

SCHEDULE OF MASSES & INTENTIONS

Sat. — Mar. 6 — 4:30 p.m.—Mass
 †Allen Clair Bettis, Sr.
 by Martha Santillana de Bettis

— **6:15 p.m.—Mass/St. Mary's in Pin Oak**
 For the People of St. Mary's in Pin Oak
 and St. Margaret's

Sun. — Mar. 7 — 9:30 a.m.—Mass/St. Margaret's (English)
 †Benito and †Crespina Basquez
 by Basquez Family

— **11:00 a.m.—Misa**
 †Martina Orocio Rodriguez
 De parte de Martina Orocio

Mon.— Mar. 8 — NO MASS
 (2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Lk 4:24-30)

Tue. — Mar. 9 — 5:00 p.m.— Mass
 Tanner Cullen Whitsel
 by Michael Simmang
 (Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35)

Wed.— Mar. 10 — 7:00 a.m.—Mass
 †Lawrence Pantel
 by Dolores Tonn
 (Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19)

Thu. — Mar. 11 — 7:00 a.m. — Mass at St. Margaret's
 †Pete Escalante
 by Jean Escalante

— **5:30 p.m.—Mass/St. Mary's in Pin Oak**
followed by Stations of the Cross and
confessions afterwards.
 †Clemence Meuth
 by E. W. Karish, Jr. and Family

— **8:00-10:00 p.m. Confessions at**
St. Margaret's
 (Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23)

Fri. — Mar. 12 — 5:00 p.m.—Mass and Stations of the Cross
 †Dr. Terry Seidel
 by Barbara Seidel

— **7:00 p.m.—Misa/Estaciones de la Cruz**
 En Honor a San Pedro
 (Hos 14:2-10; Mk 12:28-34)

Sat. — Mar. 13 — 4:30 p.m.—Mass
 Josefina Luna's birthday
 by Maximino Luna

— **6:15 p.m.—Mass/St. Mary's in Pin Oak**
 †Robert Hofferek
 by Alvin and Nancy Janecek

Sun. — Mar. 14 — 9:30 a.m.—Mass/St. Margaret's (English)
 For the People of St. Margaret's and
 St. Mary's in Pin Oak

— **11:00 a.m.—Misa**
 †Engracia Orocio
 De parte de las Familias Segundo y Orocio

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE	
<u>St. Margaret's</u>	
Regular Collection	\$ 4,468.18
<u>St. Mary's in Pin Oak</u>	
Regular Collection	\$ 594.00

ST. MARGARET'S WEEK SCHEDULE

	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>COMMUNION MINISTERS</u>
March 6/7		
Sat. 4:30 p.m.	— Kelly Majewski	C. Allen, Mel Gutierrez
Sun. 9:30 a.m.	— Joel Lopez	D. Muñiz, ML Prihoda, Warren and Judy Pedersen
March 13/14		
Sat. 4:30 p.m.	— Debbie Namken	R. Gonzales, M. Muñiz
Sun. 9:30 a.m.	— Jenna Madere	T. Basquez, N. Schneider V. Cantu, K. Gonzales
March 20/21		
Sat. 4:30 p.m.	— Charlotte Penn	M. Posas, Mel Gutierrez
Sun. 9:30 a.m.	— Chad Allen	Clayton and Pat Kleiber L. Pruitt, S. Lopez

NOTICE: If you are not able to serve on your assigned date, please find someone that can take your place. Thanks

DOMINGOS — Misa a las 11:00 a.m.

Lectores Ministros de Comunión

7 de marzo de 2010 — Pablo Rodriguez San Juana Orocio
 María Morín

14 de marzo de 2010 — Jose Martinez Dora Elizondo
 María Morín

21 de marzo de 2010 — Claudia Torres Laura Orocio
 Martha Hernandez

AVISO: Si usted no puede servir en su día asignado, por favor busque a una persona que le pueda sustituir. Gracias.

 **ALTAR SERVERS**

March 6, 2010: — **4:30 p.m.** **Volunteer**
Volunteer

March 7, 2010: — **9:30 a.m.** Elijah Hendrix
 Alex Madero

— **11:00 a.m.** Pablo Rodriguez, Jr.
 Alexis Orocio

March 13, 2010: — **4:30 p.m.** **Volunteer**
Volunteer

March 14, 2010: — **9:30 a.m.** Whitney Whitsel
 Ashley Yantz

— **11:00 a.m.** Diego Alvarez
 Jessie Alvarez

PARENTS: If your child cannot serve on his/her assigned day, please find a substitute. Thank you.

PADRES: Si por alguna razón su niño(a) no puede servir ese día, por favor busque un sustituto. Gracias.

USHERS FOR MARCH 2010:

Saturday Vigil Mass — 4:30 p.m. — Tommy Lara
Sunday Mass — 9:30 a.m. — Scott Krchnak
 Terry Namken

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m.

SCHEDULE FOR THURSDAYS IN LENT at St. Mary's

5:30 p.m. — Mass followed by Stations of the Cross and confessions afterwards.

8-10 p.m. — Confessions (at St. Margaret's)

SCHEDULE FOR FRIDAYS IN LENT at St. Margaret's

5:00 p.m. — Mass (English) followed by Stations of the Cross
 7:00 p.m. — Mass (Spanish) followed by Stations of the Cross

Sunday, March 7, 2010



COFFEE & DONUTS PARISH SOCIAL —
 After 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. Group #3 (Dora Muñiz, Mark Muñiz and Sandra Lopez) is sponsoring the Parish Social. Please come and join your fellow parishioners in good fellowship, with a great cup of coffee and savor a fresh and delicious donut.

Domingo, 7 de marzo de 2010



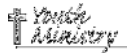
LA SOCIEDAD DEL SAGRADO CORAZÓN —
 Hora: 12:30 p.m.
 Lugar: Capilla de Día de Sta. Margarita

Sunday, March 7, 2010



2009-2010 CONFIRMATION CLASS
 Time: 1:00 — 4:00 p.m.
 Place: Parish Hall

Sunday, March 7, 2010



YOUTH MINISTRY “SAINTS OF FAITH”
 Time: 4:00 — 6:00 P.M.
 Place: Parish Hall

Tuesday, March 9, 2010



ALTAR SOCIETY —
 St. Margaret’s Altar Society will meet at **7:00 p.m., in the Parish Hall.** Plans for the coming months will be discussed. A light meal will be served prior to the meeting. All ladies are invited.

Martes, 9 de marzo de 2010



CLASES DE ESTUDIOS BÍBLICOS E INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS
 Hora: 7:30 p.m.
 Lugar: Edificio de Educación Religiosa

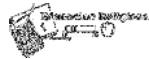
Wednesday, March 10, 2010



CCD CLASSES

Kindergarten through 4th grade: 5:15 — 6:15 p.m.
 5th grade through 8th grade: 6:30 — 7:30 p.m.

Miércoles, 10 de marzo de 2010



CLASES DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Kindergarten al 4º grado: 5:15 — 6:15 p.m.
 5º grado al 8º grado: 6:30 — 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 10, 2010



CHOIR PRACTICE —
 Choir and musicians need to be here to sing and play every Wednesday. **March 10, 2010, at 7:00 p.m., in the Church.** Any questions call Joseph Lopez at 540-0161.

Wednesday, March 10, 2010



RCIA CLASSES —
 Time: 7:30 p.m.
 Place: CCD Building

Sunday, March 14, 2010



NO B-B-Q SALE THIS MONTH

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS B-B-Q MONTHLY SALE WILL RETURN TO ITS REGULAR SCHEDULE NEXT MONTH

Domingo, 14 de marzo de 2010



SOCIEDAD GUADALUPANA —
 La Sociedad Guadalupana tendrá su junta mensual inmediatamente después de la Misa de las 11:00 a.m. en el Capilla de Día de la Parroquia de Sta. Margarita.

Martes, 16 de marzo de 2010



NO HABRÁ CLASES DE ESTUDIOS BÍBLICOS E INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS — VACACIONES DE PRIMAVERA —
 Las clases regresan a su horario regular el 24 de marzo de 2010

Wednesday, March 17, 2010



NO CCD CLASSES — SPRING BREAK
 Classes return to their regular schedule on **March 24, 2010.**

Miércoles, 17 de marzo de 2010



NO HABRÁ CLASES DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA/VACACIONES DE PRIMAVERA

Las clases regresan a su horario regular el 24 de marzo de 2010.

Wednesday, March 17, 2010



NO RCIA CLASSES TODAY — SPRING BREAK
 Classes return to its regular schedule on **March 24th.**

Thursday, March 18, 2010

St. Mary’s Finance Council Meeting will take place on Thursday, March 18, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.



ST. MARGARET'S ALTAR SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP —

St. Margaret's Altar Society will, once again, offer a \$500 Scholarship to a deserving 2010 High School graduating senior. Applicants must be an active member of St. Margaret's parish. Applications are available at the Parish Office during office hours or from an Altar Society member.



TO ALL THE PARISHIONERS OF ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Margaret's Catholic community wants to celebrate the ordination of two of our Deacons. Deacon Mark Hamlet and Deacon Steve Sauser on **May 29, 2010, at St. Williams Catholic Church in Round Rock.** We are in the process of chartering a bus to attend their ordination; therefore, if you are interested in attending, please pick a form at the back of the Church and return it completely filled up. The cost of the trip will be \$20.00 approximately per person. (We will know more definite the cost per person when all the forms are returned.) We will depart St. Margaret's at 7:00 a.m. and return to Giddings at approximately 2:30 p.m.

DIOCESE AND DIRECTIVES —

- In those parishes that celebrate a Sunday liturgy in two languages, every effort should be made so that the three principal Triduum liturgies (Mass of the Lord's Supper, Celebration of the Lord's Passion and the Easter Vigil) are multilingual.
- The Easter Vigil celebration must begin after sunset. The time for sunset in Austin in 2010 is 7:51 p.m., therefore the celebration of Easter Vigil should not begin before 8 p.m. on April 3.
- Only one vigil may be celebrated. Permission to hold more than one vigil may only be granted by the diocesan bishop. If a parish seeks to celebrate more than one vigil, they must write for approval.

Here at St. Margaret's, we will celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper bilingually only. Holy Thursday and Easter Vigil will be bilingual. Other services will be mono-lingual.

CONFESSIONS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK

DATE	TIME	CHURCH
03/29/10	7:00 P.M.	St. Margaret's (Several Priests)
03/31/10	6-9 P.M.	St. Margaret's
04/01/10	8-12 P.M.	Holy Thursday St. Margaret's
04/02/10	8-10:P.M.	Good Friday St. Margaret's
04/03/10	3-6 P.M.	Holy Saturday St. Margaret's



PENANCE SERVICE SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Confessions Time</u>
March 9, 2010	St. Mary's Catholic Church Brenham, TX	7:00 pm
March 11, 2010	St. Joseph's Catholic Church Dime Box, TX	6:00 pm
March 11, 2010	Holy Family Catholic Church Lexington, TX	7:00 pm
March 21, 2010	St. Joseph's Catholic Church Rockdale, TX	7:00 pm
March 22, 2010	St. Mary Catholic Church Ellinger, TX	5:00 pm
March 22, 2010	St. John's Catholic Church Fayetteville, TX	7:30 pm
March 23, 2010	St. Ann's Catholic Church Somerville, TX	7:00 pm
March 28, 2010	Sacred Heart Catholic Church La Grange, TX	7:00 pm
March 29, 2010	St. Margaret's Catholic Church Giddings, TX	7:00 pm

Saint Margaret's Catholic Church Scholarship

This scholarship will be awarded based on **leadership abilities and volunteer activities.** To receive Saint Margaret's Catholic Church Scholarship, the applicant must:

- Be an active member of Saint Margaret's Catholic Church or active member of the Catholic Church where he/she resides.
- Parents/Grandparents or Guardians be current active members of Saint Margaret's Catholic Church.
- Be a full time student.
- Have a 2.50 GPA or better. Must be a graduating high school senior or currently enrolled in an accredited college.
- **Prior to the beginning of the second semester, student must give official verification of GPA standing before funds will be sent to the school.**

This application may be renewed each year for three years if:

- The student remains an active member of Saint Margaret's Catholic Church or an active member in a Catholic Church where he/she attends college.
- The student's Parents/Grandparents or Guardians remain active at Saint Margaret's Catholic Church.
- The student must maintain a 2.50 GPA or better.
- **The student must keep the SMCC Scholarship Committee informed of his/her standing in school. Failure to do this results in loss of scholarship.**



SOCIEDAD GUADALUPANA

La Sociedad Guadalupana dá las gracias a todos ustedes que participaron en la rifa de una computadora portatil HP, la cual se llevó a cabo el 20 de febrero. La cantidad recaudada fué \$654.00. El ganador de ésta computadora fué el Sr. Martin Rodríguez. ¡Felicidades!

— Nina Orocio, Presidenta

MUCHAS GRACIAS!

Thank You

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FUND RAISER FOR THE CCD BUILDING

The group of Annie del Toro would like to thank each and everyone who helped in the food preparation and to those who donated their time, money and food. Also, a big thanks to all of you who purchased tickets. The total amount received was \$1,050.00. Again, many thanks. Without you this project could not have been a success.

— Annie del Toro

**ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
FIFTH ANNUAL FISH FRY**

Friday, April 2, 2010

5:00 p.m. — UNTIL ...

Fried Catfish plates — \$7.00/plate

(includes: cat fish, coleslaw, beans, potato salad and tea)

Fish donated by David and Mary Ann Bordovsky

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus at the

Knights of Columbus Hall, Giddings, Texas

Tickets will be sold after all Masses

LA PARROQUIA DE STA. MARGARITA

Tendrá su quinta comida anual de Pescado Frito el viernes, 2 de abril de 2010, de las 5:00 p.m.— Hasta.... Adultos: \$7.00/plato. (el platillo consiste de: pescado frito, ensalada de repollo, frijoles, ensalada de papa y té). El pescado será donado por David y Mary Ann Bordovsky. Patrocinado por los Caballeros de Colón en el Salón de los Caballeros de Colón en Giddings, Texas. Preventa de boletos se llevará cabo después de todas las misas.

FROM THE DIOCESE OF AUSTIN —

This year's Chrism Mass will be celebrated at St. William Parish in Round Rock on **Tuesday, March 30 at 10:30 a.m.**

You are cordially invited to attend this beautiful mass. Religious Education classes that are planning to attend the Chrism Mass are asked to contact the Worship Office so that sufficient seating may be reserved. Please call (512) 949-2429 or e-mail Yvonne Saldaña: yvonne-saldana@austindiocese.org.

PRIDE

What better proof of your pride could you have given than to claim you were not proud?

—St. John Climacus



First Reading —

The LORD God appears to Moses and directs him to go and deliver the Israelites from Egypt (Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15) or Exodus 17:3-7.

INSTALLATION TO BE BROADCAST LIVE —

The Mass of Installation of Bishop Joe S. Vásquez will be broadcast live on television and the Internet. The television broadcast will be live on KVUE on March 8 at 3:00 p.m. on digital channels 24.3 in English (also on Time Warner Cable channel 1512) and 24.2 in Spanish (also on Time Warner Cable channel 605). The Mass will also be streamed live on the Internet on www.kvue.com.

We encourage every parish and school to host a watching “party” in your parish hall or school common area. This gathering can be as elaborate or simple as you wish to make it. Those without access to cable television channels can connect a computer to a projector to display the Web cast.

We hope that parishioners as well as the students witness this historic event.

THE MYSTERIOUS ONE

Last Sunday we gathered with Peter, John, and James at the mountain of Transfiguration and were summoned to listen to God's chosen Son. This week the scriptures draw us into the mystery of just who that God is. The first reading, perhaps one of the best known in the Bible, recounts the story of Moses and the burning bush, when the mysterious divine name is revealed. The responsorial psalm is a hymn extolling the attributes of God. Saint Paul and the Lord Jesus describe a God who judges and metes out punishment. No matter the lengths to which the scriptures go, we know that no amount of words will ever come close to capturing who God is. Our lives and our Lenten are really journeys toward that mysterious One who will one day welcome us into the heavenly home that awaits those who put their trust in God alone.

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Sunday, March 21, 2010

CCD BUILDING FUND RAISER —

Another great dinner is planned to raise funds to help build the new wing of the CCD Building. **The Segundo Family** are hosting this dinner in the Parish Hall at St. Margaret's **after all the masses. The menu and cost of the meal will be printed in next week's bulletin. As always, your participation on this project is much appreciated. Thank you.**

DAÑO

El odio hace más daño a la persona en el que está almacenado que en la persona sobre la cual se vierte.

—Anónimo