

SAINT AGNES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mon.-Thurs. 8:00am -12:00pm

12:30pm - 4:30pm

Fri. 8:00am - 12:00pm

Pastor

Father Patrick Beno

Parish Deacon

Greg Rotherham

SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

Saturday

8:00am Mass

3:15pm Reconciliation

4:15pm Mass

Sunday

8:00am, 9:30am, and 11:00am

Masses

Monday

6:45am Mass

Tuesday

6:45am Mass*

Wednesday

8:00am Mass

Thursday

6:45am Mass*

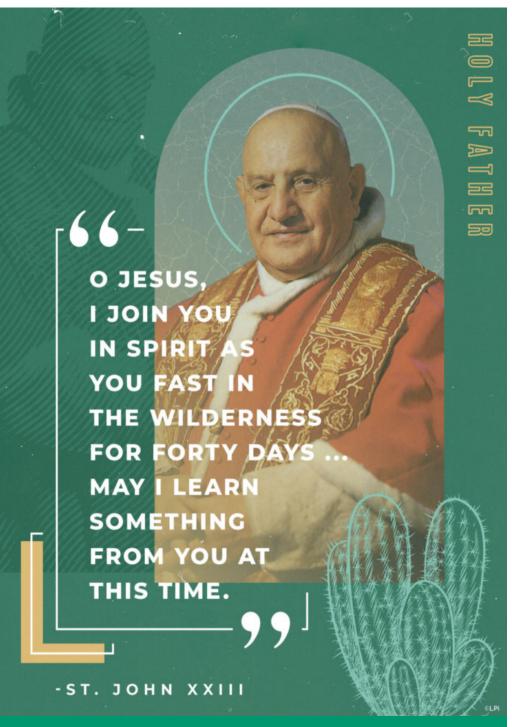
Friday

6:45am Mass*

*Reconciliation after the 6:45am Mass

To Our Visitors

We welcome new parishioners to our St. Agnes Parish family. We invite you to join us by contacting the Parish Office to register.





Parish News and Events

SAINT AGNES

Saint Agnes was born in 291 into a Roman family of nobility and raised in a Christian family. She suffered martyrdom for her faith and commitment to her virginity as a young teen on January 21, 304. In art she is often portrayed holding a lamb, a symbol of innocence. Saint Agnes is the patron saint of young girls.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Following the 6:45am Mass (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday)

and Saturday 3:15 - 4:00pm or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parish members are to make arrangements by phoning the Parish Office at least four months before the anticipated date of Baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage

We celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage for only our registered parish members. Arrangements are to be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance of the wedding.

To Those Hospitalized, Home **Bound or in Nursing Homes**

Visits to those hospitalized, home bound or in nursing homes are upon request.

Parish Outreach

If you seek assistance with rent, groceries, utilities, emergency shelter, etc., please contact the Parish Office for referral. After hours, please call The Crisis Center at (920) 436-8888.

Bulletin Deadline

Monday Noon

Eucharistic Revival

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has launched a three year initiative called the "Eucharistic revival" centered on the Holy Eucharist. The aim of the revival is to:

"encourage a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist...and sent out in mission for the life of the world."

In our Diocese, this effort is fueled by a Pastoral letter written by our Bishop Ricken, which focuses us on an absolute reverence for the Eucharist...the real presence of Jesus, both in Mass and in Eucharistic Adoration. Over the next three years we will be laser focused in all of our efforts to emphasize this essential element of our Catholic faith.

Obviously there will be much more to share on this as time unfolds but we can all begin now to take advantage of the things we already have in place in our parish, to deepen our devotion to the Holy Eucharist.

Here are a couple:

Go to Mass, without fail, on Sundays and Holy days. Seems simple but...do we? Do we take full advantage of the fact that there is daily Mass available to us? Do we invite others in our circle to come? Our example to our families is the best thing we can provide. God gives us 168 hours a week. Can we not give at a minimum, ONE hour back in thanksgiving? Or get to one extra Mass per week with the special prayers in our hearts?

Get to Eucharistic Adoration. We offer 20 hours per week and 45 hours on the week of every First Friday. Attend the parish holy hour on the third Wednesday of every month from 5-6 pm. Contact the office and sign up to take a holy hour each week.

This is from the Sisters of Life Religious Order monthly magazine:

They began Adoration at St. Patrick's Cathedral in downtown New York this past Fall, inviting strangers in from the street, to pause and just "be" in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Here are a couple experiences they relate:

"A young man looking at his phone as he passed by the Cathedral. He lifted his head as Sister approached and invited him inside. "Would you like to come in and pray?"

He replied, "Sister, you have no idea what I'm involved in." She asked him if he was Catholic and he said, "Yes, but I haven't been in a Church in quite awhile. Do you still see good in me?"

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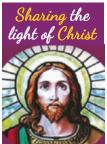
FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Contributions received: February 6 – February 12

Sacrificial Giving	\$ 10,710.00
Loose Offering	\$ 1,303.00
Restricted Gifts	\$ 497.00
Men's Club	\$ 1,895.00
Total	\$ 14,405.00

St. Agnes Parish Bishop's Appeal 2023 Goal

\$72.118



Week 1	\$ 15,750	Week 6	\$
Week 2	\$	Week 7	\$
Week 3	\$	Week 8	\$
Week 4	\$	Week 9	\$
Week 5	\$	Week 10	\$

Pledged Amount: \$ 15,750 **Total Contributors: 12**



% of Goal Completed

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Sister said, "Absolutely!...and God sees good in you too. He's not giving up on you."

The man came in and spent an hour alone in front of the monstrance. When he left, smiling broadly, he said to Sister, "Thank you...a huge weight has been lifted."

A woman who had just moved to New York from China, invited in, sat down next to a Sister in front of the Blessed Sacrament. The Sister leaned over and said, "Do you believe in God?"

The young woman said, "God? What is God?" The Sister pointed at the Eucharist and said, "This is God." She then gave her the prayer, the Litany of Trust, and said, "You can talk to God with these words."

Silently the woman began to read. A few minutes later she looked up with tears in her eyes and said, "This is the first time I've ever heard my heart speak."

There are so many stories like this from the Sisters of Life but also from around the Catholic Church, when we fully recognize Jesus in the Eucharist.

Don't miss out on the greatest gift in the world... right in front of you!

More to come on our focus on the Eucharist!

May God bless you.

Deacon Greg



Sharing the Light of Christ



Many of our brothers and sisters struggle with stress, Depression, loneliness and financial insecurity.

Through it all, Catholic Charities continues to care for those in need.

With your support of the Bishop's Appeal, you will help us serve even more people across the diocese.



Please give today!

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KWIKTRIP SCRIP!

Stock up today!

KWIK TRIP Scrip has a rebate of 9% during the month of February!



Circle "Parishioner" and write "St. Agnes" on the Scrip form!

Purchase Scrip:

- Saturday 5 to 5:30PM and Sunday 8:45 to 10:45AM in the narthex
- School days from 3 to 3:20PM in the gym lobby at Holy Family School







PRAYER VINE

To place a prayer on our vine, call Judi at 920-405-0586 or email Corinne at cdhallfam7@gmail.com.



Faith Formation

Religious Education Calendar

February 22 – Students, families, catechists attend Ash Wednesday Mass at 6:15 PM at St. Agnes Church

March 1 – Class | Grades K-8 (5:45 to 7 PM) and Grades 9-11 (7:15 to 8:30 PM)

St. Agnes Religious Ed/Youth Ministry

4th Annual Kringle Sale

New Addition this Year

Coffee from Village Roasters Including Parish Favorite: "St. Agnes Blend"





Uncle Mike's Bake Shoppe

Kick Off Weekend is March 4-5, 2023

Kringle Samples Will be Available

\$21 for each Kringle Certificate

Sale from March 4 through March 18

More Details to Come

G.R.A.C.E.

Catholic Education is Affordable!

GRACE offers many tuition support options that your family may benefit from, including payment plans, GRACE tuition assistance, SCRIP tuition reductions, school and parish support, private scholarships and multi-child discounts. Additionally, GRACE participates in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program to offer Catholic education tuition-free to families who meet the state eligibility requirements.

Learn more about the tuition assistance options that exist at GRACE by visiting:

gracesystem.org/admissions/tuition-assistance/



Enrollment is OPEN!

Contact Holy Family School Principal, Jere Kubuske for a tour or information. jkubuske@gracesystem.org or 920-494-1931

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Give BIG Green Bay 2023

Safe Shelter, Inc.

St. Agnes Parish has prepared a meal for Safe Shelter every third Sunday of the month for over one year now. It has

been a wonderful Meal Ministry for the homeless. Safe Shelter have been chosen as a recipient in "Give Big Green Bay." The Green Bay Packers will match all donations from noon, Tues., Feb. 21 to noon Wed., Feb. 22. Safe Shelter is the only family shelter in the Green Bay area. It houses 13 families and 2/3 of the residents are children. Please respond as God touches your heart to SafeShelterGB.org.

Visit GiveBigGreenBay.org to view more participating organizations that we support.

Local Events

Book Study: What is Prayer, Exactly? You're invited to join a Book Study on Catholic prayer which —if practiced— WILL transform

your relationship with Christ. The first book,



"Into the Deep" by former head of EWTN News and current founder and president of Avila Institute, Dan Burke, begins the process with an introduction to Catholic mental prayer. The study will then move to helping you with discernment of spirits. Study meets every other Thursday from 5 to 6 PM at Ss. Peter & Paul Church Hall (720 N. Baird St.) **starting March 9** and is led by Jim Ball. To sign up, email Jim at jimball@square1jb.com or call/text to 920-676-3489.

"Healing Your Grieving Heart" Bereavement Group Anyone who has lost a loved one through death is invited to this adult ecumenical grief support group. Participants are

this adult ecumenical grief support group. Participants are encouraged to attend all five sessions.

Tuesdays from 6 to 8 PM February 28, March 7, 14, 21, 28

Resurrection Parish, 333 Hilltop Dr, Green Bay Sponsored by Resurrection and St. Matthew Parishes Register from 9 AM to 4 PM, Monday through Thursday: Sheila De Luca (Resurrection) – 920-217-6259, sheiladeluca63@gmail.com or Ann Froelich (St. Matthew) – 920-435-6811, annrfroelich@gmail.com

Lenten Mission at Champion Shrine February 26 - March 1 at 6:30 PM

4047 Chapel Dr., New Franken, WI
4-day Mission presented by the Fathers of Mercy
Each evening will enrich your spiritual life while you
contemplate a different aspect of the Blessed Virgin Mary
as it relates to her appearance to Adele Brise in 1859 at
Champion, WI.

Eucharistic Adoration | Spiritual Talks Confession available one hour beforehand.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE FEBRUARY 22 - APRIL 2

Abortion is not over in America.
The unborn have no voice but yours.
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hearts and minds can be changed.
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"Father and Creator of human life, give us strength to persevere in Your will. Amen." *40 days for life* More information and sign-up in the narthex.



Parish Social Hall - 1 PM



The Keeping Hours February 19

2017/Rating: PG13 Run Time: 1 hr. 30 min.

Six years after the death of their son, a divorced couple are reunited by a supernatural event.

Caution: This film is not a horror film but a little eerie early on. Also, the plot of the loss of a child may be too difficult for some. At the same time, this film handles the subject thoughtfully with themes of healing and forgiveness and with strong quality acting.



Coco | February 26

2017/ Rating: PG Run Time: 1 hr. 45 min.

Animated PIXAR film about family, music and honoring the dead.

There are chairs, but you may wish to bring a lawn chair with you for sitting comfort.

Come Play Cards at St. Agnes!
First Thursday of Each Month at 1:00 PM
St. Gabriel Room at Church / Use Door 4
Next Date: March 2

Sheepshead, Bridge, Cribbage and Dominoes. Open to all we have players for. Widows, widowers, couples or singles all are welcome. Bring your own beverage.





HOLY ROSARY SOCIETY MEETING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2023 6:30 PM ST. AGNES CHURCH

All men, women and children are invited to attend the February meeting of the Holy Rosary Society. The evening will begin with the recitation of the Rosary followed by a talk by Deacon Greg Rotherham entitled "The Beatitudes...A Mission Statement." A social and refreshments will follow the meeting.



HELP FOR THE HOMELESS HYGIENE DRIVE February 12 – March 5

Donate NEW hygiene and cleaning items to help stock the shelves at local crisis agencies and homeless shelters through The Family Radio's annual Help for the Homeless Hygiene Drive.

Your donations will remain in this community.

More information at TheFamily.net.

"Thanks to the Care Closet at school, I don't have to ask my dad to buy 'girl' products for me. He has enough to worry about already and I'm glad that I don't have to add this to his load."



Most Needed Items

laundry soap
dish soap
kitchen trash bags
floor cleaner
disinfectant cleaner
Soft Soap
deodorant (unscented)
disposable razors
soft toothbrushes
toothpaste

shampoo
feminine care
(pads & tampons)
toilet tissue
paper towels
facial tissue
diapers and Pull-Ups
(sizes 4-6)
baby wipes
hand & foot warmer inserts

Bring to the collection boxes in the narthex.

St. Agnes Parish and Holy Family School



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Collection
March 11 & 12

Mass Intentions



Monday, February 20

6:45am Joey Grzelak (Living)
7:00pm Family Prayer Night
Tuesday, February 21- St. Peter Damian
6:45am † Josephine Wauters

Wednesday, February 22 - Ash Wednesday

9:00am † Ben Maes

School Mass

12:00pm † Jim Destiche

6:15pm † Kevin Van De Yacht

Thursday, February 23 - St. Polycarp

6:45am † Lillian Bocik

Friday, February 24

6:45am † Margaret McArdle

Saturday, February 25

8:00am For Our Children and the Practice of

the Faith

4:15pm † Carolyn Londo

Sunday, February 26 - First Sunday of Lent

8:00am † Eldor & Zita Ostrenga

9:30am Community Intention of the Franciscan

Sisters

11:00am † Marge Parmentier

This Week at St. Agnes

Tuesday, February 21

7:30am-12pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6:30-8pm – Holy Rosary Society Meeting

Wednesday, February 22 — Day of Fasting & Abstinence— Adoration — after 9 AM Mass to 5:45 PM

Thursday, February 23

5-5:30pm – Children's Choir

5:45-7:15pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal

Friday, February 24 -Day of Abstinence-

12:15pm – Stations of the Cross

1-5pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sunday, February 26

12:15pm - Stations of the Cross

1 pm - Fr. Patrick's Winter Film Series / "Coco"

St. Agnes Parish Priest Prayer Project

Each day our parish prays for a current priest or seminarian in the Green Bay Diocese.

Feb. 19 Fr. Paul Vanden Hogen

Feb. 20 Seminarian Nicholas Huza

Feb. 21 Fr. Mark Vander Steeg

Feb. 22 Fr. Carlo Villaluz

Feb. 23 Fr. Michael Warden

Feb. 24 Fr. Zachary Weber

Feb. 25 † Fr. Justin Werner



February 22, 2023

Day of Fasting and Abstinence

Mass times at area parishes:

7:15 AM - St. Willebrord

8:00 AM - Nativity

8:00 AM – St. Joseph

8:30 AM - St. John the Baptist

8:30 AM – St. John the Evangelist

9:00 AM - St. Agnes

9:00 AM - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

12:00 PM - St. Agnes

12:05 PM - St. Willebrord

6:00 PM – Annunciation (Bilingual)

6:00 PM - St. Francis Xavier Cathedral

6:00 PM - St. Willebrord (Bilingual)

6:15 PM - St. Agnes

6:30 PM – Nativity

6:30 PM - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

6:30 PM – St. John the Baptist



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Wednesday, February 22

Exposition will take place after the 9 AM School Mass. Reposition will take place at 5:45 PM.

The Magnificat Lenten Companion

The Magnificat Lenten Companion is available in the narthex for \$1 each.

This companion for the forty days of Lent offers an easy-to-use format to assist you on your Lenten journey.



ST. AGNES PARISH ADULT EDUCATION

PAROUSIA: The Bible and the Mass Tuesdays at 6:30 PM • St. Agnes Church

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February 28

The Mass in Acts and the New Testament Letters

SUNDAY MASS with Bishop David Ricken

WFRV - Channel 5 at 10:30 AM

This Mass time continues until football returns in the fall.

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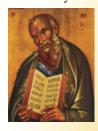
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This Week's Saints

St. Peter Damian
Bishop and
Doctor of the Church
February 21



St. Polycarp Bishop and Martyr February 23



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