



## CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

- An open door for returning Catholics without obstacles
- A friendly environment for asking any questions
- An understanding ear for listening to your concerns
- An open heart for healing the hurting
- A heavy heart for the hurts of the Church
- A willingness to love and care



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- Are you a Catholic who now feels separated from the Church?
- Would you like to feel at home in the Catholic Church again?
- Have you left the Catholic Church because of a divorce or remarriage?
- Were you raised Catholic but do not come or seldom come to Church anymore?
- Do you only attend Church on Christmas and Easter and wish to connect more to your faith?
- Has the Catholic Church hurt you in some way?

*If you answered yes to any of these questions, attending "Catholics Returning Home" may be the answer you were looking for.*

*Please contact the Parish Office at 847-658-7625 for information.*



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*A Ministry of  
Compassion and Reconciliation*



*111 South Hubbard Street,  
Algonquin, Illinois*

*[www.saintmargaretmary.org](http://www.saintmargaretmary.org)*

*An Invitation to Inactive or  
Non-Practicing Catholics seeking  
a path back to  
the Catholic Church*



*St. Margaret Mary Parish  
Welcomes You Home and  
Hopes to See You Soon!*

# You Are Always Welcome...



All Meetings are Tuesdays  
in the Ministry Center at 7:30 PM  
(unless otherwise indicated below)

## Spring Schedule

**March 10, 2020 (Church Lobby)**  
*Overview: "Why Are We Here?"*

**March 17, 2020 (Ministry Center)**  
*Sharing Stories of Faith*

**March 24, 2020 (Ministry Center)**  
*The Church Today*

**March 31, 2020 (Ministry Center)**  
*Explanation of the Mass*

*Holy Week – No Sessions this week*

**April 14, 2020 (Ministry Center)**  
*Explanation of the Creed*

**April 21, 2020 (Ministry Center)**  
*Explanation of Reconciliation*

*Note: Ash Wednesday is February 26<sup>th</sup>  
and Easter is April 12<sup>th</sup>. We hope you will  
join us during the Lenten Season!*

We at "Catholics Returning Home" wish to reach out to those of you who have been non-practicing or inactive Catholics and invite you to return Home to the Catholic Church. If you are a Catholic who has been away from a Church for a while, this invitation is for you!

No matter how long you have been away or for whatever reason, we invite you to consider renewing your relationship with the Catholic Church.

Please join us for an informal listening session and update of the Catholic faith facilitated by parishioners and former non-practicing Catholics. The sessions will provide ample opportunity for answering questions.



## Where Are We Located?

Saint Margaret Mary Church is located 1/4 mile East of Rt. 31 and 1 mile West of Rt. 25 at the corner of Algonquin Road (Rt. 62) and Hubbard Street.

Please contact the Parish Office at 847-658-7625 if you have any questions.

**No reservations necessary.**  
**Spring Sessions begin**  
**March 10, 2020!**

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**in the SMM Ministry Center**  
(the building directly  
east of the church)