

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*

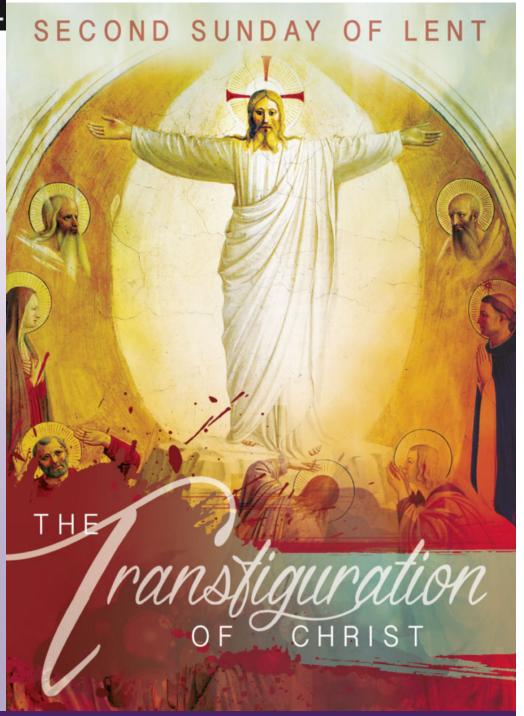
Friday

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.



March 5, 2023 · Second Sunday of Lent

Parish News and Events

J.M.J. Fr. Patrick

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

Happening In This World Malawi. Malawi is a land-locked country in southeastern Africa that is bordered by Zambia, Tanzania, and Mozambique. Malawi is one of the world's poorest countries. Homelessness is epidemic. There are many homeless children but there are also many homeless elderly. The word on Malawi for grandmother is *gogo*. Many *gogos* are among the poorest of the poor. The Pontifical Mission Society is a group of missionary societies under the jurisdiction of the Pope. It includes the Missionary Childhood Association. It was children in Malawi who have helped out through the MCA to provide housing for some of the elderly. It was children who raised the funds to provide a home for a poor 70 year-old woman named Nachisale in the rural community of St. Joseph Ludzi Parish in the Archdiocese of Lilongwe.

Thank you very much to Ron Blohowiak and the Knights of Columbus for all their time and work for the recent Chicken Booyah weekend. The funds for the recent booyah sale benefited the Diocesan Seminarians. Also some of the Chicken Booyah was shared with a couple local places. I dropped off two pails on the same Sunday afternoon at House of Hope. Cindy Herm reported that five pails of Booyah were brought to The Safe Shelter and went over very well. The guests at the shelter said it was great and they loved it. Of course they would. It was great eating! And our St. Vincent de Paul members also served a shelter meal with chicken sandwiches, a fresh fruit platter, and cherry cheesecake cupcakes.

We are a few weeks into this year's Bishop's Appeal. Gifts to the Appeal support many missions of the diocese and reach many people: young people through youth events, people who receive counseling at Catholic Charities, and for the training and formation of people who minister in pastoral care. There are several ways to make a gift to the Appeal. You may have received a letter from Bishop Ricken about a month ago with a pledge card and envelope. Some envelopes are also available in church. Thanks for helping the parish support the appeal this year. You can also donate online at: www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give

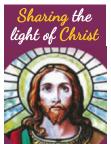
FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Contributions received:

February 20 – February 26

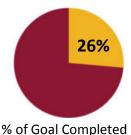
Sacrificial Giving	\$ 6,522.00
Loose Offering	\$ 998.00
Restricted Gifts	
Ash Wednesday	\$ 3,868.00
Total	\$ 11 720 00

St. Agnes Parish Bishop's Appeal 2023 Goal \$72.118



Week 1	\$ 15,750	Week 6	\$
Week 2	\$ 1,470	Week 7	\$
Week 3	\$ 1,825	Week 8	\$
Week 4	\$	Week 9	\$
Week 5	\$	Week 10	\$ (

Pledged Amount: \$ 19,045 Total Contributors: 20



Consider St. Agnes Parish "Direct Giving"

"Direct Giving" allows you to make automatic contributions from your checking or savings account on either the first or fifteenth of each month.

An enrollment form is available on our parish website at www.stagnesgreenbay.org.

Scrip covers all your shopping needs!

No sales at Holy Family School this week. Holy Family School is on Spring Break.

Sales at Church:

Saturday 5 to 5:30PM and Sunday 8:45 to 10:45AM Sales dependent on the availability of volunteer sellers.



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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Come spend time with Jesus in prayer, silence, meditation, contemplation.

7:30AM to Noon Tuesday Wednesday 8:30AM to 5:45PM Friday 1 to 5PM (except First Friday) First Friday 7:30AM First Friday to 8AM Saturday

We could use more adorers on the schedule.

To join as an adorer or as a backup, please contact Dawn at 920-246-0913.

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The Long Walk

The walk down from Mount Tabor after the Transfiguration must have been a long one for Peter, James, and John. How differently they must have viewed the world with the eyes that had seen what they had just seen. How uncertain they must have been.

I think it's important to remember that, on the mountain, they were amazed, yes — but first, they were afraid. We are given the image of these three grown men — these saints, these giants of salvation history — cowering in fear at the voice of God. It was not until Jesus touched them that they could even bear to look up.

Christ was transfigured on Tabor, but in a way, the disciples were transfigured as well. We are all changed by what we see and what we hear. That change can be hard because knowledge is hard. Truth is hard. Sometimes cowering is easier.

Go forth, God told Abram. I will make of you a great nation.

Rise, Christ told his disciples. And do not be afraid.

I spend too much time cowering in fear at the voice of God. I cower even when the voice whispers into my heart instead of booming from the clouds. When it's the start of a hard day or a tough conversation. When it's the middle of a half-finished battle, big or small. When I know where Christ is and what he is asking, but I'm afraid because the walk down the mountain is so long. and the world that awaits me is so uncertain.

"Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you." — Psalm 33

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman ©LPi

Local Events

Fish Dinner and Taco Friday

Ss. Peter & Paul Parish at St. Thomas More cafeteria. 1420 Harvey St., GB

Dine in or take out. Dinner comes with baked fish or tacos, potatoes, coleslaw salad and Free dessert!

Fridays - March 10 and 24 from 4 to 6:15 PM \$15 baked fish, \$4/one taco, \$12/three tacos Kids under 5 are free.

The Norbertine Community of St. Norbert Abbey invite you to join in prayer for the

136th Solemn Novena in Honor of St. Joseph March 11 - 20, 2023

7 PM Daily Novena Masses National Shrine of St. Joseph Old St. Joseph Church, 123 Grant St., De Pere www.norbertines.org/joseph

Traveling Rosary for Vocations

The Green Bay Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is sponsoring a 9-month novena for vocations. We will gather at a different church in the diocese every 2nd Wednesday of the month from March – November. The agenda includes song, prayer and a speaker. Our first date and location is: March 8 (1:00 - 3:00 PM) at St. Mary of the Angels, 650 S. Irwin Ave, Green Bay For information call 920-794-8276.

International Student Exchange (ISE)

ISE is looking for families to open their heart and home to international students who will be coming to attend a local high school. The students have their own spending money, health insurance and good English skills. You don't need to have a child of your own in the home.

- Isabella is a 15-year old Brazilian student
- Maria is a 14-year old student from Spain
- Yuri is a 15-year old Brazilian student
- Lorenzo is a 14-year old student from Spain

If you could open your heart and home to one of these young people or for more information, call Judy Armagost at 920-680-4976. www.iseusa.org

10th Annual Walk to Mary Saturday, May 6, 2023

Registration is open! In honor of our tenth year anniversary. Relevant Radio is hosting a celebration event on Friday Night (May 5) at the KI Convention Center, downtown Green Bay.



Learn more and register: www.walktomary.com

Faith Formation

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

Kick-Off Weekend: March 4-5, 2023

Kringle Samples Available

\$21 for each Kringle Certificate Cash or check only

After this weekend, a box will be in the narthex for orders until March 17.

Orders can be dropped off at the Religious Education/Youth Ministry Office.

Call 920-494-6450 with questions.

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MEDITATION WITH JESUS FOR MIND AND SOUL

Parish Monthly Holy Hour of Adoration Third Wednesday of each month 5 PM | St. Gabriel Room

THERE IS NO HOLY HOUR IN MARCH

USHERS NEEDED

Call 920-494-2534 to help out! Email: stagnesparishoffice@netnet.net

Men's Club Meeting

Please join us for a Men's Club meeting at 7 PM on Thursday, March 9, in the parish social



hall. The short meeting will be followed by snacks and fellowship. This will be the last meeting before our Fishermen's Night Out event in April.

Come join us!

Widow's Support Meeting March 16, 1:00 PM

Our Widow's Support Group meets the third Thursday of each month. Please join us! All are welcome, bring a friend, come for coffee-stay for conversation! No registration needed. Email Ministry@stagnesgreenbay.org or call

920-494-2534 for more information.



YOU'RE INVITED TOHAVE BREAKFAST WITH **BLESSED MOTHER**

Sunday – March 26, 2023

St. Agnes Social Hall, 1484 9th St., Green Bay, WI 9am Doors Open 9:15am Breakfast Served

Single seating family style breakfast of Scrambled eggs, sausage, cheesy potatoes, fruit, bakery, coffee, juice, & milk

Followed by a brief presentation by Father Patrick Beno entitled "Our Lady of Akita"

Please Pre-Purchase Tickets

Tickets available after all St. Agnes weekend Masses on March 11/12 & March 18/19, or at the St. Agnes Parish Office Adults- \$7.00 (\$8.00 at the door), kids under ten- \$5.00 (\$6.00 at the door) Proceeds benefit The Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary

All are welcome... men, women and families for a morning of fellowship and wonderful food

Collection of Blessed Palms

Blessed palms from last year may be brought for proper disposal to the labeled baskets in the narthex through Sunday, April 3.



ST. AGNES PARISH ADULT EDUCATION

PAROUSIA:

The Bible and the Mass

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM • St. Agnes Church

Mar. 7, 14, 28 - Apr. 11* *Note: Date change

Join host Dr. Scott Hahn to uncover how and why all of God's action, in creation and redemption, is ordered to the Mass.



March 7

The Mass as Heaven on Earth: Hebrews and Revelation

DISCOVER YOUR PLACE IN THE STORY OF SALVATION

St. Agnes Parish and Holy Family School



Paper & Cardboard Collection March 11 & 12

Please remove Styrofoam and plastic packaging from boxes. Flatten or compact boxes. Thank you for supporting our collection!

Lenten Almsgiving Tree

We are collecting items for **House of Hope**, A&A Alexandrina Center and Love Life Ministry.

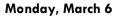
As part of your almsgiving, consider taking an egg from the tree in the narthex, purchasing the item listed on the egg and returning the item to church by March 19.



PRAYER VINE

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

Mass Intentions



6:45am † Irene Pigeon 7:00pm Family Prayer Night

Tuesday, March 7 - Sts. Perpetua & Felicity

6:45am † Ben Maes

Wednesday, March 8 - St. John of God

8:00am For the People of St. Agnes Parish

Thursday, March 9 - St. Frances of Rome

6:45am The living and deceased of the Blavat

& Tarkowski Families

Friday, March 10 - Day of Abstinence

6:45am † Helen Nier

Saturday, March 11

8:00am Ingrid Eva Thompson (Living)

4:15pm † Norris Daniels

Sunday, March 12 - Third Sunday of Lent

8:00am † The deceased of the Schueckler Family

9:30am † Henry & Bernice Gevaert

11:00am For the People of St. Agnes Parish

This Week at St. Agnes

Tuesday, March 7

7:30am-12pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

6:30pm - Parousia: The Bible and the Mass DVD Series

7:00pm - Knights of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday, March 8

8:30am -5:45pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

5-5:30pm - Children's Choir

Thursday, March 9

5:45-7:15pm - Choir Rehearsal

Friday, March 10

12:15pm – Stations of the Cross

1-5pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, March 11

Paper & Cardboard Collection

Sunday, March 12

12:15pm – Stations of the Cross

Paper & Cardboard Collection

St. Agnes Parish Priest Prayer Project

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

Mar. 5 Matthew Schumacher (Kairos Year)

Mar. 6 Benedict Wood (Kairos Year)

May God continue to bless our priests and seminarians.



Daylight Savings Time Begins Sunday, March 12

Set your clocks forward one hour.



Prepare Your Hearts During Lent with Family Prayer Night

The first & third Mondays of each month March 6 & 20, April 3

Family Prayer Night offers a means for delving deeper into prayer for your Lenten journey.
Come by yourself or with family and friends.
All are welcome!

Sacrament of Reconciliation at 6:30 p.m. Mass at 7:00 p.m.

Consider coming for the Rosary before Mass or for some quiet adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass. Come and go as you please, but <u>come</u>, and let the Lord lead you into a closer relationship with Him. He yearns to have a deeper relationship with you!



Stations of the Cross this Week

- Sunday at 12:15 PM
- Friday at 12:15 PM

Please Give Generously to the Bishop's Appeal



DAYS FOR LIFE

40 DAYS FOR LIFE FEBRUARY 22 - APRIL 2

Abortion is not over in America. The unborn have no voice but yours. With your prayer and witness, hearts and minds can be changed. Lives can be saved.

"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.

Participate in Grateful Plate

Drop off a serving of your prepared meal with heating and serving instructions for Fr. Patrick.

Call the Parish Office to schedule a weekday meal drop off.



Contact Information

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This Week's Saints



Perpetua and Felicity March 7



St. John of God March 8



St. Frances of Rome March 9

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