turner, 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, Anne Papay, Dorothy Pappert, Mike Slaski, Annie Tiernan, Doris Thibodeau.

Military:
Petty Officer 1st Class Chris Balot, son of Randy Balot (email office if you have a relative serving in the military)

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Please call or email the office to update list.  
828-686-8833, office@saintmmc.com.


**IMPORTANT DATES**

Thu. Jul 22nd - Parish Council Meeting 6:30pm  
85th Parish Anniversary Planning

Sat. Jul 24th - Altar Server Training 9-11am  
Pizza Lunch provided by the Knights

Sun. Aug. 1 - Totus Tuus Summer Program for Children and Youth kick off pot luck 5pm-7pm

Aug. 2-6—Totus Tuus (grades 1-6) 9am-



Altar flowers may be sponsored in memory or in honor of a loved one or friend. The flower donation is \$45.00; checks payable to St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church, "flowers" in memo section. Call the office to reserve a date to sponsor flowers. 828-686-8833, Mon, Wed, Thur and Fri. 9am-2pm. If no answer, please leave a message.

**St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church**  
*Serving the Swannanoa Valley since 1936*

**Mass Intentions**

Sat 7/17 5:30PM.....† Bill Blanchard  
Sun 7/18 8:30AM.....Pro Populo  
11:00AM.....† Mary Andriacchi Janiczek  
1:00PM .....† Mary Frazier  
Mon 7/19 7:30AM.....† Therese McCormick  
Wed 7/21 6:00PM.....† Rita Bathe  
Thur 7/22 7:30AM.....† Jim Bathe  
Fri 7/23 7:30AM.....† Rev. Matthew Leonard

**Scripture for the Week**

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42  
Tuesday: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50  
Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Mt 13:1-9  
Thursday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18  
Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23  
Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30  
Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

**Mission Appeal Weekend**  
July 31-Aug 1


Father Doug May, M.M. will be at the parish for the annual missionary cooperative appeal and second collection for the Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers. Father May will speak at all Masses. Fr. May has served as a missionary in Egypt for over 20 years, and in Kenya for several years. He will invite us to take part in the vital work of bringing Christ and His Gospel to all people.

While at the parish, Fr. May will be happy to talk with any parishioners who are interested in doing overseas mission work.

Donation baskets are staged as usual. Online giving is available by selecting "Mission Appeal" fund in the parish online module.

For more information visit:  
[www.Maryknollsociety.org](http://www.Maryknollsociety.org).

**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](http://saintmmc.com)

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

It is our trust and faith in God that allows him to heal us and gives us peace. Is God in charge of your marriage? Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on Aug 27-29, 2021 in HICKORY, NC and Nov 5-7, 2021 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at [applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org](mailto:applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org) or 704-315-2144.

**Summer Program for Kids!**  
*Registration is Open!*

Please see the bulletin insert for registration information for Totus Tuus. Use the QR code to register.


The Mission of Totus Tuus is to inspire in young people a true longing for holiness, a deep desire for daily conversion, and an openness to their vocation by constantly challenging them to give themselves entirely to Christ through Mary and, by continually strengthening their prayer lives in imitation of Her.

This is a total parish program in that we will need to families to assist in feeding and housing the two young men and two young women who will lead our program.

We also will need volunteers to assist in overseeing the activities of the week.

Please call the office if you can volunteer to assist our leaders during the week.

**Stewardship**

**Weekly Offering**  
 Weekly Offertory needed to meet our annual parish budget: **\$5,000.00**

Offertory July 11, 2021: \$5,554.18  
Online Giving: \$750.20  
Total Offertory: \$6,289.38

Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)  
Goal: \$29,050 Collected: \$36,514.02

Offertory checks may be mailed to:  
102 Andrews Place  
Swannanoa, NC 28778  
Donate online at: [www.saintmmc.com](http://www.saintmmc.com)

Thank you, may God bless you for your generosity!

*"I think He intends to try you like gold in the crucible, so as to number you amongst His most faithful servants. Therefore you must lovingly embrace all occasions of suffering, considering them as precious tokens of His love. To suffer in silence and without complaint is what He asks of you."*

**Schedule for the Week**

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

July 19 6:45am Confessions; 7:30am Mass  
Church open for prayer  
Office Hours 9:00am– 2:00pm

July 20 **OFFICE & CHURCH CLOSED**

July 21 Church open for prayer  
Office Hours 9:00am– 2:00pm  
5:15pm Confessions; Mass 6:00pm

July 22 6:45am Confessions; 7:30am Mass  
Church open for prayer  
Office Hours 9:00am– 2:00pm

July 23 6:45am Confessions; 7:30am Mass  
Church open for prayer  
Office Hours 9:00am– 4:00pm

July 24 9-11am Altar Server Training (Pizza Lunch)  
4:00pm Confessions  
5:30pm Mass

July 25 8:30am (Incense)  
11:00am  
1:00pm-Español (Incense)

All Masses are livestreamed to our YouTube channel. Go to [saintmmc.com](http://saintmmc.com). Click on "Mass Times & Livestream", scroll down and click "acknowledge and enter livestream"