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Why do I go to Mass?

I never feel closer to God than when I am feeding my faith on a regular basis. Consistency with my daily devotions and regular scripture reading/reflection are challenges that I continue to struggle with. For these reasons I look forward to the weekend mass as an important opportunity to gain strength through the Eucharist, the Word and the fellowship of our community.

Why am I Catholic?

I was raised Catholic and had the opportunity to attend parochial schools in Oshkosh as a child. As a teen I was able to further build my relationship with Jesus and explore my faith through various retreats. I felt very comfortable with the Catholic faith, as I understood it. Admittedly, after 12 years of parochial school and continuing to practice my faith, I feel like I am just scratching the surface. A fellow St. Margaret Mary parishioner once mentioned to me that the Catholic faith is a lifelong journey and we never stop learning. I am excited to continue the journey...

What do I like about St. Margaret Mary's?

My wife, Laura, and I brought our family to St. Margaret Mary from another parish about 5 years ago as our daughter was entering kindergarten. We toured the school and visited the parish with a positive reaction to both. We felt strongly about embracing a faith community where our children learn and play as well. We have enjoyed getting involved in both the school and parish (Laura is active at school and on the parish Garden Club, and I am active with the Choir and Pastoral Council), finding these activities to be fun ways to meet many wonderful people and make some good friends. St. Margaret Mary feels like an extension of our family.