

# Saint Agnes Catholic Church

February 5th, 2023 | Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



*From the Gospel of Matthew*

“You are the salt of the earth. But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned? It is no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.”

*Mt 5:13-16*

## This Week's Mass Intentions

### Sunday, February 5

- 7:30 a.m. Fernando Piñon  
(Ana Lisa Piñon)
- 9:00 a.m. † Paul Griffith  
(Lisa Kennedy)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

### Monday, February 6

- 6:30 a.m. Fr. Joseph Anthony Kress, O.P.  
(The Hofer Family)
- 9:00 a.m. Special Intention  
(Lisa Campbell)

### Tuesday, February 7

- 6:30 a.m. Danette Busby  
(Tara Telesha)
- 9:00 a.m. † Margaret McFarland  
(The Di Filippo Family)

### Wednesday, February 8

- 6:30 a.m. Sr. Margarita Bermudez  
(The Saunders Family)
- 9:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving  
(Carmen Guardia)

### Thursday, February 9

- 6:30 a.m. Max Gartzke  
(Christiane West)
- 9:00 a.m. † Clara Dugan  
(The Saunders Family)

### Friday, February 10

- 6:30 a.m. † David Thiel  
(Maureen Patten and Family)
- 9:00 a.m. † Barry Griffiths  
(Jo and Kevin Lynch)

### Saturday, February 11

- 7:30 a.m. † Eleanor Nugent  
(The Saunders Family)
- 9:00 a.m. † Maria Martins  
(Henrique Fernandes)

#### Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Charles Terry Lindsay, Jr.  
(Mark and Jennifer Ries)

### Sunday, February 12

- 7:30 a.m. † Luis Arce  
(Maria-Isabel Hoyt)
- 9:00 a.m. Alfonso Dominic Puma  
(St. Agnes Parish)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

## Scripture Readings Week of February 5th, 2023

- Sunday** Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 2:1-5;  
Mt 5:13-16
- Monday** Memorial of Saint Paul Miki and  
Companions, Martyrs  
Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 & 12,  
24 & 35c; Mk 6:53-56
- Tuesday** Gn 1:20-2:4a; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 7:1-13
- Wednesday** Memorials of St. Jerome Emiliani, Priest;  
St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin  
Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30;  
Mk 7:14-23
- Thursday** Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mk 7:24-30
- Friday** Memorial of Saint Scholastica, Virgin  
Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 7:31-37
- Saturday** Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes  
Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13;  
Mk 8:1-10
- Sunday** Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34;  
1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37

## 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,  
Ed Bonin, Marlise Yetter, Paz Speer, Muffy Reinecker,  
Jake Williams, Mary Pace, Agnes Howard, John Terrill,  
Bill O'Brien, Mary O'Keeffe, Joseph McNerney,  
Jodi Borisinco, Katylee McNerney, Kitty Danyliw,  
Those suffering from COVID-19,  
Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

### The repose of the souls who have recently passed:

Rolando Posada, Stewart Veck, William Moore,  
Kathleen Minasian, Bernadette Kosek, Alan Richey,  
Linda Tribby, Michael Cannon, Victims of COVID-19

Will you adore  
our Lord  
one hour  
a month?





# MY SOUL *Rejoices* IN THE *Lord*



## A MESSAGE FROM BISHOP BURBIDGE



As we are now into the second year of preparation leading to the celebration of our diocesan 50-year Jubilee, we are filled with joyful anticipation! So, too, was the Blessed Virgin Mary when the Angel Gabriel appeared to her bringing the news that she was to be the mother of Jesus. Our 2023 Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA) theme honors Mary's "yes" and is shared with the theme of the diocesan Jubilee's second preparatory year, *My Soul Rejoices in the Lord*.

I ask you to consider prayerfully a sacrificial pledge to this year's BLA. Your gift will be used to enrich and improve the lives of others and will be an instrument of the joy and peace that only Christ can give!



2023 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL  
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON

## THE BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL: *Your* GIFTS AT WORK IN OUR DIOCESE!

We seek to imitate the perfect example of our Blessed Mother by proclaiming the greatness of the Lord each day as we live our faith and share our blessings.



The Office of Youth, Campus, and Young Adult Ministries returned to an in-person RALLY with 700+ people participating in this day of faith and fellowship! RALLY is designed to help students deepen their relationship with Christ and love for the Church by participating in a large Catholic celebration with hundreds of their peers.



There are 48 men currently studying for the priesthood, who, God willing, will one day serve in our parishes.



Over 1,500 people across the diocese attended the Diocesan Family Festival to enjoy music, food and attend outdoor Mass with Bishop Burbidge.



Gabriel Project provided prenatal care and support for 383 mothers in need!



Catholic Charities continues to meet the increase of requests for rent/mortgage and utilities assistance, groceries and mental health counseling. The St. Lucy Food Project fulfilled more than 49,394 requests for assistance, distributing over 1.7 million pounds of food last year.



# MY SOUL *Rejoices* IN THE *Lord*

## *Matching Gift Opportunity!*

The Diocese of Arlington has received a challenge gift this year, which we hope will inspire you to make as generous a gift as possible to the 2023 BLA!

The challenge gift will match new or increased donations. So, every dollar donated above your last BLA gift amount will be matched up to \$250,000. And if you are donating for the first time to the BLA, your entire donation will be matched!

## *Ways to Give*

**Online Giving** - You may make a one-time gift or set up recurring monthly gifts via credit card at our secure site: [www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA) or scan the QR code below.

**Pledging** - You may make a pledge commitment and send payments throughout the year. You will receive monthly statements until your pledge is completed. The statements include an option to pay by credit card or direct debit.

**Checks** - May be made payable to "Bishop's Lenten Appeal" or "BLA" and mailed to the address below.



Youth Ministry



Campus Ministry



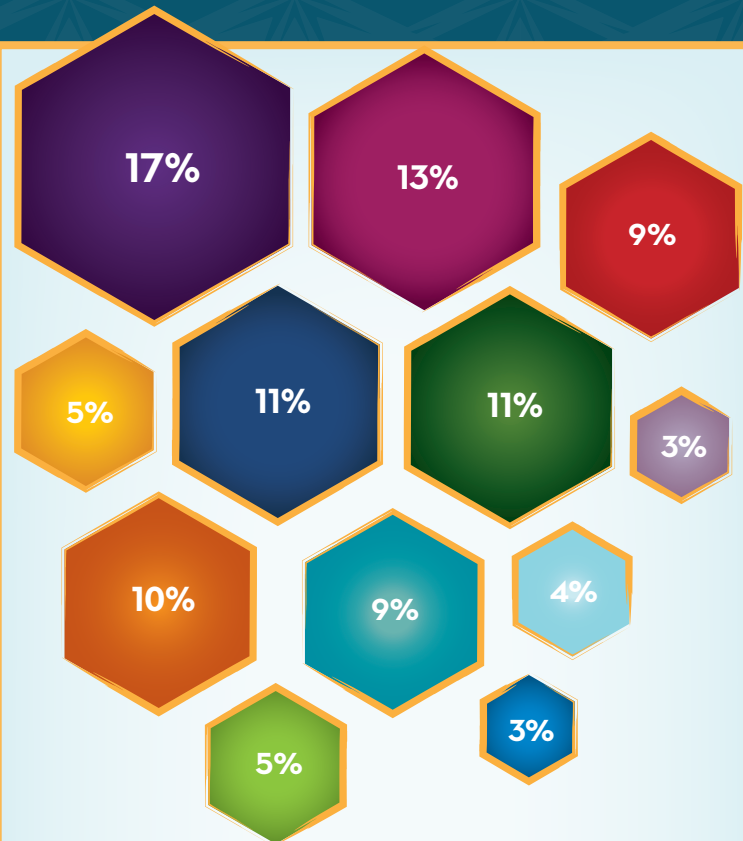
Catholic Charities



Catholic Schools



Multicultural Ministries



100% of all donations received for the BLA are restricted gifts to be used within the diocese for the sole benefit of the programs and ministries outlined below.

- 17%** Seminarian Education and support, Vocation Awareness Programs, Permanent Diaconate Program
- 13%** Programs, offices and ministries that assist our 70 parishes, 6 missions, and 4,600+ parish, school and diocesan personnel
- 11%** Catholic Schools, Office of Divine Worship and Religious Education Programs
- 11%** Office of Youth, Campus and Young Adult Ministries
- 10%** Catholic Charities, parish subsidies and other charitable works that assist people in need
- 9%** Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life and the Diocesan Tribunal
- 9%** Support to the Virginia Catholic Conference and Chancery offices assisting the Bishop as he leads our parishes and the diocese
- 5%** Diocesan development and communication programs
- 5%** Spanish Apostolate and Multicultural Ministries
- 4%** Evangelization efforts including: INOVA Hospital Ministry, Peace and Justice Commission, Spiritual Assistance Ministry and our Dominican Republic Missions
- 3%** Parish/Diocesan properties and land development
- 3%** San Damiano Spiritual Life Center

*This chart reflects projected 2023 BLA funding for \$20.3 Million which is allocated to these various areas.*

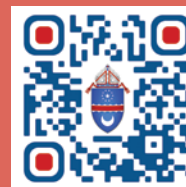
For more information, please call the Bishop's Lenten Appeal office at 703-841-2570 or visit our website at

[www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org)

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To make an online gift or pledge, visit  
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Or scan here to make a donation:





## Saint Agnes Essentials

### Sacramental Emergency:

Please call (703) 525-1166 Ext 1.

### Infant/Child Baptism:

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays after the 11:00 a.m. 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 [adultformation@saintagnes.org](mailto:adultformation@saintagnes.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](mailto:parishoffice@saintagnes.org).

### Mass Intentions:

Please visit the Parish Office to request Mass intentions. We are currently scheduling into July.

## Parish Clergy

**Pastor** • Rev. William Saunders  
**Parochial Vicar** • Rev. Andrew Haissig  
**In residence** • Rev. Anthony Pinizzotto  
**In residence** • Rev. Steven Oetjen

## Parish Office

1914 N. Randolph Street • Arlington, VA 22207-3046  
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## Saint Agnes School

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<https://school.saintagnes.org/>

**Principal** • Jennifer Kuzdzal [jkuzdzal@saintagnes.org](mailto:jkuzdzal@saintagnes.org)

**Assistant Principal** • Ann Reid [areid@saintagnes.org](mailto:areid@saintagnes.org)

## Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.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.



# Boy Scout Troop 111 Blood Drive

## WHEN:

**Sunday, Feb. 26, 2023**

8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

## WHERE:

**St. Agnes Parish Hall  
1910 N Randolph St.  
Arlington, VA**



## Book Your Appointment Today

- Visit <https://bit.ly/3kMkYoY> Login/Create an account and schedule an appointment with your preferred time.
- Call 1(866)-256-6372 and use Sponsor Code 7810
- Contact Sam with questions at [saracruley@gmail.com](mailto:saracruley@gmail.com)



**INOVA**  
Blood Donor Services  
[inovablood.org](http://inovablood.org)

Photo ID and surgical face masks required. Surgical face masks will be provided if needed. Allow one hour for your donation. \*While supplies last. Donors must complete the screening process to receive the giveaway.

## Ministries & Groups at Saint Agnes

### Adult Faith Formation

- Bible Study—[adultformation@saintagnes.org](mailto:adultformation@saintagnes.org)
- RCIA—[adultformation@saintagnes.org](mailto:adultformation@saintagnes.org)
- Spanish Bible Study—[gvegge@aol.com](mailto:gvegge@aol.com)
- Women's Bible Study—[stagneswwp@gmail.com](mailto:stagneswwp@gmail.com)

### Parish Service

- Arts & Crafts—[bkdanyliw@verizon.net](mailto:bkdanyliw@verizon.net)
- Calix—[gtrcity@yahoo.com](mailto:gtrcity@yahoo.com)
- Cherrydale Rehab Prayer Group—[biehlerj@aol.com](mailto:biehlerj@aol.com)
- Christ House Team—[Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com](mailto:Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com)
- Divorced and Separated Catholics Support Group—[francisco.j.solares@gmail.com](mailto:francisco.j.solares@gmail.com)
- Gardening Angels—[jshirhall@gmail.com](mailto:jshirhall@gmail.com)
- Knights of Columbus—[jim@saenzmail.com](mailto:jim@saenzmail.com)
- Legion of Mary—[jbdugan45@gmail.com](mailto:jbdugan45@gmail.com)
- Parents Prayer Group—703-675-3035 (Maureen Ross)
- Parish Charities—[charity@saintagnes.org](mailto:charity@saintagnes.org)
- Remembrance Circle—[remembrancecircle@saintagnes.org](mailto:remembrancecircle@saintagnes.org)
- Respect Life—[saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com](mailto:saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com)
- St. Joseph's League—[StJosephLeague.StAgnes@gmail.com](mailto:StJosephLeague.StAgnes@gmail.com)
- St. Raphael Prayer Group—[littlecubb@aol.com](mailto:littlecubb@aol.com)
- Young Adults—[youngadults@saintagnes.org](mailto:youngadults@saintagnes.org)

### Liturgy

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

### Youth Activities

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

## St. Joseph's League

**Next meeting is February 9th!** All men are welcome to attend the St. Joseph's League meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Each meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. with time for pizza and beer or other beverages. After some social time, we discuss a section of a book.

## Suffering after Divorce?

**Next meeting is Saturday, February 11th.** The meetings take place the second Saturday of the month from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton room, and include a short presentation, time for discussion, and prayer. For more information contact Francisco Solares at [francisco.j.solares@gmail.com](mailto:francisco.j.solares@gmail.com) or Patricia Lizarazo at [patricia.lizarazo@gmail.com](mailto:patricia.lizarazo@gmail.com).

Join us for a

## Sunday Lenten Women's Book Group

We will follow along with the Abiding Together Podcast and read *Be Transformed* by Dr. Bob Schuchts.

We will also discuss how the Sacraments can heal and transform your relationship with Jesus Christ.

### What?

### When?

Sundays after 9:00 am Mass, starting February 26th.

### Where?

Parish Center St. Thomas More Room (upstairs)

Link to  
Abiding Together  
Podcast



Link to purchase  
*Be Transformed* from  
Ave Maria Press



Ave Maria Press has  
provided a discount code  
for 25% off your order when  
you use the code  
**TRANSFORM.**

Available through 03.31.23  
with some exclusions.

Questions? Email [khofer@saintagnes.org](mailto:khofer@saintagnes.org)

# HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### TUESDAYS

7:30 PM

SCHOOL GYM

Faith, friends, fun  
- come hang!

### FRIDAYS

6:30 AM

DAILY MASS

After Mass, grab a drink on  
us on the way to school



**WORKCAMP**

### Next Camper Meeting:

**February 12 @ 10 AM**

Registration closes Feb. 17!

Get registration info by  
visiting [tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC](http://tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC)



**Stay up to date!**

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[tinyurl.com/STAGYG-Home](http://tinyurl.com/STAGYG-Home)

## CAR RAFFLE UPDATE

All Saints Catholic Church in Manassas has once again invited our parishioners to participate in their annual Multi-Car Raffle.

**TICKETS:** One ticket is a chance to win all four  
**\$5.00 EACH** vehicles plus \$40,000 in cash prizes!

Parishioners should have received 15 tickets in the mail. Whether purchased, sold, or unused, **please return all tickets and checks back to All Saints for processing.**

*Didn't receive tickets? Visit the parish office to confirm your contact information.*

If you would like to purchase more tickets, please email [youth.ministry@saintagnes.org](mailto:youth.ministry@saintagnes.org)

### Thank you for your support!

Proceeds go directly toward WorkCamp 2023.

Find out more about WorkCamp by visiting  
[tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC](http://tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC)

## 2023 Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA)

The 2023 BLA Commitment Sunday is next weekend! Once a year we are asked to make a pledge to support our diocesan programs and ministries which provide services that assist thousands of people in our diocese. By participating in the BLA, we remember the joy with which Mary responded to God the Father and gave of herself in truth and purity. We likewise are asked to respond to God's call to serve our brothers and sisters.



You may make a gift by scanning the QR code or online at [www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA).

## Weekly Young Adult Coffee

Start the week off right with the Eucharist and Catholic fellowship! Come join Fr. Andrew and your fellow St. Agnes young adults on Mondays for 6:30 a.m. Mass and a weekly discussion group on the Mass readings for the following Sunday.

Coffee will be served on the rectory patio, weather permitting, or in the church basement.

*We hope to see you there!*

## Lourdes and the Miraculous Cures

Presentation by Steve Hemler and Lee Granger of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA)



Almost everyone has heard of the extraordinary appearances of the Virgin Mary to 14-year-old Bernadette Soubirous in Lourdes in 1858. But have you ever really explored the details of the incredible healings that have occurred since then at this small town in Southern France?

This multimedia presentation reviews the history of the apparitions and highlights several of the thousands of cures that have taken place in Lourdes, including recent ones that defy explanation even by the most skeptical medical personnel using the best modern technology.



Steve Hemler



Lee Granger

St Agnes  
Catholic Church

1910 N. Randolph St.  
Arlington, VA 22207

Parish Hall  
February 21, 2023  
7:30 p.m.

Christ the Redeemer  
Catholic Church

46833 Harry Byrd Hwy  
Sterling, VA 20164

Parish Hall  
March 7, 2023  
7:30 p.m.

St Mary of Sorrows  
Catholic Church

5222 Sideburn Rd  
Fairfax, VA 22032

Parish Hall  
April 18, 2023  
7:30 p.m.

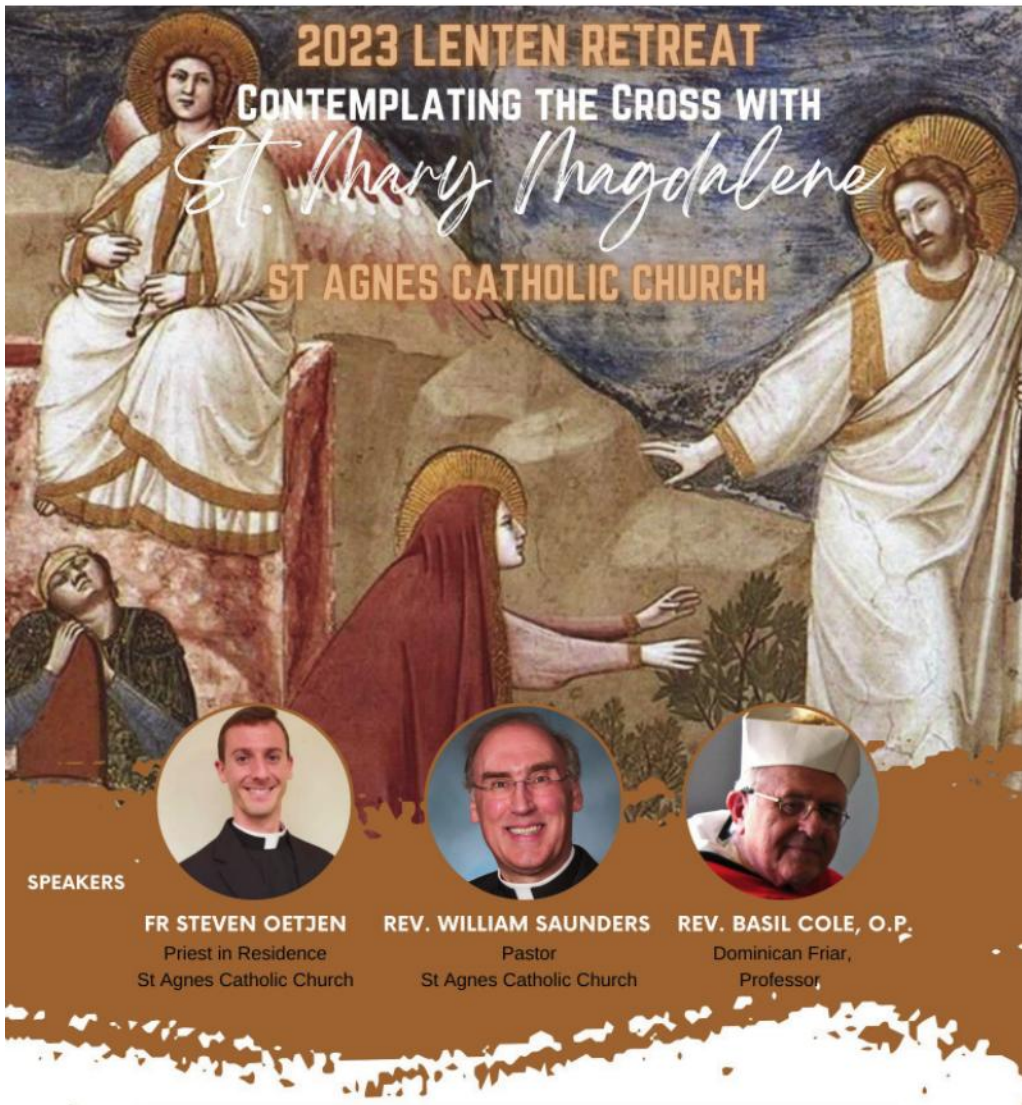
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**2023 LENTEN RETREAT**  
**CONTEMPLATING THE CROSS WITH**  
*St. Mary Magdalene*  
**ST AGNES CATHOLIC CHURCH**



**SPEAKERS**

**FR STEVEN OETJEN**  
Priest in Residence  
St Agnes Catholic Church

**REV. WILLIAM SAUNDERS**  
Pastor  
St Agnes Catholic Church

**REV. BASIL COLE, O.P.**  
Dominican Friar,  
Professor

## Join Father Andrew Haissig on a pilgrimage to Italy!

### What's included?

- ♦ 12 day trip:
  - ♦ 5 nights Rome
  - ♦ 3 nights Assisi,
  - ♦ 1 night Loreto
  - ♦ 1 night San Giovanni Rotondo
- ♦ Daily Mass at holy sites
- ♦ Visit the site of St Agnes' martyrdom & places of many saints: Sts. Peter, Paul, Francis, Clare, Dominic, Agnes, Catherine of Siena, Margaret of Castello, and Padre Pio
- ♦ Roundtrip airfare to Rome from Washington Dulles
- ♦ 10 nights' accommodations
- ♦ Knowledgeable, friendly, Catholic/Christian guides
- ♦ Ground transportation and all entrance fees included
- ♦ Most meals included.

For more details, visit  
<https://bit.ly/3j5vkjv>.

### Are you thinking about going?

Let Fr. Andrew know by

**February 28th** at  
 703-525-1166 x210 or  
[frhaissig@saintagnes.org](mailto:frhaissig@saintagnes.org).

REGISTRATION:



<https://tinyurl.com/LentenRetreatMM>



**SATURDAY, 25 FEBRUARY 2023**  
**9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

ST AGNES CATHOLIC CHURCH  
 PARISH HALL  
 ARLINGTON, VA 22207

\*\*\*Veneration of Relic of Saint Mary Magdalene\*\*\*



## Finding Peace Through the Hardship of Miscarriage.

February 25th, 7:00 p.m.

Special Guest Speaker:

Deacon Gerard-Marie Anthony

Have you or a loved one experienced a miscarriage or the loss of a child? This loss leaves wounds in a family, not only physical, but also emotional and spiritual wounds. Join us for an evening with

Deacon Gerard-Marie Anthony, co-author of the new book: *The Deacon and the Doctor: A Prescription for Navigating Child Loss*. The evening will begin with the Sunday Vigil Mass and include light refreshments. Registration fee: \$20 per person. Visit our website to register [ourladyofbethesda.org](http://ourladyofbethesda.org). Or call 301-365-0612. Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817.



## Girl Scout Cookies for Sale!

This Sunday morning, Troop 60280, St. Agnes School's 2nd graders, will be selling Girl Scout cookies in the Parish Hall immediately after each Mass.


## Join us on Facebook!

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

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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



*St. Agnes students celebrated St. Agnes' Feast Day by learning about her life through research projects for the older grades and art projects for the younger grades. We are so blessed to have such a wonderful patroness. St. Agnes, pray for us!*

## Saint Agnes Religious Education



### Family Gospel Chat

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that we cannot be passive in our faith. We are meant to be "the salt of the earth" and "the light of the world."

**Q1:** *What happens to food if it does not have salt? What are some ways you can add "flavor" and joy to the world?*

**Q2:** *We receive God's light at Baptism. How do we hide the light? How can we shine God's light to others?*

### Important Dates!

- ♦ **Confirmation Exam:** February 17th (SAS students) and February 18th (RE students).
- ♦ **Talk on the Miracles of Lourdes:** February 21st, 7:30 p.m. (No RE class to allow families to attend.)

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