Saint Agnes Catholic Church

August 13th, 2023 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



From the Gospel of Matthew

"Immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and caught Peter, and said to him, 'O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" After they got into the boat, the wind died down. Those who were in the boat did Him homage, saying, 'Truly, You are the Son of God.""

Mt 14:22-33

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, August 13

7:30 a.m.	🕆 Margaret Pirozzoli
	(The Michael Family)
9:00 a.m.	🕆 Marilyn Capretta
	(James and Karen Berkon)
11:00 a.m.	All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday, August 14

6:30 a.m.	Daniel Kennedy
	(Charlotte Markoe)
9:00 a.m.	🕆 Msgr. John Cilinski
	(Ligia Santos)

Tuesday, August 15

6:30 a.m.	Ruth Kelly
	(Tara Telesha)
9:00 a.m.	Special Intention
	(Lisa Campbell)
7:00 p.m.	All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Wednesday, August 16

6:30 a.m.	Sr. Mary Margaret Ann Schlather (St. Agnes Parish)
9:00 a.m.	骨 John George (Holly George)

Thursday, August 17

6:30 a.m.	Special Intention
	(The Biehler Family)
9:00 a.m.	🕆 Marilyn Capretta
	(Ron and Toni Ford)

Friday, August 18

6:30 a.m.	🕆 Souls in Purgatory
	(Anonymous)
9:00 a.m.	✤ Fred Rosenblum (Carmen Guardia)
	(Carmen Guaraia)

Saturday, August 19

7:30 a.m.	🕆 Daniel Romolo Gentili
	(Eugene Moriarty)
9:00 a.m.	Charlotte Markoe
	(Charlotte Markoe)

Vigil

5:00 p.m.	🕆 Diego and Rosaria D'Ambrosic
_	(The D'Ambrosio Family)

Sunday, August 20

James & Molly Markoe (Charlotte Markoe)
骨 Margaret Pirozzoli (The Pope Family)
All Living and Deceased Parishioners

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Scripture Readings Week of August 13th, 2023

Sunday	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33
Monday	Memorial of Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday	Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil : 1 Chr 15: 3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132: 6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 Day : Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Wednesday	Memorial of St. Stephen of Hungary Dt 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5 & 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday	Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 18:21-19:1
Friday	Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 & 24; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday	Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a & 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28

Keep Them in Your Prayers

For those who are sick in our midst:

Judy Shack, Walter Quinn, William Thomas, Carol Naill, Cathy Sheehan-Wilson, Ed Bonin, Marlise Yetter, Paz Speer, Jake Williams, Mary Pace, Agnes Howard, John Terrill, Jodi Borisinco, David Lounsbury, Helen Rebull, Mark Peterson, Nora Cerna, Stephen Andrews, Christian Andrews, Caio Rabello, Sharon Beene, Dwight Beene,

Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who have recently passed: Guillermo Rivera, Susana Pola, Kathryn Dutcher, Lucille Mielcarek, Katylee McInerney, Daniel Baker, Lynne Krechting, Nancy Tate, Nilda Morales, Olga Dugan

Will you adore our Lord one hour a month?

The Adoration Chapel is open daily 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.







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 sacraments@saintagnes.org 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:

Call the Parish Office to request visitation.

How to become Catholic:

Interested in joining the Catholic Church or want to learn more? Contact 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 parish office or you can register online on our website. Let the parish office know about any address changes.

Sacramental Records or Sponsor Forms:

Please contact sacraments@saintagnes.org to request copies of your Sacramental records or for Godparent or Confirmation sponsor forms. Please allow five (5) business days to accommodate your requests.

Mass Intentions:

Please visit the Parish Office to request Mass intentions. We are currently scheduling into January 2024.

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 Phone: (703) 525-1166 • Fax: (703) 243-2840 www.saintagnes.org Office Hours • Monday through Friday • 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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Administrative Assistant • TBD

Saint Agnes School

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Principal • Jennifer Kuzdzal jkuzdzal@saintagnes.org

Assistant Principal • Ann Reid 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. and by appointment



Tuesday, August 15th, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

In addition to the daily morning Masses of 6:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m., there will be a 7:00 p.m. Mass.

St. Agnes Christ House Team Needs Volunteers!

The St. Agnes group caters the meal once a month **all year long**, the **first Tuesday of the month**, from about 2:30 to 6:00 p.m. at the latest. We are always looking for more volunteers to plan and purchase the meal, and to distribute the take-out meal at the door of Christ House. We are also looking for desserts (cookies, brownies, etc.), which during the school year are provided by students looking for service hours; however, during the **summer** we don't have this resource. Interested in helping and/or baking cookies? Contact Alice Paxton at alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com.



Ministries & Groups at Saint Agnes

Adult Faith Formation

- Bible Study—adultformation@saintagnes.org
- RCIA—adultformation@saintagnes.org
- Spanish Bible Study—gvegge@aol.com
- Women's Bible Study—stagneswwp@gmail.com

Parish Service

- Arts & Crafts Guild—gveggejr@gmail.com
- Cherrydale Rehab Prayer Group—*biehlerj@aol.com*
- Christ House Team—Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com
- Gabriel Project—gabrielproject@saintagnes.org
- Gardening Angels—*jshirhall@gmail.com*
- Knights of Columbus—jim@saenzmail.com
- Legion of Mary—jbdugan45@gmail.com
- Parish Charities—charity@saintagnes.org
- Respect Life—saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com
- St. Joseph's League—StJosephLeague.StAgnes@gmail.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
- Conquest 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

Next Weekend | Appeal for the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales

Next weekend, August 19th/20th, our 2nd collection is for the annual Diocesan Mission Cooperative Plan Appeal. Our parish mission organization is Oblates of St. Francis de Sales. This appeal helps our brothers & sisters who do not have access to basic pastoral services-the Sacraments, religious education as well as basic needs (food, shelter, & healthcare). If donating by check, please make your check payable to Saint Agnes and put "MCP" in the memo line. Through your support, the MCP Appeal helps these mission organizations form vibrant faith communities & strengthens the global Church. The Oblates serve some of the poorest people in the world as parish priests, ministers, educators, social workers, providing human & spiritual support for them. Funds raised help provide living supplies, establish food centers, support work training centers, transportation vehicles to transport children to school & activities, oversee hospital & seminary in Ivory Coast, prevent female students from going into prostitution.

NOTE: Please put your *Debt Reduction* envelopes in the *First Collection* basket.

Thank you for your generosity!



SUMMER YG

high school classes 2023-2027 welcome all summer!

MAJOR EVENTS



"Take courage, it is I. Do not be afraid!" Uncertainty can sometimes bring fear along with God's call to consecrated life or priesthood. If the Lord is truly calling you, what is needed is trust. If you are discerning your vocation, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

Child Protection Compliance for Volunteers in Programs with Children or Youth

Adult volunteers who have substantial contact with children in the Diocese of Arlington are required to be compliant with the Diocesan Child Protection Policy which includes Background Checks, policy acknowledgement and completion of the VIRTUS (Protecting God's Children) Seminar. A VIRTUS Seminar will be held at St. Agnes on **Saturday, September 9th, 9:00 a.m., in the Parish Hall**. You must register online at VIRTUS.org to receive attendance credit. Please register as soon as possible because the seminars fill up quickly.

If you would like to volunteer with children at St. Agnes Parish or School, please contact Joan Biehler, St. Agnes Liaison for Child Protection at protect@saintagnes.org to receive the link for the online application for the background checks and instructions on completing the application and registering for the VIRTUS Seminar.



Did you know that the Saint Agnes Legion of Mary coordinates the scheduling of the Pilgrim Virgin (Our Lady of Fatima) to homes in the Parish? Would you consider it?

Your family will receive MANY BLESSINGS!

If you would like to host the Pilgrim Virgin scan the QRC and sign up! You can also contact the Legion of Mary at <u>Kenneth.sault@proton.me</u> or text a request to 808-754-5437



Celebrating A Golden or Silver Wedding Anniversary This Year?

Were you married in 1973 or 1998? Then join Bishop Michael F. Burbidge for the 2023 Mass for Jubilarians to be celebrated on **Sunday, October 15th at 3:00 p.m. at St. Agnes**. Contact the parish office to register no later than October 2, 2023.

For more info, visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/MJM .

Help low income students receive a Catholic Education

Receive most of your donation back through tax savings!

(without having to itemize)

The Virginia Education Improvement Scholarships Tax Credit Program will award a 65% state tax credit for donations made to the Diocese of Arlington Scholarship Foundation (DASF), which provide scholarships for lowincome students new to our diocesan Catholic Schools. You do not have to itemize in order to use the 65% tax credit! Donations must be preauthorized in advance. Please call Jeanne Combos at 703-841-2764, email DASF@arlingtondiocese.org, or go online for more details and to download the preauthorization request form at: https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/Scholarship-Foundation/.

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! Classes will be on Tuesday evenings and Sunday mornings. So, we need more hands on board! Please consider being a catechist, an aide, or a sub for our classes.

Contact Lisa Orosa: dff@saintagnes.org or Register at https://saintagnes.org/re-volunteerregistration/



TRAVELING THIS SUMMER?

Cut out St. Agnes. Go to Sunday Mass (masstimes.org). Take a photo in Church with St. Agnes. Send your pic to parishoffice@saintagnes.org If your picture is featured in our bulletin, you can pick up a \$10 Baskin Robbins gift card at the Parish Office!







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 & Religious Education

St. Agnes School is closed for the summer! We wish our students and families a safe and restful time off.

Office Hours are Monday-Friday 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Here is St. Agnes with Mia and Leo Villapando at St. Francis by the Sea on Hilton Head Island, SC!



Religious Education Registration for 2023-2024 has started!

https://saintagnes.org/2023-2024 -religious-education-registration/

> Classes are offered Tuesday evenings and Sunday mornings

Family Gospel Chat

In today's Gospel, we read about Jesus calling Peter to walk toward Him in the middle of the stormy sea. Peter followed but became scared when the storm became stronger.

Q1: Why did Peter start to sink?

Q2: What are some things that could make you scared to follow Jesus?





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