



Welcome to

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. Contact the Parish Office to register.

FOSTER-FATHER OF JESUS

“—
**RENOWNED
OFFSPRING
OF DAVID,
HEAD OF THE
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PROTECTOR OF
THE HOLY CHURCH
ST. JOSEPH,
PRAY FOR US.**”

— ST. JOSEPH

March 10, 2024 • Fourth Sunday of Lent



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

See page 6 for early deadlines.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL ST AGNES CONFERENCE ANNUAL REPORT for Fiscal Year Oct 1, 2022 - Sept 30, 2023

The Society of St Vincent de Paul is divided into parish-based units called conferences. There are currently 19 conferences in the Green Bay District Council. Our St Agnes group has 21 members known as Vincentians. We serve friends-in-need (FINs) that live within our parish boundaries plus additional FINs on the near West side that have no conference to support them at this time. There is truly much need in our community! We are blessed here at St Agnes with a very supportive parish staff and extremely generous parishioners.

INCOME - \$60,907

Donations from Members	1,587
Church Collections	9,878
Fund Raising	446
Green Bay District Council	45,476
Miscellaneous	3,520

EXPENSES - \$56,782

Transportation Assistance	2,019
Rent Assistance	50,387
Miscellaneous Assistance	2,106
Utility Assistance	2,063
Office Supplies	207

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED - \$6,810

NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED - 13

NUMBER OF VISITS WITH FRIENDS-IN-NEED - 318

In-Home Visits	148
Visits at Other Locations	51
Visits by Phone	119

NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED - 599

304
102
193

IN-KIND GOODS FROM CONFERENCE - \$1,165

(Value of non-cash contributions given to friends-in-need)

In addition to the above, we are fortunate to have the SVDP thrift stores that are supported by community donations. Having the stores enables us to give vouchers to our FINs for free clothing, household goods, and basic furniture needs. In turn, profits from *sales* at the stores are given to the conferences to help with expenses, such as rent assistance.

Our St Agnes Conference meets twice a month to share in spirituality, friendship, and service to the poor. As Vincentians, we are called to see the face of Christ in all those we serve and to judge only the need, not the person. Our group is very active and enthusiastic. We were thrilled that the Green Bay District chose to hold the **BELIEVE** Christmas event for homeless families here at Holy Family School last December. Many of our members volunteered at the event, as well as various other parishioners and Fr. Patrick.

We are always looking for a few good men and women to join our Conference. If you think you may have a calling to become a Vincentian, please contact me at the number listed below. On behalf of all our Conference members, thank you for your continued support. You will be in our prayers. Please keep us and our friends-in-need in yours.

Bob Gosz, St Agnes Conference President
920-494-9688

"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers or sisters of mine, you did for me." (Matthew 25:40)

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Contributions received:

February 25 – March 3

Sacrificial Giving \$ 18,693.34
 Loose Offering \$ 1,007.81
 Restricted Gifts \$ 2,810.00
Total \$ 22,511.15

St. Agnes Parish Bishop's Appeal 2024

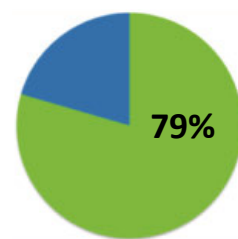
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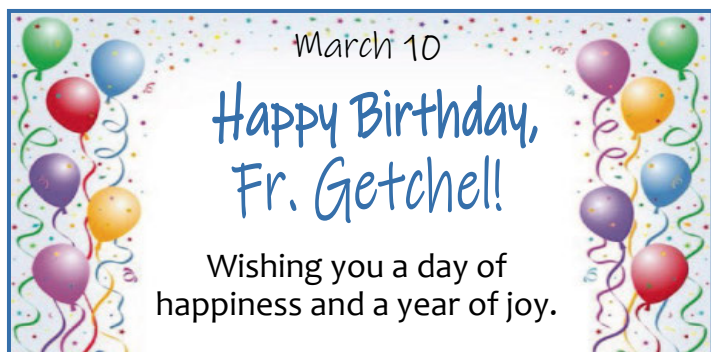
Week 1 \$ 20,800	Week 6 \$
Week 2 \$ 5,615	Week 7 \$
Week 3 \$ 9,565	Week 8 \$
Week 4 \$ 12,220	Week 9 \$
Week 5 \$ 9,270	Week 10 \$

Pledged Amount: \$ 57,470

Total Contributors: 209



% of Goal Completed



The World's Poor Collection

This weekend we take up our World's Poor Collection benefiting the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Catholic Relief Services, Peter's Pence, and the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Through this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the globe. Take this opportunity to be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Prayerfully consider how you can support this collection. Envelopes are available by the church doors.

Are you getting a new lawn mower?

Consider donating your old one
 to St. Agnes Church.

Contact the maintenance
 department at 920-494-7940.



(PRACTICING)

CATHOLIC

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Not As Man Sees

I don't know Fr. Stu personally, but I've heard a fair number of his homilies. I think it is safe to assume that if he and I were to get into a discussion on any number of things, from church history to liturgical music to stand-up comedy, each of us would cringe at the opinions of the other.

But Fr. Stu happens to offer just about the only confession time within 20 miles of me that consistently works with my schedule. That means that, quite by accident, Fr. Stu is my regular confessor. For years now, he's sat patiently on the other side of the grille, listening to me pour out the details of my transgressions, from the pathetic to the embarrassing, and he absolves me of my sins.

In the Gospel, Christ links vision with humility and pride with blindness. We see again and again in Scripture how God delights in surprising us, in revealing himself through people, places, and experiences we not only didn't expect but perhaps had totally written off.

We are right to be proud of the truth, but we are wrong if the truth causes us to be proud of ourselves. The truth no more belongs to the one who believes it than sight belongs to the blind man in the Gospel. A gift does not reflect on the recipient. It reflects on the giver.

After a great deal of thought, I've decided to be grateful that God contrived to give me a confessor whom I strongly disagree with on so many things. It's a powerful reminder of how much I must receive from other people, even those I may think are wrong. In that confessional, Fr. Stu is only a priest, and I am only a sinner.

"Not as man sees does God see." — 1 Samuel 16:7

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

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Extra photo directories are available for purchase in the Parish Office. Cost is \$23.00 each. Payment in cash or check made payable to St. Agnes Parish.

Faith Formation



Kringle & Coffee Sale

Order forms and drop box in narthex.

Sales end March 15!

Call RE Office at 920-494-6450 with questions.


Kringle Certificates \$22.50



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Holy Family School



Living Stations

Presented by the 6th grade class of Holy Family School


You are invited to join Holy Family School in a powerful Lenten experience as our 6th grade students act out the Stations of the Cross. This annual event is sure to help you enter more deeply into your Lenten journey.

The Living Stations will be presented on Thursday, March 21 at 2:15 pm at St. Agnes Church

ENROLLMENT IS OPEN!

Contact Holy Family School principal, Sarah Sharkey for a tour or information. ssharkey@gracesystem.org or 920-494-1931

G.R.A.C.E.



Learn More About the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

A Catholic education can be an affordable option for any family. GRACE participates in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program to offer Catholic education tuition-free to families who meet the state eligibility requirements. Learn more by contacting your GRACE school principal or by visiting <https://gracesystem.org/admissions/wisconsin-parental-choice/>

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Catholic Charities



When couples face problems in their marriage, Catholic Charities offers help. Here couples can work on issues caused by poor communication, family issues, financial burdens, infidelity, resentment, and other challenges in their relationship.

Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal helps Catholic Charities promote healthy marriages and funds counseling for those in need.

Please give today!

www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give



Knitters and Crocheters Needed

We are in need of knitters and crocheters for prayer shawls. We have easy patterns and provide the yarn. We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 1:00 PM at Mary Larsen's home. Some members choose to knit at home or aren't able to come, so Mary delivers yarn and picks up shawls when finished. Please contact Mary Larsen at 920-737-7131.



Collection of Blessed Palms

Old blessed palms from years past may be brought to the basket by the welcome table in the narthex through Sunday, March 17, for proper disposal.

prayer fasting
LENTalmsgiving

Fr. Patrick Presents

WINTER FILM SERIES

Sundays at 1 PM | Parish Social Hall




Summer 1993 | March 10
 2018 / Rating: NR / Run time: 98 min
 Language: Spanish, English subtitles

Love & Mercy | March 17
 2015 / Rating: PG-13 / Run time: 122 min


Go to www.imdb.com (internet movie database)
 or www.RottenTomatoes.com
 for plot and content concerns.

Parish Lent Reconciliation Night

Tuesday, March 12
 6 to 7 PM

Several Priests Will Be Available for Confession



 **ST. AGNES MEN'S CLUB**
Catch the Spirit!


Men's Club Meeting

Please join us for a Men's Club meeting at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 14, in the school cafeteria. 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!

Please Return

If you have a Communion pyx that you are no longer in need of, please return to the drawer in the St. Paul Room.

If you have a medallion for Eucharistic Ministry, please return to the basket in the St. Kateri Room.




Easter Flowers

Parishioners may contribute toward the flowers which will decorate our church throughout the Easter season by using the envelope in your packet.

Please indicate if your donation is given in memory of or in honor of loved ones.

The deadline for inclusion of names in the bulletin is noon on Friday, March 22.



PRAYER VINE

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




 **Cribbage Tournament March 21st**
 Knights of Columbus Council 617
 Cribbage Tournament Fundraiser
 Thursday, March 21

You are invited to enter your two-person team to play 10 games of cribbage and enjoy food and beverages for a \$50.00 entry fee. Doors open at 5:30 pm and play starts at 6:30 pm in the Parish Social Hall. Receive an entry form by contacting Bob Peters at 920-366-5826 or by email to bobpeterskofc@gmail.com. Forms are also available at the Parish Office and in the narthex. **Deadline to hold your place in the tournament is March 15.**



"Knights on Call"

Our Knights of Columbus Council #617 offers a program named "Knights on Call" to help you with small household tasks. Changing the batteries in your smoke alarms for example, and other simple tasks which for various reasons may be difficult. If you need our assistance, call 920-366-9809 and ask for Don.



GRATEFUL PLATE

New Cooks Welcome!

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

Call the Parish Office to schedule a date.



Mass Intentions



Monday, March 11

6:45am † Ginny and Judy Dwyer

Tuesday, March 12

6:45am For Our Children and the Practice of the Faith

Wednesday, March 13

8:00am † Marlene Vande Loo

Thursday, March 14

6:45am Special Intention (A.B.)
9:00am For the People of St. Agnes Parish

Friday, March 15

6:45am Deacon Greg Rotherham

Saturday, March 16

8:00am † Millie Roels
4:15pm For the People of St. Agnes Parish

Sunday, March 17 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00am † Ruth & Ernie Occhino
9:30am † Barbara Bell
11:00am † Sandy Swanke

This Week at St. Agnes

Tuesday, March 12

7:30am – Church Cleaning / Team 3
7:30am-Noon – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
9:00am – Buildings and Grounds Meeting
6:00-7:00pm – Parish Lent Reconciliation Night

Wednesday, March 13

8:30am-5:45pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
5:00-5:30pm – Children's Choir

Thursday, March 14

5:45-7:15pm – Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm – Men's Club Meeting

Friday, March 15

12:15pm – Stations of the Cross
1:00-5:00pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sunday, March 17

12:15pm – Stations of the Cross
1:00pm – Winter Film Series / "Love & Mercy"

www.stagnesgreenbay.org

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Come spend time with Jesus in silence, prayer, meditation and reflection. Come for whatever amount of time your schedule allows.

Tuesdays - 7:30AM to 12PM
Wednesdays - 8:30AM to 5:45PM
First Fridays - 7:30AM to First Saturday 8AM
Fridays - 1 to 5PM



LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the Week

The blind man showed great bravery by speaking of Christ's miracle in the face of the Pharisees' disdain. But then, how could he ignore the truth, once he had seen it? It would be a form of blindness worse than the absence of physical sight. To deny Christ would be a blindness he chose for himself. ©LPI



Stations of the Cross

Sunday at 12:15 PM

March 10

Friday at 12:15 PM

March 15

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

February 14 – March 24

Sign up in the narthex to peacefully walk and pray for an end to abortion.

40daysforlife.com



Bulletin Deadlines

Bulletin Date

Deadline

March 17

Monday, March 11

March 24

Wednesday, March 13

March 31

Tuesday, March 19

THE EUCHARIST IN SCRIPTURE

Wednesday, March 20 at 5:45 PM
Tuesday, March 26 at 6:30 PM
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Contact Information

PASTORAL TEAM

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Principal - Sarah Sharkey.....
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ST. AGNES CONVENT

Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity



Prayer for Laetare Sunday

Dear Jesus,
We've been in this season of Lent for a few weeks now. I want to re-commit myself in this time — renew and strengthen my resolve. Help me to use these last few weeks to grow closer to you.
Amen.

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