

Saint Agnes Catholic Church

September 17th, 2023

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



From the Gospel of Matthew

“Should you not have had pity on your fellow servant,
as I had pity on you?”

Mt 18:21-35

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 17

- 7:30 a.m. † Daniel Romolo Gentili
(*Eugene Moriarty*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Elizabeth Lazarus
(*A.J. Rani*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday, September 18

- 6:30 a.m. † Edith Respeto
(*Melanie Baker*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Kathie Kaiser
(*The Biehler Family*)

Tuesday, September 19

- 6:30 a.m. † Msgr. Thomas Scannell
(*Ligia Santos*)
- 9:00 a.m. Jane Iacono
(*Ruth Foster*)

Wednesday, September 20

- 6:30 a.m. † Florian Hofer
(*Colleen Vorbach*)
- 9:00 a.m. The Dowell Family
(*The Michael Family*)

Thursday, September 21

- 6:30 a.m. Amelia Naegele
(*The Naegele Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. John Mundt
(*Christine Walsh*)

Friday, September 22

- 6:30 a.m. Theresa Whalen
(*Sonja Liotti*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Julio M. Angel H.
(*Carmen Guardia*)

Saturday, September 23

- 7:30 a.m. † Ian Anderson
(*The Sullivan Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. Ed Stockmeyer
(*Lorna Stockmeyer*)

Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † James Holmes
(*The Kalitka Family*)

Sunday, September 24

- 7:30 a.m. † Daniel Romolo Gentili
(*Eugene Moriarty*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Diana Skapars
(*The DeCarlo Family*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

Scripture Readings Week of September 17th, 2023

- Sunday** Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sir 27:30- 28:7; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12;
Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35
- Monday** 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9; Lk 7:1-10
- Tuesday** Memorial of Saint Januarius, Bishop and Martyr
1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6;
Lk 7:11-17
- Wednesday** Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest, and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, Companions, Martyrs
1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 7:31-35
- Thursday** Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
- Friday** 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20;
Lk 8:1-3
- Saturday** Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest
1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 8:4-15
- Sunday** Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24,
27a; Mt 20:1-16a

Keep Them in Your Prayers

For those who are sick in our midst:

Judy Shack, Walter Quinn, William Thomas, Carol Nail, 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, Allen Ashby
Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who have recently passed:

Daniel Baker, Lynne Krechting, Nancy Tate, Nilda Morales, Olga Dugan, Florence Miller, Thomas Baker, Maryann Bache

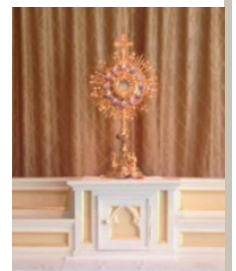
Adorers Needed!

The chapel is open with Exposition in the Monstrance from 1:00 p.m. to 9 p.m. daily.

On Wednesdays, Adoration is in the Church starting after the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 8:30 p.m.

To maintain this, we have an URGENT NEED for recurring weekly commitments:

Sunday, 3:00 p.m.
Tuesday, 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday, 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., Noon
Friday: 1:00 p.m.
Saturday, 2:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m., 8:00 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
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youth.ministry@saintagnes.org

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adultformation@saintagnes.org

Adoration Chapel Volunteer • Greg King
adoration@saintagnes.org

Administrative Assistant • TBD

Saint Agnes School

2024 N. Randolph Street • Arlington, VA 22207-3031
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<https://school.saintagnes.org/>

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

Bible Study

The Bible Study resumes this **Tuesday, September 19th at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall, and will take place every Tuesday evening.** We will continue our journey through the Gospel of St. Matthew. Please bring your Bible.



Father Saunders will be the guide for this journey.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The Saint Agnes Annual Picnic will take place **Sunday, October 8th.** More details to follow!

Inquiry Class

All are invited to the Inquiry Class, **beginning this Wednesday, September 20th, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.**

This class is designed especially for those who are not Catholic, but interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, and for those teen and adult Catholics who are seeking Confirmation or just want to refresh their faith.

Each class will last about 90 minutes, which includes time for the presentation, spiritual reflection and discussion. If interested, please contact adultformation@saintagnes.org.

The St. Agnes Blessing of the Animals will take place Sunday, October 1st, after the 11 a.m. Mass in front of the door of the Sacristy (near the handicap accessible door) on the grassy knoll

Please bring your pet on a leash, in your arms, in a basket/cage/or bowl for a blessing at that time.



**"Praised be You, my Lord, with all Your creatures."
~ St. Francis of Assisi**

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—stagneswvp@gmail.com

Parish Service

- Arts & Crafts Guild—gveggejr@gmail.com
- Bethany Ministry—ssdecarlo@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

Help Bishop Burbidge commemorate 2023 National Migration Week (September 18 – 24)

Catholic Charities' Migration & Refugee Services invites you to help arriving refugee families by purchasing items from our Amazon Gift Registry (<https://a.co/3CwyIQ9>). Our most pressing need is for 18 FULL-SIZED mattresses. Your donations benefit refugees settling in our Diocese by outfitting their apartments with basic household necessities. If you, your neighbors, or your firm would like to help, please contact Lourdes Iglesias at 703.719.8971 or lourdes.iglesias@ccda.net. Learn about our work: <https://www.ccda.net/need-help/immigrants-and-refugees/refugee-services/> Thank you!



The National Migration Week will conclude on Sunday, September 24th with Bishop Burbidge presiding at the 11:00 a.m. Mass here at Saint Agnes.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

all high schoolers are invited

TUESDAY, SEP. 19

SERVICE NIGHT | 7:30 PM | PARISH CENTER

Bake cookies and make cards for homebound parishioners!

TUESDAY, SEP. 26

ADORATION NIGHT | 7:30 PM | SCHOOL GYM

Join us for an evening of prayer, including an opportunity for Confession. Games & snacks to follow in the gym!

LOOKING AHEAD

RALLY | OCT. 22

See the universal church at a local level. Join us for the annual diocesan day with the Bishop, For more info + to sign up, visit our website.

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tinyurl.com/STAGYG-Home



St. Agnes Adult Choir

OUR NEW SEASON HAS STARTED AND WE ARE STILL SEEKING NEW MEMBERS



Rehearsals have started!

The St. Agnes Adult Choir sings every Sunday at the 11:00AM Mass and on Holy Days.

Rehearsals are on Thursday evenings from 6:45 - 8:15 p.m. in the room that is located downstairs in the church.

Please come and sit in on our rehearsal and experience the joy of singing with a terrific ensemble. No commitment will be expected.

For more information, please contact Mr. Don Cotton
musicdirector@saintagnes.org

Join us Mondays in the Church Basement as we learn about the cardinal virtues and their role in our lives

The Cardinal Virtues is an online lecture series being hosted by the Institute of Catholic Culture. St. Agnes will stream the course live each Monday, allowing for group discussion and fellowship as we learn about the virtues, their role in society, and how to cultivate them in our own lives.

THE CARDINAL VIRTUES

Keys to the Good Life

INSTITUTE OF CATHOLIC CULTURE

Mondays, September 11 - November 13
8:00 - 9:15 PM ET (7:30 Pre-Class Discussion)

Lesson	Date
1. Moral Philosophy / Ethics: An Introduction	Sep 11
2. Habits, Virtues, Vices, and Human Happiness	Sep 18
3. Courage	Sep 25
4. Courage and Temperance	Oct 2
5. Temperance	Oct 9
6. Justice: Its Kinds	Oct 16
7. Justice in Action, and Related Virtues	Oct 23
8. The Four Character Types	Oct 30
9. Virtue Formation	Nov 6
10. Virtue Formation, and Supernatural Means	Nov 13

Instructor
John Cuddeback, Ph.D.

John A. Cuddeback, Ph.D., is professor of Philosophy at Christendom College, where he has taught for twenty-five years. He lectures widely on topics including virtue, fatherhood, friendship, and household, and his professional writings appear in various academic journals and books. His book *True Friendship* was recently republished by Ignatius Press. His blogging at Life-Craft.org, where he offers the online courses *Man of the Household* and *Woman of the Household*, is known for applying ancient wisdom to life today.

This ten-part course treats the four cardinal virtues according to the thought of Aristotle, St. Thomas Aquinas, and twentieth-century Thomist philosopher Josef Pieper. These four virtues—prudence, justice, fortitude, and temperance—are called cardinal because they are the hinges of the moral life. We will consider their nature, their critical role in human life, and how to cultivate them today. Classes will meet weekly and recordings will be made available for those who cannot attend live. Registration closes on September 5th. For more information about our events, please visit InstituteofCatholicCulture.org or call (540) 635-7155.

STARTING
SEPTEMBER 30

PODCAST.

A group of St. Agnes women is organizing a weekly discussion based on *Abiding Together*, a popular Catholic podcast.

We'll meet weekly after 9 am Mass on Saturdays in the St. Thomas More room. Listen to the weekly podcast, released Mondays beginning September 25.



LISTEN HERE!



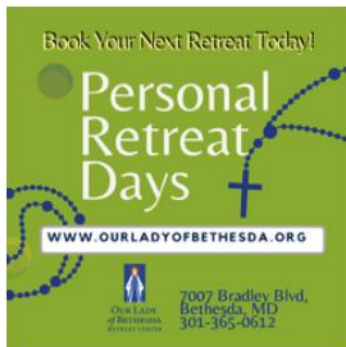
Abiding Together is a weekly podcast hosted by Michelle Benzing, S. Miriam James Heidland, and Heather Khym, providing a place of connection, rest and encouragement for people who are on the journey of living out their passion and purpose in Jesus Christ

NEW EPISODE
EVERY MONDAY

MEET SATURDAYS AFTER
9 AM MASS

EMAIL KATHY.HOFER.17@GMAIL.COM
FOR MORE INFORMATION

Plan to Take a Personal “Retreat” Day this Fall | September 29, October 13, November 17



Are your days overcrowded, jam-packed, and busy, busy, busy? Take a break this Fall and enjoy your very own personal retreat at Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center. During your personal retreat, from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., an experienced retreat director will guide you to a place of rest with Christ. The retreat schedule allows for one-on-one spiritual direction (optional), quiet reflection, Mass, Confession and Eucharistic Adoration, plus lunch; so you will be nourished and cared for while Our Lord speaks to your soul about the depths of His love for you. Cost is \$100 per person. Advance

Registration is required. Visit our website to register and to find more dates at ourladyofbethesda.org. Or call 301-365-0612. We also have Mini-Retreats for Women and Evenings of Reflection for Men, each month. Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817.

“...therefore whether we live or die, we are the Lord’s.” Are you called to bring faith in Christ and eternal life to others as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.



Sundays with the Sisters

Witness the joy of our religious sisters during the Sundays with the *Sisters Rejoice Tour 2023!* The tour showcases the religious women of our diocese who, like Mary, rejoice in the Lord by their daily surrender. The last stop of the tour is the Poor Clares on September 24th. For single women ages 18-50. RSVP by Monday September 18 to vocations@arlingtondiocese.org. More info at ArlingtonDiocese.org/RejoiceTour.



Interested in deepening your Catholic commitment to Jesus Christ in the spirit of St. Francis of Assisi?

Come explore with the St. Thomas More Secular Franciscan Fraternity as it hosts an Open House on Sunday, October 8th, 2023, at 1:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, 830 23rd St S, Arlington, VA 22202. To express interest or to ask questions, please contact Andrea Bender, OFS at ofsstm.arl@gmail.com.

Contact the parish office to register
no later than October 2nd, 2023.

Mass for Marriage Jubilarians



Married in 1998 or 1973?

Join us for the annual Mass for couples celebrating silver (25 year) or golden (50 year) anniversaries!



Sunday October 15, 2023
St. Agnes Catholic Church | 3:00 pm
1910 N. Randolph St., Arlington, VA

The Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge
Bishop of Arlington | Principal Celebrant and Homilist



Catholic Diocese of Arlington | Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life
703-841-2550 | FamilyLife@arlingtondiocese.org

WANTED:

Woodcrafters ... Metalsmiths ... Potters ... Model Builders ... Painters ...

Have you been enjoying these or other hobbies at home? Making amazing keepsakes for your family and friends? The Arts & Crafts Guild wants to connect with you and bring your awesome works of art to the shoppers who will come to the St. Agnes Parish Christmas bazaar this Fall for unique pieces crafted by local artists. It's a fantastic opportunity to donate your crafts and art and support your parish at the same time! Don't hide your light under a bushel-basket!

Call or email the Guild at 703-241-5693 or email at yajohn@earthlink.net. The St. Agnes Parish Christmas Bazaar has long-enjoyed a region-wide reputation as a "don't miss" opportunity for books and gifts made by local artisans – let's include you this year!

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. Interested in helping? Contact Alice Paxton, alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

All Are Welcome!

Sun, Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri Sat in the Adoration Chapel

1:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Wed in Church

Immediately following the 9:00 am mass, concluding with a Holy Hour and opportunities for confession from 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm



There is an URGENT NEED for a recurring weekly commitment in these hours:

Sun: 3 PM
Mon:
Tue: 1 PM, 5 PM, 6 PM
Wed: 10 AM, 12 PM, 6 PM
Thu: 4 PM, 7 PM
Fri: 5 PM
Sat: 2 PM, 4 PM, 8 PM



For more information, or to volunteer as a committed adorer or as a substitute, please email Greg King at adoration@saintagnes.org or text to 571-205-8661.



Jesus Longs for You!

Mission Trip for Young Adults

The Diocese of Arlington Young Adult Ministry is partnering with Commissioned by Christ to offer a Mission Trip for Young Adults to Piura, Peru. It is often by being sent on Christian service that a person's faith life becomes a much more tangible and important part of who they are.

Join other young adults from around the diocese February 28 - March 2, 2024 on a transforming journey serving the Catholic mission parish Santisimo Sacramento.

For more information and to sign up, visit the website at www.arlingtondiocese.org/young-adult-ministry/mission-trip-for-young-adults/.

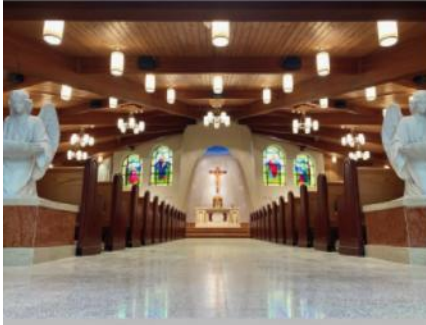
The Search

Life has many storms—distressful relationships, jobs, poor health; situations where we feel our powerlessness. If you know someone unbaptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is searching for strength and understanding to weather such squalls, invite them to seek the perspective the Catholic Church offers.

Please contact adultformation@saintagnes.org with any inquiries.

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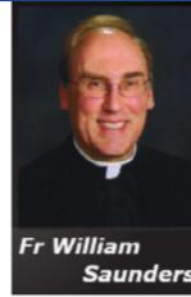


Saint Agnes Parish is richly blessed with parishioners who give so generously to support the many ministries and programs of our parish. We prayerfully invite you to sign up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

Sign up today by visiting <https://faith.direct/VA76>, text 'Enroll' to (571-497-4771). Or scan the QR code



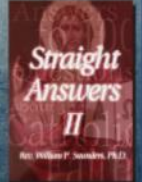
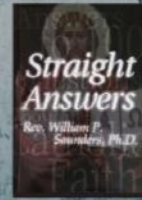
Thank you for your continued support!



Fr William Saunders

Everything you ever wanted to know about the Catholic Faith...

Over 200 Questions answered!



2 for \$20

Books are available in the Parish Office for purchase.



Saint of the Week

Saint Pio of Pietrelcina (1887-1968) - September 23

Did the World War II American flyer really see Padre Pio in midair, preventing the bombing of his village below? Did Pio actually “bilocate” in Italy, the Holy Land, even America, as countless witnesses testified? Or “read hearts” before penitents spoke? What of the stigmata, Christ’s wounds imprinted on Padre Pio’s hands, feet, and side? St. John Paul II, who as a young man visited Pio, never mentioned these extraordinary elements at the canonization. Instead, the pope spoke of “trials accepted with love,” referring perhaps to sanctions restricting Pio’s faculties for hearing confessions and celebrating public Mass, imposed because of criticism, later discredited, sent to the Vatican; of Pio’s offering his sufferings in union with Jesus’ passion for a suffering world; of his continual availability to sinners seeking direction and absolution; of Padre Pio’s prayer that blossomed in charity, especially through his “House for the Relief of Suffering,” a healthcare facility that anticipated by decades today’s holistic partnering of medical science and spirituality.

Finally, how comforting for us “ordinary” Christians, this extraordinary saint’s most frequent advice: **“Pray, hope, and don’t worry!”**



CONQUEST

FORGED IN VIRTUE. CALLED TO SERVE.



St. Agnes Challenge Club for Girls

St. Agnes Conquest Club for Boys

Grades 3-8 and HS leaders

Every Friday, 4:30-6:00 p.m.
starting October 13, 2023

Our Catholic, virtue-based curriculum is teen-led, gender-specific, and service-driven and fosters a deep relationship with Jesus Christ

Sign up HERE:



For more information contact Kathryn Foley, kefoley2@pefoley.com

Challenge and Conquest are ECYD programs supported by Regnum Christi and the Legion of Christ

Here is St. Agnes with Laureline (in a St. Agnes School shirt!), Samuel, Gaetan, and Nathanael Henderson at Our Lady of the Mountains in Jackson, Wyoming!



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-volunteer-registration/>

Join us on Facebook!

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).

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 3+

September 17, 2023 • Matthew 18:21-35

But that servant was then unforgiving to one who owed him money.

Circle 6 differences in the second picture.



Children's Worship Bulletin™

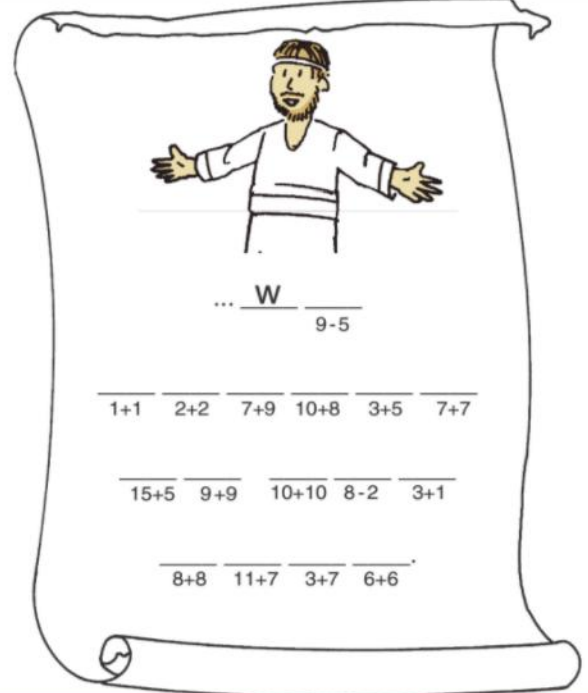
Ages 7+

September 17, 2023 • Romans 14:7-9

So, whether we live or die, ...

Solve the math problems under each line below. Then use the code to write the letters on the lines.

2 = B 4 = E 6 = H 8 = N 10 = R
12 = D 14 = G 16 = L 18 = O 20 = T



Saint Agnes Religious Education

Family Gospel Chat

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us the importance of mercy and forgiveness.

Q1: *What does it mean to forgive someone from your heart?*

Q2: *Why is it so hard to forgive others?*

Important Dates!

- ◆ **September 17th** | Sunday RE Class Begins. Meet @ Gym at 10:00 a.m.!
- ◆ **September 19th** | Tuesday RE Adoration, 7:00 p.m.—7:25 p.m. Pick-up @ Church
- ◆ **September 21st** | First Communion (Year 2) via Zoom Come and See Sacramental Preparation. Meeting ID 825 8606 2531 | Passcode StAgnes.
- ◆ **September 30th** | Last day to register for Religious Education.
- ◆ **October 1st** | Confirmation Sunday @ Parish Hall, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
- ◆ **October 1st** | Mass Journals & Offertory Envelopes begin



2023-2024 Registration

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

Classes are offered

Tuesday evenings (6:15-7:15 p.m.)

And

Sunday mornings (10:15-11:15 a.m.)

Registration ends September 30th!

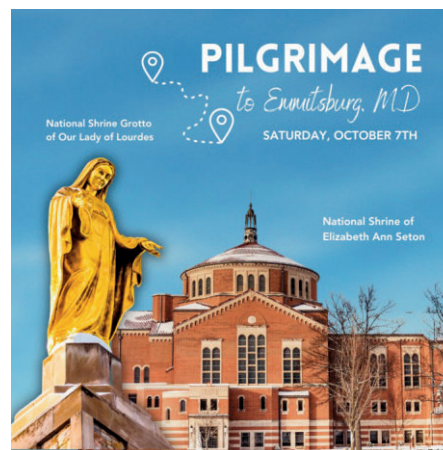
St. Agnes Young Adults Fall Calendar	
Sept. 16 (Sat)	APPLE PICKING @ BUTLER'S ORCHARD 1pm Meet at St. Agnes (carpool)
Oct. 6th (Fri)	SPIRIT & S'MORES: A FIRESIDE CHAT 7:30pm at the outdoor fire pit
Nov. 18 (Sat)	LORD OF THE RINGS POTLUCK & MOVIE NIGHT 6pm in the Parish Hall

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Sign up for our newsletter via the parish website to receive more info & updates! ¶

Young families welcome at parents' discretion ¶


Diocesan Pilgrimage to Emmitsburg



Join Bishop Michael F. Burbidge and our diocesan family on a pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton and the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, Emmitsburg, MD, on Saturday, October 7th, from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. The day will feature a talk on Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Mass, procession to the Grotto cave with recitation of the Holy Rosary and Eucharistic Adoration. The two shrines within this pilgrimage are at separate locations and require a 6-minute drive. Transportation to Emmitsburg is not provided, but some parishes are coordinating buses. For more information please visit: <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/pilgrimage-emmitsburg/>.




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