

# SAINT AGNES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

Saturday

8:00am Mass

3:15pm Reconciliation

4:15pm Mass

Sunday

8:15am Mass

10:00am Mass

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.



# 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

#### +AMDG+

**Praise the Lord!** This past week, I attended our annual Clergy Congress. Every year, the priests of the Diocese of Green Bay attend a priest "in-service" to "retool" us for the upcoming year. This year, our speaker gave four presentations on the gift of the Holy Spirit in the Eucharist. He spoke about the four components of our spiritual heritage during the Mass. The common baptism of the lay faithful, the Word of God proclaimed, the Eucharistic prayer and lastly, the service of being sent forth from Mass. Bishop shared with us the upcoming Jubilee year celebrations. 2025 is the year of the Jubilee. Our last Jubilee year was in the year 2000. Now twenty-five years later, we are celebrating a year entitled, "Pilgrims of Hope." Bishop is emphasizing the crucial importance of the Sacrament of Confession. As such, there will be a specific emphasis on the Sacrament of Mercy here at Saint Agnes. With that being said, we will be moving our confession times at the beginning of Advent to 5-6pm on Wednesdays and 8:45-10 on Saturday mornings. This means that there will no longer be confessions after the 6:45am Masses and at 3:15 on Saturday afternoons. The new times are meant to make the Sacrament of Confession accessible to as many people as possible by offering consistent times that are convenient to the faithful. Hope is a difficult virtue to cultivate in our lives if we do not encounter Christ in the Sacrament of Confession. Our Gospel states, "...his face fell, and he went away sad." I have never experienced being fallen or sad after I've left the Sacrament of Confession. To the contrary, I am lifted up and leave happy. In addition to the Jubilee year theme of "Pilgrims of Hope," we will be offering the Sacrament of Confession on Divine Mercy Sunday here at Saint Agnes. Nativity Parish is not able to offer this service on account of the NFL Draft this year and Fr. Matt asked if our parish would be open to hosting this beautiful day. I offered Saint Agnes as the host. Please consider the hope you can receive from the Sacrament of Confession. Take note of the new time changes and consider attending the Divine Mercy Celebration in April. By participating in the Jubilee Year of 2025 and being, "Pilgrims of Hope," we cannot turn away saddened or downcast, but filled with grace and happy to be uplifted by the unconditional love of God. Jesus Christ has died on the cross for our sins and has resurrected from the dead. Death no longer has power over us. We hope in the power of Jesus Christ to bring us closer to Him! Thank you for your ardent faith and hope in our Savior. May God bless you on your pilgrimage of hope. Now & Forever!

Pax Christi, Fr. Quinn

## FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

#### Contributions received:

September 30 - October 6 Sacrificial Giving.......... \$18,751.44 Loose Offering ...... \$ 964.00 Restricted Gifts ......\$ 646.00 Total ...... \$ 20,361.44

## **CONSIDER ST. AGNES PARISH "DIRECT GIVING"**



"Direct Giving" allows you to make automatic contributions on either the first or fifteenth of each month from your checking or savings account. An enrollment form is available on our parish website

at www.stagnesgreenbay.org and at the Parish Office.

Thank you for your financial support!

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024



"Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet" Matthew 22:9

World Mission Sunday, celebrated on October 20, is a vital time for all Catholics to support the spread of the Gospel in mission territories. This year's theme, chosen by Pope Francis, is "Go and invite everyone to the banquet," emphasizing our call to bring God's love and message to all corners of the world. The contributions collected on World Mission Sunday are crucial for sustaining the Church's mission in over 1,150 territories where the Church is still young or struggling. Historically, the Church in the United States was once a beneficiary of these missionary efforts, and now we have the opportunity to give back and support our brothers and sisters around the globe. Let us remember that our participation and support help invite countless souls to the feast of God's love.

A second collection for World Mission Sunday will be taken next weekend, October 19 & 20. An envelope is provided in your bi-monthly packet. Additional envelopes can be found near the church doors. Make checks payable to St. Agnes Parish and memo "World Mission Sunday."



This month's Altar Flowers are given in blessing to our parish families.

## The Office of Divine Worship **Workshop for Cantors and Choir Members**

## **Sacred Music Institute**

A workshop on effectively using chant in the contemporary Catholic Church.

Instructors: Michael & Wendy Miller

## "Music Without Measure" Saturday, October 26, 2024

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Most Blessed Sacrament Parish, Oshkosh (St. Peter site: 435 High Ave., Oshkosh)

## Registration is Required

Registration deadline: Friday, October 18, 2024 Register at:

https://connect.gbdioc.org/s3/Sacred-Music-Institute-Oct-26-Music-Without-Measure-Fall-Workshop or call/email the Parish Office to request the link.



#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

2nd Annual "Blessing of Musicians" Saturday, November 16, 2024 11:00 a.m. Mass

Green Bay

St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, Green Bay Diocese of Registration will open in late October.

## Inspiration for the Week

"Who can be saved?" the apostles wonder. Who can be good enough? Smart enough? Holy enough? Jesus reminds them that no one can be - not without asking for help. We all need help to be holy. Never tire of asking for the help you need. ©LPi

## **Local Events**

## To Everything There is a Season Grief Group

Losing a loved one through death can be very devastating. Understand the grief process, share feelings, ideas, personal experiences, and gain insight and direction for help and healing.

Starts October 28 and meets for four Mondays from 1-3 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, 2771 Oakwood Dr., Green Bay.

Please RSVP by Oct. 25 by calling 920.499.1546 so we have enough materials for everyone.

Facilitated by Stephanie Hubbard, a parish member with hospital experience in medical, emergency and trauma departments and graduate studies in death and dying, grief, and loss.



Alexandrina Pregnancy Resource Center needs your help!
DONATIONS NEEDED! (Gently used or new)

- Fall/winter clothing for girls & boys, sizes NB-5T
- Winter hats, mittens, and boots for babies/toddlers

Do you feel called to help women and children in the Green Bay area? Lend 2 hours of your time each week at our center. From sorting donations and handing out diapers to assisting mothers at the front desk...we'd love your help.

Have questions? Call Genny at 920-471-9656 or stop in to complete a volunteer application: 1600 Shawano Ave #106, Green Bay.

# All are invited to Mass with the Green Bay Area Religious Special Education Program

Saturday, November 2 at 10:15 AM
Nativity of Our Lord Church, 2270 S. Oneida Street
Students with special needs serve
as readers and servers at Mass.

Area Religious Special Ed provides Religious Education, Sacrament Preparation and Faith Sharing to people with a cognitive challenge, age six through adult.

For more information: https://GBSpecialReligiousEd.org/

#### **Guiding Caregivers to Wellness**

Saturday, November 2 | 10 am - 2:30 PM Lunch provided.

Curative Connections, 2900 Curry Ln, GB Whether new or seasoned to caring for a loved one, let us guide your journey.

Register: Call ADRC 920-449-4300 or go to adrcofbrowncounty.org/events-calendar/



## **Faith Formation**





## Parish Holy Hour of Adoration

Third Wednesday of each Month

October 16 \* 5 PM Join us in church for prayer.

"A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory." (St. Padre Pio)

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Come and spend an hour with Jesus!

Tuesday 7:30-11:30 a.m.
Wednesday 8:30 a.m. -6:00 p.m.
Friday 7:30-11:30 a.m.
First Friday 7:30 a.m. to Saturday 7:30 a.m.
Spend quiet time with the Lord in prayer for a specific hour of Adoration.

Many hours are in need of a second adorer. Substitutes, also needed.

Contact Dawn Toonen to sign up at 920-246-0913.





## **40 Days for Life** September 25 - November 3

We peacefully walk, fast, and pray that our culture will again recognize the value of each human life and to offer hope to post-abortive women.

Sign-up in the narthex.

## **CONFRATERNITY OF THE** MOST HOLY ROSARY



11<sup>th</sup> Annual Solemn **Enrollment Ceremony** St. Agnes Catholic Church

Tuesday, October 15, 2024 6:30 PM Rosary followed by Mass/Enrollment/Blessings

How would you like an endless number of people and saints praying for you? The Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary is a worldwide association with past, present and future members who pray the Rosary and include each other in their intentions.

All Catholic Men, Women and Children are invited to join the Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary to receive this constant power of spiritual force and countless spiritual benefits while deepening their devotion to Blessed Mother.

As a requirement of membership, members strive to pray three Rosaries (fifteen decades) each week and include each other's intentions in their pravers.

Pre-enroll by October 14 if you plan to attend the Enrollment Ceremony. Please fill out an enrollment form in the narthex. For more information, please see a brochure available in the narthex. Questions: Email Mary at hrsgbd@gmail.com or call 920-676-9750.

Homebound are encouraged to enroll. Attendance at the ceremony is not required for membership.



## Whimsy and Wonder **Craft and Vendor Sale**

Sponsored by St. Agnes Parish

Sunday, November 10, 2024 9 AM to 2 PM St. Agnes Parish Gym

**Crafters and vendors** can find a table registration form on the parish website: www.stagnesgreenbay.org

Please help spread the word about the Whimsy and Wonder Craft and Vendor Sale by taking a yard sign from the narthex and displaying it in your yard. We are particularly interested in high traffic areas.

We are still in need of items for the parish craft table and or raffle items. Contact Nancy Schultz at nschultz755@gmail.com with questions.

# DIAPER DRIVE

## October 12 through October 20

Donate Diapers, Pull-Ups and Baby Wipes Especially needed are diaper sizes 4, 5, & 6

The United Way's citywide diaper drive will support Love Life Ministry & Brown County families. All diapers collected at our parish will remain at the west side Love Life location.

Collection boxes in the narthex.







Love Life Ministry Hope Center 505 Clinton St. GB 54303



## Widow's Support Meeting & Coffee October 24, 1:00 PM St. Gabriel Room / Use door 4

Join us for prayer, conversation, and fellowship! All are welcome, bring a friend. Call Gail at 920-494-2534 or email ministry@stagnesgreenbay.org for information. For October only we are meeting the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday rather than the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month.

# ST. AGNES MEN'S CLUB **FALL BOOYAH CARRYOUT**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3** 8:30 a.m. - Noon **Parish Social Hall** 



All proceeds support St. Agnes/Holy Family School Maintenance and House of Hope Homeless Ministry.

#### **Prayer Vine**

If you have a prayer vine request, please call Judi at 920-405-0586 or email Corinne at cdhallfam7@gmail.com



## **Mass Intentions**



Monday, October 14 - St. Callistus I

6:45am Intentions of the Franciscan Sisters

Tuesday, October 15 - St. Teresa of Jesus

Wednesday, October 16 - St. Hedwig,

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

8:00am † Jerry Jr. and Paul Earley

Thursday, October 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch

6:45am † Mike Mayer

**School Mass** 

Friday, October 18 - St. Luke

6:45am † Marvin & Peggy Deterville

Saturday, October 19 - Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Joques and Companions

8:00am † Joe Aschenbrenner

4:15pm † Aiden McClure

Sunday, October 20

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15am † Robert Vieau 10:00am † Robert Peterson

# This Week at St. Agnes

#### Tuesday, October 15

7:30-11:30am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6:30-8:30pm – Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary Enrollment Ceremony (Mass at 7pm)

#### Wednesday, October 16

8:30am-5:00pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 2:00-3:00pm – Staff Gathering (Parish Office Closed) 5:00-6:00pm – Parish Holy Hour of Adoration

#### Thursday, October 17

5:00pm – Parish Finance Council 5:45-7:15pm – Choir Rehearsal

#### Friday, October 18

7:30-11:30am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



## Join Us in Prayer

The rosary is prayed Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday following the 6:45 a.m. Mass and Wednesday & Saturday prior to the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

#### **Dear Parishioners:**

We are now offering low gluten hosts

as an option for those with Celiac disease and the like. The "low-gluten" host cannot be mistaken for "NO-gluten" host. The low gluten host contains .002% gluten or <20ppm. Our low gluten hosts are ordered through Dewitt Church Goods and provided by a company called Regal. They are produced in strict adherence to Canon Law. A sacrament has two aspects. Its form and substance. The substance of the Eucharist species of the host is required to be bread. Hence the low gluten flour and water to make the host a valid substance. Irritable bowel syndromes vary widely so please consult with your doctor about your specific condition to know if the above percentage is low enough for you. Lastly, the low-gluten host does not come in contact with the rest of the regular hosts at any time. We have a special separate sacred vessel to hold the low-gluten host both in the Tabernacle and on the ciborium. If you require a low gluten host, please receive Most Holy Communion in the priest's communion line as he will have the special separate ciborium with the low-gluten host. It is helpful to come before Mass to let the priest know you will be receiving the low gluten host. Thank you and may God's peace be with you.

- Fr. Quinn



## **A Prayer for Pregnant Mothers**

O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life.\* Amen.

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Mother of the Word Incarnate, pray for us!

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