Pastoral Staff
Very Rev. Robert J. Kantor V.F.
Rev. Jan Antonik
Rev. Michael P. Orsi
Rev. Luis H. Pacheco (Hispanic Ministry)
Deacon Ed McCarthy
Deacon Henry deMena
Deacon Roberto Landrón (Hispanic Ministry)
Deacon Hugh Muller

Parish Office / Oficina Parroquial
The Parish Office is located in the Parish Center
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E-Mail: info@stagnesnaples.org

Parish Office Hours / Horas de Oficina
Monday - Friday / Lun - Vie
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Chapel Hours / Horas de Capilla
Monday - Saturday / Lun - Sab
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday / Dom
7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.,
1 p.m. En Español
8:30 a.m. Tridentine Mass in the Chapel

Mass Times / Horas de Misa
Saturday / Sab: 4:00 p.m.
Monday - Saturday / Lun - Sab: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Days / Dias Festivos
8:30 a.m., Noon & 7:00 p.m. (Bilingual)

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Sacramento de la Reconciliación
Saturdays 9:00-10:00 a.m. and by appointment
Media hora antes de la Misa o por citas al 592-1949.

We need your help to keep our records current. If there are any births, deaths, marriages, moves, etc. in your family, please notify the office.

Website: www.StAgnesNaples.org or Follow the QR Code on the Right with your Smart Phone
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.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

JULY 3 - 9

Monday, July 3
Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday, July 4
Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday, July 5
Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday, July 6
Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6; 9-1; Mt 9:1-8

Friday, July 7
Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8; 62-67; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 8
Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17;

Sunday, July 9
Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

Parish Contacts
Pastor
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Parochial Vicars
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Rev. Michael P. Orsi
Rev. Luis H. Pacheco (Hispanic Ministry)
Deacons
Henry deMena, Ed McCarthy,
Roberto Landrón (Hispanic Ministry), Hugh Muller
Operations Manager
Deacon Roberto Landrón
Office Manager
Maggie Brady
Bookkeeper
Diane Pappalardo
Receptionist
Lisa Dahn
Admin. Asst. to the Pastor
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
Connie Brehm
Music Director
Paul Todd
Asst. Music Director
Cindy Dallas
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 Carmen Rivera al 352-7453 o a la oficina Parroquial.
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**MEETING PLACES**

- YR=Youth Room
- NX=Narthex
- PC=Parish Center
- CH=Church
- PR=Prayer Chapel
- CP=Chapel
- CR=Conference Room
- PL=Parking Lot
- CL=Classroom
- CY=Canopy
- BR=Bride’s Room

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ST. AGNES FINANCIALS

This Week (6/18/17) $26,271.77
One Year Ago $22,810.00
% of Change 13.18%
Mass Attendance 3,613
This Week (6/25/17) $22,354.00
One Year Ago $21,920.50
% of Change 1.94%
Mass Attendance 3,556

CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL Stewardship beyond our Parish

Calendar year 2018 Goal $479,000.00
Pledged (6/18/17) $473,083.49
Received $388,067.47
% of Registered Households 21.90%

PARISH DEBT $1,044,309.27
Debt Reduction Collection (6/18/17) $7,814.00
Debt Reduction Collection (6/25/17) $10,685.00

REGISTRATION

St. Agnes registered households are now at 4,419. We are aware that many people visit and live in our area who support other parishes. We urge you to consider prorating your charitable giving to give St. Agnes a share.

Please pray for the repose of soul of:
+Charlie Scott, +Gordy Shore &
+Anthony Sciavolino

May they enjoy everlasting life and may their families be comforted.

With prayerful thanksgiving for his safe return, we have taken Paul Ashley USN off the list of military personnel serving our country overseas. We have been informed that he has returned home safely.

PRAY FOR PEACE AND SAFETY:

If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. We will publish their names in the bulletin to remind everyone to ask God’s blessings on them, that they may return safely to their families. Let us join our prayers for peace and safety with yours. Also, please let us know when they return home safely so that we may rejoice with you.

SPC Peter Holder
PFC Scott Norris, USMC
SGT Ryan Byres
A1C Michael Melicia, USAF
Francisco Chavez, USAF
SSG David Clark, USA
BM2(SW) Charley Davidson USN
PFC Zack Steelman
SSG Andrew White

SPC Michael Broderick
A1C Daniel R. Hamde, USAF
PFC Michael Baker
SGT David Clark
MScgt. Eric Gunn
PO3 Kimberly Wagner, US
LCPL Brandon Weston
PFC Luke Kerney Kuser
Lt. John Connors – USN

Capt. Dominic Francis Adams
PVT John Wallace
CDR Gregory Meyer
A1C Peter Johnson, USAF
SPC Jorge Armando Nino
Vince Gaier, USMC
Jordan M. Perez
LCPL James Sheran, USMC

A1C Victoria Landolfi USAF
Pvt. Reynaldo Rodriguez USA
SGT Abbi Wentholt
Lance Cpl Danny Dewey USMC
SGT Victor Quiles, USA
2Lt. Sean Kealy, USA
Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA
Capt. David Ralph USMC
**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading:** 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a

**Second Reading:** Romans 6:3-4, 8-11

**Gospel:** Matthew 10:37-42

**Adults:** When have you felt more fully alive by giving yourself to another? ¿Cuándo se ha sentido más lleno de vida al entregarse a otro?

**Children:** When have you been able to put what someone else needs ahead of what you want for yourself? ¿Cuándo has sido capaz de poner lo que otra persona necesita por delante de lo que quieres para ti?

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### MASS INTENTIONS

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### PRIEST SCHEDULE

**Saturday**

- 4:00 p.m. Fr. Orsi

**Sunday**

- 7:30 a.m. Fr. Orsi
- 9:00 a.m. Fr. Jan
- 11:00 a.m. Fr. Jan
- 1:00 p.m. Fr. Luis
- 5:00 p.m. Fr. Orsi

**Saturday**

- 4:00 p.m. Fr. Bob

**Sunday**

- 7:30 a.m. Fr. Jan
- 9:00 a.m. Fr. Bob
- 11:00 a.m. Fr. Bob
- 1:00 p.m. Fr. Luis
- 5:00 p.m. Fr. Jan

*Names will remain on the prayer list for approximately 4-6 weeks, as space allows. To update, notify the Parish Office by calling 592-1049 or e-mail maggie@stagnesnaples.org. Thank you.*
Stewardship in Action at St. Agnes
Parish Groups and Ministries

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Small steps of love
How can we choose love when we have experienced so little of it? We choose love by taking small steps of love every time there is an opportunity. A smile, a handshake, a word of encouragement, a phone call, a card, an embrace, a kind greeting, a gesture of support, a moment of attention, a helping hand, a present, a financial contribution, a visit... all these are little steps toward love.

Each step is like a candle burning in the night. It does not take the darkness away, but it guides us through the darkness. When we look back after many small steps of love, we will discover that we have made a long and beautiful journey.

—Henri Nouwen
Golf Cart Ministry News

The Golf Cart Shuttle will start from the WEST side of the church beginning Saturday, July 1st. The shuttle will operate at the 4 p.m. Mass on Saturday and the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses on Sunday; one half hour before Mass begins. It will be stationed at the end of the sidewalk at the WEST side to shuttle people to the doors of the church. After Mass pickup will be at the end of the canopy by the grey maintenance doors.

Handicapped Doors

To serve you better and to provide easier access to the Church and Chapel we have installed automatic door openers on several doors. These can be found on the East side of the Narthex entrance to Church, and the north east and north west doors located in the back of Church. There is also one at the back Chapel door. With a push of a button, you can now easily enter our Church and Chapel!

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Upcoming Meetings

Assembly Meeting: Monday, July 3, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Monthly Council Meeting: Monday, July 3, PC Hall, 7:00 P.M.
Color Guard: Wednesday, July 5, Classroom #1, 7:00 P.M.
First Degree Exemplification: Sunday, July 16, Classroom #1, 10:00 A.M.
Color Guard: Wednesday, July 19, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Officers’ Meeting: Monday, July 31, Classroom #1, 7:00 P.M.
Color Guard: Wednesday, August 2, Classroom #1, 7:00 P.M.
Assembly Meeting: Monday, August 7, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Monthly Council Meeting: Monday, August 2, PC Hall, 7:00 P.M.
The faithful are invited to join Bishop Frank J. Dewane in signing a national pledge to end the use of the death penalty. The Catholic Mobilizing Network's National Catholic Pledge to End the Death Penalty was announced in Washington, D.C. on May 9, 2017. As Chair of the USCCB Committee on Domestic Justice and Human Development, Bishop Dewane was one of the first signatories who have committed to advocate, educate and pray for the end to the use of the death penalty. For more information on the national pledge, please visit: https://catholicsmobilizing.org/action/pledge.

**Pledge Overview**

The belief in the dignity of the human person is a pillar of our Catholic faith. The death penalty represents a failure of our society to fulfill the demands of human dignity, as evidenced by the 159 people and counting who have been exonerated due to their innocence since 1973.

**Why Should I Become a Member of a Parish?**

Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. Membership requires formal enrollment in the parish, but it is more than just filling out some forms. Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to participate in the religious, social, and ministerial activities of a parish.

Registration not only shows you belong, but is also necessary for certain benefits like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, participating in Faith Formation and receiving donation statements for tax purposes.

Belonging to a parish is a commitment. Just as you want the parish to provide Masses, Sacraments, Faith Formation and ministries, the parish needs to be able to count on you to help and assist in its mission; to be an active member.

**Are you registered with us?** One way to know is if you receive regular communications from us, such as offertory envelopes or occasional emails. If you do not, then perhaps you are not officially registered or you have been marked as inactive. If you are unsure, please call the parish office.

Registering at St. Agnes is a statement of faith and support of the life and work of our parish. As a faith community, we are here to help each other in our journey of discipleship.

Registration forms are found in the Parish Office, at each entrance of the Church and on our website www.stagnesnaples.org.
Greater Naples Fire Rescue bestowed an award to St. Agnes Catholic Church in appreciation of the support and generosity during the 2017 wildfires. Collier County Fire Chief, Kingman Schuldt, presented the award to Father Bob Kantor and Deacon Roberto Landron. St. Agnes parish was used as a base for the firefighters that were battling the fires in the month of April.

Statues of Mary and Joseph now adorn our Chapel thanks to the work of the Arts and Liturgical Environment Committee and a generous parishioner. Their presence is sure to enhance our worship experience.

Fortnight Prayer

O God our Creator, from your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as your people and given us the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society.

We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.

Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome – for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us – this great land will always be “one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
Where a child can fall in love with God!
PreK4
Starting this fall!

Six reasons to put your kids in Catechesis of the Good Shepherd:
1. The younger the child starts the easier it is for them to fall in love with God.
2. It helps the child to understand and participate in the Mass.
3. It gives your child a peaceful and quiet place of prayer in our loud and busy world.
4. It assists the child in wonder and curiously about the Kingdom of God.
5. It gives parents an opportunity and the time for their own spiritual formation.
6. You get an hour for yourself every week!

What is Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)?
CGS level one is an approach to the faith formation of children ages 4-6 that is rooted in the Bible and the Liturgy and uses Montessori’s educational approach to faith formation. The focus of the program is to deepen the child’s existing relationship with God; to encourage the formation of a personal prayer life; to participate fully in the liturgical and sacramental life of the Church; and to develop a deeper understanding of Catholic identity and tradition.

What is an atrium?
An atrium is the room in which the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd takes place. It is a specially prepared room just for the children, where they can come to know Jesus, the Good Shepherd. The room is prepared with special handmade materials. The children work hands on with the materials as a way to meditate on the lesson presented. The materials cover biblical stories as well as liturgical moments. For example, there is a baptismal font, a candle, shell, and a white garment to help the children learn about the Sacrament of Baptism. The atrium can be compared to a retreat house; it is a place for religious life, for community and worship, not a classroom for instruction. It is a place of work which becomes a conversation with God.

What is a day in the atrium like?
The children come in and work on their own until they are invited to a presentation. The most important time for the child is the time after the presentation. This is their time to ponder what they have heard proclaimed. They may draw, trace, or work with the materials. We end our time with worship. At level one, the catechist conducts a very simple time of prayer and singing.

How are parents involved?
Parents of children in the atrium are asked to bring their children on a consistent basis and prayerfully consider being an assistant or taking the training to become a catechist.

What is the role of the catechist?
The catechist is the person who facilitates the relationship of the child with God. We are not “teachers;” we are co-learners with the child as we ponder the Scriptures and allow the Holy Spirit to teach. The catechist asks “wondering” questions, so that the child and the adult ponder the Scriptures together. The catechist’s role is to prepare the environment and to make presentations that “call forth” the child’s response, rather than “pour in” information.

When and Where?
Open House Sunday, Oct. 8 12pm-1pm. Sessions are Tuesdays 10-11am in the Parish Center classroom #4: “The Atrium”. Orientation is Nov. 21; sessions are Nov. 28 Dec. 5, 12, 19 Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27 Mar. 6, 20, 27 April 3, 10, 17, 24

Sign me up!
Email rose@stagnesnaples.org for more information. Only 10 spots are available. Registration fee is $100. Registration deadline is Nov. 13. Registration forms are available in the Faith Formation office 9am-4pm M-F.
One-Day Retreats & Monthly Support Group Meetings

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Volunteer Warehouse Workers
There are several types of “Back Room” workers. Back room workers must be able to interface with the public by receiving incoming donations and are the first contact with the public.
Clothing – Separate clothing into Boutique, main floor and recyclable categories. Tag, price, hang clothing and stock the store racks. Knowledge of brands is helpful.

Volunteer Sales Help
Volunteer sales help meet and greet, assist customers, help arrange the sales floor by keeping it fully stocked and looking great for customers.

If you are interested in volunteering in the Naples or the Bonita Springs St. Vincent De Paul Thrift Stores, please call the Family Assistance Center at 775-1667.
“Christ has no body on earth but yours, no hands, no feet but yours...”

—St. Teresa of Avila

**One Nation Under God**

*ChristianToday.com*

America became a free country on July 4, 1776, however, what many may not know - or forget - is that America is also a nation under God founded on Christian principles.

Here are some other interesting particulars about our country’s founding:

- 54 of the 56 signers of the Declaration of Independence were Christians, 27 held theology degrees. Many went on to form Bible societies.

- The signers intended the document to officiate the separation between America and Great Britain. However, they based the Declaration which has served as a foundation to the beginnings of the American nation upon a greater foundational belief that God, or as written in the Declaration “Creator”, was the source for men’s irrevocable rights.

  - Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration, also believed “God who gave us life gave us liberty.”

- Two of the Continental Congress’ first actions were to hire military chaplains and to purchase 20,000 Bibles to remedy a national shortage.

- During George Washington’s farewell address he said, “And let us with caution indulge the supposition that morality can be maintained without religion. Whatever may be conceded to the influence of refined education on minds of peculiar structure, reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle.”

- The U.S. Supreme Court also identified America as a Christian nation in 1892, after 10 years of examining hundreds of documents on the foundation of the country. The justices came to the unanimous conclusion that the documents undeniably “add a volume of unofficial declarations to the mass of organic utterances that this is a religious people, a Christian nation.”

- According to the late Ronald W. Reagan, the 40th President of the United States, “Without God there is no virtue because there is no prompting of the conscience.... without God there is a coarsening of the society; without God democracy will not and cannot long endure.... If we ever forget that we are one Nation Under God, then we will be a Nation gone under.”

On this Fourth of July, let us remember how fortunate we are to live and worship freely in our great nation.

**Usher Ministry**

The role of an usher is to help first-time guests, repeat visitors, and members experience the sacredness and joy of Mass. Do you enjoy talking to people and assisting our parishioners? Opportunities exist in our Usher Ministry for you to answer God’s calling to this ministry.

Call Gloria Carter at 239-592-1949 ext. 118, or e-mail: gloria@stagnesnaples.org
2017-18 Registration Registración
Register May 1-August 21

Sign up for Family Faith Formation, Youth Group, and Sacramental Preparation early to be able to pick the days/times that work best for you. Get the calendars and forms on our website, in the kiosk in the narthex of the church, or at the Parish Office Mon-Fri 9am-4pm. Starting Aug 1, we will be accepting registrations and payments at the Stewardship Desk after Mass.

Does your child need...
A special learning environment?
Baptism for a child 7 or older?
Other unique family circumstances?
Please make an appointment with Rose Chambers before August 21.

SAVE $25/STUDENT!
Complete registration by AUG 21, including:

⇒ Two-page Registration & release form
⇒ Baptism (& Communion) certificate copies
⇒ Full Payment (cash/check/debit/credit)

Registrese en Formación en la Fe para la Familia, Grupo de Jóvenes, y Preparación Sacramental ya para poder escoger los días/horas que son mejores para usted. Obtenga los calendarios y las formas en nuestro website, en el quiosco en el nártex de la iglesia, o en la Oficina Parroquial de lunes a viernes 9am-4pm. A partir del 1 de agosto, estaremos aceptando inscripciones y pagos en la mesa de PAC en la entrada principal de la iglesia después de la Misa.
High School LIFE TEEN
Leading Teens Closer to Christ
Sundays 6-8pm

7/2... 4th of July Weekend, no Youth Group. See you next week!

7/9... Bowling night! Come to the Parish Center after the 5pm Mass and join the carpool to the bowling alley. Cost is $10 a person.

7/16... Ave Maria Conference, no Youth Group, see you next week!

7/23... Ice skating night! Come to the Parish Center after the 5pm Mass to join us for skating at Germain Arena! Cost $10.

St. Agnes Vacation Bible School had 170 participants and 140 teens volunteers this year!

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

Scan to visit the St. Agnes webpage for info on important events and the most recent calendar!

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

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

7/13... Summer Schedule, No Edge Night.

7/20... Summer Schedule, No Edge Night See you next week!

7/27... Middle School Cookout night! Come join us for hotdogs and hamburgers and join a team for a photo scavenger hunt night!

8/3... No Edge Night, see you next week!

8/10... Middle School Cookout night! Come join us for hotdogs and hamburgers and join a team for a photo scavenger hunt night!

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

RETIRÓ DE EMAUS

Invitamos a todas las mujeres de nuestra parroquia que no hayan vivido esta experiencia a que consideren reservar el fin de semana del 28, 29 y 30 de julio del 2017.
Serán la oportunidad de hacer nuevas amistades y volverán a sus hogares renovadas.

El retiro se llevará a cabo aquí en St Agnes con un costo de $100.00 dólares por participante.
Mujer, no dejes pasar esta oportunidad de caminar con Jesús a Emaús.
Para más información pueden contactar a:
Katia Torres (239) 601 2767 y Cristina Monsalve: (239) 572 1515.

LA SANTA MISA ES EL CENTRO DE LA VIDA CRISTIANA.

La sagrada Eucharistía, en efecto, contiene todo el bien espiritual de la Iglesia, es decir, Cristo mismo, nuestra Pascua y Pan de Vida, que da la vida a los hombres por medio del Espíritu Santo.
La entrega de sus ofrendas en un sobre con su nombre y número, permite que quede constancia de su asistencia a la Misa. Su asistencia a Misa se requiere para:
1. Recibir sacramentos o participar en ellos como, por ejemplo, en calidad de padrinos.
2. Servir como voluntarios en la Iglesia.
3. Solicitar cartas necesarias para terceras partes como, por ejemplo, servicios de inmigración, constancia de asistencia a la Iglesia, y otros.
Si usted olvida su sobre en casa puede utilizar otro con el borde morado y poner en el mismo sus datos.

CONSAGRACIÓN TOTAL A JESÚS POR MARÍA

Empezamos un nuevo curso de preparación a partir del miércoles 30 de agosto para consagrarlos el 8 de diciembre.

Encuentros semanales en la capilla los miércoles a las 7 de la noche. Para consulta o registración llamar a María Jordana Coglionesse (305)2819735 o Nile Costa (561)2346277
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