

Saint Agnes Catholic Church

October 15th, 2023
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



From the Gospel of Matthew

“Then the king said to his attendants, ‘Bind his hands and feet, and cast him into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.’ Many are invited, but few are chosen.”

Mt 22:1-14

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 15

- 7:30 a.m. † Daniel Romolo Gentili
(*Eugene Moriarty*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Michael Fogarty
(*Bill and Patty Cox*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

Monday, October 16

- 6:30 a.m. † Michael Cannon
(*The Ueland Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Angel Respetto
(*Melanie Baker*)

Tuesday, October 17

- 6:30 a.m. Antonia Messouri
(*Andrew & Sara Sullivan*)
- 9:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Ed Felicetti
(*The Biehler Family*)

Wednesday, October 18

- 6:30 a.m. † Theodore E. Rydzewski
(*The Carpenter Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. The Vara-Espinoza Family
(*Cecilia Vara*)

Thursday, October 19

- 6:30 a.m. Fr. Juan Macias Marquez, O.P.
(*The Hofer Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Lorraine Cheyme
(*Peggy Alter*)

Friday, October 20

- 6:30 a.m. † Margaret Pirozzoli
(*Joe & Anne Nelson*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Edward Owen
(*Donna Owen*)

Saturday, October 21

- 7:30 a.m. Eileen Hall
(*Andrew & Sara Sullivan*)
- 9:00 a.m. Dela Ng
(*Ligia Santos*)

Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Andy Tafuri
(*The Carpenter Family*)

Sunday, October 22

- 7:30 a.m. Joseph and † Katylee McInerney
(*Maria Montgomery*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Ann McEvoy Charles
(*The Hibarger/McEvoy Family*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

Scripture Readings

Week of October 15th, 2023

- Sunday** **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5- 6; Phil 4:12-14,
19-20; Mt 22:1-14 or Mt 22:1-10
- Monday** **Memorial of St. Hedwig, Religious, Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin**
Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1bcde, 2-3ab, 3cd-4;
Lk 11:29-32
- Tuesday** **Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr**
Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 11:37-41
- Wednesday** **Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist**
2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18;
Lk 10:1-9
- Thursday** **Memorial of Saints John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs**
Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab;
Lk 11:47-54
- Friday** **Memorial of St. Paul of the Cross, Priest**
Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5,11; Lk 12:1-7
- Saturday** Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43;
Lk 12:8-12
- Sunday** **Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10;
1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

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 Borisenco, David Lounsbury, Helen Rebull, Mark Peterson, Stephen Andrews, Christian Andrews, Caio Rabello, Sharon Beene, Dwight Beene, Allen Ashby, Maria Pereira, John Thieman, Judy Bosco
Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who have recently passed:

Olga Dugan, Florence Miller,
Thomas Baker, Marianne Bache, Nora Cerna,
Col. Vincent Joseph Goulding, Jr. USMC (Ret.),
Ralph Leon, Ruth Lewarne

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 February 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
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musicdirector@saintagnes.org

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protect@saintagnes.org

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youth.ministry@saintagnes.org

OCIA / RCIA • Ana Lisa Pinon
adultformation@saintagnes.org

Adoration Chapel Volunteer • Greg King
adoration@saintagnes.org

Administrative Assistant • TBD

Saint Agnes School

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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



Gabriel Project at Saint Agnes

The Gabriel Project is a parish-based pregnancy assistance program, supported by the Arlington Diocese Office for

Family Life. Gabriel Project assists expectant mothers with love, care, and spiritual, emotional, and material support. Be an “angel” and accompany an expectant mom through her pregnancy and beyond. Support the ministry with language translation, social services navigation, material support, and many other ways. Please contact gabrielproject@saintagnes.org for more information.

Second Collection Next Weekend: October 21-22—World Mission Sunday

SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND, we will celebrate **World Mission Sunday**. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world’s most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope’s missions in your prayers and be generous in next week’s collection. **Thank you for your support!**

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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
- Homebound Parishioners Visits—homebound@saintagnes.org
- Legion of Mary—jbdugan45@gmail.com
- 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—dan.r.madigan@gmail.com
- Girl Scouts—pamelasnichols@gmail.com
- Youth Group—youth.ministry@saintagnes.org

This message is for YOU!

Your Blessed Mother needs you!

Answer the call to the new evangelization:

Volunteer for one day with the Legion of Mary!

St. Agnes Parish Evangelization Day

Saturday, October 21, 2023

- 9:00 a.m. Mass and Rosary
- 10:00 a.m. Parish Hall for coffee and brief training
- 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. evangelization throughout the parish with experienced Legionaries
- 12:45 - 1:45 lunch and conclusion



Please RSVP: legionofmarysaintagnes@gmail.com

Bible Study Date Change!

By popular demand, the **Bible Study will go back to meeting every other Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Next session is this Thursday, October 19th.** We continue our journey through the Gospel of St. Matthew. Please bring your Bible. Father Saunders is the guide for this journey.

The dates for the remainder of 2023 are as follows: November 2nd, November 16th, November 30th, and December 14th.

Classes de Biblia en Español

Anunciamos con alegría la reanudación de las clases de Biblia en Español en nuestra parroquia. Tienen lugar los viernes de 9:45 a las 11 de la mañana. Seguimos la pauta de la “Biblia en un Año” y estamos continuando el estudio del Libro de Reyes y el libro de Crónicas del Antiguo Testamento. Para más información y registración: Carmen Egge: gveggejr@gmail.com.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

all high schoolers are invited

TUES., OCT. 17

SERVICE NIGHT | 7:30 PM

Bake cookies and make cards for homebound parishioners!

FRI., OCT. 20

JESUS + JAVA | 6:30 AM

Meet us for daily Mass, then hang out in the new Catacombs Cafe before school!

SUNDAY, OCT. 22

RALLY | 11:30 AM - 8:30 PM

SIGN UP CLOSES OCT. 17 Join us for the annual diocesan day with the Bishop where we pray, play, learn & celebrate the Catholic faith. For more info + to sign up, scan the QR or visit our website.

**SPECIAL EVENT
THIS MONTH**



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tinyurl.com/STAGYG-Home

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)

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.

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

The Diocese has purchased memberships to Franciscan at Home for every parish in the diocese!

1. Visit <https://franciscanathome.com/free-institution-signup> by clicking on the link, copying and pasting, or typing it into your web browser.
2. Enter your information into the required fields and select the green "Create new account" button at the bottom of the page (all fields with an * are required).
3. Next, select Arlington Diocese and Saint Agnes from the available drop-down list.
4. Click select the "Sign up." This will take you to your dashboard, where you can begin exploring all that FranciscanAtHome.com has to offer.
5. We recommend: a. That you locate the track(s) the Arlington Diocese has created for you (located as institutional tracks on the left side of the "Start Learning" section on your dashboard), if any. b. Explore the other workshops that are available to you.

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Grades 3-8 and HS leaders

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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

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
 THE ST. AGNES ARTS & CRAFTS GUILD
 CHRISTMAS BAZAAR WILL BE HELD IN THE
 PARISH HALL ON THE WEEKEND OF
 NOVEMBER 11-12.
 (9 AM-1 PM EACH DAY.)
 CHECK OUT OUR HANDCRAFTED HOLIDAY
 GIFTS, HOME DÉCOR ITEMS, HATS, MITTENS,
 TOYS, BOOKS AND MUCH MORE!!





Please set aside your donations for the White Elephant Sale:

- * Gently Used (Clean) Household Items, Knick Knacks, Games, Puzzles, Jewelry, ETC. (No clothing or stuffed animals please)
- * Used Books (for all ages)
- * Used Christmas, birthday and other greeting cards (only need front cover)
- * Non-collapsible small boxes with lids (i.e., jewelry box, holiday card box)

Please drop off your White Elephant Donations at the Parish Hall*:
The week of Oct 30 Mon- Fri 9 AM- 4 PM
The week of Nov 6 Mon- Thu 9 AM- 4 PM

**Enter via the entrance by the Adoration Chapel, Follow signs straight ahead to end of hall to find the White Elephant Donation boxes. Questions? jshirhall@gmail.com..*

THE AMAZING POWER OF
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 JOIN US FOR A TALK WITH RWANDAN
 GENOCIDE SURVIVOR
FR. J.ROBERT RUBAYITA

OCTOBER 22, 2023
Saint Agnes Church
 Fr. Robert will concelebrate the 11 AM Mass

The talk will take place in the Church immediately following the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

After the talk join fellow parishioners for the Parish Picnic | 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 on the St. Agnes Parish Grounds,
 2024 N. Randolph Street
 Bring a dish or dessert to share!

8th Grade High School Placement Test

8th grade students attending public schools or non-Catholic private schools who are interested in attending Catholic High Schools in the Diocese of Arlington need to take the High School Placement Test (HSPT).

8th Grade Testing Required for Placement in Four Catholic High Schools in the Diocese of Arlington

TEST DATE: Saturday, December 2nd, 2023 (Snow Date - December 9th, 2023)

TEST SITES: Bishop Ireton High School, Alexandria
 Bishop O'Connell High School, Arlington
 St. Paul VI High School, Chantilly
 Saint John Paul the Great High School, Dumfries

TEST TIME: 8:30 a.m. - 12 Noon **FEE:** CONTACT HIGH SCHOOL

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: Any 8th grader attending public school, non-Catholic private schools or Catholic schools outside the Arlington Diocese.

REQUIREMENTS: Students must register online on the high school's website. The registration must be completed online by the high school's registration deadline. The testing fee should accompany the registration.

For students prevented from taking the test on December 2nd, 2023, there will be one additional testing date:

DATE: Saturday, January 6th, 2024 \ Winter HSPT at BI, DJO, PVI and JPG (Snow Date - January 13th, 2024)

TEST TIME: 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon **FEE:** Determined by high school

Loving through Loss

Loving Through Loss is a one-day Couple's Workshop for families who have experienced the loss of a child from pregnancy through adulthood.

The workshop helps couples understand how the trauma of child loss affects the family dynamic, while teaching them how to love each other through the complexity of child loss. The workshop includes personal testimonies from families of loss, time for reflection, spiritual direction, and group discussion based on the age of your loss. **The Workshop will begin with Mass at 9:00 a.m. (optional) on Saturday, October 28th, at St. Thomas à Becket Church, 1421 Wiehle Avenue, Reston, followed by a light breakfast and registration. The program runs from 10:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and includes lunch. Cost is \$80 per couple. Register at www.arlingtondiocese.org/redbird.**



Heroes come in all sizes.



St. Agnes Family Day of Service will have children helping children with pediatric cancer.

**SAVE THE DATE!
November 11, 2023**

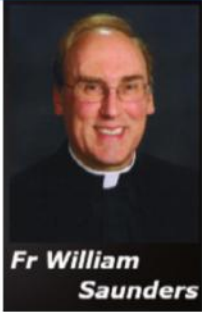
All proceeds of the Confirmation Offertory envelopes in October and November will support Brooke's Blossoming Hope, Noah's Bandage Project and pediatric cancer research.

“Many are called, but few are chosen.” Consider following Christ more closely as a priest, deacon or in consecrated life.

Contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

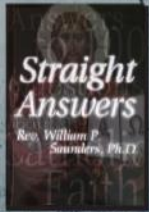

Names for All Souls' Novena

On November 2nd we will start that day our All Souls' Novena. To have the names included in the Novena, please use one of the All Souls Day Remembrance envelopes and bring it back to the Parish Office by October 31st at the latest.



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

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Books are available in the Parish Office for purchase.



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 Kenneth.sault@proton.me or text a request to 808-754-5437



Young adults are invited to come learn how to make jambalaya with traditional Cajun sides from parishioner William Melancon. Space is limited so please RSVP!

BREAKING BREAD

ST. AGNES YOUNG ADULT COOKING SERIES

CAJUN CUISINE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22 @ 3PM
PARISH HALL KITCHEN

- \$15 CHARGE TO COVER MATERIALS
- EMAIL YOUNGADULTS@SAINTAGNES.ORG TO RSVP

Searching for answers?

Our lives sometimes go through seasons of change; of closeness to God and distance from Him. Yet God the Father's love is steadfast and ever-present to those who seek with a sincere heart, no matter what sins or situations have caused separation.

Please contact
adultformation@saintagnes.org
with any inquiries.

Mass in Celebration for Respect Life Month

Please join the Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, on Sunday, **October 29th at 11:00 a.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Alexandria**, for the Mass to Celebrate Respect Life Month.

All are welcome!

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 3+

October 15, 2023 • Matthew 22:1-14

Parable of the Wedding Banquet

A king prepared a wedding feast for his son and sent invitations.

Find and count how many  wedding bells: 8 or 9
 invitations: 5 or 6



Children's Worship Bulletin™









Ages 7+

October 15, 2023 • Philippians 4:12-20

The Secret of Being Content

The apostle Paul had lived through many different circumstances.

Write the 1st letter of the name of each object on the line next to it. Then use those letters to complete the statement below.

	1. _____		2. _____		3. _____
	4. _____		5. _____		6. _____
	7. _____		8. _____		9. _____
	10. _____		11. _____		12. _____

Paul knew what it was like to be _____
4 8

_____ and he knew what it was like
2 7 11 12
to have _____
1 6 10 5 3 9

Saint Agnes Religious Education



“Christ made my soul beautiful with the jewels of grace and virtue. I belong to Him Whom the angels serve.”

Important Dates!

- ◆ **October 29th** | First Communion Registration Deadline
- ◆ **October 31st** | NO Tuesday RE Class
- ◆ **November 1st** | All Saints Day, Holy Day of Obligation
- ◆ **November 11th** | Family Day of Service

Sunday Mass Journal

28th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Matthew 22:1-14

Sunday, October 15

- CHURCH & MASS TIME:
- PRIEST & COLOR OF VESTMENTS:
- I OFFERED THIS MASS FOR:

Gospel Reflection

Jesus invites us to the Feast of the Holy Eucharist each Sunday.
Why would people refuse to go to Sunday Mass?
How can I prepare well for Sunday Mass?

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I am thankful for...

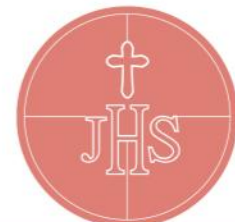
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I will pray for...

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My Spiritual Goal for the Week

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Name: _____ Age/Grade: _____

I am a...

 St. Agnes RE student


 St. Agnes school student


 Not RE/SAS student

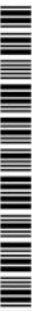
ST. AGNES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FAITH BINGO

OCTOBER 2023

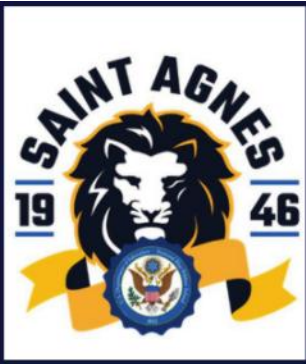


Do 5 activities in a row. Submit this card at the end of the month to the RE Office or at the Bingo Table on the last Sunday of the month to collect your prize! **Complete ALL activities here and you will be entered for a raffle for a GRAND PRIZE in December's RE Christmas Party.**

Celebrate the Feast of St. Therese (Oct 1st) by giving flowers to your mom.	Celebrate the Feast of the Guardian Angels (Oct 2) by memorizing the Guardian Angel prayer.	Greet the priest after Mass.	Celebrate the Feast of St. Francis (Oct 4) by giving your pet a treat.	Register for formed.org to watch movies and videos on the Faith. Use code 22207
Celebrate the Feast of St. Faustina (Oct 5) by praying the Divine Mercy chaplet.	Celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (Oct 7) by praying a decade of the rosary.	Lead the prayers before or after meals at your own house.	Do something kind for someone without being asked.	Say a Hail Mary for someone who is sick.
Watch "The Day the Sun Danced" on Formed.org	Learn the Hail Holy Queen prayer.	GO TO MASS EVERY SUNDAY!	Introduce yourself to our pastor, Fr. Saunders.	Visit someone who is lonely or elderly.
Celebrate the Feast of St. Teresa of Avila (Oct 15) by reading up on this great saint.	Participate in Mass by singing all the song parts.	Visit Jesus in the Adoration Chapel.	Make a Thank You card for your catechist/aide.	Show your appreciation to your parents for all they have done for you.
Celebrate the Feast of St. John Paul II (Oct 22) by praying for the pope's intentions.	Attend a daily Mass.	Pray the rosary as a family	Introduce yourself to our Director of Faith Formation, Mrs. Orosa	Share your Halloween treats with others.



Saint Agnes Catholic School



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.



The first group of students were inducted into **The Salesian Society of Manners** at the end of September. **St. Francis de Sales is the patron saint of manners.** He treated all he met with kindness and respect. Teachers at SAS continue to work with their students to respect themselves, others, and their surroundings. **We are proud to recognize:** Salome B, Jamie R, Kai O, Mia V, Harrison V, James K, Anthony M, Sean M, Madeline C, Jacob A, Delk H, Anna B, Bridget D, John Z, Naveen S, Shelby M, Christopher S, Charlotte W, Kat P, Maya B, and Sophia G. The class 5A was nominated by the Specials Teachers as the most respectful class during September as well!

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