

Real Suffering: A Four Week Study



**Why do we suffer so much in this life?
What is the purpose
and meaning of our trials?
How can we find hope and healing
amidst our sorrow?**

This four week study seeks to answer these difficult questions. Suffering is something that touches everyone from the poor to the powerful. It can lead to doubts about God's love and can leave hearts unhappy for a lifetime. But it doesn't have to be this way. We will explore the underlying purpose of our sorrows and learn how to bear our crosses with faith as we begin to view them as a means for drawing closer to God.

Wednesdays
September 4, 11, 18, and 25, 2019
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM
Saint Maria Goretti Parish Center:
Saint Maria Goretti Room (Upper Level)
Cost: \$15.00

Please mail registration form below
and check for \$15.00 per person
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**Saint Maria Goretti Parish Center
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*We rejoice in our sufferings,
knowing that suffering produces endurance,
and endurance produces character,
and character produces hope,
and hope does not disappoint us,
because God's love
has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit
who has been given to us.*

Romans 5: 3-5