

St. AGNES PARISH

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

 Monday
 5:30 p.m.

 Tuesday
 8:15 a.m.

 Wednesday
 6:30 a.m.

 Thursday
 8:15 a.m.

First Friday 8:15 a.m., 12:10 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 8:15

Mass until noon.

(No daily Mass on Fridays except for First Fridays)

Holydays Consult the bulletin prior

to the Holyday

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Call the Parish Office to schedule other times.

ST. AGNES PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Loved and chosen by God, we are the St. Agnes Parish family. Through Baptism we share responsibility for continuing the mission of Jesus. We are called to be a community whose members enable and support the gifts given to each by the Spirit. We are sent to make Christ visible in our world through worship, proclamation of the Word, and service to all God's people. We, the people of God, in the Catholic Christian community of St. Agnes, in northwest Springfield, Illinois, commit ourselves to seek first the Kingdom of God in our life together.

WELCOME!

If you're new to our community and not yet registered, we invite you to call or stop by the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office to arrange a time.

INFANT BAPTISMS

Infant Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of the month at 12:30 p.m. Attendance at the Pre-Baptismal Preparation Class is required. Call the Parish Office to register for the class and to arrange for a Baptism.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is open to the unbaptized who are interested in joining the Catholic faith, those baptized Christian who are considering becoming a Catholic, and baptized Catholics who are not fully initiated. Inquiry sessions for those interested in joining the Catholic faith are held periodically throughout the year. Please call the Parish Office for additional information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements for weddings must be made at least six (6) months in advance. Please contact the Parish Office.



PARISH STAFF

Rev. Robert J. Jallas, Pastor
Rev. Pawel Augustyniak, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Roy A. Harley
Karen Ferguson, Music Director
Kathy Vizral, Parish Administrative Assistant
Tami Dillon, Parish Secretary
Nancy Wilderson, PSR Coordinator
Ryan Dillon, Maintenance
Mathew Fitzgerald, Maintenance

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.r	n. – 3:00 p.m.
Parish Office	793-1330
Parish Fax	793-3212
Parish Email	sac245@comcast.net
Parish Website	stagnescatholicparish.org

SCHOOL STAFF

Rachel Cunningham, School Principal Karen White, School Administrative Assistant Sharon Swehla, School Secretary

School	Office	793-1370
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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACT PERSONS

Caregiving Ministry	Barb Kern
Choir & Song Leaders	Karen Ferguson
Communion Ministers	Elaine Arisman
Gift Bearers	Debra Mann
Greeters	Barb Kern
Holy Name Society	Mike Noonan
Readers	. Deacon Roy A. Harley
Parents' Club	Jen Graves
Parish Council	Carrie Becker
Right to Life	Cliff Erwin
School Board	Carrie Harrison
St. Vincent de Paul Society-	Jim Ketchum
Young at HeartJai	ne Snyder, Linda Hurley



ST. AGNES PARISH

245 North Amos Avenue Springfield, IL 62702

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

5:30 p.m. Elizabeth Tobin (Barb Farris)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

8:15 a.m. Dorothy J. Evinsky (Family)

And Ana Pardo (Family)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

6:30 a.m. Walter Brown (Betty & Merle King)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15

8:15 a.m. Frank Sullivan (Mark & Monica

Polistina)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16

No Mass

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17

4:30 p.m. Hugh Beeler (Family)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

8:00 a.m. Fran Schwartz (Carolyn Beeler)

9:30 a.m. Bill Becker (Carrie Becker)

And Doris Savoie (Savoie Family)

11:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. Agnes

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ti 1:1-9; Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Lk 17:7-10 Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19 Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: 2 Jn 4-9; Lk 17:26-37 Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14, 18;

Mk 13:24-32

ALTAR SERVERS

NOVEMBER 13,15:

8:15 a.m. John Ramage, Grant Blackburn 8:15 a.m. Kaitlyn Lansden, Maddie Springer

NOVEMBER 17-18:

4:30 p.m. Emily Rapacz, Wyatt Rapacz,

Reese Watson

8:00 a.m. Peter Steward, Mike Noonan

9:30 a.m. Adam Kuchar, Kaitlyn Lansden,

Maddie Springer

11:30 a.m. Max Hartwig, Ben Rogers

READERS, NOVEMBER 17-18

4:30 p.m. Maureen Farmer, Sr. Angelene

Biderbost

8:00 a.m. Jamie Greenwald, Dan Punzak

9:30 a.m. Rich Koerper, Bill Snyder

11:30 a.m. Julie Davis, Kari Kellev

COMMUNION MINISTERS NOVEMBER 17-18

4:30 p.m. Team D, Judi Bloome, Susan Dodson, Dan Dollison, Sharon Huck, Mary Mucciante, Kathy Smith

8:00 a.m. Team I, Mary Ann Gatten, Robert & Nancy Gorman, Steve & Julie Johnson, Louis Kink

9:30 a.m. Team O, Bill & Cindy Callan, Becky Powell, Rick & Nancy Wilderson

11:30 a.m. Team V, Jeff Enlow, Adrian

Gandhi, Kari Ann Kelley, Sandy Kelley, Annette

Nelson

SHARE THE WORD MINISTERS NOVEMBER 17-18

Pre K4 & K Colleen Dunham 1st & 2nd Becky Powell 3rd Eloise Baird

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



REST IN PEACE

Please keep in your prayers Rose Ann Fenstermaker of our parish who died recently. May she know the fullness of joy that the Risen Lord desires to share with us.



Wedding Congratulations! Our prayerful best wishes to Aaron Davis and Meghan Whalen who were married at St. Agnes last weekend. May God graciously bless them in their new life together!

BAPTISMS

We welcome into the Body of Christ, the Church, the following child who was recently baptized:

Finn Wayne Kelley

May the Light of Christ shine Baptism brightly in and through him!



Please join us

St. Agnes Parish and School Auction



Saturday, January 26, 2019 5:30 p.m.—10:00 p.m.



WHO: You and your friends

WHERE: The St. Agnes Gymnasium

WHAT: Food, Drinks, Music, Silent & Live Auctions
COST: \$30 (Tickets on sale through our website)
ATTIRE: Casual & Cozy, after all, Its's January
WHAY: To kick off Catholic Schools Wook and support

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our amazing school and parish!

If you are interested in helping in any way, please contact Maggie Cunningham at stagnesannualauction@gmail.com or 416-1604.



BE SURE TO STOP BY THE CHILI SUPPER IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA TODAY NOV. 11, SERVING FROM NOON TO 6:30 P.M.

Menu includes chili, soup, hot

dogs and dessert. Also, the Holy Name Society has a raffle for \$500, \$250 and \$50 cash prizes. Don't forget to stop by the Altar Society bake sale on your way out and pick up some delicious homemade treats! See you there!

The annual collection for the Diocesan Campaign for Justice and Hope (DCJH) is coming up. Through our donations to DCJH we join in solidarity with people living in poverty. All contributions to the campaign are distributed to programs and organizations within our Diocese that provide assistance with things such as food, clothing, housing, education and medications. Please give generously the weekend of November 17-18.

The Last Things: As the Church year comes to an end and the faithful are reminded to turn their attention to the Second Coming of Christ, Father Stock will explore the concept of the Four Last Things as taught by the Church: Death, Judgment, Heaven, and Hell. We hope you can join us at the Cathedral Atrium on Mondays, November 19 and 26 at 7:00 p.m.



Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, the bulletin of November 25 will have to be sent earlier than normal. All articles for the

November 25 bulletin must be received in the church office by 8 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 15. Please email articles to sac245@comcast.net.

There will be no 8:15 a.m. Mass on Thanksgiving Day (Nov. 22). MASS ON THANKSGIVING WILL BE AT 9:00 A.M.

The Parish Office will close Wednesday, Nov. 21, and re-open on Monday, Nov. 26.



Monday, November 12

- 1:30 dismissal for faculty meeting.
- School Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 13

- St. Agnes School will host a Scholastic Book Fair from November 13 to November 20 in the school library. Parish families are invited to stop in and visit the Book Fair. It will be open Monday, November 19 from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. and Tuesday, November 20, from 1:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m., while conferences are in progress.
- Robotics Club will meet after school until 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 15

- All-School Liturgy for Thanksgiving with St. Agnes students. A special collection will be taken up at this Mass for those in need at this Thanksgiving time. Children are asked to bring a donation to this Mass. Donations will be given to St. Martin de Porres Center.
- Magic-Match Meeting will be held time to be determined.
- Technology Committee meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Friday, November 17

- Mid Quarter.
- St. Agnes 5th graders will take part in a Community Service Day with all Catholic School 5th graders from 12:00 noon until 2:30 p.m. They will gather at Little Flower to rake leaves at St. Joseph Home and visit the residents in the afternoon. Students are asked to bring a small gift for residents: candy bars, hand/body lotion or puzzle books.
- The Parents' Club raffle grand prize drawing will be held on Tuesday, November 20. Be sure to check the St. Agnes web site for the daily winners. Thank you to all who have supported this year's raffle. Funds raised by the raffle are used to support special activities and learning materials for St. Agnes students.



Boy Scout Popcorn Delivery: St. Agnes Boy
Scout Troop 32 will be
distributing popcorn orders

after all Masses this weekend, November 10-11. For more information, or to place an order via e-mail, contact Chris Smudde at troop0032@gmail.com. Thank you for your continued support!



8th Grade Class Poinsettia Sale: The St. Agnes 8th Grade Class is selling beautiful poinsettias for the Christmas Season to help fundraise for graduation expenses

and the class trip. These large, gorgeous plants come in a 6½ inch foil-covered container. The plants are available in red, white, pink and marble for \$15.00 each. Please keep the 8th grade class in mind when purchasing plants for your home, office, business, family, gifts, OR to deliver to a homebound St. Agnes Parishioner.

Poinsettias may be picked up at the school cafeteria (gym door entrance) after all Masses on **December 1-2**. Please return your order form and payment (checks payable to St. Agnes 8th Grade) to the school office or to volunteers at the sales table after weekend Masses by **Monday, November 19**. Please call Julie Billingsley (691-1567) and Ann Holtrop (725-4924) with questions.



Catholic Charities is excited to announce SOUPER Tuesday!

Did you know that St. John's Breadline is serving 40 Gallons of

Made From Scratch Soup EVERY DAY 365 DAYS A YEAR?!?! We want to share with you the amazing food we are serving every day. November 20 from 2:00 - 6:00 we will be serving up our made from scratch soup TO YOU! It will be a drive thru service only at 1615 W. Washington, Springfield, IL. Suggested donation of \$5 per 32 ounces of soup. Enjoy all fresh made from scratch Chili, Chicken Noodle Soup or Beef Vegetable.



CONTRIBUTIONS, NOVEMBER 3-4:

Regular Contributions: \$19,628

St. Agnes Parish Capital Improvements Fund: \$825

MAY GOD BLESS YOUR GENEROSITY!



Thank you to the following persons who purchased PeaceBuilder Bricks: Edna

Mae Brown, Trish Penning, Bob and Karen Pary, Marilyn Koehler, Mary Dold, Juan Pardo. We continue to work with the PeaceBuilders program daily at St. Agnes. The greatest modeling comes from what they witness from us as adults. Let's keep working together to teach our children to be PeaceBuilders.



WELCOME to the following parishioners who registered at Welcome St. Agnes Parish in October:

Joshua & Michelle Cox Family **Jessica Delao Family Kayla Hillen Family** Mike & Kathy Kapshandy Family **Matthew & Taylor Mizeur Family Jim & Meghann Newman Family Zachary & Tiffany Rhodes Family Deborah Rienbolt Family** Kathy & Michael Robinson Family **Kristen Schone Family** Kristyn Sharpe Family **Kristin Souva Family** Christopher & Kassy Tibbs Family

St. Joseph Missals, 2019 edition, will be available for purchase in the Gathering Space the weekends of Nov. 17-18 and Nov. 24-25. Missals may also be purchased at the parish office during weekday office hours. \$3.50 each.

Dear St. Agnes Parishioners,

As of November 6, 165 parish households have made pledges totaling \$28,835 toward our 2018 Annual Catholic Services Appeal assessment of \$133,889. Like any other parish, the balance of what is not pledged and made good on for our assessment must be made up at the end of this fiscal year next June 30.

Everyone's help is needed! Please make a pledge/contribution to the 2018 Annual Catholic Services Appeal.

Autumn blessings,

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Worldwide Marriage **Encounter:** Almost all couples who attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend say: "We should have done this long а

ago!" Why? Their whole relationship became more alive on the Weekend, and the weekend reminded them of what it was like as newlyweds. The next weekends are Nov. 30-Dec. 2 at the Courtyard Marriott in St. Peters, MO; and Jan. 19-20, 2019 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church in Lawrenceville, IL (no hotel provided). If you would like to apply or get more information, go to https://stl-wwme.org/ schedule.php or call 314-649-7317.



Franciscan Nativity Festival:

Chiara Center will host Franciscan Nativity Festival on Friday, November 30 from 2-7 p.m.;

and Saturday and Sunday, December 1-2 from noon - 4 p.m. Free and open to the public, the Festival features more than 100 Nativity Sets, each with unique history and significance. The Festival includes a tour of St. Francis of Assisi Church. Chiara Center is located at 4875 LaVerna Road, Springfield, IL. 62707. www.chiaracenter.org



Young at Heart (YAH) Activities

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

Grapevine Social: Mark your calendars for our next Grapevine Social at It's All About Wine on **Saturday, November 10**. Starting time is 6:00 p.m. Watch the bulletin for more information or contact Roslyn Brookens at (217)622-6299.

Potluck: The November 13 potluck has been cancelled.

Watch the bulletin for more information on the following activities to relieve the winter doldrums:

- * Seventh Annual After the Holidays Dinner at Bella Milano: Sunday, January 7.
- * Paint Day: February date to be determined.
- * Wine and Appetizer Social: February date to be determined.
- * Coffee and Donuts: We will sponsor coffee and donuts after all the Masses on Sunday, February 24.

Please contact any of the following officers if you would like to get involved in any YAH projects or if you have suggestions for future activities:

- * Co-chairs: Jane Snyder (546-7084) and Linda Hurley (708/218-3741)
- * Secretary: Jane Locascio (306-3037)
- * Treasurer: Bill Snyder (546-7084)
- * PR Coordinator: Cliff Erwin (787-7017)
- * Potluck Coordinator: Barb Kern (546-7729)

Serving our Veterans - Supporting those who have served: We are thankful to our veterans who reside in the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois community of faith. It is with gratitude to the many men and women who have served or are serving in the U.S. Armed Forces that we offer website resources and information. There are numerous agencies and non-profit organizations to help veterans and family members address medical, education, mental health, housing, employment, financial and other challenges. https://www.dio.org/plasm/veteran-services.html



The Book Club will meet again on Monday, November 12 at 6:00 p.m. in the Church Gathering Space. We will be reading "Perfectly

Yourself" by Matthew Kelly for that meeting. Feel free to pick up a copy and join us. Hope to see you then!

Remembrance Service: The Staab Family invites you to "Light A Candle of Love, a Service of Remembrance at Holiday Time" on Sunday, November 25 at 2:00 p.m. at Erin's Pavilion at Southwind Park. This annual service provides a message of hope, as well as encouragement on how to cope with the recent death of a loved one during the holidays. You are encouraged to bring a small framed photo of your loved one for display on our Memory Table. For more information call 528-6461.

Attention Young Adults! The Forge is a Springfield based young adult Catholic ministry that strives to bring young adults into an encounter with Jesus and authentic Christian community. All young adults are welcome. The following are our events this month:

- . Service project at Mission Outreach Saturday, Nov. 17 at 1:00 p.m.: 4930 Laverna Rd.
- . Forge Thanksgiving (potluck) Saturday, Nov. 17 at 5:30 p.m.: 2133 S. Lincoln Ave.
- . Men's Bible Study Monday, Nov. 19 at 7:00 p.m.: Engrained.
- . Women's Bible Study Tuesday, Nov. 20 at 7:00 p.m.: Christ the King Parish Center.
- . Holy Hour Thursday, Nov. 29 at 6:30 p.m.: St. Jude Church in Rochester .

For more information: @Theforge on Facebook, https://the-forge-online.com/ or email: andrewhansen1@yahoo.com



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For married couples, that their faith in Christ will nourish their love for each other and strengthen their commitment of openness to new life;

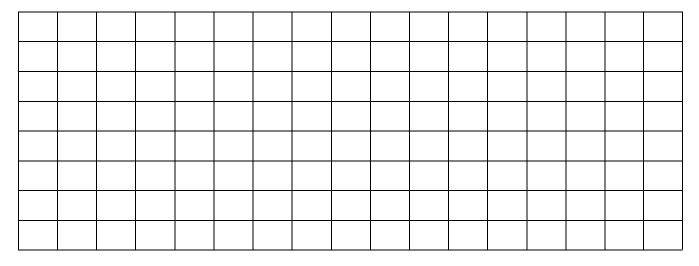
We pray to the Lord.....

catch our spirit

Paving the Way for PeaceBuilders: Sponsor a Brick

We would like to invite you to become a permanent part of the history of St. Agnes as we continue to incorporate engraved bricks in the pathway around the PeaceBuilders' Playground. There are three different size bricks available for purchase to remember a loved one, in honor of a parent or grandparent alumni, recognition for a current!

student, as a Christmas gift, and the list goes on. To purchase a brick, complete the chart below and return it to the church office. The cost is \$100 for a 4x8 brick (3 lines), \$250 for an 8x8 brick (6 lines), \$500 for a 12x12 brick (8 lines). 17 Characters per line. Including spaces, commas, and periods. Make checks payable to: St. Agnes School—PeaceBuilder Brick.



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