

Saint Agnes Catholic Church

April 24, 2022

Second Sunday of Easter

Divine Mercy Sunday



From the Gospel of John

“Have you come to believe because you have seen Me?
Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

Jn 20:19-31

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 24

- 8:00 a.m. † George De Grange
(Deborah Wooldridge)
- 10:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners
- 12:00 p.m. † Doc Kurkee Norman
(Jenny Sullivan)

Monday, April 25

- 6:30 a.m. † John T. Miller, Jr.
(Don and Sheila Dougherty)
- 9:00 a.m. † Aurea de Angel
(Carmen Guardia)

Tuesday, April 26

- 6:30 a.m. † Nathan Kotz
(Ruth Foster)
- 9:00 a.m. Mary Anthony
(Ruth Foster)

Wednesday, April 27

- 6:30 a.m. Gabriel Rabello
(Vitoria Vargas)
- 9:00 a.m. † Barbara Dannaher
(Lee and Dannaher Families)

Thursday, April 28

- 6:30 a.m. † Tom Crist
(Armelle Tallec)
- 9:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory
(Anonymous)

Friday, April 29

- 6:30 a.m. Sue Malone
(Deborah Wooldridge)
- 9:00 a.m. Michelle Davis and Family
(Marvin Hurley)

Saturday, April 30

- 7:30 a.m. † Carolyn M. Andros
(C.R. Andros)
- 9:00 a.m. Alex Iacono
(Ruth Foster)

Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Augustine McDowell
(Armelle Tallec)

Sunday, May 1

- 8:00 a.m. † Timothy Kiley
(John Gall)
- 10:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners
- 12:00 p.m. Sharon Agronov
(Deborah Wooldridge)

† indicates person is deceased

Scripture Readings

Week of April 24, 2022

Sunday

Second Sunday of Easter
Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

Monday

Feast of Saint Mark, Evangelist
1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20

Tuesday

Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday

Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 3:16-21

Thursday

Memorial of St. Louis Mary de Montfort, Priest; Memorial of Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr
Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2 & 9, 17-18, 19-20; Jn 3:31-36

Friday

Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday

Memorial of Saint Pius V, Pope, Religious
Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21

Sunday

Third Sunday of Easter
Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

Keep Them in Your Prayers

For those who are sick in our midst:

Judy Shack, Walter Quinn, William Thomas, Paul Carder, Jazmin Leon, Carol Naill, Cathy Sheehan-Wilson, Anthony Baynard, Ed Bonin, Marlise Yetter, Muffy Reinecker, Those suffering from COVID-19, Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who have recently passed:

Karen McCoy, Helena Metzger, John and Kathleen Long, Peter Davis, Amanda Stelfox, John R. Donnelly, Rosa Amalia Recinos, Arlene Zapolski, Nancy Winlund, Victims of COVID-19

Will you adore
our Lord
one hour
a month?





Saint Agnes Essentials

Sacramental Emergency:

Please call (703) 525-1166 Ext 1.

Infant/Child Baptism:

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays after the Noon Mass. Please contact the Parish Office 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 Piñon at analisapinon@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 October 2022.

Parish Clergy

Pastor • Rev. William Saunders
Parochial Vicar • Rev. Peter McShurley
In residence • Rev. Anthony Pinizzotto
In residence • Rev. Steven Oetjen

Parish Office

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Assistant Principal • Ann Reid areid@saintagnes.org

Sunday Mass (in Parish Hall)

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

Weekday Mass (in Parish Hall)

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.



Remembrance Circle

The St. Agnes Remembrance Circle is a group of compassionate parishioners who provide comfort and support to the bereaved of our parish. At our informal gatherings we focus on healing with the help of our Catholic faith, keeping the memory of our loved ones alive and doing random acts of kindness in their memory. We typically meet on the first Sunday of the month. For more information, please contact Karen Swingle at: remembrancecircle@saintagnes.org.

New Bible Study Program Starts This Week—April 26th!

Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John—An Eight-Part Bible Study Featuring Dr. Edward Sri

Following Christ takes more than simply believing in Him or doing what He asks of us. Jesus wants you to be more than just a believer—He wants you to be His disciple and friend. *Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John* is a guide to a personal encounter with Christ. *Follow Me* invites you to experience the joy of a renewed friendship with Christ. Participants of *Follow Me* will receive a workbook and will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The eight 30-minute videos, presented by Dr. Edward Sri, will guide you through the Gospel of John.

Where: Saint Agnes Parish Hall

Time: 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Dates: April 26 (St. Thomas More Room); May 3, 10, 17, 24; June 7, 14, 21

Cost for Materials: \$25.00 paid on the first day of class

Link for registration: <https://bit.ly/ArlingtonFollowME>

Questions: analisa.pinon@arlingtondiocese.org

Ministries & Groups at Saint Agnes

Adult Faith Formation

- Bible Study— analisa.pinon@arlingtondiocese.org
- RCIA— analisa.pinon@arlingtondiocese.org
- Spanish Bible Study— gvegge@aol.com
- Walking with Purpose — stagneswvp@gmail.com

Parish Service

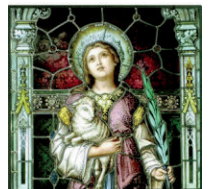
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- Calix — gtrcity@yahoo.com
- Cherrydale Rehab Prayer Group— biehlerj@aol.com
- Christ House Team — Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com
- Divorced and Separated Catholics Support Group— francisco.j.solares@gmail.com
- Gardening Angels — jshirhall@gmail.com
- Knights of Columbus— jim@saenzmail.com
- Legion of Mary— jbdugan45@gmail.com
- Parents Prayer Group— maureenross@icloud.com
- Parish Charities— charity@saintagnes.org
- Remembrance Circle— remembrancecircle@saintagnes.org
- Respect Life— saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com
- St. Joseph's League— kkelly@ratereset.com
- St. Raphael Prayer Group— littlecubb@aol.com
- Young Adults— youngadults@saintagnes.org

Liturgy

- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion— dkcwhelan@gmail.com
- Flower Guild— dfowen@aol.com
- Lectors— biehlerj@aol.com
- Sacristans— ruthefoster@earthlink.net
- Ushers— jholl2473@aol.com

Youth Activities

- Challenge Club— kefoley2@pefoley.com
- Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts— mallen@americanpublic.us
- CYO Sports- ed.mcfadden@me.com
- Girl Scouts— monablake@gmail.com
- Youth Group— youth.ministry@saintagnes.org



The next Extraordinary Form Mass will be held on Friday, May 6th at 7:00 p.m.

CALLING THE YOUNG CHURCH



**JOIN US IN PORTUGAL FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY
JULY 28- AUGUST 7, 2023**

The international gathering of the young church, started by Pope St John Paul in 1985, continues next year! This pilgrimage will include a visit to Fatima before WYD in Lisbon. Airfare, lodging, and most meals included.

WHO CAN JOIN?

YOUNG ADULTS + HIGH SCHOOLERS
classes 2023-26

Note: the high school class of 2022 will be considered Young Adults for WYD.

16+ by July 28, 2023, can attend solo. 14+ can attend with parent.

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Sign up now by scanning QR Code or visiting

<https://tinyurl.com/WYD23-STAGNES>

DEPOSITS DUE IN APRIL



SEND QUESTIONS TO FR MCSHURLEY.

SEND IN YOUR CAR RAFFLE TICKETS

THE RAFFLE DRAWING is this Saturday – April 30th!

Did you realize that each ticket has a chance to win cash drawings (including one for \$20,000) and 4 vehicles? When a winner is drawn, their name goes back into the drum for subsequent drawings. What a deal!

And, the money helps to pay for Workcamp 2022!

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Like us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/stagneschurcharlington>.

Free FORMED Subscription

Check out FORMED.org! A FORMED subscription includes videos, Bible Studies, books, podcasts and more! Sign up by selecting Saint Agnes Church using our parish zip code (22207).

CAN YOU HELP US?

Work with a team preparing high schoolers for service next summer. Various roles available depending on availability, skill.

OPCYP: Must pass background check, may require VIRTUS training.

Scan QR to sign up. Email youth.ministry@saintagnes.org for updates and more information



WORKCAMP

JUNE 18-24, 2022 | WINCHESTER, VA

Attending WorkCamp? Add our monthly meetings to your calendar. Meetings are mandatory for campers, adult leaders encouraged to attend.

Apr. 26 | 6:30 PM

May 22 | 1:00 PM

June 7 | 6:30 PM

Email youth.ministry@saintagnes.org with conflicts.

Ukraine Solidarity Fund!

The Knights of Columbus have a Ukraine Solidarity Fund to help the suffering Ukrainians. Check the website at: <https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/donate/ukraine.html>.

Saint Agnes Catholic Church LENTEN PARISH MISSION

Meals for the Poor



**MEAL PACKING EVENT
April 30, 9:00 a.m. in the Gym**

Thank you to all who signed up for the event!

We look forward to seeing you on the 30th!

For more information, please contact John Mallonee at charity@saintagnes.org



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY
Mother's Day Baby Bottle Drive
for HOPE in NOVA



HOPE in Northern Virginia is a Crisis Pregnancy Center. Located a block away from the local abortion center, Hope is a "life saver." At no cost, Moms can receive compassion, sonograms, material resources and education both during pregnancy and long after delivery. Learn more at friendsofhopeinnova.org.

Please help us once again to fill these bottles with heartfelt donations.

Checks (made payable to St. Agnes), currency or coins.

Families await our help. Baskets of bottles will be at the Parish Hall entrances starting April 23rd.

Return filled bottles on Mother's Day weekend May 8/9.

Thank you for generosity!

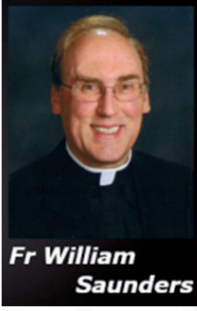


Our Novena of Masses on behalf of our Mothers, Grandmothers, and those who have been a mother to us will start with the 8:00 a.m. Mass on May 8th, Mother's Day. It is proper to remember those who have died and to honor our mothers and grandmothers who are still living. To do so, please pick up the Mother's Day packets in the Parish Hall entrances, inscribe legibly the outer envelope with the names you wish to be remembered, include your offering, and return the envelope to the office or collection baskets by Friday, May 6th.

Faith Direct

Spring is in full bloom—God's glory is all around us! If you want to help Saint Agnes flourish, now is the perfect time to make the switch to eGiving. You can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift; you'll be growing our ministries that share the Good News of God's love. Sign up today by visiting <https://faith.direct/VA76>, or text 'Enroll' to 571-497-4771.

Thank you for your continued support!



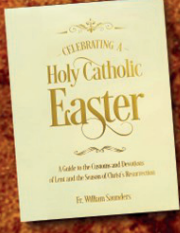
Fr William Saunders

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Book

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- † Spiritual reflections
- † Helps families live the Faith
- † Instill a holy culture in your home

- You may stop by the office to purchase your book, or send in your check and pick-up your book on Sunday in the sacristy after Mass.
- Please make checks payable to St. Agnes Church.

Parents Pray at Saint Agnes

Parents Pray (open to ANYONE!) meets on Wednesday evenings. Pop over to the Adoration chapel anytime between 7 and 8 p.m. At 8 p.m. we have fellowship. Contact Maureen Ross at maureenross@icloud.com or at 703-675-3035 for more information, or just show up at our Adoration Chapel at 7 p.m. every week. At 8:05 p.m. we will walk over to the little white house next to the parking lot on Stafford Street.



CATECHIST WANTED!

FAITH: The Next Generation — Pass It On!

Boldly go where many have gone before and help pass on the Good News of Jesus Christ and our Catholic faith!

This Fall, children of all ages and abilities will sign up to learn about Jesus and the Catholic Faith, and we need your help!

Please consider being a catechist, an aide, a sub for either our regular classes or our special needs class.


Contact Lisa Orosa: dff@saintagnes.org



Pope Francis said:


"Being a Catechist is a Vocation"

Is it Your Vocation? Join Us and Find Out...



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.



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"Love is a mystery that transforms everything it touches into things beautiful and pleasing to God."
- St. Faustina.

Saint Agnes Religious Education

- ◆ Holy Card collection for 2nd Grade each Sunday.
- ◆ Flipgrid Gospel Reflection for 7th & 8th Grades.

Family Gospel Chat

Today is Divine Mercy Sunday, and we believe in the merciful love of Christ. As believers, we are asked to be ambassadors of mercy and God's love.

Q: *How can you show mercy and love to someone who has hurt you?*

Save the Date!

- ◆ May 7—First Communion Retreat
- ◆ May 21—First Communion Liturgy
- ◆ May 24—May Crowning
- ◆ May 26—Confirmation Liturgy

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