



ST. AGNES PARISH

245 North Amos Avenue
Springfield, IL 62702

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 30

5:30 p.m. Memorial Day - NO MASS

TUESDAY, MAY 31

8:15 a.m. Ron Kuhn - Ralph & Roslyn
Brookens

And Karen Ferreira - Coelho Family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

6:30 a.m. Rudy & Rose Kink - Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

8:15 a.m. William Bolin - Barb Bolin

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

8:15 a.m. Ann Havey - Joe Rork

12:10 p.m. Dean E. Cox - Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

4:30 p.m. Norma Jeanne FAirweather -
Betty Bennett

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

8:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. Agnes

9:30 a.m. James Metz - Martha & James
Mayfield

11:30 a.m. Joe Dold - Jim Oldani

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Lk 2:41-51

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:17-24; Gal 1:11-19; Lk 7:11-17

ALTAR SERVERS

May 31, June 2, 3:

Tuesday, 8:15 a.m. Matthew Johnson,
Massimo Polistina

Thursday, 8:15 a.m. Charlie Dunham,
Elizabeth Harley

Friday, 8:15 a.m. Maxon Perkins, Emily
Rapacz

June 4-5:

4:30 p.m. Louis Bartletti, Rose Bartletti, John
Schmidt

8:00 a.m. Tom Frost, John Brunsman

9:30 a.m. Jack Ramage, Mary O'Brien,
Colleen O'Brien

11:30 a.m. Julia Curry, Sydney House, Sophie
Mayfield

READERS, JUNE 4-5

4:30 p.m. Maureen Farmer, Susan Dodson

8:00 a.m. Harry Mitchell, Vicki Bauer

9:30 a.m. Bill Snyder, Bill Duffield

11:30 a.m. Sandra Kelley, Bob Bussing

COMMUNION MINISTERS

JUNE 4-5

4:30 p.m. Team C, Mike & Dawn Caveny,
Barb Kern, Mark & Ellen Kuntzi, Rudy Kink

8:00 a.m. Team H, Lois Bloechle, Rita King,
Al & Sharon Mast, Rosie McCormick, Chuck
Murphy

9:30 a.m. Team N, Ann Devlin, Dave
Kerwin, Annette Nelson, Becky Powell, Conrad
& Kathy Rubinkowski

11:30 a.m. Team U, Sr. Angelene Biderbost,
Jan Koltun, Phil & Leigh Reed, Rick & Nancy
Wilderson

PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

8:00 AM-5:00 PM: Sheila Noonan 546-0012
Barb Kern 546-7729

5:00 PM-10:00 PM: Maureen Brady 787-3423
Cinda Steinkamp 787-6439

PLEASE NOTE: The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 30 for Memorial Day Holiday. ALSO, there will be NO 5:30 p.m. Mass on May 30, Memorial Day.



REST IN PEACE

Please keep in your prayers **George Alewelt** of our parish who died recently. May he know the fullness of joy that the Risen Lord desires to share with us.



St. Agnes Music Concert:

The St. Agnes Music Department is excited to perform its first concert, *Inspired*, on Sunday, June 5, at 3:30 pm in the church sanctuary. Representing a variety of genres, both choral and instrumental selections will include music by Natalie Sleeth, Joseph Martin, Mark Hayes, Brent Olstad, and Henry Purcell. Refreshments will be served in the parish hall following the concert. Admission is free; donations accepted. Please help by spreading the word. Thank you for supporting the St. Agnes music ministry.

Lay Ministry Formation Program: The Office for Ministry Formation announces the beginning of Year I of our Lay Ministry Formation Program in the fall of 2016. Interested persons should review the program on the diocesan website: dio.org. "Lay Ministry Formation Program". The manual and application materials are available on line. Those men considering future admission into the permanent diaconate program are encouraged to enroll in the formation program as well. For further information please contact: Mrs. Joan Reed in the Office for Ministry Formation of the diocese. She may be reached at the Catholic Pastoral Center 217-698-8500 ext. 153 or by e-mail jreed@dio.org.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land - One of the dreams of every Christian disciple is to someday walk in the footsteps of Jesus in his homeland. You are invited to share this experience with Fr. Chuck Edwards and other disciples from our diocese during Advent of 2016. For more information and to download a flier visit <http://www.dio.org/missions/mission-trips.html> or contact Vicki Compton at missions@dio.org or 217/698-8500.

FIRST FRIDAY—JUNE

First Friday this month will be on June 3. Masses will be celebrated at 8:15 a.m. and at 12:10 p.m. There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:15 Mass, with reposition at noon prior to 12:10 Mass.

Please Note: Sign-up sheets for half hour times for adoration can be found in the church gathering space.

Memorial Day Field Mass: Please join us at Calvary Cemetery on Memorial Day, May 30 at 9:30 am for the traditional Field Mass offered at the Father Howard Altar. Bishop Thomas John Paprocki will be the principal celebrant. Accompanying Bishop Paprocki in procession will be a number of our local priests, members of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus and representatives of the St. Andrew Society Bag-Pipers. Limited seating will be available under tents. Lawn chairs are welcome. A golf cart will be available to assist from the main gate to the Mass site. Please call the cemetery office at 523-3726 with any questions you may have.

GREETERS FOR JUNE:

- 4:30 Nick & Anna Pauly
- 8:00 Pat & Sarah Phalen
- 9:30 Don Frank
- 11:30 David & Gina Curry

Dominican Faith Camp for Girls - Girls starting grades 6-9 in the fall are invited to the Dominican Sisters Faith Camp, scheduled for July 24-26, 2016, at Sacred Heart Convent, the Dominican motherhouse, in Springfield, Ill. This popular annual event gives girls an opportunity to learn about Dominican life while enjoying crafts, games, & interaction with the sisters in a comfortable, welcoming, Catholic environment. Faith Campers will learn about prayer, study, Christian service, and community life, and enjoy a special conversation with their own "Sister Buddy." Registration is \$50 per child and includes The Catholic Youth Prayer Book for each child to take home. Registration forms are available at SpringfieldOP.org. For more information contact Sister Teresa Marron, OP, at 217-787-0481 or SrTeresa@spdom.org



ST. AGNES SCHOOL
catch our spirit

St. Agnes Eighth Grade Graduation Scholarships/Recognition

Christian Action/PeaceBuilder Awards

This award is presented to students chosen by their classmates and the staff as excelling in Christian values and in living the six principles of the PeaceBuilder Program.

Camille Arisman	Liz Donelan	Holly Griffin	Sophia Ludolph
Makaeda Matthews-Smith	Zachary Morton	Nicholas Phalen	Joseph Rapacz
Claire Trees	Zach Vorreyer		

***Special PeaceBuilder Award presented to: Sam Dold**

The Presidential Award for outstanding Academic Excellence

This award is presented to students who excel in academics, have achieved 90% or above on Iowa Assessments composite, demonstrate high motivation, initiative, integrity, intellectual depth, leadership qualities and exceptional judgment.

Camille Arisman	Andrew Frierdich	Michael Loureiro	Sophia Ludolph
Meredith Lyons	Zachary Morton	John Phalen	Nick Phalen
Sophia Sass	Tucker Von Behren		

The Presidential Award for outstanding Academic Achievement

This award is presented to recognize students that show outstanding educational growth, improvement, commitment and intellectual development in their academic subjects.

Elizabeth Donelan	Amanda Everhart	Holly Griffin	Jenna Heath
Zoey Hu	Sean McEvoy		

Sacred Heart-Griffin St. Thomas Aquinas Academic Scholarship

Michael Loureiro	\$2,000.00	Sophia Sass	\$2,000.00
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Ed Goetz Service Scholarship

Holly Griffin	\$2,000.00
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St. Agnes Parish Scholarship in recognition of academic excellence, outstanding Christian Leadership and service.

Camille Arisman	\$2,000.00	Claire Trees	\$2,000.00
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Monsignor Patrick Wright Memorial Scholarship in recognition of good character, solid Catholic values, service to others, a passion for learning and leadership.

Joe Rapacz	\$1,250.00	Chloe Reim	\$1,250.00
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Dear 8th Grade Students,

Thank you so much for the kind words and generous gifts you gave us. Your thoughtfulness is truly appreciated. We wish you the best as you enter high school and pray for success in your future. Please remember that we are always here for you and would like for you to stay in touch.

Best Wishes!

Fr. Bob, Sr. Joan, Mrs. Tusek, Ms. Rang, and Mrs. Parkes



CONTRIBUTIONS, MAY 21-22:

Regular Contributions: \$14,704

St. Agnes Parish Capital Improvements Fund: \$846

MAY GOD BLESS YOUR GENEROSITY!

Fatima Crusade: The Fatima All Night Vigil will take place from 9 p.m. Friday, June 10 until 6:00 a.m. Saturday, June 11 at Blessed Sacrament Church in Springfield. Speaker is Fr. Seth Brown. See Catholic Times for details.



St. Agnes Vacation Bible School Cave Quest: Go spelunking through dark caves with Jesus as your light at Cave Quest VBS! Kids learn Jesus is

the one who lights our way and gives us hope for each new day. His love illuminates when the path is dark. Cave Quest VBS encourages kids to follow Jesus where ever he will lead them!

VBS will be held July 11-15 in the Parish Hall from 9-11:30 a.m. The cost for the week is \$20 and includes a t-shirt and a gift. Participant and volunteer registration forms are located in the back of the church.

Want to help with St. Agnes's VBS but don't think you have the time? There are lots of small ways you can help that don't require a big time commitment or for you to be there during VBS itself. We are looking for people willing to help make decorations that can be made in the weeks leading up to camp, bring snack, or even paperwork duties. If there is one day you'd like to help during VBS but can't commit to the whole week...No problem! All help is welcome. We're also looking for volunteers to lead or assist activities during the week of camp. This does count towards student/family volunteer hours for next school year. Contact Kathy at the parish office, 793-1330, if you are interested.

Calvary Cemetery: Your generosity to keep Calvary Cemetery beautiful is much appreciated by all those who visit. We have been able to make some repairs to the roadway and more are needed. We also are planning to replace segments of the chain link fencing with a black fence that has a more durable finish and does not require painting. Thank you for your continued support to care for your cemetery.

Year of Mercy Juried Art Exhibition - To celebrate the Year of Mercy, the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois and the Quincy Art Center will host a juried exhibition of sacred art with the theme of Mercy. This competition is open to all artists age 19 (by entry deadline) and older, living in the United States. All submitted artwork must explore a theme related to works of Mercy. Work must be original, designed and executed by the submitting artist. Artwork must be received by July 15. The exhibition opens on August 12 and runs through September 17. For a prospectus and entry form go to <http://www.dio.org/yearofmercy/art-exhibition.html> A Junior Division art show will be announced in the Spring.

Diocesan Family Fun Camp, June 30 – July 2, Villa Maria Retreat Center, 1903 E. Lake Shore Dr. - Join us for four days of family fun. Families of all ages and sizes welcome. Indoor overnight accommodations available. Join with other families for 3 days of relaxation, prayer, formation, community and fun. For detailed information & to reserve your spot visit: dio.org/familylife/camp.html or call 321-1139.

Men of the Parish, Please Note: The Holy Name Society end-of-the-year meeting/cookout will be held on **Monday, June 27**. Social hour at 5:30 p.m., with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Cost for the dinner is \$5. (Please make sure your annual dues of \$5 have been paid. If not, you can pay your dues the night of the cookout.) All men of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend. This is a great opportunity to meet new people and “re-meet” guys you haven’t seen in a while. Hope to see you there!



Young at Heart (YAH) Activities

Election Results: The following members were successful in their quest for leadership positions for YAH and will take office on July 1: Co-presidents – Roslyn Brookens and Jane Locascio; Treasurer – Sue Hartl; Secretary – Cliff Erwin (a thorn among the roses). The new officers will serve from July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2018.

Planning meeting: We'll meet on Tuesday, June 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall to discuss summer and fall events (see items below) plus some new ideas that have emerged. We welcome your input and your ideas.

Upcoming events: Please mark your calendar for the following activities:

- **Saturday, June 18** – South Pacific at the MUNI at 8:30 p.m. We have reserved the Pavilion for a picnic starting at 6:00 p.m. Tickets prices are \$12.50 per person. Please contact Roslyn Brookens (622-6299) for a reservation. If you already have a season pass, you can join us for the picnic. As always, friends are welcome. Deadline for payment is Friday, June 3.
- **Sunday, June 26** - Coffee and donuts sponsored by YAH.
- **Saturday, July 9** – Sister Act at the Legacy.
- **Sunday, July 17** - Grapevine Social at Danenberger's Family Vineyard.
- **Tuesday, September 27** – Potluck in the Parish Hall.
- **Saturday, October 15** – Picnic and bonfire at Villa Maria Center.

More information will be provided on these events in future bulletins. In the interim, please feel free to contact any of the following members for more details: Ralph Brookens (415-1889); Sue Hartl (787-5849); Carrie Becker (787-6823); Cliff Erwin (787-7017); Roslyn Brookens (622-6299); Jane Locascio (306-3037); or Barb Kern (546-7729).

Butler Funeral Homes presents An Open Door Session on Funerals, Cremation, Cemetery and Advance Planning on June 9. When it comes to burial, cremation and advance funeral planning, we know that people have many questions. As funeral and cremation specialists, we're happy to provide answers during our FREE program. Join us at 8:30 a.m. for a complimentary breakfast at MCL Cafeteria and a brief, interactive, and open discussion forum. No cost or obligation. Call 544-4646 to reserve your seat by June 6.

SHG Football Camp: The Junior Cyclone Football Camp will be June 20-22 from 8-10 a.m. for those students in grades K-8. Cost is \$75. The SHG Football Padded camp will be July 18-21 from 6-8 p.m. for students in grades 4-8. Cost is \$75. For more information or to register, contact Bob Brenneisen at 414-8874 or 787-1595 x104.



Volunteers Needed: Are you looking for service hours or a way to help out here at St. Agnes? Well, we are looking for help.

- A parishioner needs a ride to weekend Mass. She lives near the intersection of Washington and Veterans Parkway. If you can help, please call the parish office at 793-1330.
- We are looking for individuals/families who would like to help greet at weekend Masses. This is a great way to get to know your fellow parishioners. If you can help, please call Barb Kern at 546-7729
- We are looking for people willing to make side dishes or desserts for funeral luncheons. This is a wonderful service we offer our parish families. We can't do it without your help. To help, please call Barb Kern at 546-7729.



RIGHT TO LIFE CORNER

For members of the Church: May the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist strengthen us in protecting his gift of life;

We pray to the Lord....

Totus Tuus is looking for young adults to spend the summer serving youth of the diocese as teachers. Latin for “Totally Yours,” Totus Tuus team members are asked to be “totally yours” for young people by helping them come closer to Christ through personal witness, Christian presence and catechetical instruction. The summer season is June 2-July 23 with a break over Independence Day. Training is provided as well as a summer stipend. Teams of four teachers travel throughout the diocese staying with host families in local parishes to present the Totus Tuus program. For more information, go to www.dio.org/youthministry/staff-information.html or call Kyle Holtgrave at (217) 698-8500.

Illinois Walk for Children: June 4 at the YMCA West Campus. Deacon Roy is the Executive Director of Prevent Child Abuse Illinois. The Illinois Walk for Children is their annual fundraiser supporting prevention programs for children and families in Springfield and throughout Illinois. If you would like to sponsor Deacon Roy for the walk, you can make a pledge at: <https://www.firstgiving.com/fundraiser/roy-harley/2016-illinois-walk-for-children> and click on the word **DONATE**. Or send a check in his name to PCA Illinois, 528 S. Fifth St. #211, Springfield, IL 62701. Or simply make it in person. You can learn more at www.preventchildabuseillinois.org. Thank you so very much.

Summer School Office Hours – The office will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon until June 10. The office will be closed the rest of the month and through the month of July. The office will reopen August 5. Phone messages will be checked throughout the summer. Please leave a message on the answering machine and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

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