# St. Agnes & Sacred Heart Catholic Churches

St. Agnes 210 Division Street, Walker www.stagnesandsacredheart.com PO Box 874, Walker, MN, 56484 Monday-Thursday 8:30am-12:00 pm PH:218-547-1054— FX: 218-547-6327

# Sunday, January 23rd

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# HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Sat. (1/22) 4:00pm \*Location by schedule: +Charles & Todd VanBlaricom Sun. (1/23) 8:30am Sacred Heart +Helen Dobson Sun. (1/23) 10:15am St. Agnes **All Parishioners** Tues. (1/25) 5:30pm St. Agnes +Steven Pfarr Wed. (1/26) 8:00am St. Agnes +John Rowlev Thur. (1/27) 5:30pm Sacred Heart +Kathrine LaBore Fri. (1/28) 8:00am Sacred Heart +Bette Arnold Sat. (1/29) 4:00pm \*Location by schedule: +Dick Lorentz Sun. (1/30) 8:30am Sacred Heart +Kathrine LaBore Sun. (1/30) 10:15am St. Agnes **All Parishioners** 

\*1st & 2nd Saturday Mass at St. Agnes 3rd, 4th & 5th Saturday at Sacred Heart



# **3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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The Spirit of the Lord is upon me... He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free. - Lk 4:18

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." -*Matthew 28:19-20* 

# INTEREST IN BECOMING CATHOLIC

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? There will be another round of classes where you can learn more about the Catholic faith starting soon. Contact Father Timothy if you're interested!

# FORMED

We invite you to use this online faith formation program that will help us grow as disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ. Go to <u>Formed.org</u> to sign up and enter St. Agnes Walker to use our parish subscription! For questions, call 218-547-1054.

# SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP

If you are interested in helping to serve at fellowship after the Sunday 10:15 am Mass at St. Agnes, please contact Gerri Majcin at 218-224-2655 or the church office at 218-547-1054.

# THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Giving is simple and secure with our online giving portal through Engage. Contact Babs Debes at 218-547-1054.

THANK YOU	St. Agnes	Sacred Heart
Plate	\$625	\$702
Envelope	\$520	\$1,267
Nov. Auto Giving	\$6,982	\$2,950
2021 UCA Goal (THROUGH OCTOBER)	Goal—\$29,734 \$29,874 (100%)	Goal—\$27,939 \$27,941 (100%)

When UCA is 100% funded, further contributions will be credited to 2022 UCA year.

# SAFE ENVIRONMENT VICTIM ASSISTANCE

If you have been sexually abused or exploited by someone representing the Catholic Church, there are professionals you can talk to about your experience. They can assist you in getting the help that you need. You don't have to give any information you are not comfortable disclosing. It doesn't matter how long ago the abuse occurred. Assistance is available to you. We urge you to contact Law Enforcement at 911 or Count Social Services or the Diocese of Duluth at 218.724.9111. Diocesan Coordinators: Tab Baumgarter 218.249.5495 or 218.728.1875 or Ester Reagan 218.820.9220. To learn more about Safe Environment in the Diocese of Duluth, visit www.dioceseduluth.org/Sa.

# SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 11:00am at St. Agnes Saturdays: 3:30pm at the location of Mass Sundays: 8:00am at Sacred Heart Confessions are always available by appointment. For the Sacrament of Baptism or Marriage please contact the parish office.

# **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

COME TO ME! We invite you to join in adoration of The Blessed Sacrament! In light of the sacrifice Christ made on our behalf and the fruit of God's mercies in our lives, we owe God our highest form of praise, worship and adoration. Tuesday: 8:30am-10:00pm at St. Agnes Thursday: 4:30pm-5:30pm at Sacred Heart



# VALENTINE'S MARRIAGE EVENING ONF FEBRUARY 12TH

Join other couples at the St. Agnes church social hall on February 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm for an evening of laughter and marriage enrichment while you play *The Not-So-Newlywed Match Game* with your spouse! John and Laura Parr are facilitating the evening; everyone plays, but no one is singled out! The Green Scene is providing a delicious assortment of appetizers and desserts. Beverages are also included. The cost is \$25.00/couple. To register, please contact us at the church office at 547-1054 or email stagneswalkermn@gmail.com. Payment may be submitted to the parish office on or before February 12th.

#### Plant Your Works in the Word

One of the things about Scripture is that even the smallest word and shortest phrase can be critical to the overall message. When you take a quiet moment to rest with the Word, you find how quickly the most mundane sentence can reach out and grab you, pulling you into a deeper contemplation of some truth you hadn't even considered until then.

But we often fail to act as the Israelites in the Book of Nehemiah, standing before the Water Gate "Listening attentively." Whether it's at Mass during the Liturgy of the Word or at home poring over the Bible, time after time we find ourselves less mindful than we could be. Our ears accept the sounds of the words and our eyes glance over the shape of the letters.

#### But are we mindful-truly?

The best answer is hopefully at least sometimes. There are always tasks to be completed, problems weighing on our minds that we can't quite give over to God. We lose ourselves in these things instead of in Scripture. We "clock in" with Bible reading instead of "diving in".

We can never forget that the words of the Lord are spirit and life. They are the soil that quickens the seed of all stewardship. There is no mindfulness, no prayer, no graciousness, no gratitude or accountability or sense of commitment unless there is the Word. So let us pray today for mindfulness, that our every action will be grounded in the law of God- giving it true spirit and life.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

#### PRAISE AND WORSHIP AT ST.AGNES

Save the date! Once a month we have praise and

worship with adoration at St. Agnes. There are live modern songs to worship with! Please come and join us! Here are the upcoming dates: Jan. 28th, Feb. 11th, Mar. 11th, April 8th



#### WE'RE HIRING-FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR

Molly Mendoza, our faith formation director for the past 3 years has discerned God calling her in a different direction. She will be finishing her time with us at the end of January. We are now back in the hiring mode again-the job posting is on our website home page.

#### **GOING AWAY PARTY FOR MOLLY**

On Sunday, January 30th (Molly's last day with us!), we will have a thank-you and going-away party for Molly after BOTH the 8:30am Mass at Sacred Heart and after the 10:15am Mass at St. Agnes. Join us for cake and coffee and in thanking Molly for her 3 years of hard work here at our parishes in helping establish our Family Faith Formation program! Thank you Molly!

#### **SPECIAL PRAYERS**

Camille Hess, Susan Falk, Bernard Lodin, Amanda Salgado, Marlene O'Neill, Tom Campbell, Scott Strand, Jeff W., Frank Reese, Dennis LaVoie, Linda Reis, Joe Berzak, Jeremiah Hess, Sister Arlene Kleemann, Kaylin Ann Torres, Rose Clack, Heidi Renowski, Gerri Majcin, Betty Kowalke, Gloria Day, Kimberly Brown, Tyler Albin, Torey Meyers, Stephanie Smith, Kelly Stout, Chuck Weingarten, Cory Plabson, Jim Brown, Dennis S., Benjamin S., Chris Wilkinson, Luke Mcgregor, Debbie Johnson and family, Jim Heeb, Scott Hawkins, Youth of our Parishes and their families, Duluth Diocese Priests & Staff, Military serving & protecting our country, the persecuted church, and for one another. *\*Please notify the office of any changes to this list.* 

# MARY: A BIBLICAL WALK WITH THE BLESSED MOTHER

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever. She will become a part of your daily life and help you to become more like Christ. Join us for Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Study meets Tuesday at 2:00 PM on the following dates: January 18th, 25th, February 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, March 1st and 8th. There is no cost to attend and no registration is required. Come when you can. Bibles are provided or you may bring your own Bible. For more information, contact us at the parish office at 547-1054 or stagneswalkermn@gmail.com.

#### COMING SOON TO ST. AGNES! THE CHOSEN BIBLE STUDY

THE FIRST-EVER MULTI-SEASON SERIES ABOUT THE LIFE OF CHRIST. THE FREE SHOW TENS OF MILLIONS OF PEO-PLE WON'T STOP TALKING ABOUT. A CHARISMATIC FISH-ERMAN DROWNING IN DEBT. A TROUBLED WOMAN WRESTLING WITH REAL DEMONS. A GIFTED PUBLICAN OSTRACIZED BY HIS FAMILY AND HIS PEOPLE. A RELIGIOUS LEADER STRUGGLING WITH HIS BELIEFS. SEE JESUS THROUGH THE EYES OF THOSE THAT MET HIM. MORE DETAILS COMING SOON!

#### WEEKLY EVENTS

Mondays @3:30pm Blaze Girls Bible Study SA @6:30pm Walking With Purpose SA @7:30pm Walking with purpose (Young Adult) Zoom Tuesdays @6:00pm 1/25 SVDP Meeting SA @6:30pm The Chosen SA Wednesdays @8:30am Men's Bible Study SA @5:45pm Family Faith Formation SA Thursdays @6:00am TMIY SA

# Our Partners in Service to Others...

#### St. Vincent De Paul

"Serving the poor and needy in our area" To request services, call 218-366-0174 (Leave a message and you will receive a return call) Or email: <u>stkatericonference@gmail.com</u>. We are in great need of help to serve the poor. We only have a small group of Vincentians and we have a big job. If you are interested in joining us, please call Steve Swor at 651-470-9618

#### Walker Area Food Shelf

Located: Next to BICAP in Walker Industrial Park Open: 1st three Tuesdays from Noon-3pm 4th Tuesday from 4 to 7pm—-5th Tuesday— Closed

#### Walker Area Pregnancy Support Center

We provide physical and spiritual life-affirming choices for women and families facing an unplanned pregnancy. Open: M-Th 11am to 4p Address: 102—8th Street N, P O BOX 1527 Walker, MN 56484. Phone: 218-547-5433(LIFE) Email: walkerpsc@arvig.net

#### Faith In Action for Cass County

"Compassionate Volunteers serving People in Need" Phone: 218-675-5435 or toll free: 866-675-5435 Email: cassfia@uslink.net or www.faithinactioncass.com

# Hackensack Food Shelf

209 State Hwy 371, Hackensack - Share 'n Care Open 2nd & 4th Mondays from 5 to 7pm

