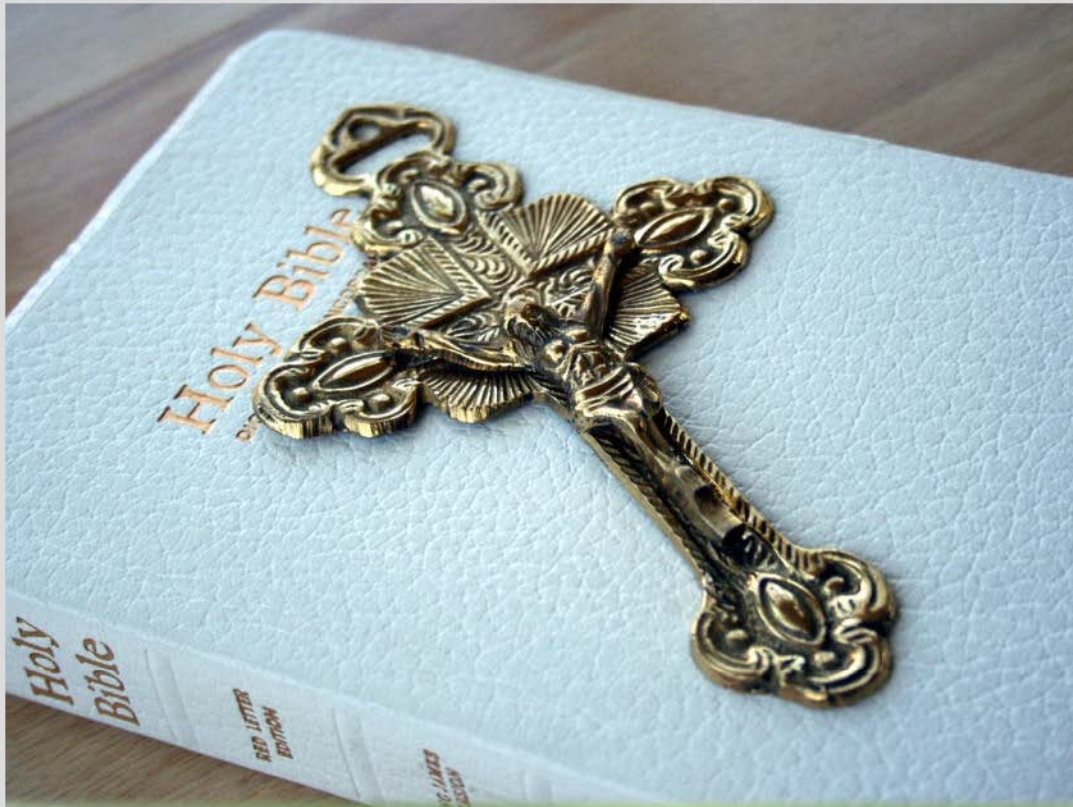


St. Margaret's Parish

Burlington, MA



Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God. John 6:68-69 (NAB)

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Twenty First Sunday In Ordinary Time

August 23, 2009

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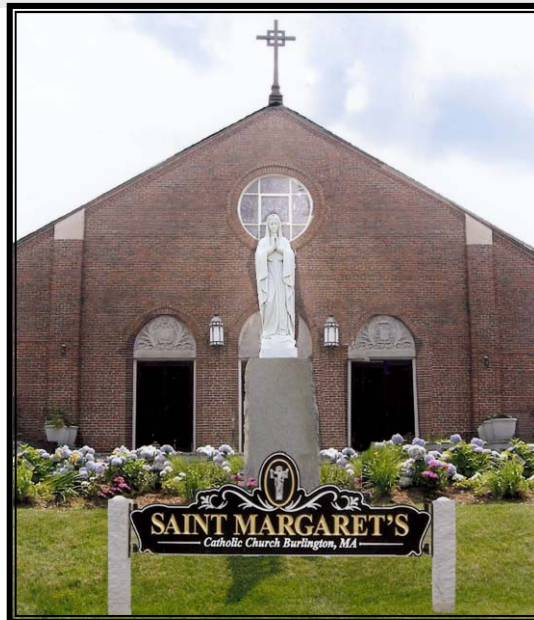


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Choir Director
Cantor
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Dear Parishioners:

Religious education is "in season" every season. We never take a break from witnessing to the "good news" of the One sent to save us. This is how the Church survives. The faith is handed on to the next generation by instruction and example. Catechists are the glue that holds it together. They are an absolute necessity. Please consider helping us out from October until May. You get time off for vacation, plus free tuition for your children. The learning experience you will receive from our "little ones" is something special. It is always nerve-racking to come down to the final minute looking for volunteers. Give a little thought to helping us out on all grade levels. It would be greatly appreciated. Call me or Mary Murgo if you are ready and willing.

The classroom set up for our religious education program is excellent. The textbooks are always new. The teachers' manual is of good help. All we need is you!! Religious education classes for grades 2 through 8 begin the week of September 27, 2008. The list of specific grades and times will appear in forthcoming bulletins.

Our Parish Council will start to meet once again in September. If any parishioner would like to join us, please call me at the rectory. We generally meet on a Sunday evening, for a couple of hours, five times per year. And please remember that any parishioner can submit an item for our agenda at anytime.

Fr. Robinson

2010 Announced Memorial Masses

If you want to arrange Masses for deceased loved ones for next year, now is the time. Please call or stop by the rectory on week-days between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.





Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:30 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday	7:30 am 10:00 am (Upstairs) 10:00 am (Downstairs) 12:00 noon
Weekday	6:45 am 9:00 am
Saturday	9:00 am

Sacraments

- Baptism** On the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 2:00 p.m. Please call for an interview with any priest at the rectory to fill out the baptismal form. If you have a priest coming for the Baptism, you are most welcome to schedule the Baptism at your convenience.
- Confirmation** Begins in the Ninth Grade and concludes in the Tenth Grade. Attendance includes class, liturgy, and ministry.
- Penance** Every Saturday in the lower church from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Marriage** Congratulations on your engagement ! Please schedule an appointment with a priest at least 6 months prior to the wedding. Engaged couples contemplating marriage are required to take a marriage preparation course. Available programs may be found on the Family Life website (www.familylifeboston.com) or by calling 617-746-5801.
- Anointing** Please call the rectory and we will visit at home. If anyone is confined to the house and would like to receive a Communion visit, please call us. Our eucharistic ministers assist us in these visits.
- Funerals** Arrangements are made through the funeral directors. They are most compassionate and experienced, and will be of great assistance to you at this particular time in your life. A priest from St. Margaret's will lead a prayer service at the wake and graveside, as well as preside at the Funeral Mass. Our parish hall is available after the funeral, if needed.

Private Devotions

- Rosary** – Daily after the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the upper church.
- Eucharistic Adoration** – Every first Friday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 5:00 p.m. at which time there is Benediction.
- Holy Hour** – Wednesdays from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in the upper church. We pray to Our Lady of Fatima for the sick, the elderly, and the homebound.
- Bible Study** – Suspended for the summer. Will resume in October.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	Aug. 22	4:30 pm	Marge & Richard Fusco - 50th Wedding Anniversary
		7:30 pm	Mary & Richard Clark
Sunday	Aug. 23	7:30 am	Mass of Thanksgiving
		10:00 am	Ken Mercer
		12:00 pm	James Lawlor
Wednesday	Aug. 26	9:00 am	Mary James (2nd Anniversary)
Friday	Aug. 28	9:00 am	William Hayes & Son, William Jr.(5th Ann.)
Saturday	Aug. 29	9:00 am	T. J. O'Neill (4th Anniversary)
		4:30 pm	Joseph Verducci
		7:30 pm	Richard D. & Richard F. Mingoelli
Sunday	Aug. 30	7:30 am	Jack Colby
		10:00 am	Tino Minichiello (5th Anniversary)
		12:00 pm	Joan Marie Noorigian

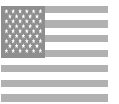
Memorial Prayers: Daniel Sweeney, Barbara O'Brien



Prayers for the Sick



Prayers for Protection



Mary Mazzola	Barbara Churchill	PFC Paul Marchese	Army	Afghanistan
Grace Tramantozzi	Barbara Danner	Ens. Stephen Dutton	Navy	At Sea
Lisa Aylian.	Maria DaRosa	Sgt. Joseph P. Surette	Army	Korea
Laura	Robert Menzies	CPL Richard Schaufus	Marines	Okinowa
Sis	Sandra Davis	T.Sgt.Kerry McDonough	Air Force	Iraq
Marie Perriello	Sal Solimine	MA-3 James Marchese	Navy	Italy
Chandra	Doris F.	PFC Steven Colombo	Marines	USA
Dottie Halley	Dick Butler	Staff Sgt. Eric Leverone	Army	Afghanistan
Ginnie Petrone	Nicholas	Lt. Vince Lynch	Army	Germany
Jean Simpson	John Nagle	STS2 Kyle J. Marchese	Navy	At Sea
Bea Reese	Baby Haley	Capt. Chris Brooks	Army	Afghanistan
Francis Ellis	Baby Courtney	CW02 Scott Munger	Marines	Hawaii
Baby Declan	Ollie Muir	Lt. Jennifer M. Delaney	Navy	USA
Helen Vaughn	Bella Russo	Lt. Col. Mark Merlino	Army	Iraq
Richie Holland	Alice Welch	CPL Shawn Weidman	Marines	At Sea
Rebecca	Helen Feehan	CPO David Sweet	Navy	Iraq
Cathy Fichtner	Michael Munafo	Sgt. Kaitlyn Guastafarro	Army	USA
Cathy Sullivan	Ann Martin	Staff Sgt. Brian Ladner	Marines	USA
Charles Corlin	Marisa Coppola	Lance Corp.Jeffrey Kelley	Marines	Afghanistan
Peggy McGarry	Jeanne Mazzola	Patrick Hurley	Army	Iraq
Coleen	Ruth			



Announcements

Baptisms - This week we welcomed our newly baptized into St. Margaret's Parish. We pray for them and congratulate the parents.

Ryleigh Ann Vadala

Kaiden Paul Morris

Ava Grace Eldridge

Funerals - This week St. Margaret's presided over the funerals of Louie Mazzola & Baldassare Angelo "Ben". We ask that all of us remember them and their families in Mass & prayer.

St. Agnes School - of Arlington, a K-8 Catholic elementary school, has some openings for new students in grades K-7. If you are interested in learning more about our school, contact our Development Director, Mrs. Ellen Ciarlone. Tours of the school are available by appointment. By emailing stagnesschool dev @ hotmail.com or calling 781-643-9031.

Driver Wanted - to transport a child to and from a home in Burlington to a pre-school located at Burlington High School Monday thru Friday. Please contact Jude and Judith at 617-293-3173.

St. Mary's Waltham - St. Mary Procession (Rosary and "praise and worship") around the Church after the Healing Mass in Tamil by Rev. Fr. Cyril Doss, August 29 from 6:45pm to 7:15pm.



Religious Education Registration Grades 1 through 12

Tuition

\$50 per child

\$75 for Second, Ninth & Tenth Grades

\$175 maximum per family

Full-time Teachers exempt

No other charges during the year

No child turned away

“A Week of Giving”

2009 is certainly one for the record books. Unfortunately, some of the records aren't ones we like breaking, such as the record number of families getting direct assistance from the Burlington Food Pantry. At least 150 families, with deep roots in our community, are hungry. People Helping People along with the Burlington Food Pantry is working to lend a hand to these families and we could sure use your help. Please join us for “A Week of Giving”.

Tuesday August 25 2009 – “Pizza Helping People“ at Flatbread Pizza Co. in Bedford, MA.

Flatbread will donate a percentage of their pizza sales to People Helping People along with the Burlington Food Pantry. Come and enjoy a good, healthy dinner while supporting those in need. There will also be a bake sale. This event is from 5 - 8 p.m.

Thursday August 27 2009 – Jazz and Chocolate Night - at St. Malachy's

\$10 per ticket, 7-9 PM Come one come all to our *Jazz and Chocolate Night!* Featuring guest performance by noted local jazz artist Julie DiOrio. Enjoy delicious chocolate and other desserts with our Jazz entertainment. Tell your family, friends and neighbors and join us for a wonderful night!

Sunday August 30, 2009 “Parade for the Pantry” St. Malachy's - St. Mark's - Burlington Common

Plan to walk with us! Gather pledges, tie up your walking shoes and join us for a fun filled event. Make it a family affair and show our young people that helping others can be rewarding and fun! All proceeds benefit our local families in need.

WALK FROM ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH TO THE COMMON

At 4:00pm walkers (individuals and groups) will gather at St. Malachy's Church to check in and present pledges. The walk will step off at 4:30 sharp. Walkers will walk along Bedford Street to St. Mark's Church (location of the food pantry). A short dedication ceremony is planned to commemorate the completion of our new food pantry building. Two years ago we walked to raise money to enlarge the pantry on this site. Today it is a reality thanks to the generosity of individuals and organizations in our community. The walk will continue to the Town Common for a delicious BBQ dinner with live music. If you are unable to walk please be sure to join us for the dedication and BBQ on the Common.

CONTINUES WITH DINNER AND LIVE MUSIC ON THE COMMON AFTER THE DEDICATION

\$5.00 will purchase a delicious dinner of burgers, hotdogs, salads, drinks and dessert. Two bands will provide music from 6:00pm – 8:00pm for your listening and dancing pleasure: New Liberty Jazz Band (Dixieland Jazz) Classified (songs from the 50's to Today)

If you are interested in donating a baked good for the bake sale a Flatbread or a chocolate donation for the Jazz & Chocolate night, contact Janet Fitzgerald at (781) 273-4312 sullivanfh@comcast.net Or Shelly Joyce (781) 266-7706.



Altar Ministries – Aug 22/23



Saturday
4:30 PM
Celebrant: Fr. Robinson
Cantor: ---
Reader: Joanne Mackey
EMHC(s): Joanne O’Keeffe, Elaine Wishneusky
Server(s): August Kaminski & Ashley Polland

Saturday
7:30 PM
Fr. Harry Kaufman

Ron Kurtz
Mary Lou McQuinn, Stephen Morecroft
Jillian Ghio & Page Brand

Sunday
7:30 AM
Celebrant: Fr. Harry Kaufman
Cantor: ---
Reader: Beth Mackey
EMHC(s): Lucy Bramanti, Dawn Dionne
Server(s): Annabelle Donne & Olivia Varghese

Sunday
10:00 AM Upper Church
Fr. Harry Kaufman
Christine Field
Dick Hanafin
Bill Boudreau, Keavan Stryker
Kevin Coluci, Jake Hanafin, Nicole Scola
Ryan Farrow

10:00 AM Children’s Mass
Celebrant: No Mass
Cantor: ---
Reader: ---
EMHC(s): ---
Server(s): ---

12:00 Noon
Fr. Robinson
Christine Field
Paul Mazzocca
Arthur Huse
Samantha Marchese & Nicholas Whitney

Our friends and neighbors above will be serving at the Lord’s Table this weekend. We are always in need of Readers and/or Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) at Mass. If you are interested, please contact Dick Donovan at 978-670-2660. Assignments above are subject to change.

August 16, 2009
Latest Financial Figures

- \$5,711 - Weekly Offertory Collection**
- \$4,187 - Building Fund**
- \$22,458 - Weekly Amount Banked For the Parish**
- \$74,286 - Amount Banked YTD For the Parish**
- \$73,500 - Budget Year To Date**
- \$786 - Budget Variance Year To Date**

Upcoming Second Collections

- August 23 - Catholic Home Missions**
- September 6 - Catholic University**

Having finalized our 2009-2010 St. Margaret’s budget, our Finance Council estimates the parish needs \$10,500 per week in revenue to avoid running a deficit.

St. Margaret's School of Religion
113 Winn Street
Burlington, MA 01803

Dear Parents,

Thank you to all who turned in their registration forms and payment for the 2009-2010 school year. All forms and payment for returning students in grades 2-8 were due by **August 16th, 2009**. Any forms (*for returning students in grades 2-8 only*) submitted after this date *must include an additional \$25/per family late fee*. Room assignments will be provided to registered students only. Late registrations will be processed on a space available basis. All registered students should watch the bulletin and check the parish website at **http://www.saintmargaretschurch.net** for information regarding class schedules, room assignments, home school, and religious education policies.

Please note, the late fee does NOT apply to students in grade 1 (NEW Students) or to students in grades 9-12 (high school.) The late fee applies only to returning students entering grades 2-8.

We are still in desperate need of teachers for grades 4-8. We need a **minimum of five** teachers at every grade level. Tuition will be waived for catechist's families. If you are interested in teaching a grade, please contact me via email at stmargccd@hotmail.com. Catechists will be provided with training and must complete a CORI form.

Tuition for 2009-2010:

Grades 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12:	\$50/per child
Grades 2, 9, and 10 :	\$75/per child
Family Maximum Payment:	\$175

LATE FEE (after August 16th): **Additional \$25/per family**

Registration forms are available at the rectory and on the parish website. Please note, children entering our program for the first time (including ALL GRADE ONE students), should complete the NEW Student Registration Form which is available on our website and in this bulletin. For NEW students who were baptized outside of Burlington, a copy of the student's **baptismal certificate** must be submitted with the registration form. ALL registration materials should be mailed to or dropped off at the rectory, St. Margaret's Parish, ATTN: Mary Murgo, 113 Winn Street, Burlington, MA 01803.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Mary Murgo

email: stmargccd@hotmail.com

Date: _____

Check Number: _____

**St. Margaret's School of Religion
NEW Student Registration Form**

**TUITION: Grades 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12 = \$50; Grades 2, 9, 10 = \$75; Family Maximum = \$175
Please submit to: St. Margaret's Parish, ATTN: Mary Murgio, 113 Winn Street, Burlington, MA 01803
*** A copy of student's baptismal record is needed for students baptized outside of Burlington, MA. ***
Please submit a copy of each student's baptismal record with this form.**

Father's First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Mother's First Name: _____

Maiden Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Father's Cell Phone: _____

Mother's Cell Phone: _____

FIRST CHILD:

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Religious Education Grade (1-8): _____

Church of Baptism: _____

Date of Baptism: _____

Church Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

SECOND CHILD:

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Religious Education Grade (1-8): _____

Church of Baptism: _____

Date of Baptism: _____

Church Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

THIRD CHILD:

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Religious Education Grade (1-8): _____

Church of Baptism: _____

Date of Baptism: _____

Church Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____
