

Announcements October 7, 2018

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Sunday Services

7:30, 9:00, 11:15 a.m.

Wednesday Service

7:30 a.m. in Admin. Building

Formation Hour

Sept. - May at 10:15 to 11 a.m.

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Publication Deadlines

Dragon Tales Weekly E-News
Monday afternoons

Sunday Announcements
Wednesday mornings

Use Connect Cards in the Pews

- *Newcomers contact information
- *Prayer requests
- *Change in your contact information
- *Make altar flowers dedication
- *Request pastoral visit

Sunday School Hour

Sunday School classes have resumed from 10:15 to 11 a.m. Please register your child before leaving them in a classroom! Registration forms are in the classrooms or automated on the church website. **NOTE: Our Sunday School bell will be rung when it is time for all children to go to their classrooms. We ask parents to make sure their students get to their room at that time.**

Today at St. Margaret's — History Tours!

Join us this morning at 10:20 in the Fellowship Hall of the formation building. Bring your coffee or tea along to view the virtual tour of the sights of our area with narration by the members of the History & Archives Project. Receive your copy of the photos, maps and directions for you to do your own driving tour at another time. Then join us following the 11:15 service (approximately 12:30) on the same day for a historical tour of the church and grounds followed by colonial refreshments in the parish hall.

The Power of Pledging Stewardship 2019

Thank you to everyone who attended our Stewardship Forum last week! For those who were not able to attend, we have an exciting announcement to share – **the \$35,000 matching campaign is back!** The following pledges will be matched:

- every pledge from someone who's not pledged before;
- any pledge from someone who has taken time off from pledging; and
- any pledge increase from the previous year's pledge.

The matching campaign this year, sponsored by generous parishioners, totals \$35,000. The matching efforts will until October 29th or until funds are exhausted, whichever comes first. For budget planning purposes, please submit your pledge by October 29th. And remember, pledging is a spiritual commitment, not a binding contract. Thank you for supporting St. Margaret's through Stewardship! For questions, contact Doug Seybert at (doug_seybert@yahoo.com) or Brad Callahan (brad@metacoastal.com).



Faith & Fellowship Mondays

Schedule

- 5:00pm -Spirit Singers (gr. 2-5) -Choir Room
- 5:30pm-Youth Chorale (gr. 6-12) -Choir Room
- 5:30 pm— Acolyte practice -Sanctuary
- 5:30 pm— Kids arts/crafts -Parish Hall
- 6:00 pm— Fellowship Dinner -Parish Hall
- 6:30 pm— Youth Group (middle/high school) Classroom D
- 6:45 pm—Adult Formation—Fellowship Hall
- 6:45pm—Motet Ensemble Rehearsal -Choir Room

Nursery Care available from 6 to 8 p.m.

Fellowship Dinners — Our Fellowship Dinners begin at 6 p.m. on Monday evenings. You can pay by cash the night of or by credit card online by going to our website, clicking on our Giving tab at the top. Checks are always welcome at the door as well.

Adult Formation Program — Tomorrow, Oct. 8

Led by Valery Weekley, participants will be using the Living the Questions series to look at the Exodus story and discussing how it speaks to the need for liberation from bondage and the human need for forgiveness of sins.

Screen Sense—THIS WEDNESDAY

Young Children & Technology Program

We are partnering with our Day School to provide a program for parents of young children on using technology in the early years. Program starts at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The program is free and all are welcome. The presenter is noted early childhood development expert Claire Lerner. Nursery care can be provided by emailing Elizabeth@st-margarets.org.

Fundraising Night for Day School on Oct. 17

Our Day School is sponsoring a fundraiser both at Spizico's and Froyo in Bay Hills the evening of Wed., Oct. 17th. Stop by or eat in and a portion of the proceeds goes to the school.

Diocesan Visit on October 21

The Rev. Cannon Scott Slater will be visiting and offering the sermon on Sunday, October 21. Please be sure and give him a hearty St. Margaret's welcome.

Bus Trip to Monastery of Holy Lands on Oct. 21

We will be visiting the Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Lands on October 21st. The monastery is in Washington, near Catholic University. After the 11:15 service, participants will eat lunch and watch a video in the Fellowship Hall before boarding a charter bus for a 3:00 tour of the monastery. The tour lasts about an hour. It is a fascinating and beautiful place. More information can be found on their website, myfranciscan.org. Cost is \$35. **There is a sign up table set up today during coffee-hour to register participants.**

Missions Fair on October 21

Mark your calendar to attend our annual Missions Fair to learn about the many outreach opportunities provided to parishioners. You will see displays and hear from representatives from a variety of fields.

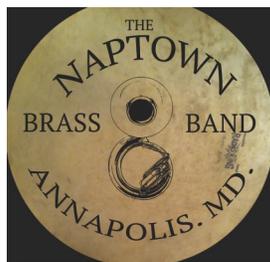
Blue Jean Sunday Scheduled for October 28

Wear your work clothes to church and bring your tools for our annual fall Blue Jean Sunday. Work will begin to spruce up the campus after the 9 a.m. service. For questions, contact Al Todd at hydroman1037@gmail.com.

All Saints' Mass

Sunday, Nov. 4
9:00 & 11:15 a.m.

Featuring music from the



If you have a special person **that has been born or that has died this year**, please email their name to info@st-margarets.org. We will remember them by adding their name to the necrology list in the bulletin. Deadline is Monday, October 29.

Parish Prayer List

For your prayers: Amanda Freeland, Joshua Stabile, Peter Hounsell, Joyce Hall, Norm Hall, Robin Hall, Becky Morser, Mary Jane.

For those who have died: Allen, Raymond.

For long-term prayers: David Schroeder, Suzanne Killmon, Jean Calderone, Deb Doolan, Sally Stephens, Mary Lu Prender, Ellis, Chey Cantler, Dottie, Joseph Meany, Ila, Charles Rector, Danielle Krolick, Kennedy, Peg Gledhill, Jessie Howe, Olivia Ridenhour, Jane Bowers, Carol Saunders, Patricia Holmes, Carol Ferguson, Sarah Holmes, Chanel Cassidy, Claire Wagner.

For those in the military: Ryan, Nate, John, Geoffrey, Dave, Shelby, Staci, Christiaan, Josh, Evan, Jon, Tom, Richard, Keith, Sarah, Chris, Jay, James, Ross, Philip, Jacob, Pete, Michael, Tim, Ryan, Glen, Matthew, Steven, Daniel, Heidi, Garrett, Joel, Justin, Joshua, Zachary, Conrad, Jake, Kevin, Victoria, Amelia, Ben, David, Paul and their families.

A Note on Prayer Requests — We often remove prayer list names that have been on for a longer period of time. If a name has been taken off and you still want them on the list, email info@st-margarets.org. To add a name to the prayer list, please use our new prayer request forms (purple) in the pews (to put in the collection plate or give to clergy), make a request on our website using the "Prayer Request" green button toward the bottom of the homepage, or share with clergy.



We will be focusing on Domestic Violence and have a special guest speaker, Kenyatta Jensen, Residential and Outreach Services Coordinator for the YWCA of Annapolis & Anne Arundel Co., during coffeehour.

Veterans Day Service of Remembrance

11:15 a.m.—Sunday, Nov. 11

We will feature a slideshow during coffeehour with **photos of veterans (and those enlisted) connected to St. Margaret's**. Please email digital photos to laura@st-margarets.org or place your photo in her mailbox on Sunday with your name on the back to return it to you. **Deadline is Nov. 4.**

CANCELLED

Third Sunday Band has cancelled their Music Coffeehouse event on Saturday, Oct. 27 but plan to re-schedule in the near future for their new CD release. More info soon!

Check our youth page on our website (under formation tab) or displayed in the formation lobby for our many youth events.