

Thank you to all assisting in today's service

The Right Revd W. Andrew Waldo, Bishop
The Reverend Thomas E. Nicoll, Interim Priest
The Reverend Deacon Thomas A. Hipp, Jr. (AI), Deacon
Betty McAbee, Choir Director

Lector One: John Lively
Lector Two: Christian McDaniel
Chalice Bearers: Will Hawkins
Henry Whittingham
Altar: Will Hawkins
Crucifer: Steven Ashley
Nursery: Stephanie Wilds

Chapel: Stephanie Wilds
Greeters: Jeffrey Morgan, David Grayshock
Ushers: John & Paula Lively
Tellers: Rickey Gilbert
Coffee: Nisha Bhatti, Jenni Turner

Vestry

Scott Collins, Senior Warden
David Grayshock, Junior Warden
Karen Michelin, Liturgy
Cynde Payne, Stewardship
Sharon Landon, Outreach

Dennis Turner, Evangelism
Kristie Marshall, ECW
Christian McDaniel, Youth
Rachel Hill, Christian Education
Charla Hopkins, Treasurer

Attendance

March 10, 2019 ~ 78

March 8, 2020 ~ 58

Budget as of Mar 8, 2020

Pledge YTD ~ \$22128.00

Actual YTD ~ \$24459.00

Change to Maintain ~ \$1977.32

A Brief History of St. Margaret's

St. Margaret's Parish has grown from twenty members in 1984 to over two hundred. Our members are interested in and involved with many local, diocesan and international mission projects. We are glad you are here and we hope you will join us regularly. Our Parish was named for St. Margaret of Scotland. With considerable zeal, Queen Margaret sought to change what she considered to be old fashioned and careless practices among the Scottish clergy. St. Margaret's energies were not limited to reformation of formal Church practices. She encouraged the founding of schools, hospitals, and orphanages, and used her influence with her husband, King Malcolm, to help her improve the quality of life among the isolated Scottish clans. Together, Queen Margaret and King Malcom rebuilt the monastery of Iona and founded Dunfermline Abbey, under the direction of the Benedictine monks. St. Margaret was canonized in 1250. St. Margaret's feast day is November 16.



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The Third Sunday in Lent

Year A

March 15, 2020

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Welcome! If you are new to St. Margaret's, please feel free to ask an usher or any parishioner for assistance. We ask that you please fill out the yellow visitor's sheet available in the Narthex. We look forward to getting to know you.

Children are warmly welcomed here. Nursery care is available from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. There is Children's Chapel during the 10:30 a.m. service.

Worship Books: We use two books in our service, which are located in the chair book rack. The Book of Common Prayer (BCP) is black and the Hymnal is red.

Silence plays an important part in our service, and periods of silence are observed after the readings, the sermon, and during the prayers.

All baptized Christians, adults and children, are welcome at the Lord's Table for communion. The ushers will assist you in coming forward.

The mission of St. Margaret's Church is to joyfully and without hesitation celebrate and embrace God's Love through worship, fellowship, service and sacrifice.

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

Before worship, please observe prayerful silence and turn off all cell phones.

Prelude	Lead Me Lord	
*Processional	There Is A Green Hill Far Away	Hymn 167
A Penitential Order		BCP p. 351
The Kyrie Eleison	Lord, have mercy	BCP p. 356
Collect of the Day		See insert
First Lesson		Exodus 17:1-7
Psalms 95		Insert
Second Lesson		Romans 5:1-11
*Gospel Hymn	O Jesus, Joy Of Loving Hearts	Hymn 649 Vs 1
*Gospel		John 4:5-42
*Gospel Hymn	O Jesus, Joy Of Loving Hearts	Hymn 649 Vs 4
Sermon		The Rev. Thomas Nicoll
*Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People	Form V	BCP p. 389
Passing of the Peace		
Offertory Hymn	God Of All Comfort	Choir
*The Great Thanksgiving	Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP p. 367
Sanctus	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>	Hymnal S-129
Lord's Prayer & Breaking of Bread		BCP p. 364
Communion Hymns		343,657,685,686
+Prayers for Healing		
*Post-Communion Prayer		BCP p. 365
Closing Hymn	Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah	Hymn 690
Dismissal		

**Please stand*

+Prayers for Healing: after everyone has received communion anyone wishing prayers for healing may come to the altar rail.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion.

The Sanctuary Candle Burns for the Glory of God

Prayer List

John, Angela, Nancy, Fedor, Serafina, Luciana, Sally, Tamara, Landa, Rick, Mike, Dean, Henry, Paula, Lindsey, Carmen, Rita, Raelynn, Carmen, Kathy B., Jeanette, Laurie, Nicky, George, Vera, Kevin, O'Neill Family.

Our Servicemen and Women, with special prayers for:
Trent~ Danial ~ Matt ~ George ~ Bobby ~ Jesse~ Meg~ Dustin ~ Hannah ~ Cliff ~ Tyler ~ Connor ~ Shane ~ Jean ~ Mario ~ Arthur

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:
Happening #83 Youth Retreat

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for:
The Church of England, The Most Revd and Right Hon Justin Welby,
Archbishop of Canterbury

Michael, The Presiding Bishop
Andrew, our Bishop
Tom, our interim Priest
Al, our Deacon

Prayer for Church Growth

Gracious Father, we ask spiritual growth for ourselves, our families and friends, and especially for our family St. Margaret's. Grant us growth in understanding and willingness to be your Body in this world. Empower us to live the mission of Christ: to preach, teach, heal, and make disciples. In joyful thanksgiving for the blessing of your presence in our lives, compel us to share you with everyone we meet. May our numbers increase, our commitment deepen, our lives be joyfully yours. Make us a God-centered people. In Christ's name we pray. Amen

Prayer for Clergy Search Committee

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on St. Margaret's, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. (BCP)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanks for everyone's help. I really appreciate each and everyone that helps and supports the Oyster Roast. Please stay after church and help clean up the left overs and put stuff back in the shed. Thanks again, Janice.

Tuesday, March 17, 7 PM, Evangelism Committee Meet at New Groove.
March 18, 6 PM, Wednesday Lenten Program followed by Soup Supper.
Thursday, March 19, 1 PM Lunch Bunch at Manny's.
Saturday, April 4, 9 AM ECW Prayer Breakfast at the Grapevine.

April 10, 5:30 PM Good Friday Stations of the Cross Through Downtown Spartanburg. St. Margaret's is participating.

Holy Week Schedule for St. Margaret's
April 9, Maundy Thursday 7 PM AGAPE and start of the prayer vigil at 9 pm
thru 12 noon Good Friday

April 10, Good Friday Service 12 noon
April 12, Easter Sunday HE 10:30 am

Saturday, April 18th- Youth Event ~Kite Soaring at International Festival. See Christian McDaniel.

Sunday, April 19, SMEC Annual Greenville Drive Game. Sign-up in connector. See Nancy Morrell.