March 24, 2019
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Mid-Lent Check-In

God says to Moses, “This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM sent me to you . . . The LORD, the God of your [ancestors], the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob” (Exodus 3:14, 15). As Jesus would later say, God is not a God of the dead, but of the living, and so we believe that the dead will one day rise. At this midpoint of Lent, we pause to consider how our repentance is leading us to the Resurrection, to our reunion with the great “I AM.” Part of our repentance involves working to secure justice for all and helping our neighbor to live in God’s ways. We encourage each other and nurture each other, like the compassionate gardener of today’s Gospel, who tells the owner of the orchard that he will nurture the tree, fertilize it, and perhaps it will bear fruit.
Welcome, New Parishioners
Please pick up a registration form in the Narthex, at the doors of the church, in front of the office or on our website www.stagnesnaples.org. Completed forms may be dropped in the collection basket, hand delivered, mailed, emailed or faxed. Thank you for becoming part of our Parish Family.
God bless.

Bienvenidos, nuevos Feligreses
Por favor recojan su registración en el Narthex y puertas de la Iglesia, a la entrada de la oficina o en nuestro website, después de ser completada puede colocarla en la canasta de las ofrendas durante la misa, entregarla en la oficina, mandarla por correo, fax o e-mail. Gracias por hacerse miembro de nuestra familia.
Dios lo bendiga.

Parish Contacts
Pastor
Very Rev. Robert J. Kantor
Parochial Vicars
Rev. Kris Piotrowski
Rev. Michael P. Orsi
Rev. Luis H. Pacheco (Hispanic Ministry)
Deacons
Henry deMena, Roberto Landrón (Hispanic Ministry),
Hugh Muller
Operations Manager
Deacon Roberto Landrón
Office Manager
Maggie Brady
Receptionist/Admin. Assist.
Vicky Lopez
Bookkeeper
Diane Pappalardo
Admin. Assist. to the Pastor
Lisa Dahn
Administrative Assistant
Barbara Pikal
Faith Formation Director
Ivy O’Malley
Coordinator Of Catechesis
Rose Chambers
Admin. Assist. to Faith Formation
Jaynie Lopez
Youth and Young Adult Coordinator
Robert Massey
Admin. Asst. to Hispanic Ministry
Estela Delgado
Sacristan
Monica Osterhaus
Music Director
Paul Todd
Stewardship Coordinator
Gloria Carter
Communications Assistant
Yenlys Hernandez
Maintenance
Larry Biela

Sacrament of Baptism / El Sacramento del Bautismo
Baptisms are held on the first, second and third Sundays of the month. Call the Parish Office for more information.
La familia tiene que estar registrada en la parroquia un mínimo de tres meses antes del Bautismo, con asistencia regular a la Santa Misa.
Llamar a Estela (239) 392-1949 ext. 112

Sacrament of Marriage / Sacramento del Matrimonio
Arrangements with a priest should be made at least six months in advance. At least one of the parties must be registered at St. Agnes and attending Mass for at least three months.
Se debe hacer una cita con el Padre Luis para el curso Pre-matrimonial por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha de Boda.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults / Iniciación para Adultos
New groups begin each fall. Please call the parish office for more info.
Debe comunicarse con el Padre Luis

Communion for the Sick / Comunión para los Enfermos
Call the Parish Office to arrange for a priest or Extraordinary Minister to call.
Favor llamar a la oficina Parroquial.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK
MARCH 25 - 31

Monday, March 25
Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday, March 26
Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6-7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 27
Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday, March 28
Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

Friday, March 29
Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday, March 30
Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday, March 31
Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-7; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
### St. Agnes Parish

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### MEETING PLACES
- YR = Youth Room
- CP = Chapel
- CR = Conference Room
- NX = Narthex
- PC = Parish Center
- PL = Parking Lot
- CL = Classroom
- CY = Canopy

**Meeting Places List**
- CH = Church
- PR = Prayer Chapel
- CY = Canopy
- BR = Bride’s Room

**Meeting Schedule**

- **Sunday, March 24, 2019**:
  - 7:30am Mass (CH)
  - Noon Mass (CP)
  - 7pm Parish Mission (CH)

- **Monday, March 25, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Tuesday, March 26, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Wednesday, March 27, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Thursday, March 28, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Friday, March 29, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Saturday, March 30, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CP)

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- **Sunday, April 1, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Monday, April 2, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Tuesday, April 3, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Wednesday, April 4, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Thursday, April 5, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Friday, April 6, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

**Meeting Schedule**

- **Sunday, April 7, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Monday, April 8, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Tuesday, April 9, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Wednesday, April 10, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Thursday, April 11, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Friday, April 12, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

**Meeting Schedule**

- **Sunday, April 13, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Monday, April 14, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Tuesday, April 15, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Wednesday, April 16, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Thursday, April 17, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Friday, April 18, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

**Meeting Schedule**

- **Sunday, April 19, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Monday, April 20, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Tuesday, April 21, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Wednesday, April 22, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

- **Thursday, April 23, 2019**:
  - 8:30am Mass (CH)

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SPC Peter Holder
PFC Scott Norris, USMC
PFC Michael Baker
A1C Michael Melicia, USAF
Francisco Chavez, USAF
SSG David Clark, USA
BM2(SW) Charley Davidson USN
PFC Zack Steelman
SSG Andrew White
Timothy D. Trax USA

SPC Michael Broderick
A1C Daniel R. Hamde, USAF
CDR Gregory Meyer
MSSgt. John Lang
PO3 Kimberly Wagner, USN
Jordan M. Perez
PFC Luke Kerney Kuser
Spc Jacob Nienow USA
Nicholas Van Pelt U.S.A.F.

Capt. Dominic Francis Adams
Spec. Reynaldo Rodriguez USA
SGT Abbi Wenthold
A1C Peter Johnson, USAF
SPC Jorge Armando Nino
Vincent Galer, USMC
Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA
LCPL James Sheran, USMC
PFB J. Hunter Judd, USMC

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Tim Dempsey, USN
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SGT Victor Quilles, USA
2Lt. Sean Kealy, USA
Cpl. Thomas E. L. Catalina, USMC
Lt. Julian Lidback, USA

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Phillip Allan Heim, Gloria Jimenez
Maria Antonia Borrego Gallardo, Maria Julia Andino
Rogelio Jimenez, Pedro Cruz Torres
Carmen Huerta, Angela Huerta

Penance Service Schedule
Wednesday, March 27
St. Agnes Parish, 7 p.m.
7775 Vanderbilt Beach Road, Naples

Monday, April 8
St. Finbarr Parish. 2 p.m.
13520 Tamiami Trail East, Naples

Tuesday, April 9
St. Peter the Apostle Parish, 6 p.m.
5130 Rattlesnake Hammock Road, Naples

Wednesday, April 10
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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday March 23**
- 8:30 a.m. +Kenneth McCarthy Deacon Ron & Sylvia Dains
- 3:30 p.m. +Joseph Driscoll Barbara Driscoll
- 5:15 p.m. +Robert & Michael O’Connor Cary O’Connor

**Sunday March 24**
- 7:30 a.m. +Jeannie Landi Robert Hannah
- 9:00 a.m. +Dr. Jean Dobos Frank Dobos
- PRHS 10 a.m. Special Intention
- 11:00 a.m. +Barbara & George Papp Barbara Thiele
- 1:00 p.m. +Guillermo Osorio Pozo Sergio Osorio
- 5:00 p.m. Our Parish Family

**Monday March 25**
- 8:30 a.m. Wedding Anniversary of Rose and Glen Chambers
- Noon +Joseph Fiore Jeanne Fiore

**Tuesday March 26**
- 8:30 a.m. +Timothy Talbott, MD Talbott Family
- Noon +Anita Casani Ann Shewman

**Wednesday March 27**
- 8:30 a.m. +Leonard Schneider Eileen Matia
- Noon +Vincent Murphy Deacon Ron & Sylvia Dains

**Thursday March 28**
- 8:30 a.m. +Steve Horvath Delphine Horvath
- Noon +Carol Flanagan-Pepi Paula Flanagan

**Friday March 29**
- 8:30 a.m. +Magda Hernandez Deacon Roberto & Aixa Landron
- Noon +Salvatore Barrera Maria Alwill

**Saturday March 30**
- 8:30 a.m. +Tim Sciarretti Gary & Doris Guyton
- 3:30 p.m. +Carl Laing Joanne Laing
- 5:15 p.m. +Rose Cosamano Your loving family

**Sunday March 31**
- 7:30 a.m. +Nick Sarno His Wife and Family
- 9:00 a.m. +Amelia & Frank Pignone Family
- PRHS 10 a.m. Our Parish Family
- 11:00 a.m. +Dr. Kenneth Kaminker CLOW Ministry
- 1:00 p.m. Special Intention Sergio Osorio
- 5:00 p.m. +Joseph & Josephine DiSabantonio DiSabantonio, Sventek, Wetzstein, families

**PRIEST SCHEDULE subject to change**

**Saturday March 23**
- 3:30 p.m. Fr. Bob
- 5:15 p.m. Fr. Sichko

**Sunday March 24**
- 7:30 a.m. Fr. Orsi
- 9:00 a.m. Fr. Bob
- 10:00 a.m. PRHS Fr. Kris
- 11:00 a.m. Fr. Sichko
- 1:00 p.m. Fr. Luis
- 5:00 p.m. Fr. Kris

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We pray for:
- Maria Jorda
- Bob Noegale
- Jane Fierstein
- Russell P. Olsen
- Joan Drehsl
- Kenneth Sanchez
- Richard Dallin
- Meredith DiFiore
- Robert Donohue
- Patty McCauley
- Debra Cassara
- Sebert Hogan
- Anna Dimiglio
- Carrie Griffith
- Amelia Ferrera
- Jarret Ferreira
- Ann Marie Morrivity
- Carolyn Fernandez
- John Knapp
- Dona Wylie
- Debbie Torchetti
- Denna Laing
- Jorja Miller
- Dell Rogers
- Patty Hanzek
- Heather Kulinski
- Jim Walker
- Rene Ledoux
- Charles Wichtendahl
- Peggy Wichtendahl
- Sue Weatherman
- Don Weatherman
- Joy Taylor
- Jake Settembrino
- Mary Ann Holt
- Dianne Rodia
- Bill Staebell
- Maggie Scolase
- Brian Kenedy
- Marian Simacce
- Grace Halle
- Sharon Clark
- Wyatt Eastwood
- Janet Caione
- Suzanne Giannotti
- Kathleen Moran
- Harris Glotzer
- Prizeman Family
- Billy Leverence
- Bonnie Erich
- Grace McGuire
- Tim Curran
- Bill Santillo
- Ann Curran
- Catherina Catizone
- Bill Foley
- Butch Sutton
- Laura Teems
- Daniele Searingi
- Iris Detter
- Donna Pontillo
- Sharon Clark
- Wyatt Eastwood
- Mary Fish
- John Lala
- Molly Coulter
- Nancy Purucker
- Emerson Severino
- Mitchell Reidy
- Robert Norby
- Tom Lyver
- Marian Simacce
- Steve Rumsey
- Lois Ti Rolio
- Linda Gillard
- Louis Rielo
- Kathy Gerber
- Jerry Ferreira
- Thomas Viiera
- Sandy O’Keefe
- James Norton
- M. Ruth Richardson
- John Mckeon
- Megan Shramovich
- Teri Crutchfield
- Gary Orvis
- William Kearney
- Joseph Grasso
- Liz Bamberlin
- Susanne Ledoux
- Regala Cepeo
- Matthew Hosmer
- Ann Basler
- Sid Ferreria
- Dr. John Suaxer
- Ciaran Cassidy
- Kathy Burton
- Alysa T. Smiliowicz
- Jerome Dempsey
- Ken Gross
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- Bob & Bern Carmen
- Gerald Vogel
- Marlene Vogel
- Ann Jacobson
- Elizabeth Coughlin
- Tim Yaeger
- Sue Boyle
- Poppa Grace Poole
- Jan Williams
- Megan Flowers
- Barbara Barber
- Dee Iuteri
- Andy Fenske
- Guillerino Baez
- Kathleen Selenga
- Nancy Pignone
- Patricia Johnson
- Leslie Boran
- Seth Judd
- David Moore
- Jennifer Lienhart
- Tom Lienhart
- Scarlet Stafford
- Michelle Griffin
- Salvatore Coico

Names will remain on the prayer list for approximately 4-6 weeks, as space allows. To update, notify the Parish Office by calling 592-1949 or e-mail maggie@stagnesnaples.org. Thank You.
Every time you make free time for God, you clear up a bit of the descending path, and you see where you can plant your feet on the way to love. Nothing spectacular or sensational. It may be simply a matter of what you say, what you read, to whom you speak, where you go on a free afternoon, or how you regard yourself and other people. What’s fascinating is that the first step invariably makes the second one easier. You begin to discover that love begets love, and step-by-step you move further forward on the way to God. Gradually, you shed your misgivings about the way of love; you see that “in love there is no room for fear,” and you feel yourself drawn to descend deeper and deeper on the way that Jesus walked before you.

—Henri Nouwen
Pastoral Council

We are seeking wise and prayerful advisors for the Pastoral Council. This council advises the pastor in matters of the parish and helps implement the Pastoral Plan. Please consider serving Christ and the St. Agnes community on the Pastoral Council.

Qualifications:
• Must be a fully initiated Catholic (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation) and a registered member of St. Agnes for at least one year.
• Only one household member may serve during the same term.
• Available Tuesday, April 23, 2019 for a prayer and discernment meeting.
• Available to meet monthly from September to May (allowance for seasonal parishioners of at least five months) and be willing to pray, reflect, dialogue, and offer thoughtful advice to Fr. Bob on matters affecting the future of the parish.
• I would: be willing to serve/like to nominate (circle one)

• Name: _______________________________________________________________
• Nominator: ___________________________________________________________
• Phone #: _________________________ Email: ______________________________
• Reasons I would like to serve/am nominating the person (include gifts, talents, qualifications, qualities, experience, church service & ministries): ___________________________________
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Please drop in collection basket or return to parish office by April 7, 2019

St. Agnes Parish
12TH ANNUAL ST. AGNES K OF C GOLF OUTING

Sunday, April 28TH
Vanderbilt Country Club
8250 Danbury Dr. Naples, FL 34120

$125.00 PER PLAYER
• 1:00 p.m Shot-Gun Start
• Best Ball Scramble
• Prizes
• Dinner Buffet

Dinner only: $45.00

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Catholic-Jewish Dialogue of Collier County

Please join us for Readers & Thinkers on:
Sunday, March 31, 2019 | 2:00 PM

Temple Shalom | 4630 Pine Ridge Rd., Naples

The Catholic Jewish Dialogue program on Sunday, March 31st at Temple Shalom 4630 Pine Ridge Rd, at 2:00 PM will feature Rabbi James Rudin speaking on 50 years of Catholic Jewish Relations. The program will be moderated by TV news anchor Frank Cippola. Rabbi Rudin has been a member of the American Jewish Committee’s professional staff for 32 years and is currently the committee's senior interreligious adviser and a member its Board of Governors. He is Distinguished Visiting Professor of Religion and Judaica at Saint Leo University and teaches at Florida Gulf Coast University Renaissance Academy. He is the author or editor of 17 Ebooks, including Cushing, Spellman, O’Connor: The Surprising Story of How Three American Cardinals Transformed Catholic–Jewish Relations and Christians & Jews Faith to Faith: Tragic History, Promising Present, Fragile Future. His work has appeared in The New York Times, Los Angeles Times and The Washington Post, and he has written for Religion News Service.

Please RSVP to cjdialogue@naples.net or phone Renee at Jewish Federation 239.263.4205

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Diocese of Venice English Catholic Charismatic Renewal Annual Conference
March 30, 2019

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$25.00 Registration Fee
No Walk-Ins Please

For More Info Visit www.dvccr.org
**Patriotic Spring Fling Dinner Dance**

Saturday, April 27th
Vanderbilt Country Club

* $50.00 per person
* 6 p.m. Cocktails (Cash Bar)
* Cheese and Crackers
* 6:45 p.m. Dinner Served

Warm rolls & butter, Garden Salad with Balsamic Vinaigrette
Choice of: 8 oz. Prime Rib of Beef with Potatoes & Vegetables
Or Grilled Salmon w/ Rice Pilaf & Vegetables
Dessert: Chef’s Special Choice
Soft Beverages Included

Entertainment by Manhattan Connection

Tickets can be purchased at St. Agnes Parish Center or by calling
Joe Albergo at 239.566.7760 or Greg Russo at 239.254.1340

RSVP by April 21st. Proceeds benefit our Country’s Veterans.

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**Are You Registered?**

Don’t be an anonymous face in the crowd! Let us know you are here – Declare your desire to be part of our Catholic community by completing a registration form found in the kiosk in the Narthex and at all entrances of the church. Completed forms can be dropped in the collection basket or returned to the office. You can also register online at www.stagnesnaples.org.

Registration not only shows you belong, but may be necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, participating in religious education programs and getting donation statements for tax purposes.

If you are unsure of your status, give us a call or email Maggie@stagnesnaples.org.

Together, we make our community stronger.

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**Seaside**
Fundraiser for the Children of Saint Ann Catholic School

You’re Invited
to our biggest event of the year!

Saint Ann Seaside Celebration
Saturday, April 6 at 6PM
La Playa Beach Resort

Cocktails on the Beach
Auction • Dinner • Dancing

Event Tickets are $75 each at
http://bidpal.net/Seaside19 or call 239.262.4110

All funds raised benefit the students of Saint Ann School.
7th Grade STEM Workshop

Saint Ann 7th grade students participated in a Marine Science Education overnight field trip to Marine Lab in the Florida Keys. The STEM core curriculum consisted of seagrass, mangrove, and coral reef ecology lead by a staff of marine science instructors through discussions, labs, and snorkeling trips to surrounding marine habitats. What a great experience outside of the classroom!

Call Admissions Director, Mrs. Tracy Farley, for a tour Grades PK3 – 8 at (239) 262-4110
You are invited to join Fr. Bob Kantor on a 10-day pilgrimage to Italy

September 10 - 19, 2019

Assisi  San Giovanni Rotondo  Monte Cassino  Rome  Vatican City

For more information or to reserve your place, contact Peter’s Way Tours. Please join us!

Disclaimer for Pilgrimage Trips

The pilgrimage trip to Italy is an event organized by and operated by Peter’s Way Travel, who will be responsible for the event. The pilgrimage is not an event sponsored by or endorsed by the Diocese of Venice or by St. Agnes Church. While Fr. Bob Kantor will be attending this pilgrimage, neither he, nor the Diocese is responsible for any of the arrangements. This pilgrimage represents travel to destinations outside of the United States. Participants must make their own travel arrangements; should familiarize themselves with the destination(s); and must make their own decision on the safety and security of the travel arrangements provided by the pilgrimage Operator. The role of the parish in helping promote the trip should not be deemed as an endorsement or a representation of any kind as to the travel arrangements.
The purpose of the Long Sleeve Relief Drive is to donate clean, used or new men’s and women’s cotton long-sleeve shirts that can be used in the fields. The drive works to create awareness of the conditions farmworkers face and the vital role they play in the economy.

**The drive will run March 24th & 31st**

**Ways to Donate**
- By check: Payable to FloridaCatholic Mail to: LSR PO Box 4993, Orlando, FL 32802-4993
- Call with a Credit Card: 407-373-0075 or toll free 1-888-275-9953

The St. Agnes Justice & Peace Committee invites you to participate in our collection of long-sleeve cotton shirts for men and women who work in the fields. They help protect the workers from sun and pesticides.

The Long-Sleeve Relief drives in Florida parishes, over the last 12 years, have made it possible to collect almost 1 million shirts and provide thousands of dollars to the Farmworker Association in our diocese. The need is great and continues.
ST. AGNES EASTER FLOWERS

Help us beautify our church on Easter with flowers. This is a way to remember those who could not be with us at this special time of the year and it also gives us an opportunity to honor someone very special in our lives. Fill out the form below and enclose a check in the amount selected. Please return both the form and check to the parish office or put in the collection basket. A special listing of the memorials and those honoring someone special will be in the bulletin after Easter. Thank you for your support in making our church look special during this blessed season.

In Memory of ________________________________

In Honor of ________________________________

Requested by ________________________________

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FOOD DRIVE

The St. Vincent De Paul Spring food drive will take place on the weekend of April 6-7. Bags will be distributed at all masses on March 30 and March 31. A list of needed items will be attached to each bag. Filled bags should be placed in the bins at each church entrance on the weekend of April 6-7.

In conjunction with the Spring food drive, we are again including an option for giving called Beating Hunger Case by Case. This program enables us to provide food to those in need by restocking our pantry shelves with items as they are needed. It affords us the opportunity to purchase food in bulk and will eliminate the waste we experience when we must discard food that is beyond the “best buy” date.

We sincerely appreciate the nonperishable food that you donate and encourage you to bring food to our food drive during the weekend of April 6-7 and throughout the year. However, if you would prefer to contribute to Beating Hunger Case by Case, please make your check payable to St. Vincent de Paul and write “Case by Case” on the memo line. Checks will be collected at the food bins at each church entrance on the weekend of the food drive.

Please help others by supporting our parish food drive and/or the Beating Hunger Case by Case program. Working together, we can help eliminate hunger in our community.
Unplanned is the inspiring true story of one woman’s journey of transformation.

All Abby Johnson ever wanted to do was help women. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she was involved in upwards of 22,000 abortions and counseled countless women about their reproductive choices. Her passion surrounding a woman’s right to choose even led her to become a spokesperson for Planned Parenthood, fighting to enact legislation for the cause she so deeply believed in.

Until the day she saw something that changed everything, leading Abby Johnson to join her former enemies at 40 Days For Life, and become one of the most ardent pro-life speakers in America.

Playing at the Prado Cinema, Bonita Springs, Regal Cinemas, Coconut Point beginning March 29th, and coming soon to Silverspot Cinema, Naples.

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MEATLESS MEALS FROM AROUND THE WORLD

As you read a Story of Hope each week, enjoy a recipe from their country: like this Coconut Dhal from Sri Lanka, where we encounter the Dhathcroso family this third week of Lent.

Prepare simple, meatless meals on the Fridays of Lent to eat in solidarity with our brothers and sisters around the world. Remember to put the money you saved by not buying meat – an average of $3 per person per meal – into your CRS Rice Bowl to feed our brothers and sisters in need around the world. As you read a Story of Hope each week, enjoy a recipe from their country: like this Coconut Dhal from Sri Lanka, where we encounter the Dhathcroso family this third week of Lent.

COCONUT DHAL

Makes 4 servings

- 2 c red lentils
- 2 T fair trade olive oil
- 1 shallot, chopped
- 1 garlic clove, chopped
- 1 t cinnamon
- Small handful dried or two fresh curry leaves
- 1 green chili, chopped
- 1 t hot curry powder
- 1 t salt
- 1 can coconut milk
- 2 c water
- 1/3 c lemon juice
- Basmati rice
- Cilantro (optional)

Rinse lentils. Heat olive oil in large pan. Sauté shallot and garlic until brown. Add lentils, cinnamon, curry leaves, green chili, curry powder, salt, coconut milk and water. Bring to boil, then reduce to simmer and cook until lentils are soft, adding more water as needed. Season with lemon juice. Serve with basmati rice and top with cilantro.

Find this and more Lenten resources at CrsRiceBowl.org or through the app.
St. Agnes 3-Day Annual Parish Mission  
Mon, March 25– Wed, March 27 at 7pm
Our mission Priest will also celebrate 8:30am Mass  
Mon-Wed preaching on the Scriptures of the day.

**Fr. Jim Sichko**  
**60 Minutes for Jesus**

Known for his storytelling, Fr. Jim weaves everyday life experiences with the rooted messages that lie within the Gospel.

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**Meet the Author**

**Jacqueline Von Zwehl**  
April 7 at 12pm
in the St Agnes Parish Center
No RSVP required.
Congratulations to the middle school youth group members who won the annual Knights of Columbus poster contest!

3/24... Prayer and Worship Night 6pm to 8pm in the Parish Center Main Hall. All parents and youth are welcome to join us from 6:30pm to 8:30pm for a night of praise and worship with EPIC the Band. Epic played at the Pope’s Mass in Panama during World Youth Day! The Knights of Columbus is generously sponsoring the event. Reconciliation with Fr. Kris will also be available during this time.

4/7... Life Night: “In Progress.” Come find clarity to these stereotypical rites of passage that are glorified in teen years: rebelling, drinking, disobeying parents, etc.

Important Youth Group Update
Follow us on Facebook, Twitter, or Snapchat to see all the fun and exciting events we are doing this year!
Facebook: St. Agnes High School Youth Group
Twitter: @saintagnesyg
Snapchat: Agnes Naples

Questions?
robert@stagnesnptes.org
239-592-1949 Ext. 150

Middle School Youth Group
Edge
Thursdays 6:30-8:15pm

3/28... Edge Night: “In Progress.” Come find clarity to these stereotypical rites of passage that are glorified in teen years: rebelling, drinking, disobeying parents, etc.

4/4... Edge Night: This Edge Night will help us understand how indulging in addictions is not only dangerous but also hinders our true freedom found in Christ.

4/11... Edge Night: “What is Your Priority?” Using discussion and fun games, this night will help us understand the need for good friendships. You can evaluate how good a friend you are.

All events are in the Youth Room of the Parish Center located behind the main church.
EVENTOS PARROQUIALES HISPANOS

Los días de atención a los feligreses del Padre Luis Pacheco son los jueves y viernes de 10:30 a.m. a 4:00 p.m. El Diácono Roberto Landron está disponible de lunes a Viernes.
Por favor llamar a la oficina para hacer su cita. (239) 592-1949

MITAD DE CUARESMA,
¡REGÍSTRATE!
Dios dice a Moisés, “Yo soy el que soy. Expícaselo así a los israelitas: ‘Yo soy’ me envía a ustedes’.
El Señor, el Dios de sus antepasados, el Dios de Abrahán, el Dios de Isaac, el Dios de Jacob” (Éxodo 3:14, 15). Como Jesús diría luego, Dios no es un Dios de muertos sino de vivos y así creemos que los muertos resucitarán un día. En esta tiempo, la mitad de la Cuaresma, hacemos una pausa para considerar cómo nuestro arrepentimiento nos lleva a la Resurrección, a nuestra reunión con el gran ‘Yo soy’. Parte de nuestro arrepentimiento supone trabajar para asegurar la justicia para todos y ayudar a nuestro prójimo para vivir de acuerdo a la voluntad de Dios. Nos animamos y cuidamos unos a otros; así como el jardinero compasivo del Evangelio de hoy, quien dice al dueño de la huerta que él cuidará el árbol, lo fertilizará y quizá pueda dar fruto.

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BAUTIZOS EN ESPAÑOL
1213 El santo Bautismo es el fundamento de toda la vida cristiana, el pórtico de la vida en el espíritu (“vitae spiritualis ianua”) y la puerta que abre el acceso a los otros sacramentos. Por el Bautismo somos liberados del pecado y regenerados como hijos de Dios, llegamos a ser miembros de Cristo y somos incorporados a la Iglesia y hechos partícipes de su misión (cf Concilio de Florencia: DS 1314; CIC, can 204,1; 849; CCEO 675,1): Baptismus est sacramentum regenerationis per aquam in verbo” (“El bautismo es el sacramento del nuevo nacimiento por el agua y la palabra”: Catecismo Romano 2,2,5).
Las clases para padres y padrinos se realizan en el Centro Parroquial a las 11 am, aula No 1. Llegar a las 10.30 Para inscribirse en las clases deben llamar a la oficina:
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