

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2021
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT (OF AND EF)



CHURCH OF
SAINT
AGNES

Clergy

Reverend Mark Moriarty, Pastor
Deacon Nathan Allen
Reverend James McConville, Sacramental Minister & in residence
Reverend John Gallas, Sacramental Minister
Reverend Cassian DiRocco, in residence

Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:15pm Vigil OF English Mass
7:00 am OF English Low Mass
8:00 am EF Latin Low Mass
9:00 am OF English Mass with Hymns (Livestreamed)
10:30 am OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola
12:15 pm OF English Low Mass

Weekday Masses

Monday through Friday 6:30 am English Low Mass
First Fridays 5:15 pm English Low Mass
Saturday 8:00 am OF Latin Sung Mass with *Schola*

Sacrament of Penance

Every Tuesday after Novena 7:30–8:00 pm (Chapel)
First Fridays 3:30–5:00 pm before First Friday Mass (Chapel)
Every Saturday 3:30–5:00 pm during Adoration (Church)

Adoration and Devotions

Sunday: 12:15 pm Angelus/Regina Caeli during Easter Season (Church)
3:00 pm Vespers and Benediction (Church)
Tuesday: 7:00 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Chapel)
7:30 pm Confessions, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Rosary
First Fridays: 7:00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5:00 pm
5:00 pm Benediction (Chapel)
Saturday: 3:30 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5:00 pm
5:00 pm Benediction (Church)

Anointing of the Sick and Last Rites: As requested. Contact clergy.

Funeral Masses: Contact clergy or parish office.

Baptisms: Contact clergy or parish office.

The Parish Office Hours

Monday–Thursday: 8:00 am to 4:30 pm; Friday: 8:00 am to noon.

Contact Information

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2021 SAINT AGNES CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve ~ Friday, December 24

5:15 pm ~ English Vigil Mass of Christmas
with Hymns

10:00 pm ~ Matins (Chanted Office of Readings)

11:15 pm ~ Christmas Music
with Chorale & Orchestra

(Latin, German and English Hymns)

Midnight ~ OF Latin Sung Mass

with Chorale, Orchestra & Schola

(W.A. Mozart, Coronation Mass, K317)

Christmas Day ~ Saturday, December 25

8:00 am ~ EF Latin Low Mass

9:00 am ~ English Mass with Choir

10:30 am ~ OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola

12:15 pm ~ English Mass with Hymns

Feast of the Holy Family ~ Sunday, December 26

Normal Sunday Schedule

(10:30 am Schubert, Mass in G)

Feast of St. John the Evangelist ~ December 27

5:15 pm ~ OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola

Feast of the Holy Innocents ~ December 28

5:15 pm ~ OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola

Feast of St. Thomas Becket ~ December 29

5:15 pm ~ OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola

6th Day of the Octave of Christmas ~ December 30

5:15 pm ~ OF Latin Sung Mass with Schola

Vigil of Mary, Mother of God ~ December 31

5:15 pm ~ English Vigil Mass with Hymns

Mary, Mother of God ~ Saturday, January 1

7:00 am ~ English Low Mass

8:00 am ~ EF Latin Low Mass

9:00 am ~ English Mass with Hymns

10:30 am ~ OF Latin Sung Mass
with Chamber Choir

12:15 pm ~ English Mass with Hymns

SCHEDULE OF CONFESSIONS

First Fridays at 3:30 pm (Chapel)

Every Tuesday at 7:30 pm (Chapel)
following Novena

Every Saturday at 3:30 pm (Upper Church)

Flowers for the Sisters' Chapel

Please consider bringing flowers for our wonderful sisters' chapel. There is a signup online, here: www.bitly.com/chapelflowers. It would consist of dropping four bouquets and four greens through the parish office on a Friday afternoons.

Catholic Service Appeal 2nd Collection TODAY

At all Masses this weekend we will take up a second collection for the Catholic Service Appeal. We would like to reach our parish goal before Dec. 31st.



The Annual Saint Agnes School Car Raffle Tickets Are On Sale !

RAFFLE GRAND PRIZE: 2021 Ford Explorer XLT
(Seats 7 - Valued at \$38,655
– 4-Wheel Drive)

Drawing will be held on the evening of February 12, 2022, at the annual Red & White Benefit.



RAFFLE TICKET PRICES: \$20 Each; Packet of 5 Tickets = \$100. **Students will be in Schuler Hall after Masses on Sunday with their tickets to sell.** A great stocking stuffer for Christmas giving.

COMING SOON AT SAINT AGNES

Altar and Rosary Society Epiphany Dinner

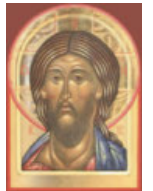
The Altar and Rosary Society will be hosting their annual Epiphany dinner for members on Wednesday January 5th, 2022 at 6:00 pm in Schuler Hall. **Watch for an email invitation and/or be sure to RSVP to the parish office by Wednesday December 29th.** We need to give the caterer a reservation count.

CATHOLIC ICONOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

At Saint Agnes!

** Technical * Theological * Spiritual **

This summer we are planning to host Catholic iconographer, Mr. Nicholas Markell, for an icon writing workshop. The workshop is open to any adult in the Saint Agnes parish/school community, and does not require any artistic background or skill – only those interested in learning about this ancient craft!



Also: we will feature this offering in our Saint Agnes Summer Series; high school students may participate with approval.

- **What?:** *During the course of the workshop, participants will create their own authentic traditional icon from start to finish!*
- **When:** Summer 2022, tentatively **July 25-29**
- **Times:** 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (40 hours of instruction)
- **Where:** Saint Agnes School, Art Studios
- **Cost:** \$550 (includes all materials – see below)

What's included?: Special paints, supplies, gesso board, gold leaf; participants will create and keep their own real icon!

“Christian iconography expresses in images the same Gospel message that Scripture communicates by words. Image and word illuminate each other.” -#1160 Catechism of the Catholic Church

PLEASE RSVP: We are gauging interest and reserving spots; please contact school Dean of Academics/parishioner Michael Adkins via his school email ASAP: madkins@saintagnesschool.org

Inviting All Men To Join Exodus90m

Saint Agnes parish invites all men seeking authentic freedom to join their brothers in Christ for Exodus90m which will kick off on January 17, 2022. Exodus90 is a 90-day spiritual exercise that gives Catholic men a clear path for the journey to freedom through prayer, asceticism, and support. More than 30,000 men around the country have made the Exodus and transformed their lives. You can, too! For more information and to enroll in Exodus90, please contact Joseph Olson at jolson@saintagnesschool.org or 651-925-8803. Go to <https://exodus90.com/> for more information on the program.



Admissions Update for Current Aggie Families (Re-enrollment for 2022-23)

Re-enrollment is the process for our current families to determine their enrollment for the following school year. **This period of time will be from January 8 – 21, 2022.**

There is a \$100 re-enrollment fee per child (\$300 maximum per family). If families do not re-enroll their children during this time, their seats will be open to incoming families. Please help us out and finalize your decisions during this time period. If you have any questions, always feel free to reach out to Mr. Joseph Olson in the Admissions Office at 651-925-8803.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

A Marriage Encounter weekend can rekindle the excitement and romance in your relationship. This is a private weekend away from life's distractions that allows a husband and wife to focus on each other. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are Feb. 11-13, 2022, in Buffalo, Minnesota, and May 6-8, also in Buffalo. Early registration is highly recommended. Questions? Visit our website at twincitieswwme.org. You can contact Brent and Tracy at 612.756.8720 or applications@twincitieswwme.org.

Serve as a Totus Tuus Missionary!

The Archdiocese of Saint Paul/Mpls is in need of college-age men and women with missionary hearts who are committed to their Catholic faith and feel called to share it with the youth around the Archdiocese. This is a two-month commitment (June 3–July 30), which includes one week of training and a one-week break for Independence Day. Missionaries receive a \$2,520 stipend for the summer, and meals and lodging are provided. Apply through the careers page at the Archdiocesan website—careers.archspm.org/jobs—or contact the Totus Tuus Coordinator at 651.291.4489 or by email: totustuus@archspm.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 20

6:30 am Judy Theis †

Tuesday, December 21 | Saint Peter Canisius

6:30 am Francis L. Kessel †

Wednesday, December 22

6:30 am Special Intentions of MaryAnne Williams

Thursday, December 23 | Saint John Cantius

6:30 am Maria

Friday, December 24 | Christmas Eve

5:15 pm Thomas J. McShane (B) †

Saturday, December 25 | Nativity of the Lord

Midnight* Robert and Elizabeth Nelson

8:00 am Richard McNamara, Sr., and Family

9:00 am Marie L. and Lloyd Hesse †

10:30 am* Kelsey L. MacDonald †

12:15 pm *Missa pro Populo*

Sunday, December 26 | The Holy Family (OF)

Holy Name of Jesus (EF)

7:00 am Michelle Simones and Family

8:00 am Kimberly Landry

9:00 am Mary Dragos †

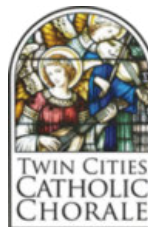
10:30 am* Maria Lucette Dang †

12:15 pm *Missa pro populo* (for the people)

(B) birthday (A) anniversary † deceased * sung Mass

CHORALE AND ORCHESTRA NOTES

The next Orchestra Mass will be at Midnight on Christmas Day, Saturday, December 25, 2021. At that time the Chorale and Orchestra will present W.A. Mozart's *Coronation Mass*, K 317. The Mass will be preceded by a concert of traditional Christmas music in Latin, German, and English beginning at 11:15 pm next Friday, December 24, 2021.



The Twin Cities Catholic Chorale is a non-profit organization that depends solely on the generosity of its patrons. Programs are available at the church entrances, and they are also posted on the Chorale website, www.catholicchorale.org.

Register to Become Parishioners

Welcome to the Church of Saint Agnes! If you have been attending Mass at Saint Agnes, please consider registering as a parishioner. You may call the Parish Office at 651-925-8800 or go to our parish website at www.churchofsaintagnes.org/parish-registration.

Supporting Saint Agnes Financially

Please continue your support of Saint Agnes if your financial situation permits by contributing at the Mass you attend, mailing in your envelope or check, contributing through our website, or signing up for Electronic Giving through your bank or regular payments through your credit card by calling our business office at 651.925.8815. Thank you.

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