

# Saint Agnes Catholic Church

January 14th, 2024 | Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



## *From the Gospel of John*

“Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, was one of the two who heard John and followed Jesus. He first found his own brother Simon and told him, ‘We have found the Messiah’ — which is translated Christ. Then he brought him to Jesus.”

*Jn 1:35-42*

## This Week's Mass Intentions

### Sunday, January 14

- 7:30 a.m. † Katylee McInerney  
(*The Chase Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. Pauline C. Saunders  
(*Anonymous*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

### Monday, January 15

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
- 9:00 a.m. Special Intention  
(*Lisa Campbell*)

### Tuesday, January 16

- 6:30 a.m. † Thomas Gerard (Tom) Baker  
(*The Carpenter Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. In reparation for the sins committed  
against the Immaculate Heart of Mary  
(*Craig Turner*)

### Wednesday, January 17

- 6:30 a.m. The Orr Family  
(*Anonymous*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Vivienne Lukacs  
(*Ruth Hazzard*)

### Thursday, January 18

- 6:30 a.m. † Michel Gemon  
(*Lilian Gemon*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Paul E. Desrosiers &  
Angele M. Desrosiers  
(*Teri Desrosiers*)

### Friday, January 19

- 6:30 a.m. Margaret Hagan  
(*Mike and Mary Daly*)
- 9:00 a.m. Mary O'Keeffe  
(*Mary Grace Tillotson*)

### Saturday, January 20

- 7:30 a.m. † Joel Laubacher  
(*Maggie Wynne*)
- 9:00 a.m. Julie Burchell Cowan  
(*Ruth Foster*)

### Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † Thomas Baker  
(*Jennifer and Mark Ries*)

### Sunday, January 21

- 7:30 a.m. † Katylee McInerney  
(*The Shean Family*)
- 9:00 a.m. † Patricia Brown  
(*Annette Capretta*)
- 11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

## Scripture Readings Week of January 14th, 2024

### Sunday

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10;  
1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

### Monday

1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23;  
Mk 2:18-22

### Tuesday

1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28

### Wednesday Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;  
Mk 3:1-6

### Thursday

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13;  
Mk 3:7-12

### Friday

1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11; Mk 3:13-19

### Saturday

**Memorial of Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr and  
Saint Sebastian, Martyr**  
2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7;  
Mk 3:20-21

### Sunday

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31;  
Mk 1:14-20

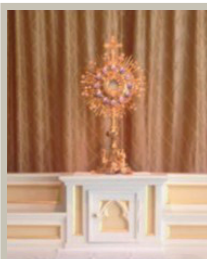
## Keep Them in Your Prayers

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

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, Stephen Andrews, Christian Andrews,  
Caio Rabello, Sharon Beene, Dwight Beene, Allen Ashby,  
Maria Pereira, John Thieman, Judy Bosco, Carlos Porras,  
Patricio Martinez, Seamus Hasson, Beth Simon, Judy Shack,  
Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

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

Frederick A. Griffen, Clinton Froscher, John Greer,  
Margaret Brooks, Nora Brunette, Richard Mitson



## 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:

- ♦ Saturday: 4:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
- ♦ Sunday: 6:00 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 June.

## 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.

**Business Manager** • Vitoria Vargas  
[business@saintagnes.org](mailto:business@saintagnes.org)

**Office Manager** • Armelle Tallec  
[parishoffice@saintagnes.org](mailto:parishoffice@saintagnes.org)

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**Youth and Young Adults** • Rev. Andrew Haissig  
[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)

## Saint Agnes School

2024 N. Randolph Street • Arlington, VA 22207-3031  
Phone: 703-527-5423 • Fax 703-525-4689  
<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

Wednesday during Holy Hour 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m., 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.  
and by appointment

## 2023 Contributions

Contribution statements for 2023 will be mailed to those whose parish records indicate they have contributed during the year. If you do not receive your statement by January 31, please contact the Parish Office at [parishoffice@saintagnes.org](mailto:parishoffice@saintagnes.org).

*Thank you for your stewardship of God's gifts and your generosity for the many needs of parish life!*

## No 6:30 a.m. Mass and Office Closed on Monday!

On Monday, January 15th, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, there will be NO 6:30 a.m. Mass. The parish office will be closed and will reopen on Tuesday, the 16th at 9:30 a.m.

## 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).



**FRIDAY, JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

### SAINT AGNES PARISH WILL MARCH - PLEASE JOIN US!

- ☐ 9:00 a.m.: Mass
- ☐ 9:45 a.m.: Please join us for complimentary coffee, donuts, and snacks in the Parish Center, followed by a Rosary for Life.
- ☐ 11:15 a.m.: We depart for the Ballston Metro Station. After 9 stops, we get off at Federal Triangle.
- ☐ 12:00 p.m.: Rally on the Mall, followed by the March at 1:00 p.m.!
- ☐ 3:00/3:30 p.m.: We metro back to Ballston from the Capitol South Metro Station.
- ☐ From Ballston, marchers walk back to St. Agnes Parish Center for complimentary subs and chips in the Parish Hall.
- ☐ Please contact Sheila at [sheiladougherty@yahoo.com](mailto:sheiladougherty@yahoo.com) or call/text Grace Sims at 703-981-4620 for more information.

## 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—[bethanyministry@saintagnes.org](mailto:bethanyministry@saintagnes.org)
- 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)
- The Borgo Gift Store—[theborgo@saintagnes.org](mailto:theborgo@saintagnes.org)
- 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)
- Youth Group—[youth.ministry@saintagnes.org](mailto:youth.ministry@saintagnes.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.



## Debt Reduction Second Collection next weekend

Next weekend, January 21st/22nd, our second collection is for our Debt Reduction. Thank you for your generosity in helping us pay our loan.



# 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.



**JUNE 22-28**

[tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC](https://tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC)

**registration open now** for current high schoolers & volunteers



**get updates**

Instagram: @stagnesyouth

Email: [stagnesyg.flocknote.com](mailto:stagnesyg.flocknote.com)

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

## CAR RAFFLE ANNOUNCEMENT

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

**TICKETS:** One ticket is a chance to win four 2024 Ford vehicles plus \$40,000 in cash prizes!  
**\$5.00 EACH**

Whether purchased, sold, or unused, **please return all tickets and checks back to All Saints for processing.**

*To avoid mailing cash, tickets (bought or unused) can also be returned in Sunday collection baskets with provided envelope & card insert.*

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

**Thank you for your support!**

Proceeds directly support our teens at WorkCamp 2024.

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



St. Agnes Catholic Church is hiring

## Faith Formation Assistant

Immediate opening for a full-time, practicing, and joyful Catholic to assist the Director of Faith Formation in program implementation and maintenance of database & sacramental records.

Ideal candidate will have a sound knowledge and understanding of Catholic theology, moral teachings and the sacramental life. Bachelor of Arts in Theology/Religious Education, or equivalent preferred.

Send your resume to:  
[dff@saintagnes.org](mailto:dff@saintagnes.org)

**For More Info, contact**

Lisa Orosa  
1910 N. Randolph St.  
Arlington, VA 22207  
[saintagnes.org](https://saintagnes.org)  
703.527.1129

## Volunteer Information Sessions Sign-Up

Please join us to learn more about how to help newly-arrived families thrive in Northern VA. Catholic Charities Migration & Refugee Services is offering volunteer information sessions about opportunities & on-boarding process starting in January, to be held the first Wednesday of the month at 5:30 p.m. via Zoom. Sessions last about an hour. Please register at: [bit.ly/40pcwwH](https://bit.ly/40pcwwH).

## Praise and Worship Holy Hour for Healing and Conversion

Join us on Tuesday, February 13, for Holy Hour at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax. Father David Dufresne will be presiding along with musician Mike Tenney. Confession will be available. Adoration is from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Please come and spend time with Our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration while praying for healing and conversion in families, including those affected by abortion.





open FRIDAYS

after 6:30 am and 9 am Masses

serving coffee, espresso drinks and light treats

Want to have the Café open for your meeting?

Email: [bethanyministry@saintagnes.org](mailto:bethanyministry@saintagnes.org)

## Respect Life Ministry Needs Volunteers



Please offer your helping hands  
and email  
[saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com](mailto:saintagnesrespectlife@gmail.com).

## What does it mean to be an "active Catholic"?

An active Catholic is a person who cherishes the faith received at Holy Baptism, nourished through the Holy Eucharist, healed through the Sacrament of Penance, and strengthened through the Sacrament of Confirmation. An active Catholic embraces the teachings of the Catholic Church contained in the Word of God and in Sacred Tradition, and strives to live them.

An active Catholic is registered in the parish, supports the mission of the Church with time, talent, and treasure, whether by worshipping at Holy Mass each Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation (except for illness or emergency), volunteering to serve the parish community in various ways, and supporting the parish financially, using Faith Direct or offertory envelopes. Active Catholic spouses and parents seek to help their loved ones know Jesus through prayer, Holy Mass, regular Penance, religious education, and charitable works.

Why is this important? Anyone who seeks to be a godparent or sponsor for the Sacraments of Baptism or Confirmation, or enter the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, or receive a Catholic Tuition Rate at School must first be verified as an active Catholic and parishioner.

## Saint Mary Magdalene LENTEN RETREAT



**St. Agnes Catholic Church**

**Saturday, February 17 | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

Parish Hall, 1910 N. Randolph Street, Arlington, Virginia



*The Power of  
Deliverance*

**Msgr. Charles Pope**

Pastor, Holy Comforter—  
St. Cyprian Church



*In the footsteps  
of the Healer*

**Melissa Overmyer**

Catholic Author and  
Vlogger, MA in  
Theology



*Remain with Jesus*

**Rev. Nicholas  
Schieer**

Parochial Vicar  
St. Rita



*Mary Magdalene  
Eucharistic Adorer*

**Rev. Declan Gibson**

Missionary of the  
Most Holy Eucharist

**Please Register at** <https://tinyurl.com/MMRetreat2024>

*The fee is \$40 and include light breakfast and lunch.*





## Registration Now Open! Behold, I Make All Things New

Join women from around the Diocese for an opportunity to be inspired, to connect with likeminded women and to raise our voices together in prayer. Our 2024 gathering will feature the awe-inspiring reversion story of Patricia Sandoval and a powerful presentation by Sr. Mary Madeline Todd, O.P. about the true dignity and vocation of every woman. Saturday, March 9th, from 8:30 a.m.- 2:30 p.m. Sign-in begins at 7:30 a.m. with confession, coffee, and pastries. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Michael F. Burbidge at 11:15 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Herndon. Cost is \$65 until February 1st, \$80 afterwards. Register at [arlingtondiocese.org/women](http://arlingtondiocese.org/women).

## 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 at [alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com](mailto:alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com)

## 'Gardening Angels' Needed

Join fellow parishioners in helping to maintain the churchyard gardens. No special training needed, just a willingness to join and learn as you work. Timing can be arranged. If you have any questions, please call Jean Shirhall at 703-528-2617.

Samuel learns to hear the voice of the Lord, responding, "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening." Are you wondering how to respond to God's call?

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

## Registration Now Open! Renewed in Christ: Reflecting His Light to the World

Join Catholic men from around the Diocese for a day of prayer, fellowship and reflection. Keynotes include: Fr. Daniel Mode, Chaplain of the United States Coast Guard, and Jonathan Reyes, Senior Vice President of Evangelization and Faith Formation for the Knights of Columbus. Saturday, March 2nd, 2024 at St. Joseph Catholic Church 750 Peachtree Street, Herndon, from 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Sign-in begins at 7:30 a.m. with confession, coffee, and pastries. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Michael F. Burbidge at 11:15 a.m. Cost is \$65 until February 1st, 2024, \$80 after February 1st. You may register at [arlingtondiocese.org/men](http://arlingtondiocese.org/men).



**Heroes come in all sizes.**

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

**Saturday, January 27, 2024  
9:30AM-11:30AM  
St. Agnes Parish Hall**

Bring joy to a child suffering from cancer!

- Volunteer to make fun headbands, positive note cards & decorate gift boxes
- Donate boxes of fun bandages or cash to help fund pediatric cancer research

Register today!







# THE BORGO AT SAINT AGNES

named for the Borgo Pio in Rome  
the shop-lined street leading to the Vatican

## Our **new** parish gift shop is now open in the vestibule!

featuring books for all ages, gifts, and games. plus  
religious medals, rosaries & statues for the home  
from Europe!

**HOURS** Sundays after Mass

✉ theborgo@saintagnes.org

📷 @theborgo

## Day of Prayer and Healing

After Abortion Retreats: A Day of Prayer and Healing for women who have experienced abortion will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2024. These group healing events are held in a private and peaceful setting, in English and in Spanish, based on the Entering Canaan model (2 separate retreats, in 1 location). There will be an opportunity to hear from a past participant and others who have found healing. You are not alone. Take the first step. For confidential inquiries, please contact Project Rachel Ministry: (703) 841-2504 or [info@helpafterabortion.org](mailto:info@helpafterabortion.org).

## 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](#)

## Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 3+

January 14, 2024 • John 1:35-42

### Jesus' First Disciples

The 2 men followed Jesus  
and spent the day with Him.

Find and **circle** the hidden objects in the picture.



## Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

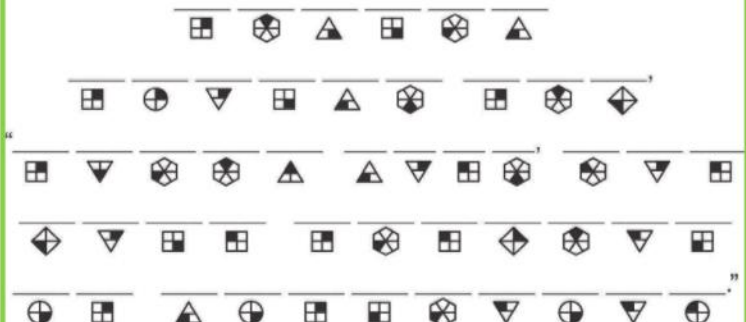
January 14, 2024 • 1 Samuel 3:1-20

### The Lord Calls Samuel



One night, when Samuel  
was a child, the Lord called him.  
Samuel thought it was the priest  
Eli calling him. But Eli told Samuel  
that if the Lord called him again,  
Samuel should answer in  
a certain way. What was it?

Use the code to fill in the blanks.





# Saint Agnes Religious Education

## Important Dates!

- ♦ January 16th & 21st | Midterm Assessments
- ♦ January 27th | Family Day of Service for Pediatric Cancer
- ♦ February 9th & 11th | Confirmation Exam

For more information, contact Lisa Orosa at [dff@saintagnes.org](mailto:dff@saintagnes.org).



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

## Sunday Mass Journal

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time  
John 1:35-42

Sunday, 14 January 2024

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

### Gospel Reflection

Andrew got to know Jesus by spending time with Him. After, he invited his brother, Simon Peter. We can only invite others to meet Jesus when we know Him ourselves. How can you get to know Jesus better this year?

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I am thankful for...

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

I will pray for...

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

My Spiritual Goal for the Week



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

I am a...

☐ St. Agnes RE student

☐ St. Agnes school student

☐ Not an RE/SAS student

# ST. AGNES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FAITH BINGO

## JANUARY 2024

Do 5 activities in a row. Submit this card at the end of the month to the RE Office or at the Parish Gift Shop 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 RE's May Crowning Celebration.**



Go to Mass on the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God on Jan. 1st. <b>It is a holy day of obligation.</b>	Make a spiritual New Year's resolution to make Jesus your best friend.	Honor the Holy Name of Jesus by bowing your head every time you hear His Name.	Pray for your teachers in honor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Jan 4) and St. John Neumann (Jan. 5)	Celebrate the Solemnity of the Epiphany (Jan. 6) by eating King's cake.
Research a famous Catholic scientist and read up on his/her life	Pray for peace in the Ukraine, the Holy Land and other parts of the world.	Do a random act of kindness for a stranger	Light a candle and pray before the statue of the Holy Infant of Prague inside the St. Agnes Church	Surprise your parents by doing an extra chore without being told
Clean your toys and closet and donate it to the poor.	Offer a Hail Mary for the intentions of the Holy Father	<b>GO TO MASS EVERY SUNDAY!</b>	Thank God for the amazing gift of life by watching "The Value of Life" on Formed.org <a href="https://watch.formed.org/the-value-of-life">https://watch.formed.org/the-value-of-life</a>	Celebrate the feast of St. Agnes (Jan 21) by making a lamb cake made of marshmallows
Pray for an end to racism on Martin Luther King day	Send a get-well card to someone who is sick	Visit an elderly neighbor and see if there is anything you can help them with	Find the statue of St. Francis de Sales inside St. Agnes Church and pray for Fr. Pinizzotto	Make a list of 10 things you are grateful for and thank God for it in prayer
Do an examination of conscience, be sorry for your sins and promise to do better	Forgive someone who has wronged you.	Pray for the homeless and those who are suffering from the winter cold	Listen to the homily of a priest and discuss with a parent	Participate in the Family Day of Service on January 27th to help pediatric cancer patients





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Thank you to the St. Agnes School Choir and Mr. Cotton for a beautiful performance on December 16th.

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