

# Saint Agnes Catholic Church

November 5th 2023

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time



## *From the Gospel of Matthew*

“Do not be called ‘Master’; you have but One Master, the Christ.  
The greatest among you must be your servant.  
Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles  
himself will be exalted.”

*Mt 23:1-12*

## This Week's Mass Intentions

### Sunday, November 5

- 7:30 a.m. All Souls Novena  
 9:00 a.m. Robin Baker  
 (*Melanie Baker*)  
 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

### Monday, November 6

- 6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena  
 9:00 a.m. Margaret Sault  
 (*Ken & Thuy Sault*)

### Tuesday, November 7

- 6:30 a.m. † Earl W. Briesch  
 (*Pamela Shea*)  
 9:00 a.m. All Souls Novena

### Wednesday, November 8

- 6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena  
 9:00 a.m. † Andree Connors  
 (*John, Jane, and Mary Connors*)

### Thursday, November 9

- 6:30 a.m. † Dorotea Angel  
 (*Carmen Guardia*)  
 9:00 a.m. All Souls Novena

### Friday, November 10

- 6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena  
 9:00 a.m. † Monica Scarborough  
 (*The Whelan Family*)

### Saturday, November 11

- 7:30 a.m. † Dave Pelleman  
 (*Pamela Shea*)  
 9:00 a.m. † Maria Martins  
 (*Henrique Fernandes*)

#### Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Michael Cannon  
 (*Marjorie and the SBA List*)

### Sunday, November 12

- 7:30 a.m. † Fr. Joseph Clark  
 (*Ligia Santos*)  
 9:00 a.m. † Wayne Strawser  
 (*Elizabeth Shaeffer*)  
 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

## Scripture Readings

### Week of November 5th, 2023

- Sunday** **Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1, 2, 3;  
 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12
- Monday** Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36;  
 Lk 14:12-14
- Tuesday** Rom 12:5-16ab; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:15-24
- Wednesday** Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2,4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33
- Thursday** **Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome**  
 Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9;  
 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
- Friday** **Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church**  
 Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8
- Saturday** **Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop**  
 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11;  
 Lk 16:9-15
- Sunday** **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8;  
 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 1 Thes 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13

## Keep Them in Your Prayers

### For those who are sick in our midst:

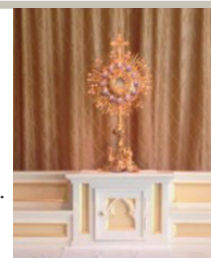
Judy Shack, Walter Quinn, William Thomas, Carol Nail, Cathy Sheehan-Wilson, Ed Bonin, Marlise Yetter, Paz Speer, Jake Williams, Mary Pace, Agnes Howard, John Terrill, Jodi Borisinco, David Lounsbury, Helen Rebull, Mark Peterson, Stephen Andrews, Christian Andrews, Caio Rabello, Sharon Beene, Dwight Beene, Allen Ashby, Maria Pereira, John Thieman, Judy Bosco Bernard Skibinski, Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

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


Marianne Bache, Nora Cerna, Ralph Leon, Ruth Lewarne, Jackie Black, Col. Vincent Joseph Goulding, Jr. USMC (Ret.)

## 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**. Starts after the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 8:30 p.m.



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

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 ♦ Monday: 6:00 p.m.  
 ♦ Tuesday: 6:00 p.m.  
 ♦ Friday: 6:00 p.m.  
 ♦ Saturday: 4:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m.

Please contact Greg King at [adoration@saintagnes.org](mailto:adoration@saintagnes.org)





## 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](mailto: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](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 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](mailto: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](http://www.saintagnes.org)  
Office Hours • Monday through Friday • 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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[business@saintagnes.org](mailto:business@saintagnes.org)

**Office Manager** • Armelle Tallec  
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**Director of Music** • Don Cotton  
[musicdirector@saintagnes.org](mailto:musicdirector@saintagnes.org)

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[protect@saintagnes.org](mailto:protect@saintagnes.org)

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[youth.ministry@saintagnes.org](mailto:youth.ministry@saintagnes.org)

**RCIA** • Ana Lisa Pinon  
[adultformation@saintagnes.org](mailto:adultformation@saintagnes.org)

**Adoration Chapel Volunteer** • Greg King  
[adoration@saintagnes.org](mailto: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](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.  
and by appointment

## Parish Office Closed for Veterans Day

On Friday, November 10th, our Parish Office will be closed in observance of Veterans Day. The office will reopen on Monday, November 13th at 9:30 a.m.

## Saint Joseph's League

The Saint Joseph's League, will meet **this Thursday, November 10th** at 7:30 p.m. We will continue discussing the book *Why All People Suffer*, by parishioner Paul Chaloux, adjunct professor at Catholic University. Please plan on joining fellow St. Agnes men for conversation and refreshments on the **second and fourth Thursdays of the month.**



Join us next Sunday morning,  
November 12<sup>th</sup>, after all Masses for  
coffee and donuts in the Parish Hall

## 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—[stagneswvp@gmail.com](mailto:stagneswvp@gmail.com)

### Parish Service

- Arts & Crafts Guild—[gveggejr@gmail.com](mailto:gveggejr@gmail.com)
- Bethany Ministry—[ssdecarlo@gmail.com](mailto:ssdecarlo@gmail.com)
- Cherrydale Rehab Prayer Group—[biehlerj@aol.com](mailto:biehlerj@aol.com)
- Christ House Team—[Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com](mailto:Alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com)
- Gabriel Project—[gabrielproject@saintagnes.org](mailto:gabrielproject@saintagnes.org)
- Gardening Angels—[jshirhall@gmail.com](mailto:jshirhall@gmail.com)
- Homebound Parishioners Visits—[homebound@saintagnes.org](mailto:homebound@saintagnes.org)
- Legion of Mary—[jbdugan45@gmail.com](mailto:jbdugan45@gmail.com)
- 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)
- Conquest Club—[kefoley2@pefoley.com](mailto:kefoley2@pefoley.com)
- Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts—[mallen@americanpublic.us](mailto:mallen@americanpublic.us)
- CYO Sports—[dan.r.madigan@gmail.com](mailto:dan.r.madigan@gmail.com)
- Girl Scouts—[pamelasnichols@gmail.com](mailto:pamelasnichols@gmail.com)

## 2023 Holiday Bazaar

Sponsored by the Saint Agnes  
Arts & Crafts Guild

Saturday and Sunday | November 11th & 12th  
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

St. Agnes Parish Hall | 1910 N. Randolph Street

All are welcome. Join us!

Holiday Items  
Handmade Gifts  
Knit & Crochet Creations  
Used Books  
White Elephant

Raffles: Money Doll & Hand-sewn Baby Quilts

Cash and Checks only please

Proceeds benefit St. Agnes Church and School projects.

For more information,  
contact Nancy  
([yajohn@earthlink.net](mailto:yajohn@earthlink.net))

## SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

All are welcome to attend the Saint Agnes School's Open House on Wednesday, November 8th at 10:00 a.m. It will be held in the School Gym.



## 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](mailto:gveggejr@gmail.com).



# HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

*all high schoolers are invited*

## TUESDAY

**YOUTH GROUP | 7:30 PM**

Each month includes a bible study, discussion, service night, and Adoration. Special events throughout the year - all high schoolers invited!  
Location announced via Flocknote.

## FRIDAY

**JESUS + JAVA | 6:30 AM**

Meet us for daily Mass, then hang out in the new Catacombs Cafe & review Sunday's readings before school.

sign up for our newsletter at  
[stagnesyg.flocknote.com](https://stagnesyg.flocknote.com)



**JUNE 22-28**  
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registration opens Dec. 4



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This November, voters will elect members to all 140 seats in the Virginia General Assembly. Much is at stake and it is important that the faithful be informed on the many issues in this crucial election! Election Day is November 7th. New General Assembly maps are in effect for this year's elections. The Virginia Catholic Conference (VCC) has compiled election resources to help you as you discern and consider what candidates best represent you. Visit the VCC 2023 Election Resource Hub at [vacatholic.org/Election2023](https://vacatholic.org/Election2023).



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## Respect Life Ministry in Need of Volunteers

Please offer your helping hands and send an email to [saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com](mailto:saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com). Thank you!

## Christmas Bazaar | White Elephant Sale

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\*:**

**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](mailto:jshirhall@gmail.com).*



**Heroes  
come in  
all sizes.**



ST. AGNES FAMILY DAY OF SERVICE  
will have children helping children with pediatric cancer.

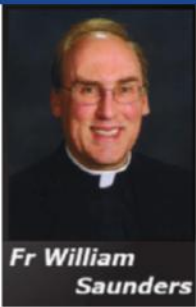
Saturday, November 11, 2023  
9:30AM-11:30AM, St. Agnes Gym

- Bring joy to a child suffering from cancer!
- Volunteer to make fun headbands, get well cards & decorate gift boxes
  - Donate boxes of fun bandages or cash to help fund pediatric cancer research

Register today!



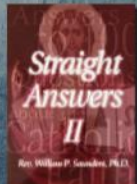
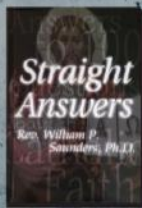




Fr William Saunders

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.



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](mailto:Kenneth.sault@proton.me) or text a request to 808-754-5437



# Seminarian Education ENDOWMENT FUND



## They have answered the call Help Educate Our Future Priests

**The Seminary Education Endowment Fund (SEEF)** is a permanent fund established to ensure continual resources for educating and training seminarians to serve as the future Priests of the Diocese of Arlington.

**Endowment Funds: The Gift That Keeps On Giving**  
The SEEF money is invested and 4% annually is distributed to pay for seminarian education while the rest of the fund continues to grow in value.

### Commit To Our Seminarians Today

Please make check payable to:  
**Foundation for the CDA** (include SEEF on memo line)

and mail to:  
200 N. Glebe Road, Suite 811  
Arlington, VA 22203



To make a gift online, scan the QR code or go to:  
[ArlingtonDiocese.org/Donate\\_SEEF](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/Donate_SEEF)

*The value of a priest is truly infinite. The cost of educating and forming him, while not infinite, is still substantial:*

**\$50K/YEAR** tuition, room, board, formation for 1 seminarian  
**X 7 YEARS OF FORMATION**

**\$350,000** to educate 1 priest  
**X 40 SEMINARIANS**

*"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have; God is pleased by sacrifices of that kind."*

Hebrews 13:16

### Contact:

John French, Office of Development  
[john.french@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:john.french@arlingtondiocese.org)  
(703) 841-3819

## Plan to Take a Personal "Retreat" Day | Nov 17, Dec 15, Jan 19

Are your days overcrowded, jam-packed, and busy, busy, busy? Take a break and enjoy your very own personal retreat at *Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center*. During your personal retreat, from 9am-4pm, 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 at [ourladyofbethesda.org](http://ourladyofbethesda.org). Or call 301-365-0612.

Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817.

Book Your Next Retreat Today!

# Personal Retreat Days

[WWW.OURLADYOFBETHESDA.ORG](http://WWW.OURLADYOFBETHESDA.ORG)



7007 Bradley Blvd,  
Bethesda, MD  
301-365-0612



## National Vocations Awareness Week

Pray for those who are discerning a call to proclaim the hope of the Resurrection as religious brothers, sisters, priests or deacons. If you feel God is offering you the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org).

## 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](mailto:gabrielproject@saintagnes.org) for more information.



## Opening of the Golden Jubilee Celebration

Please join us on Sunday, November 26 at 5 p.m., the Solemnity of Jesus Christ, the King of the Universe, at St. Michael Catholic Church, 7401 St. Michael's Lane, Annandale, for the opening of the Golden Jubilee celebration of the Diocese of Arlington. There will be Solemn Vespers with Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, will be the celebrant and homilist. A reception will follow in the school gym. Please RSVP to [events@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:events@arlingtondiocese.org).

## Make a Gift through a Tax-Free IRA Gift!

Generally, this provision allows individuals age 72 or older to make tax-free gifts from an IRA directly to our parish. To complete an IRA Charitable Rollover, contact your IRA provider for instructions. Such gifts may take a couple weeks to transact.

Or, for questions or a sample letter of instruction to send to an IRA provider, contact the Diocesan Planned Giving Office at (703) 841-3819 or [www.arlingtondiocese.planmylegacy.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.planmylegacy.org).

*Curious about the meaning of life?*

Seek the answers with  
**DISCOVERING CHRIST**  
A 7 week experience for adults

A photograph of a wooden door with a brass doorknob, partially open, with light streaming through the gap. The door is set against a dark background, and the light creates a warm, golden glow. The doorknob is a classic round design with a textured surface.

**Begins January 11, 2024**  
**Thursday nights, 6PM-8:15PM**  
**St. Agnes Parish Hall**  
*Dinner. Prayer. Video. Discussions.*  
*Babysitting provided.*

A square QR code located in the bottom right corner of the advertisement, which likely links to the event registration page.

Event is FREE  
Registration required.  
Seats are limited.  
Contact:  
[AnaLisa.Pinon@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:AnaLisa.Pinon@arlingtondiocese.org)

## Next Weekend | Retirement Fund for Religious Annual Collection

Elderly religious need your help. Nearly 25,000 senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have devoted their lives to prayer and ministry. Yet years of serving for little or no pay have left a profound shortage in retirement savings. Your support of the Retirement Fund for Religious helps furnish care, medicine, and other necessities.

The Second Collection for the Fund will be taken up **next weekend, November 11-12.**

*Please give generously. Thank you!*

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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!

Join our diocese at the  
**National Eucharistic Congress**  
Indianapolis | July 17 - 21, 2024

For more information, please scan the QR code at the right.




[Learn More](#)

### Searching for answers?

As we celebrate All Saints Day, and recall those “living witnesses” of the joy and peace that living the Catholic life can bring, let us ask for the saints’ intercession for those who are thinking about finding out more about the Church. If someone you know wants to know more about the Church ...

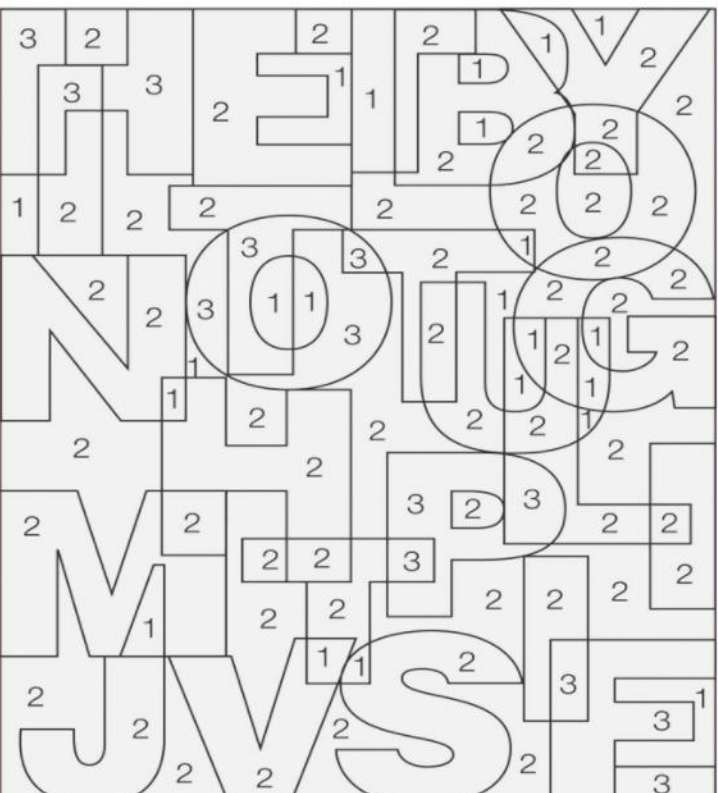
**Please contact [adultformation@saintagnes.org](mailto:adultformation@saintagnes.org).**


**Children's Worship Bulletin™** 

Ages 3+ November 5, 2023 • Psalm 131:1-3

**“O Israel, put your hope in the Lord, now and forever.”**

Shade in the shapes with a 3 in them.

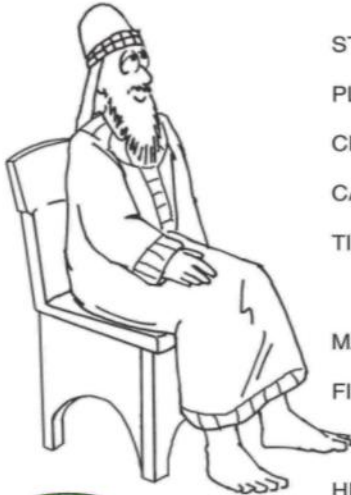



**Children's Worship Bulletin™** 

Ages 7+ November 5, 2023 • Matthew 23:1-12

The Pharisees wanted people to see what they did and that they were holy.  
Where did the Pharisees like to sit?  
In the ...

Write the letter that is in the first word but not the second.

STAMP	-	MATS	___
PLACE	-	CAPE	___
CHAIR	-	RICH	___
CAMEL	-	LAME	___
TIGER	-	GRIT	___
MAYOR	-	ARMY	___
FINDER	-	DINER	___
HEAP	-	PEA	___
MOTEL	-	MELT	___
NOBEL	-	LOBE	___
ANCHOR	-	RANCH	___
HORSE	-	SHOE	___





# 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!*

- ◆ **November 11th** | Family Day of Service
- ◆ **December 19th** | Christmas Pageant and RE Party
- ◆ **December 20th-January 6th** | Christmas Break
- ◆ **January 11th** | Adult Faith Formation | Discovering Christ

## Sunday Mass Journal

31st Sunday of Ordinary Time  
Matthew 23:1-12

Sunday, November 5

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

### Gospel Reflection

Jesus warned against hypocrites who do not practice what they preach. Why is it important to be consistent in living what you claim to believe? How can you be a better Christian?

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I am thankful for...

- .....
- .....
- .....
- .....

I will pray for...

- .....
- .....
- .....
- .....

My Spiritual Goal for the Week



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age/Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a...  
  
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# ST. AGNES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FAITH BINGO



## NOVEMBER 2023

Do 5 activities in a row. Submit this card at the end of the month to the RE Office 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.**

Go to Mass on the Solemnity of All Saints Day, Nov 1st. <b><i>It is a holy day of obligation.</i></b>	Memorize the St. Michael prayer.	Make a home altar or prayer table where your family can pray together.	Celebrate the feast of St. Martin de Porres (Nov 3) by making a get well card for someone sick.	Introduce yourself to Fr. Andrew Haissig.
Pray for the beloved dead and the poor souls of purgatory on All Souls Day (Nov 2)	Talk about the homily with your family.	Celebrate the feast of St. Charles Borromeo (Nov 4) by praying for your catechist.	Make a new friend in school.	Pray the Prayer before Meals when you are in a restaurant.
Pray the rosary as a family.	Volunteer with your family at St. Agnes Family Day of Service on Nov 11 and help pediatric cancer patients.	<b>GO TO MASS EVERY SUNDAY!</b>	Meet your fellow parishioners in Donut Sunday, November 12 and buy an Advent wreath there!	Celebrate the feast of St. Martin de Tours (Nov 11) by praying for the troops.
Celebrate the feast of St. Cecilia (Nov 22) by singing a song of praise to God.	Attend a daily Mass.	Visit Jesus in the Adoration Chapel.	Make a blessing bag for the poor to celebrate the feast of St. Elizabeth of Hungary (Nov 17)	Learn about Holy Mass by watching Ep 8 of Marcam Catholic Kids Show on Formed.org
Celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King (Nov 26) by having a special family dinner.	Learn how to genuflect.	Ask your parents about their favorite saint.	Make a list of 10 top things you are grateful for and share it with your family on Thanksgiving.	Share your favorite prayer with a friend.





# 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.



Along with changing leaves, the 8th grade sweatshirts are a sure sign that Fall has arrived. St. Agnes students are blessed with the experience of forming good and life-long friendships with each other. Many of our current 8th graders met when they were 4 and 5 years old, and it is wonderful to see the way they lift each other up, encourage each other, and feel a true bond together. Next year these fabulous students will be scattered across multiple high schools, facing bigger challenges and opportunities to be who God wants them to be. We hope they will remember to rely on their Faith and each other, as they face new opportunities. As **St. Francis de Sales** says, *“Love everyone with a deep love based on charity,... but form friendships only with those who can share virtuous things with you. The higher the virtues you share and exchange with others, the more perfect your friendship will be.”*

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