July 12, 2020
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ADORATION
Wed. 8:30am - 8:00pm

ROSARY
Mon-Sat following the 8am Mass

233 West Gay Street, West Chester, PA 19380
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**SAINT AGNES DIRECTORY**

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Rev. Daniel Arechabala, *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. Wilfred Emeh, *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. William Chirico, *Resident Priest*
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**BAPTISMS**
English—Second and Fourth Sundays at 1:30 PM
Spanish—First Saturdays at 11:30 AM and First Sundays at 1:00 PM
Pre-Jordan Class (Located in TPH)
English—First Sundays at 12:00 PM
Spanish—Fourth Thursdays at 7:00 PM

**MARRIAGES**
- To register for Pre-Cana: [www.philamariageprep.com](http://www.philamariageprep.com)
- To schedule a wedding at Saint Agnes: [www.saintagnesparish.org/plan-a-wedding](http://www.saintagnesparish.org/plan-a-wedding)

**HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS**
Homebound members of the Parish or their family members can notify the Parish Office (610) 692-2990 to make arrangements to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation (Confession), Holy Communion, and/or Anointing of the Sick. We are happy to accommodate both short- and long-term needs.

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MASS INTENTIONS
Week of July 12, 2020
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O COME LET US ADORE HIM!

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THE SICK
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CTR3: Reilly Haney
USA: Capt. Thomas Berkman, Major Jessica Bayer Chominski, SPC Matthew Conway, Specialist Ian Donoghue, 1st Class, David P. Estes, Private 2nd Class, Specialist Jason Hall, 1st Lt Eric Lugo, Sgt. James Mac Fadden, 1st Class, PFC Alexander Sarcione, Major John Paul Snook, Capt. Walter R. Snook

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NEW VIDEO SERIES
While public Mass was suspended, the priests of our parish filmed videos daily to help support the faith lives of our parishioners. We received positive feedback on these video series and so we will be doing more of them in the future!

A study last year revealed that a large majority of Catholics misunderstand what the Church teaches about the reality of Christ’s presence in the Eucharist. To help us grow in our understanding of this great gift from God, seminarian Shane Flanagan, who has been with us this summer, created a series of videos called “Come Home.” We will begin posting the videos this week on our parish Facebook page, YouTube channel, and website.

PARISH STAFF UPDATE
The staff and parishioners of Saint Agnes are thankful for the service of Ms. Debra Smith as the Director of Religious Education these past three years.
We welcome to Saint Agnes Mr. David Serrano-Gonzalez, a member of Saint Patrick Church in Norristown, who has accepted the position of Director of Religious Education. David will begin his new responsibilities on July 15th.

WEEKEND CONTRIBUTIONS
Sunday Contributions for Weekend of:
June 28, 2020
Weekend Contributions: $26,731.97
Includes online giving of:
$14,707.00

Sunday Contributions for Weekend of:
July 5, 2020
Weekend Contributions: $30,193.35
Includes online giving of:
$10,733.80

FROM OUTREACH SERVICES
While we still do not know what the academic year will look like, we know that students will be returning to school in some manner. Please consider helping us provide the needed tools for learning for children in poor families who need a little help. We will be distributing backpacks and supplies to the children in neighborhood families who have requested help. We hope to provide backpacks and supplies for children in grades K through High School.

If you would like to help a student get off to a good start please purchase a grade appropriate backpack and fill it with some of these supplies: pens/ pencils/ crayons/ colored pencils, marble composition books, spiral note books, 2" binders, 2 pocket paper folders, loose leaf paper and dividers, scissors, glue sticks, dry erase markers, highlighters, rulers and pencil case. Any of these items will be much needed and appreciated by a student in need!

Deep gratitude to all our volunteers, cooks and benefactors who have provided needed funds, talent and food for those who are struggling from job loss or reduced income during these difficult days. Your kindness has been, and will continue to be, a blessing for the many who come to our door in need. May God grant you summer refreshment and good adventures and may He continue to bless you with His love and His grace!
FLAME OF LOVE

Come to the Chapel on Wednesdays at 11:00 am to recite the Flame of Love Rosary. The Flame of Love is God’s love for each one of us. He knows us individually and loves us very much. He does not want us to ignore Him (or one another). Jesus communicated to Elizabeth Kindelman in her diary the following Unity Prayer:
May our feet journey together
May our hands gather in unity.
May our hearts beat in unison.
May our souls be in harmony.
May our thoughts be as one.
May our ears listen to the silence together
May our glance profoundly penetrate each other,
May our lips pray together to gain mercy from the Eternal Father. Amen.

The Lord explained, “Satan being blind signifies a worldwide triumph of my Sacred Heart, the freedom of souls and a full opening of the road to Salvation.” The Blessed Mother had explained to Elizabeth Kindelman to add the following to the Hail Mary prayer, “spread the effect of grace of thy Flame of Love over all humanity” in the Flame of Love rosary. By the recitation of this prayer, you will blind Satan and save souls. It is the job of all of us to help save souls. For further information, call Cheryl at 610-696-7706. See www.flameoflove.us

ARCHBISHOP ON THE RADIO

Pro-Life America Radio has a live show every Thursday at 7:00 pm that focuses on the pro-life message and different topics related to life issues. On Thursday July 16th, Archbishop Nelson Pérez will be the special guest. The program can be accessed via computer or phone at prolifeamericaradio.com.

VISITING MISSIONARY

Next weekend, July 18th and 19th, Brother John Blazo of the Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers will speak at all the Masses. Bro. Blazo has served as a missionary in Guatemala and will invite us to take part in the vital work of bringing Christ and His Gospel to all people. While at the parish, Bro. Blazo will be happy to talk with any parishioners who are interested in doing overseas mission work. For more information, please visit www.maryknollsociety.org.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The community of Our Lady’s Missionaries of the Eucharist is looking to hire an Associate Director to help to provide spiritual formation to the men and women of the community. For more information, please visit www.olme.org.

KNIGHTS’ CORNER

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During the Coronavirus Outbreak and to minimize social distancing to keep everyone safe, the KofC Council Home will temporarily remain CLOSED to its members and to the public. Thank you for your understanding. Stay tuned for any changes.

Ever consider becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus, #1333? If you are male, 18 yrs. old or older, and a practicing Catholic, please contact our New Financial Secretary Jim O’Melia at jamesomelia52@gmail.com or 267-205-9749.
The TuitionCare program was developed by the Foundation for Catholic Education and is aimed at significantly reducing tuition for our parish school families.

This year, 55 families participated in TuitionCare which resulted in a $55,000 donation from The Foundation for Catholic Education resulting in a $310.73 reduction in tuition for each of our Saint Agnes School Families in Grades K to 8!

Our goal is to increase participation in the TuitionCare Program, so that each of our school families could be looking possibly at Tuition Reduction Credits of about $1,000 for the next academic year (2020-2021) provided we are able to grow the program. This is a truly exciting program for funding Catholic education. We invite you to educate yourself about this important TuitionCare program which benefits our families and our school on our parish website.

If you would like to participate in TuitionCare for the upcoming 2020-2021 school year, please go to saintagnesparish.org/tuition-update for directions. Forms must be submitted by August 31, 2020 to jnevins@saintagnesschoolwc.org.

The Nurses Center is looking for volunteer nurses, nurse practitioners, and interpreters who would be able to give 2 hours once per month. Due to the pandemic, we are in great need of volunteers for when the Nurses Center opens again on July 8th.

If you or someone you know would be interested in volunteering, please contact Terry Berkman or De Vitale by email at: stagnesnursescenter@gmail.com

Founded in 1999, the Saint Agnes Nurses Center provides basic medical attention and primary care services to low-income and uninsured residents of the greater West Chester, Pennsylvania area. Founded, staffed, and led by nurses, we are committed to nurturing the physical and emotional health of our patients and respecting the sanctity of life. Belief that healthcare is a basic human right inspires and directs our efforts.

Clinic Hours
Wednesday 4:00pm to 6:00pm
Saturday 10:00am to 12:00pm

Congratulations to Bryn Nevins, parishioner and student at Padua Academy, for earning honors during the second term of the academic year.

For more information, visit saintagnesparish.org/welcome-home
Join us in praying for the happy repose of the souls of our deceased parishioners, especially:

Dudley J. Thomas  
Ann Marie Ranalli  
Craig Gilbert Weaver

Next Sunday’s Readings

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19
You gave your children good ground for hope.

Psalm 86
O Lord, you are good and forgiving, abounding in kindness to all who call to you.

Romans 8:26-27
The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness.

Matthew 13:24-43
The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed... it is the smallest of seeds, but when full-grown it is the largest of plants.
ST. AGNES COMMUNICATIONS
Over the past few months we have learned just how important it is to be able to communicate quickly with our parishioners. Here are some ways for you to stay connected to St. Agnes:

1. Sign up for the St. Agnes e-mail list. You can do this by visiting our website, saintagnesparish.org or by texting AGNES to 22828.
2. Like our Facebook page at facebook.com/saintagnesparish
3. Check our website regularly for updates.

AVISO SOBRE EL ESTACIONAMIENTO
Quizás habrás escuchado que la calle Gay estará cerrada desde la intersección con la calle Matlack hasta la calle Darlington, para permitir que negocios y restaurantes puedan utilizar las aceras y la calle para atender sus clientes. Esta medida está destinada a ayudar a las empresas que han sufrido como resultado de la pandemia.

Esto tendrá un impacto en nuestra Parroquia Santa Inés, especialmente en relación al estacionamiento y el tráfico alrededor de nuestra iglesia. Hemos estado trabajando con el Departamento de Policía para elaborar planes para lograr el acceso a nuestra parroquia y la escuela.

Habrá más información en nuestro sitio web y pagina de Facebook.

FORMED.org es un sitio web que tiene películas, programas, audio, y libros católicos en español y inglés. Tienes una suscripción gratis de la Parroquia de Santa Inés.

Para comenzar su suscripción gratis:
- Visite saintagnesparish.formed.org
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- Escriba su nombre donde dice “Name” y tu correo electrónico donde dice “Your email address.” Haga clic “Sign Up”.

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SUGERENCIAS
Padre Pío, el hombre milagroso; Ignacio de Loyola; Comprendiendo la Eucaristía por Dr. Scott Hahn
COMPRENDER LA IMPORTANCIA DE ASISTIR A LA SANTA MISAA
En la Santa Misa se hace presente la redención del mundo; La Santa Misa es el acto más importante de nuestra Santa Religión, porque es la renovación y perpetuación del sacrificio de Cristo en la cruz. Por eso la Santa Misa es el acto más grande, más sublime y más santo que se celebra cada día en la Tierra.

Decía San Bernardo: el que oye devotamente una Misa en gracia de Dios merece más que si diera de limosna todos sus bienes; Oír una Misa en vida aprovecha más que las que digan por esa persona después de su muerte. Con cada Misa que oigas aumentas tus grados de gloria en el cielo. Todos los fieles que asisten al Sacriﬁcio Eucarístico lo ofrecen también al Padre por medio del sacerdote, quien lo realiza en nombre de todos y para todos hace la Consagración.

Quien sabe lo que vale una Misa, prescinde de si tiene ganas o no. Procura no perder ninguna, y va de buena voluntad. Para que la Misa te sirva basta con que asistas voluntariamente, aunque a veces no tengas ganas de ir. La voluntad no coincide siempre con el tener ganas. Tú vas al dentista voluntariamente porque comprendes que tienes que ir; pero puede que no tengas ningunas ganas de ir.

La Santa Misa es un acto colectivo de culto a Dios. Todos tenemos obligación de dar culto a Dios y no basta el culto individual que cada cual puede darle particularmente. Todos formamos parte de una comunidad, de una colectividad, del Pueblo de Dios y tenemos obligación de participar en el culto colectivo a Dios. No basta el culto privado. El acto ofcial de la Iglesia para dar culto a Dios colectivamente, es la Santa Misa.

Pidamos a la Santísima Virgen María que por intercesión suya nos concede la gracia del amor y perseverancia a la Santa Misa.

NUEVO HORARIO LITURGICO

Santa Misa en la Iglesia Principal
Domingo: 7am, 9am, 10:30am (también en vivo por internet), 12 del mediodía (Español, también en vivo por internet), 5:15pm
Lunes a Viernes: 6:30am, 8am
Sábado: 8am, 5:15pm (Misa de Vigilia)
Confesiones
Sábado de 4 a 5pm en la capilla o por cita previa con el sacerdote
Adoración Eucarística
Miércoles de 8:30am a 8pm en la capilla
Bautizos: El primer Sábado de cada mes a las 11:30 am y el primer Domingo a la 1:00 pm en la Capilla de la Iglesia. Para más información, comunicarse con Sr. Carmen Lytle para registrarse al (610)692-2900 (Oficina Parroquial)
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