

Saint Agnes Catholic Church

March 31st, 2024 | Easter Sunday



From the Gospel of John

“On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, ‘They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don’t know where they put Him.’ So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in.”

Jn 20:1-9

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 31

- 7:30 a.m. † Paul and Olga Dugan
9:00 a.m. The Haissig Family
11:00 a.m. The Saunders Family

Monday, April 1

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
9:00 a.m. † Rev. Keith Ramey
(*The Saunders Family*)

Tuesday, April 2

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
9:00 a.m. † Dr. Joseph F. Saunders
(*The Saunders Family*)

Wednesday, April 3

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
9:00 a.m. † Rene Arce S.
(*Carmen Guardia*)

Thursday, April 4

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
9:00 a.m. † Ralph Leon
(*The Buono Family*)

Friday, April 5

- 6:30 a.m. NO MASS
9:00 a.m. † For the souls in Purgatory
most in need
(*Craig Turner*)
7:00 p.m. First Friday Latin Mass

Saturday, April 6

- 7:30 a.m. John Thieman
(*Peter Thieman and Family*)
9:00 a.m. † Maria Martins
(*Henrique Fernandes*)

Vigil

- 5:00 p.m. † François Ménard
(*Armelle Tallec*)

Sunday, April 7

- 7:30 a.m. † Stephanie Hodges Naskie
(*The Cacci Family*)
9:00 a.m. † Maria Hurley
(*Marvin Hurley*)
11:00 a.m. All Living and Deceased Parishioners

† indicates person is deceased

Scripture Readings Week of March 31st, 2024

- Sunday** **The Resurrection of the Lord**
Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23;
Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9
- Monday** Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11;
Mt 28:8-15
- Tuesday** Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22;
Jn 20:11-18
- Wednesday** Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35
- Thursday** Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48
- Friday** Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a;
Jn 21:1-14
- Saturday** Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21;
Mk 16:9-15
- Sunday** **Sunday of Divine Mercy**
Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Jn 5:1-6;
Jn 20:19-31

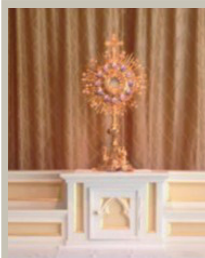
Keep Them in Your Prayers

For those who are sick in our midst:

Walter Quinn, William Thomas, Carol Naill,
Cathy Sheehan-Wilson, Marlise Yetter, Paz Speer,
Jake Williams, Mary Pace, 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, Edmond Bonin, Audrey Gawda,
Alzira Medeiros, Alice Paxton
Residents of Cherrydale Health and Rehabilitation

The repose of the souls who have recently passed:

David Guevara, Adriana Lalor, Luisa Saldivar,
Donald Murray, Edith Stevens, Margaret Fonseca,
Yolanda Edmonds



The Chapel will reopen Tuesday, April 2nd at 1:00 p.m.

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 commitment:

- ♦ Saturday: 4:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m.



Please contact Greg King at 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 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 the month of August.

Parish Clergy

- Pastor** • Rev. William Saunders
- Parochial Vicar** • Rev. Andrew Haissig
- In residence** • Rev. Anthony Pinizzotto
- In residence** • Rev. Steven Oetjen

Parish Office

1914 N. Randolph Street • Arlington, VA 22207-3046
Phone: (703) 525-1166 • Fax: (703) 243-2840 www.saintagnes.org
Office Hours • Monday through Friday • 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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sacraments@saintagnes.org

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musicdirector@saintagnes.org

Coordinator of the Protection of Children • Jennifer Carpenter
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Youth and Young Adults • Rev. Andrew Haissig
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RCIA • Ana Lisa Pinon
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Saint Agnes School

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Principal • Jennifer Kuzdzal jkuzdzal@saintagnes.org

Assistant Principal • Ann Reid areid@saintagnes.org

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass

Monday – Friday: 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Wednesday during Holy Hour 7:30 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m., 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
and by appointment

Dear Parishioners,

“Jesus Christ is risen! Alleluia!” The tomb is empty. Jesus—the Son of God, Lord, and Savior—has conquered sin, death, and evil itself. Darkness has given way to the light of a new day. He has established a new Kingdom, a kingdom of love and truth, justice and peace. This Kingdom is made visible in the Church, which is founded upon the apostles, which continues to proclaim His Gospel, and which continues to share His life and love through the sacraments.

Easter is a time for each of us to rise up, renew our faith, and walk again with our Lord, the Good Shepherd, who wants to walk with us whether through verdant pastures when life is great, or through the dark valleys when life is filled with trials. Despite a world that seems filled with darkness, whether the war in Ukraine, the turmoil in Israel and Gaza, or the terrible violence in our own country, we must never forget that Jesus is the light who penetrates the darkness. Only Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Only with Jesus do we find true love. And with Jesus, there will be resurrection, victory, and glory. Yes, walk with Jesus and be a witness to the resurrection by how you live your life of faith. Be a witness to real love and truth, justice and peace.

Please know Fr. Haissig, Fr. Pinizzotto, Fr. Oetjen and I are praying for you. We ask for your prayers. Please pray also for those individuals who have received the beautiful Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil.

So let us once again joyfully proclaim today and every day, “Jesus Christ is risen! Let us rejoice and be glad! For this is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad!”

May God bless you,

Father William P. Saunders, Pastor

Parish Office Closed Easter Monday

The Parish Office will be closed Easter Monday, April 1st. We will reopen on Tuesday, April 2nd at 9:30 a.m.

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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).

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—bethanyministry@saintagnes.org
- 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

- The Borgo Gift Store—theborgo@saintagnes.org
- 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

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

all high schoolers are invited

SPRING BREAK

Holy Week + Easter Week

March 24 - April 7

YG RESUMES APRIL 9



in search of handymen Mon-Thurs

JUNE 22-28

get started at

tinyurl.com/STAGYG-WC

email with any questions!



get updates

📧 @stagnesyouth

✉️ stagnesyg.flocknote.com

🔗 tinyurl.com/STAGYG-Home



It is often forgotten that Our Lady of Fatima requested the First Saturday Devotion to be widely observed to ensure Russia's conversion. The consecration which

recently took place by Pope Francis was not the only requirement for the conversion of Russia, according to Our Lady of Fatima. She included the request for the observance of the First Saturday devotion. She said to Sister Lucia (one of the three children at Fatima): "When you see a night illumined by an unknown light, know that this is the great sign given you by God that He is about to punish the world for its crimes, by means of war, famine, and persecutions of the Church and of the Holy Father. To prevent this, I shall come to ask for the consecration of Russia to my Immaculate Heart, and the Communion of reparation on the First Saturdays. If my requests are heeded, Russia will be converted, and there will be peace; if not, she will spread her errors throughout the world, causing wars and persecutions of the Church."

What is the First Saturday Devotion?

Our Lady of Fatima revealed to Sister Lucia the following aspects of the First Saturday devotion:

- ❖ Receive Holy Communion on five consecutive First Saturdays
- ❖ Go to confession each month
- ❖ Recite five decades of the Rosary on the First Saturdays
- ❖ Meditate for 15 minutes on the mysteries of the Rosary.



Please join us for

Prayer & Pretzels

with Sister Marie Benedict Elliott, F.S.E.

Thursday, April 4th



10am to 12pm



Parish Hall

Sister Marie Benedict will instruct us in the art of pretzel making with Scriptural reflections and prayer as we mix the ingredients. We will have special fellowship over God's Word while the pretzels bake and then enjoy the delicious fruits of our work as we celebrate the Risen Lord!

So we may have ingredients and prayer guides for you, please RSVP by April 2nd to bethanyministry@saintagnes.org

Also see Father Saunders's notes on pretzels:

<https://catholicstraightanswers.com/do-pretzels-really-have-anything-to-do-with-lent/>

"God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power." Are you being called to proclaim the life of the resurrected Christ to the world? Contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org

Titles of Mary

Our Lady of Grace | April 4th

This popular title of Mary is identified by many with the image seen on the Miraculous Medal. An earlier devotion to Mary under this title dates from 1440 in Cambrai, France, where there is an icon from Rome depicting her holding the child Jesus.



**The Borgo will be closed
on Easter weekend**

**THE BORGO
AT SAINT AGNES**

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

HOURS

Sundays after Mass

✉️ theborgo@saintagnes.org

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Catacombs Cafe

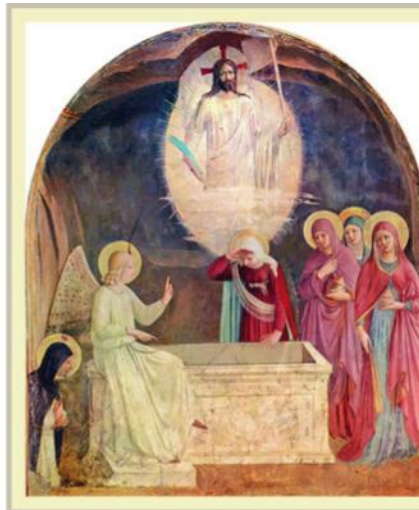
open FRIDAYS

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



Join us for our next First Friday Sung Mass in Latin (Ordinary Form) on **April 5th at 7:00 p.m.**

Our Schola Cantorum Sanctae Agnetis and organist will provide music for the Mass.



DIocese of ARLINGTON

Office of the Bishop

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Easter 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During this Easter Season, I reflect on how blessed we are as followers of Christ to live in a diocese that has been given abundant blessings. Our Risen Lord invites us to take those blessings and walk in newness of life as his sons and daughters, each and every day.

As we celebrate our 50th anniversary as a diocese, we are renewed in the joyful hope of witnessing and celebrating our Lord's resurrection. Now strengthened in this hope-filled faith, we can better respond to his call to witness to the Risen Lord with greater authenticity, to follow his commands, and willingly proclaim our faith and the truth of the Gospel boldly and lovingly.

By relying on God and trusting in his grace, may we strive daily to live in Christ Jesus, who rose from the dead, bringing a message of new life in him. Jesus Christ is risen today; he is victorious, and his victory is ours. For this reason, we sing 'Alleluia! Alleluia!'

Please be assured of a special remembrance in my prayers for you and your family. May Our Risen Lord shower his abundant blessings upon you at Easter and always.

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge
Bishop of Arlington

THE EASTER OCTAVE

Eastertime lasts fifty days: seven weeks of seven days (seven equals Biblical perfection) plus one day: perfection plus! Like an eight-day Jewish wedding, or a child who can't bear to let go of Christmas, birthdays, and school vacation, the Church celebrates the Easter Octave: "the marriage of heaven and earth," as the Vigil calls Jesus' resurrection; our new members' baptismal rebirth; our renewal of baptismal vows; our hearts' "divine vacation" (Latin *vacare*, "to be empty"), newfound time and space for love of God and neighbor.

Make home an Easter garden! Adorn the dining table with a pillar candle (your "paschal candle"), a bowl full of water (ideally, from the parish's baptismal font), a vase of flowers or bowl of sprouting grain with Easter eggs. Even non-singers can handle the three-fold Gospel Alleluia! Let that be your grace before meals, perhaps with a prayer recalling Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35): "Be known to us, Risen Lord Jesus, as You were to the first disciples, in Your word, in the breaking of bread, and in everyone we meet."

—Peter Scagnelli

2024 EASTER FLOWER OFFERINGS

JOIN US IN PRAYING FOR OUR *DONORS* AND THEIR INTENTIONS



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| † Charles Hoyt
<i>Maria-Isabel Arre Hoyt</i>
<i>Juanita Acha</i> | † Francis Rooney
† Marie Rooney
† Mary Yesinsky
<i>Nancy Rooney</i>
<i>Joel & Sara Fagen</i>
<i>Jean Shirball</i> | † Robert Palier
† Ursula Shean
† Thomas Shean, Sr.
† MK Shean
† Sally Johnson
<i>Owen & Susan Shean</i>
<i>Maureen Ross</i>
<i>Christopher & Judith Smith</i> | Dennis Geraghty
Tim Oldfield
Emilia Logos
<i>Duke & Elvira Banks</i>
<i>Jenni Wallace</i> |
| † James B. Edwards
<i>Vicki Thompson-Edwards</i>
<i>J. Gary Wagner</i> | † Augustine McDowell
† François Ménard
† Claude Moyon
† René & Miriam Tallec
<i>Armelle Tallec</i>
<i>Pilar Gonzalez</i>
<i>Richard & Elizabeth Starr</i> | † Mr. & Mrs. Telesforo Angel
† Mr. & Mrs. Francisco Guardia
† Maria Graciela de Urrutia
<i>Carmen L. Guardia</i>
<i>Kevin & Jo Lynch</i>
<i>James Wallace</i> | † Tony Koonen
† Marion Giaimo
† Robert Giaimo
<i>Barbara Koonen</i>
<i>Judi Teske</i>
<i>Edward & Deborah Whelan</i> |
| † Jeanne McCoy Tucker
<i>Donald Reinecker</i>
<i>Thomas & Mary Hazgard</i> | † All who have died
<i>Michael de Paul,</i>
<i>Benjamin Griffith</i> | <i>Cbris & Tara Soyeg</i>
† Jim Savarese
<i>Joanne Savarese</i>
<i>Patrick & Kathleen Hofer</i> | † Helen & Albert McMahon
† Mikell Josephine McMahon
<i>Helen McMabon</i>
<i>Julianna Anthony</i> |
| † Kathy Lolich
† John & Helen Goldrick
† John & Florence Lolich
† John Hopkins
<i>Richard Lolich</i>
<i>Joan & David Biebler</i> | † William Bierlein
† Craig Bierlein
† Stephen Bierlein
<i>Donna Bierlein</i>
<i>Tara Telesba</i> | † Paula Ashby
† Pauline Owens
† Arvel Owens
<i>Roland & Lola Owens</i>
<i>Alice Moore</i>
<i>David & Mary Grace Tillotson</i> | † Andree W. Connors
<i>John & Jane Connors</i>
<i>John & Aileen Munster</i>
Fr. Anthony Pinizzotto
<i>Richard & Joanne Thornton</i>
<i>David & Fiona Parnigoni</i> |
| † Thomas & Roseanne Fallon
† Earl & Kathleen Chandler
<i>Peter & Theresa Fallon</i>
<i>Robert & Amy Seldin</i>
<i>Christopher Branigan</i> | † Carolyn M. Andros
† The Torba Family
<i>C.R. Andros</i>
<i>Tracey Houser</i>
<i>Brian & Sheila Svoboda</i> | † Ralph Santelli
† Oakley Santelli
† Gabrielle Santelli
† Baby Santelli
† Masie Neufeld
<i>James Santelli</i>
<i>Katherine Danyliw</i> | † Vali & John Burns
Cristina & Jorge Fuentes
<i>Patrick & Patricia Burns</i>
<i>Helen Rebull</i> |
| James & Audrey Wagner
<i>Timothy Gallagher</i>
<i>Paul & Sharon Veith</i> | † Eileen Kelly
<i>Patricia McCarthy</i>
<i>Mark & Mary Hurley</i> | † Ben, Betty & John Green
<i>Colleen Greer</i>
<i>Ron & Toni Ford</i> | † William Thompson
Douglas Williams
† Patricia Thompson
† Margaret Williams
<i>Patrick & Audrey Thompson</i>
<i>David & Anita Rogers</i> |
| † Frank & Ruth Lewarne
† Diane Lewarne
† Sylvia Lesan
<i>Stephen & Beth Lewarne</i>
<i>John & Karin Brough</i>
<i>Cristine Walsh</i> | † Hugh & Annemarie
Montgomery
† Katylee McInerney
<i>Maria Montgomery</i>
<i>John & Andrea Kalitka</i> | † Mary Daly
<i>Mike & Mary Daly</i>
<i>Catherine Ryan</i> | † Nancy Willig
† Jack Sutherland
† Steve Laxton
<i>Robert & Holly Kimmitt</i>
<i>Francesca Sasso</i> |
| † Timothy Hurley
† Sheila Hurley
† Peter Orvis
<i>Jean Hurley</i>
<i>Frank & Miriam Buono</i> | † Michel Gémond
<i>Lilian Gémond</i>
<i>Gianni LaRosa</i> | † Paul Pacho, Sr.
† Efen Valdez
<i>John & Merry Valdez</i>
<i>Mary Anthony</i> | † David Hartman, Jr.
† Linda Hartman
† Thomas F. Lynch, Jr.
<i>Thomas & Jana Lynch</i> |
| † “Nana” (Agnes)
Eucharistic Ministers:
Karen, Mackenzie, Patricia,
Rosemary, Nicole
<i>Mary Ross</i>
<i>Paul & Susan Chaloux</i> | † Fisselbrand & Owen Families
<i>Donna Owen</i>
<i>Rich & Moira McCormick</i> | <i>Mary Anthony</i>
† Anibal Mejia
† George Logos
† Deceased Members of Banks
& Vincentelli families | † John T. & Dorothy Miller
† Bernard & Lorraine Dougherty
<i>Don & Sheila Dougherty</i> |
| † Angeles Baquilon
<i>Delson & Nella Baraoidan</i>
<i>Peter & Mary Davey</i> | † Charlotte Kelly
† Dorothy Hoye
† Harold Hoye
† James Hoye
† Catherine Beller
† Henrieth Hopson
† Frank Hopson
† Ann Hughes
† Francis Hughes
† Alice Rice
† Wesley Rice | † Souls in Purgatory
† Rev. Steve Wood
† Dave Retz
Living Members of Banks
& Vincentelli families
<i>Delia Toro Rogers</i> | † Elizabeth J. & Lawrence F.
Shaeffer
<i>Elizabeth T. Shaeffer</i>
† Mr. Bronson
<i>Blanca Bronson</i> |
| † Raul Gonzalez
<i>Rosario Gonzalez</i>
<i>John Dresnick</i>
<i>John & Erin Dugan</i>
† The Serafin Family
<i>Joanne Weaver</i> | | | † Peter Chat & Anna Die Tran
† David & Maria Luiza Sault
<i>Ken & Thuy Sault</i> |



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**, about 2:30 to 6:00 p.m. at the latest. We are always looking for more volunteers to plan/purchase the meal, and to distribute the take-out meal at the door of Christ House. Want to help? Email Alice Paxton alice.paxton@paladinlifecare.com.

Pregnant? Need Help? Contact Project Gabriel at Saint Agnes



The Gabriel Project is a parish-based pregnancy assistance program, supported by the Arlington Diocese Office for Family Life. It assists expectant mothers with love, care, and spiritual, emotional, and material support.

Please contact gabrielproject@saintagnes.org.

\$16,000

Raised \$8,212

DONATE TODAY

We need to raise \$16,000 to make 45,000 nutritious and meal packs. Please consider donating as part of your sacrificial giving for Lent.

Go to saintagnes.org or contact Charles Palmer at sacraments@saintagnes.org for more information.

JOIN US

Parish Day of Service*
Meal Packing Event
 45,000 meals
 Saturday, April 13
 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM
 St. Agnes School Gym
**Ideal for ages 10 & up*

Sponsored by St. Agnes Religious Education & Young Adults Ministry

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 3+
March 31, 2024 • Mark 16:1-7

Jesus Has Risen

Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome were on their way to anoint Jesus' body ... just after sunrise. They asked each other, "Who will roll the stone away?"

Circle and count these objects in the picture.

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+
March 31, 2024 • 1 Corinthians 5:6-8

Boasting Spreads Like Yeast

Just as yeast spreads through a batch of bread dough to make it rise, boasting spreads through a group of people to cause big problems. What does Paul tell us to do?

Use the code to write the letters in the blanks.

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Saint Agnes Religious Education

Important Dates!

- ◆ April 2nd | No RE Classes | Easter Break
- ◆ April 7th & 9th | Classes resume
- ◆ April 7th | Confirmation First Sunday
- ◆ Mini-Catechesis with Father Saunders | for 1st Communion Students and Parents
⇒ Immediately after 9:00 a.m. Mass | 15 minutes | April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5

For more information, contact Lisa Orosa at 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

Easter Sunday
John 20:1-9

Sunday, 31 March 2024

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

Gospel Reflection

What is the significance of the empty tomb? From the Gospel story, what are the clues that Jesus indeed resurrected from the dead, rather than His body was stolen and taken somewhere else?

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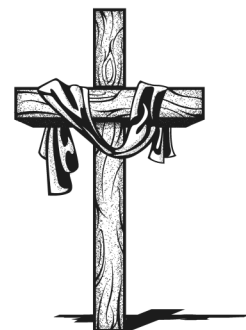
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My Spiritual Goal for the Week



Name: _____ Age/Grade: _____

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APRIL 2024

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

Celebrate Easter Monday by reading the different Gospel stories: Matthew 28, Mark 16, Luke 24 & John 20	Celebrate Easter Tuesday by looking for signs of Spring in your backyard	Celebrate Easter Wednesday by lighting your Baptismal candle and saying a prayer of thanks	Celebrate Easter Thursday by giving flowers to someone who needs cheering up	Watch the Easter story on Formed: https://watch.for-med.org/videos/easter-special-laugh-and-grow-bible-for-kids
Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet for kids: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cEbDRfbiAdU&t=204s	Celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation by praying the 1st Joyful Mystery	Do a random act of kindness for a stranger	Celebrate the feast of St. Stanislaus (Apr 11) by praying an Our Father for our world leaders	Help in the Parish Day of Service Meal Packing Event on April 13 to help the poor in Ukraine & in our area
Do some closet spring cleaning and donate to the poor	Celebrate the feast of St. Martin I (Apr 13) by praying a Hail Mary for Christian unity	GO TO MASS EVERY SUNDAY!	Celebrate the feast of St. Bernadette Soubirous (Apr 16) by reading about Our Lady of Lourdes	Thank God for His creation and pick up trash in your nearby park to celebrate Earth Day (Apr 21)
Celebrate the feast St. George (Apr 23) with this read-aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9IDIAYEhYOI	Forgive someone who has wronged you.	Make homeless bags with water bottles, granola bars, hygiene kits, etc. to give to the poor on the streets	Attend the mini catechesis with Fr. Saunders after the 9AM Mass	Read the widow's offering in Mark 12:41-44 to celebrate St. Mark's feast day (Apr 25) and think of something you can offer God
Light a candle in the Church for someone who is suffering or in distress	Help clean up your garden by weeding & planting	Celebrate St. Catherine of Siena (Apr 29) and write a letter to the Pope and mail to His Holiness Pope Francis 00120 Vatican City	Pray for the poor souls in purgatory	Honor members of your family by saying one thing you admire about them



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Our Pre-K students celebrated their fathers on St. Joseph's Feast Day. They sang some songs and ate some donuts at our annual "Donuts with Dads."

St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary, you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty. You supported the Holy Family of Nazareth with the work of your hands. Kindly protect those who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor, and weariness. But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son entrusted to you and with Mary, His tender Mother. Assure those you protected that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over Him faithfully as you have done. Amen.

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