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.

Parish Office/Oficina Parroquial
The Parish Office is located in the Parish Center
7775 Vanderbilt Beach Rd. Naples, FL 34120
239-592-1949 Fax: 239.354.4462
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.
Mass Times/Horas de Misa
Saturday/Sab: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday/Dom 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.,
11 a.m. & 5 p.m., 1 p.m. En Español
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 de la 1pm, sábado de 9 a 10 o por citas al 592-1949

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

September 23, 2018
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

How do we treat the messenger?

Let’s not be too hasty in defining who is “the wicked one” and who (namely us) is just! We are very quick to label others as evil, because we tend to label ourselves as good guys. We don’t like it when we are brought up short by a prophetic voice that brings us some bad news about our own behavior. We don’t like to be reproached for transgressions of the law or charged with violations of our training.

We may condemn and abuse those who bring us up against these truths about ourselves when, if we were really good, we would thank them for helping to keep us on the right path. This is the way they treated the prophets and the way they treated Jesus. Is this also the way we treat those whose message we don’t like?
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.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK
SEPTEMBER 24 - 30

Monday, September 24
Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 25
Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, September 26
Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 27
Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Friday, September 28
Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, September 29
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

Sunday, September 30
Nm 11:25-19; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48
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St. Agnes Parish  
September 23, 2018

**ST. AGNES FINANCIALS**

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**CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL**  
*Stewardship beyond our Parish*

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**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT & NEW MISSION DEVELOPMENT**

$9,426.00

**REGISTRATION**

St. Agnes registered households are now at 4,925. 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.

**Join Us!**

Come Parishioners Join Us to Sing! Paul Todd, Music Director invites all choristers and singers to participate in the St. Agnes adult and children choirs.

2018/2019 Choir season begins rehearsals on Wednesday, October 24, 2018. All rehearsals take place in the church music/choir area.

Children's Choir 6 yrs. and up rehearse at 5:00 p.m. - Adults 18 yrs. and up rehearse at 7:00 p.m. Come be a part of this very special church ministry - Come Sing, Sing a New Song!

ATTENTION!

The 60+ Solos group has moved to a new time! Next Meeting is October 1st at 2 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

**Children’s Rosary**

In the prayer chapel in the church at 9:30 a.m.

First Saturday, October 6th

Children of all ages and abilities are welcome and must be accompanied by a parent.

Parishes throughout the Diocese have been made aware that someone is creating fake email accounts using the names of priests of the Diocese and or Parish staff and emailing Parishioners requesting donations in the form of gift cards/Pay Pal. If you receive email allegedly from a Priest or Parish Staff member, originating from an email address with a domain other than the Parish’s domain, please ensure the authenticity of the email before responding. No action should be taken and please contact your Parish Office.

**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.

- 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
- M Sgt. Eric Gunn
- P03 Kimberly Wagner, US
- Jordan M. Perez
- PFC Luke Kerney Kuser
- Spc Jacob Nienow USA
- Capt. Dominic Francis Adams
- Spec. Reynaldo Rodriguez USA
- CDR Gregory Meyer
- A1C Peter Johnson, USAF
- SPC Jorge Armando Nino
- Vince Galer, USMC
- Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA
- LCPL James Sheran, USMC
- PFB J. Hunter Judd, USMC
- A1C Victoria Landolfi USAF
- William Joeckel, Staff Sgt. USA
- SGT Abbi Wenthold
- PFC Michael Rodriguez, USMC
- SGT Victor Quiles, USA
- 2L T. Sean Kealy, USA
- Pvt. Joseph F. Trabbic, U.S.A.
- Cpl. Thomas E. L. Catalina, USMC
- Sgt. Ian Corbett U.S.A.

**THE WHITE MASS**

A Mass & Lecture for Medical Professionals

JOIN US

Thursday, October 18th, 2018

Mass 8:30 AM at St. Agnes Church

Breakfast & Lecture to follow in the St. Agnes Parish Center

**TOPIC:** Conscience Protections for Health Care Provider

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

Register and pay online at www.stagnesnaples.org

Cost is $50.00.
**MASS INTENTIONS**

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**PRIEST SCHEDULE**

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**WINE & HOSTS:**

In Memory of Jean J. Wolschlager

We pray for:

- Patrick Gallagher
- Mary Zigler
- Charles Wichtendahl
- Peggy Wichtendahl
- Sue Weatherman
- Don Weatherman
- Joy Taylor
- Jacqueline Pelton
- Dr. John Sexauer
- Arthur Denero
- Mitchell Reidy
- Elyse Appell
- Chuck Ciampi
- Wyatt Eastwood
- Sharon Clark
- Jim Walker
- Barbara Barber
- Dee Iuteri
- Veronica Renaud
- Janet Caione
- Richard Flynn
- Jeffery Hurckes
- Claire Boyle
- Manny Regateiro
- Denna Laising
- Dottie Yedzik
- Ray Sanchez
- Raymond Sanchez
- Raymond Sanchez
- Mary Irons
- John Stillings
- Maria Magda de Quesada
- Mary Bruno
- Joe Tavalacci
- Nick Sarno
- Tina Deady
- Judy Droge
- Stanislau DiMaio
- Megan Shramovich
- Judy Lund
- Maria Falleti
- Vincent G. Florentine
- Jack Curran
- Maria Magda de Quesada
- Tony Landolfi
- Charlie Carr
- Jill Kirwin
- Mr. & Mrs. J. Cucinella
- Nancy Bruno and Family
- Robert Behling
- Yolanda and Family
- Mrs. J. Cucinella
- Dolores Daulerio
- Gino Falletti
- Dolores Daulerio
- Virginia Rauch
- Bob Myers
- James & Antonina Gauthier
- Marta Falleti
- Marilyn & Charles Scott
- Louie DiMaio
- John O'Rourke
- Gerald Vogel
- Jill Kluwe
- Sue Weatherman
- Gary & Pat Singleton
- Jim Kluwe
- John DeVido
- Maria Parrott
- Rick Santillo
- Mike Murphy
- Janet Caione
- Maria Falleti
- Larry Kielasa
- Nancy Bruno and Family
- Michael Murphy
- Jeanne Murphy
-伐佐乐
- Janet Caione
- John Mahoney
- James & Antonina Gauthier
- Bill Santillo
- Thomas Falleti
- John Stillings
- Paul Gardiner
- Jeanne Murphy
- Mike Murphy
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- Maria Parrott
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- Maria Parrott

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.
Mastering Evil with Good

The apostle Paul writes to the Romans: “Bless your persecutors; never curse them, bless them. ... Never pay back evil with evil, but master evil with good” (Romans 12:14-21). These words cut to the heart of the spiritual life. They make it clear what it means to choose life, not death, to choose blessings not curses. But what is asked of us here goes against the grain of our human nature. We will only be able to act according to Paul’s words by knowing with our whole beings that what we are asked to do for others is what God has done for us.

–Henri Nouwen
UPCOMING MEETINGS

Assembly Officers’ Meeting: Monday, September 24, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Officers’ Meeting: Monday, September 24, Classroom #1, 7:00 P.M.
Assembly Meeting: Monday, October 1, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Council Meeting: Monday, October 1, PC Hall, 7:00 P.M.
Color Corps Practice: Wednesday, October 3, Classroom #1, 7:30 P.M.
Vigil Mass Corporate Communion: Saturday, October 6, Church, 4:00 P.M.
Color Corps Practice: Wednesday, October 17, Classroom #1, 7:30 P.M.
First Degree Exemplification: Monday, October 22, Classroom #1, 6:30 P.M.
Assembly Officers’ Meeting: Monday, October 29, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Officers’ Meeting: Monday, October 29, Classroom #1, 7:00 P.M.
Assembly Meeting: Monday, November 5, Classroom #1, 6:00 P.M.
Council Meeting: Monday, November 5, PC Hall, 7:00 P.M.

Catholic 2018 Faith Appeal

The Office of Evangelization strives to bring all within the Diocese of Venice to an encounter with Our Risen Lord through the power of the Holy Spirit. A personal encounter with Jesus brings about a richer participation in His Body, the Church. Through outreach programs and diocesan initiatives, the Office seeks to foster this deeper involvement in the practice of the faith, particularly by prayer and the Sacraments.

Your donation to CFA helps to reach that goal. If you have not donated yet, please pick up a white CFA envelope and consider giving. Through your generosity, you are changing lives.

Did you know?

Love and serve those in need!
UPDATE FROM THE OPERATIONS MANAGER DESK

Dear Parishioners,

We just concluded a year in which we saw our Parish and community go through very tough times when you consider the three hurricanes that impacted the United States. Hurricane Irma impacted us in a major way…but we also stepped up to the plate to help those brothers and sisters also impacted by Hurricanes Harvey and Maria.

The Parish Financial Report shows that we ended the year with a gain of $180,821. This was another wonderful year, and I would like to take a moment to highlight how much we gave back to the community, the improvements and enhancements that took place during the last 12 months, but also the exciting things that we have planned for this year.

The first and second quarters were highlighted by hurricanes Harvey, Irma and Maria. St. Agnes was blessed to be spared mayor damage to our buildings. Your generosity really showed in your giving. During the time we conducted three individual collections to help hurricane victims and between those three collections we were able to give back $48,669 in relief efforts. In addition to the special collections we also gave back $44,970 that was given to St. Vincent de Paul, Catholic Charities, St. Elizabeth Seton Church (to help with repairs to their building) and St. John Neumann High School for hurricane related repairs.

In addition to all that we gave back, we also managed to pay off our debt! Congratulations to all for your generosity during the past ten years. Now that we are debt free we are moving forward with major projects that we have been delaying for some time. As you drive into the parking lot you will notice that we sealed, coated and re-stripped the church and parish center parking lots. This is something that we need to do every 3-4 years to ensure that our roads remain in good condition and beautiful. In addition to the parking lot you will also notice that the Church and Chapel marble floors have been resurfaced at a cost of $28,000 which also included the removal of the carpet in the Narthex that was transferred to the Parish Center Hall. We also had to replace a few A/C unit compressors at a cost of $5,441. Our Irrigation System also had to be repaired at a cost of $3,169.

This year we are working on a large project, you will begin to see the rewiring and replacing of our aging exterior lights. This is a project that will take approximately 2-3 months to be completed at a cost of $277,871. You will see new concrete bollards along with new pole lights in areas that needed more lighting. We believe that you will be delighted with the enhancement that this new lighting will bring to the grounds.

Did you know that we have a Facebook page, a parish app, a YouTube channel and a Twitter account? Currently we have well over 1,300 parishioners currently taking advantage of our Facebook page. These are only more ways to stay connected with your community. Did you know that you can also donate online? Visit our website and click on online donations to sign up.

On behalf of the entire St. Agnes Staff and Clergy, thank you for your continued support, because without it we would not have been able to do all that we did this year. I am looking forward to another wonderful year, a year in which we will share our gifts with those in need and will support each other by showing patience, compassion and love towards each other. Let us continue to work together as disciples of Christ building a better parish, community and world.

Sincerely,
Deacon Roberto A. Landron
Operations Manager
Queridos feligreses,

Acabamos de concluir un año en el que vimos que nuestra parroquia y nuestra comunidad atraviesan momentos muy difíciles cuando consideramos los tres huracanes que afectaron a los Estados Unidos. El huracán Irma nos impactó de una gran manera ... pero nos pusimos al frente para ayudar a los hermanos y hermanas que también fueron afectados por los huracanes Harvey y María. Me gustaría aprovechar esta oportunidad para compartir con ustedes nuestro informe financiero de fin de año del 1 de julio al 30 de junio del 2018.

El Informe Financiero Parroquial muestra que terminamos el año con una ganancia de $180,821. Este fue otro año maravilloso, y me gustaría tomar un momento para destacar cuánto le devolvimos a la comunidad y las mejoras que tuvieron lugar en St. Agnes durante los últimos 12 meses y las cosas emocionantes que hemos planificado para este año.

El primer y segundo trimestres fueron destacados por los huracanes Harvey, Irma y Maria. St. Agnes fue bendecida ya que nuestros edificios no sufrieron grandes daños. Su generosidad realmente se mostró en sus donaciones. Durante este tiempo, llevamos a cabo tres colectas individuales para ayudar a las víctimas del huracán y entre esas tres colectas pudimos donar $48,669 en esfuerzos de ayuda. Además de las colectas especiales, también donamos $44,970 que se entregaron a St. Vincent de Paul, Caridades Católicas, St. Elizabeth Seton Church (para ayudar con la reparación de su edificio) y St. John Neumann High School para reparaciones relacionadas con los huracanes.

¡Además de todo lo que se donó, también logramos pagar nuestra deuda! Felicidades a todos por su generosidad durante los últimos diez años. Ahora que no tenemos deuda, estamos avanzando en proyectos importantes que hemos estado demorando por algún tiempo. Al ingresar al estacionamiento, notará que sellamos y reparamos los estacionamientos del centro parroquial y de la iglesia. Esto es algo que tenemos que hacer cada 3-4 años para garantizar que nuestras carreteras permanezcan en buenas condiciones. Además del estacionamiento, también notarán que los pisos de mármol de la iglesia y la capilla han sido repavimentados a un costo de $28,000 que también incluyó el pavimento de la alfombra en el Narthex que se transfirió al salón del centro parroquial. También tuvimos que reemplazar algunos compresores de unidades de aire acondicionado a un costo de $5,441. Nuestro sistema de irrigación también tuvo que ser reparado a un costo de $3,169.

Este año estamos trabajando en un gran proyecto. Comenzarán a ver la eliminación, el cableado y el reemplazo de nuestras viejas luces exteriores. Este es un proyecto que tomará aproximadamente 2-3 meses para completarse a un costo de aproximadamente $277,000. Verá nuevas luces de concreto junto con nuevas luces de polo en áreas que necesitan más iluminación. Creemos que quedarán encantados con la mejora que esta nueva iluminación traerá a los jardines de la parroquia.

¿Sabían que tenemos una página de Facebook, una aplicación parroquial, un canal de YouTube y una cuenta de Twitter? Actualmente tenemos más de 1,300 parroquianos que aprovechan nuestra página de Facebook. Estas son solo otras formas de mantenerse en contacto con su comunidad. ¿Sabían que también puede donar en línea? Visite nuestro sitio web y haga clic en donaciones en línea para registrarse.

En nombre de todo el personal y el clero de St. Agnes, gracias por su continuo apoyo, porque sin él no hubiéramos podido hacer todo lo que hicimos este año. Espero otro año maravilloso, un año en el que compartiremos nuestros dones con los necesitados y nos apoyaremos mostrando paciencia, compasión y amor mutuo. Continuamos trabajando juntos como discípulos de Cristo construyendo una mejor parroquia, comunidad y mundo.

Sinceramente,
Diácono Roberto A. Landron
Gerente de Operaciones
## Parish Financial Report

### Operating Receipts

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<td>Other Income (Gifts, Special Donations, Rent, Interest, Paul Todd Concerts, Dinner Dance, International Festival, Blessings Store, Columbarium)</td>
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<td><strong>Non-Assessable</strong></td>
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### Operating Expenses

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<td>Music Expenses</td>
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<td>General Administration (Office Supplies, Contracted Services, Religious Publications, Mileage, etc.)</td>
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<td>Pastoral Ministry (Missions, Retreats, Stewardship, etc.)</td>
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<td>Loan Payment Interest</td>
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<td>Other Expenses (Paul Todd Concerts, Dinner Dance, Int Festival, Blessings Store, Hospitality, etc).</td>
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### Parish Contributions to Charity: Catholic Charities, St Vincent De Paul, Diocesan Collections, etc.

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<td>Capital Expenses and Improvements</td>
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<td><strong>Surplus</strong></td>
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### Financial Position

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<td><strong>Total Cash Reserves</strong></td>
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The study begins with acquainting you with the important characteristics of a parable, and how they use images familiar to the audience and draw on common experience that nevertheless challenge the audience to see things in a new way. Then we will look at the parables found in Mark’s Gospel, where the disciples are a privileged audience to Jesus’ private explanations of the parables.

We will also explore the ways Matthew uses the same parables but gives them a slightly different twist.

PART TWO of PARABLES of the KINGDOM will be presented Spring 2019.

Tuesday Mornings 10-11:30am
Oct. 23 - Dec 11
Contact: Mary & Ken Fennell - Kennethnap@aol.com - 239-455-1610

Thursday Evenings 7-8:30pm
Oct. 25 - Dec 13
Contact: Joanne & Mike Langan - mlangan203@aol.com - 239-348-0231

Register & Pay $25 in the Parish Office M-F, 9-4
The St. Agnes 5k Run/Walk for Life is an event with the main purpose of promoting a respect life message and raising funds for pro-life causes while encouraging healthy living. (Body and Soul)

When: October 6, 2018
Registration: 6:00 a.m.
Race: 7:00 a.m.

WEIGHT LOSS CHALLENGE
• Starts the weekend of September 8th & 9th and concludes October 5th.
• Awards Issued by % of weight loss and % of fat loss.
• Kickoff will take place September 7, 2018 in the Parish Hall at 5:30 p.m.

WALK/RUN PRE-REGISTRATION
• Starts the weekend of August 18th & 19th using the Run for Life Link at www.stagnesnaples.org

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THE FOLLOWING:
• Registration table
• Setup and Cleanup
• Food and Water areas

For more information please contact the office at 239.592.1949 or email DeaconRoberto@StAgnesNaples.org.

Cuando: 6 de octubre del 2018
Registro: 6:00 a.m.
Carrera: 7:00 a.m.

RETO PARA LA PéRDIDA DE PESO
• Comenzaremos el fin de semana del 8 y 9 de septiembre
• Premios para el hombre y la mujer con mayor pérdida de peso y grasa por porcentaje.
• Día de inicio (“Kickoff”) será el 7 de septiembre del 2018 en el centro parroquial a las 5:30 p.m.

PRE-REGISTRO PARA LA CAMINATA/CARRERA
• Comenzaremos el fin de semana del 18 y 19 de agosto utilizando el “link” en nuestra página web: www.stagnesnaples.org

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS PARA LAS SIGUIENTES POSICIONES:
• Mesa de Registro
• “Setup” y “cleanup”
• Comida y áreas de agua

Para más información por favor contactar la oficina al 239.592.1949 ó pueden mandar correo electrónico a DeaconRoberto@StAgnesNaples.org.
Join us for the 9th Annual International Festival! You will experience the cultures within the St. Agnes Community. You will get to experience food, drink, attire, and entertainment from the countries represented at the festival.

If you would like to help at the festival with a particular culture, please call the appropriate contact person from the list below. If you would like to represent a country that is not listed please contact Dan Muro at 239.537.9895 or Martha Velasco at 239.687.8038.

Parroquianos, si a su familia o a usted les gustaría participar en el Festival Internacional de St. Agnes con algo típico de su país, puede ponerse en contacto con las personas que aparecen en el siguiente listado. Si usted esta interesado y su país no esta en la lista, por favor comuníquese con Martha Velasco al teléfono 239.687.8038.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

- Argentina: Luis Meira (239) 860-1115
- Bolivia: Maggi Pomacusi (239) 272-6161
- China: Lin Lin Wang (239) 537-3228
- Colombia: Gerardo & Melba Caldas (239) 333-8819
- Costa Rica: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Cuba: Mayra De Armas (239) 248-5863
- El Salvador: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Germany: Dan Kniola (239) 250-9668
- Guatemala: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Honduras: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Ireland: Carol McGuire (239) 596-4810
- Italy: Dan Muro (239) 537-9895
- México: Matilde Leal (239) 234-0245
- Nicaragua: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Panamá: Ericka Álvarez (239) 464-8181
- Philippines: Susan Doyle (239) 285-5748
- Puerto Rico: Jeissa Acevedo (407) 782-0338
- Uruguay: Carlos & Adriana Sena (239) 398-5903
- USA: Knights of Columbus
- Venezuela: Marelvy Colina (239) 297-6571

Proceeds going to St. Agnes CFA

Save in advance tickets: 25 for $20. (Pre-Sales good until Saturday October 20th).

Available in the Narthex or at the Parish Office.

We are in need of tents and tables for our participating countries. Please contact the parish office at 592.1949 if you can help in this area.
Children's Liturgy of the Word

Helping the little ones to know Jesus and feel God's presence

For children ages *6-10:*
- 11am Mass every Sunday
- RETURNING! 5pm Mass Oct 7-May 26
- (Returning soon) 10am at PRHS

NEW! For children ages *3-5:*
- 11am Mass at St Agnes every Sunday

Meet us September 30 after 9am, 11am, or 5pm Mass in the narthex!

What: CLOW is a special gathering in which children experience the Sunday readings at their own level and are able to respond to them. It is a Liturgy like Mass, not “playtime.” Please have your child leave behind things that might distract (such as toys, dolls, books, cell phones.)

Why: The goal of Children’s Liturgy of the Word is to help children engage meaningfully in the scriptures of the Sunday Mass, thus beginning a life-long practice of praying, learning, and celebrating at Mass.

Where: The children are dismissed from the main assembly with a leader** before the First Reading and return during the Collection. At PRHS, CLOW meets under the covered picnic area adjacent to the lobby. At St. Agnes Church, CLOW goes to the Chapel and ages 3-5 go to the chapel bride’s room.

*If your children are younger, we invite you to come sit with them to help them stay focused. They return to the main assembly during the offertory to sit with their families for the rest of the Mass. Parents of ages 3-5 are asked to meet their children in the narthex at the main entrance of the church.

**All St. Agnes CLOW adult leaders are fingerprinted and background checked.

All are welcome. No registration or fees required.

If you would like to join CLOW as a leader or assistant, contact Diane Stanley at 201-615-8954 (for ages 6-10)
Deb Esayian at 239-898-9022 (for ages 3-5)
BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Have you recently experienced the death of a loved one? Are you interested in a support group? Our next six week bereavement group will begin on **Tuesday, October 9th** and will be held from 2-3:30 p.m. This group requires registration and contact with the facilitator, Deacon Henry. If you are interested or would like more information please contact the Parish Office or email Deacon Henry at deaconhenry@stagnesnaples.org.
Christ has no body on earth but yours, no hands, no feet but yours...
—St. Teresa of Avila

Stewardship: A Disciple’s Response in a Nutshell

Tracy Eearl Welliver, G Carter

Stewardship: A Disciple’s Response
The US Bishops’ pastoral letter was published in 1992 as a challenge to embrace a way of life with the “power to change how we understand and live out our lives.” It contains 3 Primary Convictions

1| CHALLENGE – Mature discipleship requires a decision to follow Jesus Christ no matter the cost.

2| CHOICE – This commitment leads to a way of life, not just a series of actions.

3| VISION – Then, with the first two being true, stewardship is transformational.

The letter is organized in 5 sections that reflect on the reality and source of the below convictions:

1| The Call: a) the call to stewardship is personal and with a purpose in mind for each individual; b) the call is never made in isolation, with the community assisting in the discernment process. We are asked to respond to the call, knowing the cost may not be small.

2| Jesus’ Way: Jesus himself is the primary teacher of stewardship. His parables especially show us a true image of a good steward. This way of life is not followed because of reward, although it is a source of great joy. Our activity as stewards is valuable because it is bringing about a Kingdom of God that exists here and now as well in the hereafter.

3| Living as a Steward: We are called to collaborate with God in the work of creation, redemption, and sanctification. This is a stewardship in a profound way. In this manner, human productivity on any scale is seen as God’s work.

4| Stewards of the Church: Each member of the Body of Christ has an obligation due to baptism to build up that Body. A stewardship way of life leads the member to evangelization, human solidarity, social justice, ecumenism, and the Eucharist. The members are called to bring these fruits into all spheres that they work in: the diocese, the parish, the domestic church, and the world.

5| The Christian Steward: Good stewards see the evidence of God in all things, small and large. This leads to fruits of love, trust, accountability, and generosity. Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary serve as their examples. They give without measure.

We are called by our Baptism to serve faithfully as disciples and stewards of Jesus Christ. It is in the quiet and solitude of prayer and reflection that we understand and follow what Jesus is asking us to accomplish.
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Where a child can fall in love with God!

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 curiosity 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, Sept. 23 12pm-1pm.
Sessions are Tuesdays 10-11am in the Parish Center classroom #4: “The Atrium”. Orientation is Oct. 2; sessions are: Oct. 9, 16, 23, 30; Nov. 6, 13, 27; Dec. 4, 11; Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26; Mar 5, 19, 26; April 2, 9, 16, 30

Sign me up!
Email rose@stagnesnaples.org for more information. Only 12 spots available. Registration fee is $100. Registration deadline is Oct. 8. Forms are available in the Faith Formation office 9am-4pm M-F.
60 teens on their way to Universal Studios for the Rock the Universe event.

9/23... Life Night: Come join the youth group as we spend the evening getting to know each other and the core team. Take this opportunity to build a lifelong friendship!

9/30... No Life Night, see you next week!

10/7... Life Night: Join us for a fun night of food and discussion as we talk about how we can stand up for life.

10/14... Life Night: Join us for special night as we select our Trunk or Treat theme for the year and prepare for our annual service project.

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@stagnesnaples.org
239-592-1949 Ext. 150

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

El Ministerio de Padres y Madres Orantes los invita a su reunión mensual para orar por sus hijos y todos los jóvenes. Se comienza con el Santo Rosario y tenemos la exposición del Santísimo Sacramento. Los días de reuniones son siempre día viernes en la Capilla de 6:30pm a 9: pm Septiembre 28 • Noviembre 16 Octubre 26 • Diciembre 28

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS

Los voluntarios ayudaran a la limpieza de la Iglesia los primeros jueves de cada mes, desde las 9 de la mañana por aproximadamente una hora y media. ¿Cómo vivimos nuestro ser Iglesia? ¿Somos piedras vivas, o somos, por así decirlo, piedras cansadas, aburridas, indiferentes”? SS Francisco. Los que tengan disponibilidad deben contactar al diacuno Roberto Landron por correo electrónico al roberto@stagnesnaples.org o llamando al teléfono de la oficina y dejando un mensaje 239-592 1949 ext. 126.

LA SANTA MISA ES EL CENTRO DE LA VIDA CRISTIANA.

»La sagrada Eucaristía, 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»

Gracias a Dios tenemos una comunidad numerosa, pero ello hace difícil conocer de memoria todos los rostros presentes en cada Misa. 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. Crecer en la vida espiritual y conocer más al Señor.
2. Recibir sacramentos o participar en ellos como, por ejemplo, en calidad de padrinos.
4. Solicitar cartas necesarias para terceras partes como, por ejemplo, servicios de inmigración, constancia de asistencia a la Iglesia, y otros. No podemos emitir cartas que no estén respaldadas por documentación.

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