

Saint Agnes Catholic Church

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time— January 17th, 2021

“The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God!” The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, “What are you seeking?” And they said to him, “Rabbi, where are you staying?” He said to them, “Come and you will see.””

John 1: 35-39



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Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
and 12:00 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Monday – Friday: 6:30 a.m.,
9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.,
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Will you adore Jesus
at St. Agnes just 1
Hour a Month?

Please Sign Up
Online at

[https://bit.ly/Adore-24-](https://bit.ly/Adore-24-7)

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Ministries & Groups at Saint Agnes

Adult Faith Formation

- RCIA— analisa.pinson@arlingtondiocese.org
- Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible — analisa.pinson@arlingtondiocese.org
- Walking with Purpose — stagneswwp@gmail.com

Parish Service

- Arts & Crafts — bkdanlyiw@verizon.net
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- Christ House Team — Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com
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- Gardening Angels — jshirhall@gmail.com
- Legion of Mary— atorrey@legionaries.org
- Pro-Life Awareness— ssyenson@gmail.com
- Remembrance Circle— remembrancecircle@saintagnes.org
- St. Raphael Prayer Group— littlecubb@aol.com

Liturgy

- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion— dkcwhelan@gmail.com
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- Lectors— biehlerj@aol.com
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Youth Activities

- Challenge Club— kefoley2@pefoley.com
- Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts— mallen@americanpublic.us
- CYO Sports- ed.mcfadden@me.com
- Youth Group and Young Adults— mjardell@saintagnes.org

Check out our website for more detail! We are all called to find a deeper happiness in Christ and to use what gifts we do have for the glory of God!

Due to COVID-19, we are not hosting our Hospitality and social activities at the moment except on a limited basis.

Saint Agnes Essentials

Infant/Child Baptism:

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays after the Noon Mass. Please contact Marie Macnamara, Director of Faith Formation, at 703-527-1129, to learn more about having your child baptized.

Marriage Preparation:

Call the Parish Office for Pre-Cana at least 7 months prior to your wedding.

Anointing of the Sick:

Call the Parish Office to request Anointing of the Sick. Anyone with a serious illness should request this sacrament before being admitted to the hospital.

Homebound Visitation:

Contact the Parish Office at 703-525-1166.

How to become Catholic:

Interested in joining the Catholic Church or want to learn more? Contact Ana Lisa Pinon at analispinson@arlingtondiocese.org

Holy Orders and Consecrated Life:

Is the Lord calling you? For information about priesthood, the permanent diaconate, or the consecrated life, contact one of the priests or the Diocesan Vocations Office at 703-841-2514.

Registration/Change of Address:

Forms can be found in the church, parish office, or on our website. Return completed forms to the parish office or parishoffice@saintagnes.org.

Mass Intentions:

Please visit the Parish Office to request Mass intentions. We are currently scheduling into April/ May.

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 17

- 8:00 a.m. † Mary Ellen Coffey
(Hodges Family)
10:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners
12:00 p.m. † Thomas I. Schaben
(Van Niman Family)

Monday, January 18

- 6:30 a.m. No Mass
9:00 a.m. † Poor Souls
(Tara Telesha)

Tuesday, January 19

- 6:30 a.m. † Eva Drohobycky
(Sloniewsky Family)
9:00 a.m. James and Kathryn Bronson
(Bronson Family)

Wednesday, January 20

- 6:30 a.m. † Daivd Reilly
(Czerewko Family)
9:00 a.m. † Rev. Frank Ready
(Ruth Foster)

Thursday, January 21

- 6:30 a.m. † Dolores Rodriguez
(Carmen L. Guardia)
9:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners
(Feast of St. Agnes)
7:00 p.m. Conversion of the Nation
(St. Agnes Parish, Latin Mass)

Friday, January 22

- 6:30 a.m. Sister Mary Paul
(Thomas DiFilippo)
9:00 a.m. † Martha LaBrosse
(The Sullivan Family)

Saturday, January 23

- 7:30 a.m. † Maria Martins
(Mario Martins)
9:00 a.m. † Mary Warchot
(Christiane West)

Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Leon Pareja Pareja
(Edmundo Rubio)

Sunday, January 24

- 8:00 a.m. † Marta LaBrosse
(Katie Howell)
10:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners
12:00 p.m. † Anthony and Elizabeth Fonseka
(Margaret Fonseka)

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made
worthy of the promises of Christ.
Amen

Scripture Readings

Week of January 17, 2021

- Sunday** Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10;
1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42
- Monday** Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 2:18-22
- Tuesday** Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c;
Mk 2:23-28
- Wednesday** Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr;
Saint Sebastian, Martyr
Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 3:1-6
- Thursday** Memorial of Saint Agnes, Virgin and
Martyr
Heb 7:25—8:6; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17;
Mk 3:7-12
- Friday** Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of
Unborn Children
Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14;
Mk 3:13-19
- Saturday** Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr;
Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin
Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9;
Mk 3:20-21
- Sunday** Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

Keep Them in Your Prayers

For those who are sick in
our midst:

Katie Howell
Olivia Egge
Dorothy Myrtle
Christopher Ayala
John Mulrooney
Michael McEnrue
Agnes Gallagher
Ben Frank
Michel Gemond
George Ruppert
Adrienne Downs
Robb Seymour
Angela Vindel
Harry Kriz
Cynthia Romeo
Those fighting against
COVID-19

Residents of Cherrydale
Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who
have recently passed:

Mary G. Hardiman
Martha LaBrosse
Kendall Forrester
Richard C. Vetterick, Sr.
Nancy Millard
Hildegard Ciabattoni
Margaret Travers
Renate Goff
Gladys Ray Robinson
Phillip Reiss
Mike Burke
Eugenia Urbano
Marge Lopez
Monica Quesada
Victims of COVID-19

The Feast Day of St. Agnes

On Thursday, January 21st we will celebrate the St. Agnes' Feast Day. There will be a traditional Latin Mass at 7 p.m. and all are welcome!

St. Agnes was born in Rome in the year 291 A.D. to a Christian family. Agnes committed herself to never being married and declared, "Jesus Christ is my only spouse." She was denounced a Christian, and was chained and confined to a house of sin. However, Agnes remained steadfast in her faith. Agnes was sentenced to death and beheaded in front of her fellow Romans.

*"Patron saint of children, watch over the children of this parish and those of the whole world; keep them safe from harm, be with them in their hour of need, and pray for them always.
St. Agnes, Pray for Us. Amen."*

Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom

The Acts of the Apostles is the story of how a few Christians, empowered by the Holy Spirit, were chosen to bring Christ and the Good News to the ends of the earth. Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom is a Bible study that traces how the gospel witness spread outward in waves from Jerusalem and reveals how the seeds of Church structure and authority took root. It shows how the joys and struggles of the early Christians in living the life of Christ apply to us today.

St. Agnes will begin a twenty-week Bible study Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom on January 5, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, visit ascensionpress.com, or contact Todd Cotts at toddcotts@me.com.

Extraordinary Form Mass



Thank you to everyone who has attended our last Extraordinary Form Masses. We believe that this is the beginning of a wonderful tradition here at St. Agnes. All are welcome at St. Agnes' monthly celebration of a traditional Latin Mass. We invite you to experience Mass in a form that you never have before. The Mass is said in the original Latin and accompanied with beautiful music selected by Katrina Keat. Fr. Peter McShurley will be the celebrant every month.

The next Extraordinary Form Mass will be held on

**Friday, January 21st, 2021
at 7 p.m.**

MARCH FOR LIFE

January 29, 2021
— Washington, DC —



9:00 Mass: followed by a Rosary for Life

10:15 AM: complimentary coffee and a snack for Marchers in the Parish Center

11:15 AM: Walk to the Ballston Metro

3:30/4:00 PM: (approximate timing)
Metro back to VA

COVID-19 Precautions and social distancing will be enforced.

Remember: Mask, Metro card, Sanitizer

For further information contact Sally Yenson ssyenson@gmail.com

see website for details

<https://marchforlife.org/national-march-for-life/#events>

Strengthened by His Word and Sacraments

Walking with Purpose

Do you desire to grow in your Catholic faith? Would you like to connect with other women in our parish community? We invite you to consider joining Walking with Purpose, a women's Catholic Bible study. Weekly group sessions are held either Tuesday evenings (7:30 – 9 p.m.) or Thursday mornings (9:45 – 11:15 a.m.). We are offering three studies this year with the option to attend either virtually or in person. No prior scripture knowledge required – and no walking! Visit St. Agnes Parish webpage (under Ministries – Adult Faith Formation) for more information and to register. Questions—contact Kelly Van Niman or Sara Sullivan at stagneswwp@gmail.com.

CLASES DE BIBLIA EN ESPAÑOL.

Si sientes necesidad de ahondar más y conocer mejor tu Fe Católica únete al grupo que se esta formando ahora en nuestra parroquia. Nos reunimos en la Sala Parroquial, los viernes, de 9:45 a 11, los viernes por la mañana, tomando las debidas precauciones, con mascarillas y el distanciamiento preciso. Vamos a empezar con el estudio del Evangelio según San Marcos.

Para registrarse o para obtener más información llamar a Carmen Egge (703 522-8001) gveggejr@gmail.com.

2020 Contributions

Contribution statements for 2020 will be mailed to those whose parish records indicate they have contributed during the year. If you do not receive your statement by **January 31**, please contact the Parish Office at parishoffice@saintagnes.org. Thank you for your stewardship of God's gifts and your generosity for the many needs of parish life!



New Beginnings and Straight Answers with Father Saunders

Please join us on Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. This class is open to everyone. Each class will last about one hour and will continue every Thursday except for holidays. Recordings of the classes can be found on the St. Agnes YouTube page at <https://bit.ly/stagnesarlington>

For more information or to RSVP, email Analisa.pinon@arlingtondiocese.org.



All HS youth are invited to participate in our Tuesday Youth Nights from 7:30-9:30 p.m. outside the front of the gym (weather permitting). Come for the fellowship, faith, and sports!

Are you interested in growing deeper in your faith? We are starting small groups for both guys and girls to grow in faith, service, formation, and friendships! Boys and girls groups will meet at 7 a.m. on Mondays in the Faith Formation Office meeting room and the Parish Hall. If interested, please contact Fr. McShurley or Mackenzie Jardell.

Follow us on Instagram @stagnesyouth and text @stagnesym to 81010 for updates!

Saint Raphael Prayer Group

Saint Raphael is the archangel of medicine, happy meetings, and joy. We are the Saint Raphael prayer group who pray from 7:00-9:00 pm every Monday, inside the church.

Our group prays the rosary, reads prayers from the Saint Raphael prayer book, and prays the divine mercy chaplet. We pray for physical and spiritual healing. The members of the St. Raphael Prayer Group would like to invite our Saint Agnes community to join us. No registration is required to participate.

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encounter.



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SEEK₂₁

Do you want to see your family, parish, or diocese on fire with the Catholic faith? Do you want to be able to confidently share the good news and equip others to do the same?

Where: Saint Agnes

When: Feb. 4th -7th


Cost: \$20

(cash or check, Please make out checks to St. Agnes Catholic Church)
Scholarships available

MAKING MISSIONARY DISCIPLES TRACK


Join us February 4th - 7th in your own community for the Making Missionary Disciples Track at FOCUS's SEEK21 conference. Dive deep into the vision of what God has called each of us to do — live as missionary disciples — and receive hands-on, Christ centered ways to bring this vision to life in your parish, community, or diocese. Accompany a small group of friends or parishioners through four days of formation and training!

To register email us at
seek21@saintagnes.org



St. Agnes School is a Catholic community centered on the teachings of Jesus Christ and strengthened by the partnership between parents, who are the primary educators of our students, and our dedicated teaching staff.

We believe in the mission to educate our students so that they become loving Christians, inspired learners, outstanding achievers, natural communicators, and strong servants of God.



Saint Agnes Catholic School



Pre-Kindergarten students were happy to be back at school and celebrating the Epiphany with their classmates!

For information about openings, contact the school office at 703-527-5423.

CCD

Religious Education

The 2nd Grade Parent Meeting for First Penance will be on January 24th at 1:15 p.m. in the Church immediately after the noon Mass.

The Religious Education program continues as students in CCD are working in and out of the classroom to deepen their relationship with God and learn about their faith!