SUNDAY, JULY 30

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME · EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Clergy

Reverend Mark Moriarty, Pastor Deacon Nathan Allen Deacon Joseph Damiani Reverend James McConville, Sacramental Minister

Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:15 p.m. (Vigil Mass that fulfills the Sunday obligation) 6:30, 7:30 a.m. (Latin EF Low Mass) 8:30, 10:00 a.m. (Latin OF High Mass), 12 Noon

Weekday Masses

8:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday (Saturday — Sung Latin Mass)
5:15 p.m. Fridays
During school year, an additional Mass on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation

Watch bulletin for Mass schedules

Confessions

Fridays 4:00-5:00 p.m. (Chapel) Saturdays: 4:00-5:00 p.m. (Upper Church) and 8:00-9:00 p.m. (Chapel) Every Tuesday following the 7:00 p.m. Novena (Chapel)

Adoration and Devotions

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Chapel) 7:30 p.m. Confessions, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Holy Rosary

Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:00 a.m. Mass until 5:00 p.m. Benediction (Chapel)

Saturday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 4:00 p.m. until

5:00 p.m. Benediction (Upper Church)

Sunday: 3:00 p.m. Vespers during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and

concluding with Benediction (Upper Church)

Summer Parish Office Hours

 $Monday-Thursday,\,8:00\ a.m.-3:00\ p.m.$

Friday - Closed

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PASTOR'S COLUMN

Sacramental Preparation/Requirements for 2017-18

Whereas parents are the primary educators of a child in the Catholic Faith, Saint Agnes offers additional catechetical opportunities for those children preparing to receive First Confession, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation.

There are no changes being made to the requirements from last year. Your child will fall into one of these three categories: registered at Saint Agnes School, registered in Family Catechesis*, or Homeschooled. Each of these categories has its own requirements. There is a detailed explanation of these requirements, including all of the important dates, on the parish website: www.churchofsaintagnes.org/sacramental-prep/. I urge you to read this document thoroughly. Any additional questions can be directed to Eileen Mueller at emueller@saintagnesschool.org or 651.925.8896.

High-level requirements are found in the two charts included in this week's bulletin (below and to the right).

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Rev. Mark Moriarty

*Registration for Family Catechesis will begin via the parish website on August 1. Please see the announcement in this bulletin for more details.

Confirmation

Confirmation in the Ordinary Form is scheduled for Sunday, February 18, 2018. We do not have a date for an EF Confirmation at this time.

Requirement	Homeschool- ing & NOT in Family Catechesis	Enrolled in Family Catechesis	Enrolled in Saint Agnes School
Register 8th graders for OF or EF Confirmation by 9/12/17	Yes	No	No
Register 6th, 7th & 8th graders in Family Catechesis by 9/12/17	No	Yes	No
Attend Family Catechesis classes for 6th, 7th & 8th grade years	No	Yes	No
Attend 1/17/18 required talk on "Gifts of the Holy Spirit"	Yes	Yes	No
Take and pass the Confirmation Written Exam on 1/31/18	Yes	Yes	With school in class. Date TBD.

First Confession and First Holy Communion

First Holy Communion in the Ordinary Form will be Saturday, May 12, 2018 at 10 am. Extraordinary Form will be Sunday, May 13, 2018 at 7:30 am.

Requirement	Homeschooling & NOT in Fam- ily Catechesis		Enrolled in Saint Agnes School
Register 2nd graders for Sacraments by 9/12/17	Yes	No	No
Register 1st & 2nd graders in Family Catechesis by 9/12/17	No	Yes	No
Attend Family Catechesis classes for 1st and 2nd grade years	No	Yes	No
Attend 2/28/18 Evening of Reflection on Reconciliation	Yes	Yes	No
Make First Confession before 5/11/18	Yes	Yes	With school class on 2/15/2018
Attend 4/25/18 Evening of Reflection on Holy Communion	Yes	Yes	No
Attend retreat on 5/11/2018.	Yes	Yes	Yes

TODAY AT SAINT AGNES

All are invited to Schuler Hall after Mass for coffee and donuts served by the Knights of Columbus.

THIS WEEK AT SAINT AGNES

2017-18 Family Catechesis - Registration Begins August 1

Registration for the 2017-18 Family Catechesis program begins August 1 and will continue through September 12.

Classes this year will be on the second Wednesday of each month in Schuler Hall, but will begin at 6:30 pm instead of 6:45 pm. Classes will end by 8:15 pm.

Dates: September 13, October 11, November 8, December 13, January 10, February 14 (Ash Wednesday), March 14, April 11, and May 9.

Tuition: \$40 per student with an \$80 maximum per family (includes books and supplies).

Register on the parish website: www.churchofsaintagnes.org.

Questions? Contact Mrs. Eileen Mueller at 651.925.8896 or emueller@saintagnesschool.org.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, August 5
5:15 pm
L. Lahlum, P. Rother, C. Ethier
Sunday, August 6
7:30 am

7:30 am T. Conroy, M. Swanson

8:30 am W. Murphy, F. Minwegan, M. Rosenthal, G. Aamot, M. Strandquist 10:00 am

J. Galush, A., N. & N. Brownell, J. & P. Eilen, W. Kostuch 12:00 pm

A., D. & A. Moriarty

COMING SOON AT SAINT AGNES

Registration Opens August 7 - Saint Agnes Children's Choir

The mission of the Saint Agnes Parish Children's Choir is to sing sacred music that supports and enhances the Liturgy of the Mass. The singers work to develop vocal skills and musicianship through the art of sacred choral music. The mastery of these skills enables the singer to develop discipline, self-confidence and most importantly, a deeper understanding of the Faith.

The repertoire of the choir includes various settings of the Ordinary of the Mass in Latin and English, psalm settings, hymns, and sacred anthems appropriate to the season.

Singers must be between the ages of 9 (3rd grade) and 16 (sophomore), with unchanged voices and have a desire to praise God through sacred song. Although there is no formal audition, the singer must be able to match pitch.

NOTE: If enough boys with changed voices express interest in this group, it may be possible to form a small group (Schola) to prepare some music separately. More information to come on this.

The Children's Choir will sing for the following 8:30 am Sunday Masses this year (may change slightly):

September 24, 2017 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 22, 2017 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 19, 2017 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

December 10, 2017 2nd Sunday of Advent January 7, 2018 The Epiphany of the Lord

February 11, 2018 Dedication of the Saint Agnes, Anniv.

March 11, 2018 Laetare Sunday
April 15, 2018 3rd Sunday of Easter
May 13, 2018 The Ascension of the Lord

Rehearsals are scheduled for *Thursday afternoons from 3:00pm to 4:30pm*, with occasional exceptions. Rehearsals begin with warm-ups in the Kent Street Rehearsal Room located in the lower level of the church, and then move to the choir loft of the church.

Registration forms and more detailed information about the Children's Choir will be available on August 7 via the church website - http://churchofsaintagnes.org/children-choir/.

Parish Directory Photos: Need to collect your free 8x10 family portrait? Portraits will be available in the parish office each week Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 3:00 pm. They will not be mailed. If your family ordered additional portraits, your free 8x10 was shipped with your order.

Parish directories will come out later this year!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

(Regular, weekly Masses, Confessions, and Devotions are found on the bulletin cover)

Sunday, July 30

Monday, July 31

No scheduled activities

Tuesday, August 1

No scheduled activities

Wednesday, August 2

No scheduled activities

Thursday, August 3

No scheduled activities

Friday, August 4

Parish Office Closed during summer months

Saturday, August 5

Rosary for Life following the 8:00 am Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 31 | Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

8:00 am Dorothy Waldmann Gruidl †

Tuesday, August 1 | Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop &

8:00 am Kathleen St. Martin † (A) **Doctor of the Church**

Wednesday, August 2 | Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop

8:00 am Beverly Hand † (A)

Thursday, August 3

8:00 am James & Shirley Mottl †

Friday, August 4 | Saint John Vianney, Priest

8:00 am George Buechler Sr † 5:15 pm Marian Koubik †

Saturday, August 5 | The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint

8:00 am* Tom Grundhoefer †

Mary Major

5:15 pm Bridget Geerts

Sunday, August 6 | The Transfiguration of the Lord Ninth Sunday after Pentecost (EF)

6:30 am Stephanie Carlson †

7:30 am Deceased members of the Smolik Family †

8:30 am Hildegarde Ramacher †

10:00 am* Pam Dumler

12:00 pm *Missa pro populo* (For the people)

SUNDAY OFFERINGS FOR JULY 23

Envelope/Plate	\$10,722.15
Automatic	\$ 2,818.33
Total	\$13,540.48

Our Lady of Fatima 100th Anniversary Patch

The Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women is excited to announce a new Religious Recognition patch, "Our Lady of Fatima 1917-2017." This patch can be earned by youth in Kindergarten through 12th grade. For more information, contact the ACCW Office 651.291.4545.



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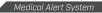
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