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 Roberto Landron (Hispanic Ministry)

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.
Saturday & Sunday / Sab & Dom
Closed / Cerrada

Mass Times / Horas de Misa
Saturday / Sab: 3:30 p.m. & 5:15 p.m.
Sunday / Dom
7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. En Español
8:30 a.m. Tridentine Mass in the Chapel
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.

APRIL 10, 2016
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

REDEMPTION
Do you remember Peter on the night Jesus was arrested? He claimed he had never heard of Jesus. Today we are called to join Peter in testifying to the name of Jesus as he does in the first reading, and in proclaiming our love for him as Peter does in the Gospel passage. The powerful imagery of John’s vision in the second reading from the book of Revelation shows us the company we keep when we have faith in the name of Jesus. We join all living creatures, “countless in number” from “heaven, earth, under the earth, in the sea; everything in the universe” (Revelation 5:11, 13). The dignity and majesty described in each reading are in stark contrast to the dark and pitiful image of Peter and the other apostles at the time of Jesus’ arrest, trial, and crucifixion. What a relief that we can all be redeemed so completely!
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Operations Manager
Deacon Roberto Landron

Bookkeeper
Diane Pappalardo

Parish Secretary
Maggie Brady

Receptionist
Lisa Dahn

Faith Formation Director
Ivy O’Malley

Asst. Coordinator of Catechesis
Rose Deffenbaugh

Youth Minister
Robert Massey

Hispanic Ministry & Faith Formation Asst.
Estela Delgado

Sacristan
Connie Brehm

Music Director
Paul Todd

Asst. Music Director
Cindy Dallas

Stewardship Coordinator
Gloria Carter

Communications Assistant
Luisa Rosales

Maintenance
Larry Biela

Sacrament of Baptism / El Sacramento del Bautismo
Baptisms are held on the 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) 592-1949 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.

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
April 11-17

Monday, April 11

Tuesday, April 12
Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday, April 13
Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday, April 14
Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday, April 15
Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday, April 16
Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday, April 17
Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5; Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30
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ST. AGNES FINANCIALS

Easter This Year $83,776.50
Easter Last Year $86,021.50
% of Change -4.05%
Mass Attendance 11,360
This Week 4/3/16 $39,536.50
One Year Ago $43,755.00
% of Change -9.64%
Mass Attendance 6,765

PALMETTO RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

This Week 3/27/16 $5,591.00
Mass Attendance 700

HOLY THURSDAY Allocated for Catholic Charities

This Year 3/27/16 $4,368.00
Last Year $4,143.55
% of Change 5.42%

GOOD FRIDAY Allocated for Holy Shrines in the Holy Land

This Year 3/27/16 $8,694.00
Last Year $8,001.00
% of Change 8.66%

CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL Stewardship beyond our Parish

Calendar year 2016 Goal $451,000.00
Pledged 3/27/16 $331,024.82
Received $231,207.38
% of Registered Households 15.57%

PARISH DEBT $2,081,626.35

Debt Reduction Collection 3/27/16 $40,809.00
Debt Reduction Collection 4/3/16 $17,135.00

REGISTRATION

St. Agnes registered households are now at 5,685. 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.

Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who supported the St. Vincent De Paul food drive this weekend. If you forgot your donation this weekend, filled bags may be left in the food bin in the narthex at any time. Your generosity will ensure that many of our neighbors receive assistance feeding their families.

If you prefer, you may make a contribution to our Beating Hunger Case by Case program by placing a monetary donation in one of the poor boxes at the church entrances. Please make your check payable to St. Vincent de Paul and write “Case by Case” on the memo line. Funds donated to this program will be used to stock our food pantry with cases of non-perishable food purchased at discounted prices. Thank you for helping to eliminate hunger by replenishing the St. Vincent De Paul food pantry.

Catholic-Jewish Dialogue
“Nostra Aetate” (In Our Time)

Sunday, April 17, 4:00 p.m.
Holocaust Museum and Education Center


Please RSVP to GenShoahSWFL@icloud.com
4760 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 7, Sandalwood Square, Naples, FL 34103
Or call Lda at 963.9347

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, 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
Capt. David Ralph USMC

SPC Michael Broderick
A1C Daniel R. Hamde, USAF
PFC Michael Baker
SGT David Clark
MSgt Eric Gunn
PO3 Kimberly Wagner, US
LCPL Brandon Weston
PFC Luke Kerney Kuser
Luis Cosenza, USN

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

A1C Victoria Landolfi USAF
Pvt. Reynaldo Rodriguez USA
SGT Abbi Wenthold
Lance Cpl Danny Dewey USMC
SGT Victor Quiles, USA
ILT Molly Lawson-Espaillat
Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA
A1C Anthony Landolfi USAF
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Stewardship in Action at St. Agnes
Parish Groups and Ministries

60+ Solo
Betty Criss 592-1949

Altar Servers - Children
Kathy Madura 537-2180

Altar Servers - Spanish
Carlos Garcia 352-8730

Altar Servers Adults
Ralph Webster 352-8780

Altar Stewards
Charlotte Jones 449-9393

Arimatehas
Betty Criss 592-1949

Bereavement
Eleanor Furlong 564-0074

Bible Study
Mike & Joanne Langan 348-0231

Bodas
Padre Luis Pacheco 592-1949

Caridad
Alfonso Mejia 285-9424

Catechist-Teachers-Aides
Ivy O'Malley 592-1949

Charismatic Prayer Group
Steve Csotty 272-6472

Childcare Ministry
Call the Office 592-1949

Children's Lit. of the Word
Diane Stanley 353-4942

Choir (5 p.m. Mass)
Cynthia Dallas 537-5999

Choir (Adults)
Paul Todd 592-1949

Choir (Children)
Paul Todd 592-1949

Consecration to Jesus through Mary
Jeanne Fedrowitz 978-979-3401

Consagración a Jesús por María
Maria J. Colognesse 305-281-9735

Coro
Robert Velez 234-9056

Couples Night Out
Call the Office 592-1949

Divorced and Separated Group
Suzan Gallucci 594-5789

Enriquecimiento Matrimonial
Milciades & Ericka Ramos 464-8280

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
Martha & Robert Gomez 228-5634

Faith Formation and RCIA
Ivy O'Malley 592-1949

Funeral Planning
Susan Taro 592-1949

Funerales
Diácono Roberto Landrón 592-1949

Golf Cart Shuttle
Joe DiSabanatoni 514-3956

Grupo del Rosario
Nancy Meira 404-1872

Greeters
Judy Bohardt 431-7725

Homebound & Hospital EME
Judy Weigand 304-0630

Ladies of St. Agnes
Carol McGuire 596-4810

Lectores
Rafael Ramirez 200-6232

Lectors
Rita Volmer 431-6796

Marriage Preparation Team
Wenke & Bill Brandes 566-1947

Meet and Greet After Mass
John Gardner 564-5978

Men's Softball Team
Augie Schiavone 431-5642

Ministerio de Familias
Milton & Mariela Carías 734-0115

Ministros de la Eucaristía
Sergio Osorio 288-9188

Mujeres de Emaus
Luz Estela Correa 322-0638

New Parishioner Welcoming
Noreen Clesen 649-0382

Ofración Centrante
Romina Avilés 293-6662

Padres y Madres Orantes
Carlos & Adriana Sena 513-1919

Pentecost Translation
Estela Delgado 592-1949

Prayer for Priests
Rosemary Benavitz 404-1303

Respect Life
Carol Gentile 973-809-7320

Rosary for Peace
Sally Perella 592-1949

Rosary Prayer Group
Connie Brehm 592-1949

Sacristan
Esperanza Teodoro 305-496-3056

Seasonal Decorating
Michele Nowosad 593-7779

Sisters in Spirit
Ivy O'Malley 592-1949

Sonidos y Pantallas
Emilio Teodoro 305-496-3056

Sound and Screen
Rudy Drechsler 596-0849

Uijeres
Jose Castello 348-0790

Ushers
Odette Joseph 304-9127

Wedding Coordinator
Monica Osterhaus 348-2549

Youth Groups
Robert Massey 592-1949

Parish Councils and Committees

Arts & Liturgical Environment
Michele Nowosad 593-7779

Events
Marta Velasco 687-8038

Finance Council
Linda Kantor 585-924-5695

Hospitality Committee
Pat & Tom O'Grady 353-4067

Justice and Peace Committee
Suzanne France 777-2602

Mayordomía Cristiana (PAC)
Diácono Roberto Landrón 592-1949

Pastoral Council
Barbara Sowa 398-9368

Spiritual Life Committee
Call the Office 592-1949

Stewardship Committee
Call the Office 592-1949

Organizations with Parish Affiliation

Casa Maria Soup Kitchen
Call the Office 592-1949

Cub Scouts
Pamela Garcia 200-1000

Edwin & Maria Benavidez
Jan Sukay 285-2503

Knights of Columbus
610-999-1777

Council 14202
John Shelton 248-4948

4th Degree Assembly 3094
Don Berry 273-6681

St. Vincent de Paul Society
Frank Carlin 592-1949

“Patriotic Spring Fling Dinner Dance”
Vanderbilt Country Club
Saturday, April 16
Music by The “Manhattan Connection”
Doors open at 6:00 PM
$45 Per Person
Appetizers, Cash Bar, Choice of 8 oz. Prime Rib or Grilled Salmon Dinner, Coffee and Dessert

Tickets available at Parish Center or call
Don Berry 239-273-6681 or
Joe Albergo 239-566-7760
Psalms
Part II

The Book of the Psalms is a unique collection of the song-prayers of Israel. To study Psalms is to study prayer, ultimately to enter into prayer. The study will challenge participants to reflect on their own prayer and life experiences. Psalms II focuses on a selection of twenty-eight psalms divided into three categories: Royal Psalms, Psalms of Lament, and Psalms of Declarative Praise. Psalms I is not a prerequisite; this study is open to anyone.

Tuesdays 10-11:30am, April 12 - May 24
Contact: Mary and Ken Fennell
email: Kennethnap@aol.com or 239.455.1610

SECOND MONDAY PRAYER VIGIL
Segundo Lunes Vigilia de Oracion

DID YOU KNOW...All medical science supports Catholic teaching that HUMAN LIFE begins from the moment of conception.
A unique set of DNA is present and the baby’s gender is immediately determined. In only 18 days after conception there is a beating heart...and in
- 11 weeks the baby has fingerprints and fingernails
- 12 weeks baby’s lips open and close, smiles, frowns occur
- 16 weeks baby reacts to sounds and can hiccup
- 20 weeks baby sleeps, wakes, hears, can kick and spin

Come pray one hour with us.
Acompanenos a orar por una hora

St. Agnes’ Day at Planned Parenthood
1425 Creech Road, Naples, FL 34103
St Agnes estara en Planned Parenthood
1425 Creech Road, Naples, FL 34103

Monday, April 11, 2016
9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Shuttle drivers needed.
Lunes 11 de Abril, 2016
9 a.m. - 2 p.m. necesitamos conductores de buses

For information, contact: Carol Gentile at 973.809.7320
Para mas informacion contactar: Carol Gentile 973.809.7320
A NIGHT OF HITS
Wednesday, April 20th, 2016 • 7:00 pm

Billy Dean & Dawn in concert with Paul Todd & Paul Todd Jr.

Tickets are
$25.00 per person
(to benefit St. Agnes CFA)

Tickets available at:
St. Agnes Parish Office
& After All Masses

Event Location: St. Agnes Parish Hall

ALMOST AT OUR CFA GOAL
ALL WE NEED IS YOU!

St. Agnes is only $119,975.18 away from reaching our important CFA Goal. You can help us reach this goal by filling out a CFA form found in the pews and at every exit. If you prefer you could also go online to www.stagnesnaples.org and click on “Donate to CFA”

"And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus...”
Col. 3:17
Helping others is one of the most important opportunities in life. You can make a big difference in the lives of many people by helping me today.
I am working with a group of people raising funds for St. Matthew’s House. It is a ministry that offers a homeless recovery program to assist men, women, and women with children in taking back control of their lives and returning to self-sufficiency. And for those struggling with addictions, they offer live-in recovery through Justin’s Place Recovery Programs for men, women and women with children. They also provide food and other support for those in need.
For this effort I am playing in the 19th Annual St. Matthew’s House Dean Lind Memorial Golf-a-thon, to be held at Imperial Golf Club on Tuesday, April 19, 2016. I will attempt to play as many holes as possible in six hours. **It is the team goal to play at least 50 holes.**

**Will you sponsor them at $2, $5 or $10 per hole? Or a fixed amount?**
Thank you for allowing us to share this opportunity with you. Please complete the attached form you would like to pledge and mail it to St. Matthew’s House or drop it off at the church office.

Sincerely yours - for making a difference,
Fr. Bob Kantor

P.S. If you choose to support us in this case, St. Matthew’s House will let you know how many holes I played and the total amount of your sponsorship.

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**Yes! I agree to sponsor Fr. Bob and the St. Agnes golf team in the 19th Annual St. Matthew’s House Dean Lind Memorial Golf-a-thon to be held on Tuesday, April 19th, 2016 at Imperial Golf Club.**

**Sponsorship Opportunities (Please print clearly)**

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The Dean Lind Memorial Golf-a-thon is a fundraising event of St. Matthew’s House, a 501(c)(3) not for profit organization. All contributions are tax deductible. □ Please do not share my pledge or donation with golfer.
### Upcoming Meetings & Events

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**10TH ANNUAL ST. AGNES K OF C GOLF OUTING**

**Sunday, April 17th**

Take Advantage of this opportunity to play and dine at one of Naples finest clubs. Join your fellow parishioners and friends of St. Agnes to raise money for the for St. Agnes CFA & St. Agnes K of C!

Put a foursome together or we will pair you up if you are a twosome or a single.

**Vanderbilt Country Club**
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**$125.00 PER PLAYER**
- 1:00 p.m Shot-Gun Start
- Golf Scramble
- Prizes
- Dinner Buffet

Dinner only: $40.00

Contact Al Striebel with questions
239.631.2852 or 603.897.9019
astriebel@yahoo.com
St. Agnes Pastoral Council

Consider serving the St. Agnes community as a member of the Pastoral Council
This council advises the pastor in matters of the parish and helps implement the Pastoral Plan.

"Take Courage, it is I; do not be afraid." Mt 14:27

Please consider serving Christ and the St. Agnes community on the Pastoral Council.

Qualifications:

• Must be a registered member of St. Agnes Parish for at least one year.
• Only one household member may serve during the same term.
• Must be a fully initiated Catholic (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist).
• Available April 26th from 5-7pm to meet with other nominees and the Parish Pastoral Council Selection committee for a discernment and prayer meeting.
• Able 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 Address: ______________________________________

• 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 Sunday, April 17th.
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FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CALENDARS
At least one parent/guardian attends sessions with students (EXCEPT Confirmation.)
Calendars available at the website: StAgnesNaples.org or scan QR code.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION, K-5 -->
(COMUNION YEAR 1)
FORMACION EN LA FE PARA FAMILIAS,
GRADOS K-5 (COMUNION PRIMER AÑO)

FIRST COMMUNION -->
(YEAR 2, grades 2-5)
PRIMERA COMUNION
(Segundo año, 2-5)

FIRST COMMUNION -->
(YEAR 2, grades 6+)
PRIMERA COMUNION
(Segundo año, grd 6+)

CONFIRMATION (YEAR 1) -->
CONFIRMACION (Primer año)

CONFIRMATION (YEAR 2) -->
CONFIRMACION (Segundo año)

THE FAITH FORMATION office is here to serve you M-F, 9-4pm
Director: Ivy@StAgnesNaples.org
Assistant: Habla Español Rose@StAgnesNaples.org
Middle & High School Youth: Robert@StAgnesNaples.org

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY!

There were 13 adults who were fully initiated into the faith at the Easter Vigil. An additional 9 baptized Catholics will celebrate Eucharist and/or Confirmation at St. Agnes with Bishop Dewane on May 10. The RCIA catechists and team offer our thanks to all those present at the 9:00 am and 1:00 pm Masses and our parish community as a whole, who prayed for and with our candidates during the entire process.
4/10...LIFE NIGHT: “Would You Rather?” What does it mean to discern and find a vocation for our life? We have a great game that will enlighten you!

4/17...LIFE NIGHT: “Spiritual Wealth.” Come discover the Church’s teachings on wealth and materialism.

4/24...LIFE NIGHT: “Helping Hand.” This LIFE NIGHT will be spent understanding the Church’s sacraments and how they play important roles in our everyday lives.

The HS group that helped decorate the church Saturday morning and then set up for the St. Agnes Egg Hunt. Thank you for being such good stewards!

Important Youth Group Update

Spring calendars are now available outside the Youth Room or on our parish website. Registration for Youth Group is open all year long.

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

Questions? Contact Robert Massey via email: robert@stagnesnaples.org

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

4/14...EDGE NIGHT: “The Good Life.” The goal of this night is to show the MS youth the importance of having personal integrity as a part of our Christian lifestyle and mission. We will break up into groups and each group will be performing a skit with costumes!

4/21...EDGE NIGHT: “A Friend in Need.” Through dialogue this night will help us understand the importance of centering our friendships in Christ.

4/28...EDGE NIGHT: “Theology of the Body Part 2.” Using discussion and movie clips, this night will help us understand the need to build good and moral relationships.
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

REDIMIDOS

¿Recuerdas a Pedro la noche que arrestaron a Jesús? Insistía en que nunca había oído de Jesús. Hoy estamos llamados a unirnos a Pedro en dar testimonio del nombre de Jesús como lo hace en la primera lectura, y a proclamar nuestro amor a él tal como lo hace Pedro en el pasaje del Evangelio.

La poderosa imagen de la visión de san Juan en la segunda lectura del libro del Apocalipsis nos enseña la comunidad a la que pertenecemos cuando tenemos fe en el nombre de Jesús. Nos unimos a todos los seres vivientes “miles y millones” en “el cielo, sobre la tierra, debajo de ella y en el mar, y todo lo que hay en ellos” (Apocalipsis 5:11, 13). La majestad y dignidad expresadas en cada lectura están en profundo contraste con la oscura y miserable imagen de Pedro y los otros apóstoles en los momentos en que Jesús era arrestado, juzgado y crucificado. ¡Qué alivio que todos podemos ser tan totalmente redimidos!

SAN JUAN BAPTISTA DE LA SALLE

Nació en Reims, Francia en el año 1651 y murió en ese país el 7 de abril de 1719 a los 68 años de edad.

La fuerza misteriosa de la gracia de Dios encontró en él un instrumento dócil para renovar la pedagogía y fundar las primeras escuelas profesionales y las más antiguas escuelas normales y fundar una Comunidad religiosa que se ha mantenido en los principales puestos de la educación en todo el mundo. Este santo fue un genio de la pedagogía, el arte de educar.

Para Juan Bautista de la Salle lo más importante era obtener la salvación del alma de los educandos y hacerlos crecer en la fe, hacer que los educandos amaran y obedecieran a Dios y consiguieran llegar al reino eterno del cielo. Enseñaba no solamente cosas teóricas y abstractas, sino sobre todo aquellos conocimientos prácticos que mas le iban a ser de utilidad en la vida diaria.

Fue declarado santo por el Sumo Pontífice León XIII en el año 1900. El Papa Pío XII lo nombró Patrono de los Educadores del mundo entero.

UN LLAMADO AL SERVICIO

En la última cena el Señor nos dijo: “Pues si yo, que soy el Maestro y el Señor, les he lavado los pies, también ustedes deben lavarse los pies unos a los otros. Les he dado ejemplo, para que lo que yo he hecho con ustedes, también ustedes lo hagan”.

El Señor nos llama al servicio, te invitamos a incorporarte a un ministerio de nuestra parroquia. Contacte al líder del ministerio de su interés.

Santo educador: tú que recomendabas que se le concediera la máxima importancia a la clase de religión, considerándola la más provechosa de todas en todo colegio y escuela, pidele al buen Dios que la clase de religión vuelva a estar en primerísimo lugar en nuestros centros de educación y no vaya a ser reemplazada jamás por otras asignaturas menos importantes. Y ruegale a Dios que nos envíe muchos y santos y muy fervorosos profesores de religión.
Are you a Catholic Adult Seeking Confirmation?

Prepare for Confirmation in just 3 group sessions

Sessions in the Parish Center
Monday, April 11 6:30-8pm
Monday, April 18 6:30-8pm
Monday, April 25 6:30-8pm

Rehearsal in the Church
Sunday, May 1 5pm Mass followed by rehearsal

Bishop Frank J. Dewane will confer the sacrament at St. Agnes on Tuesday, May 10 at 6:30 pm.

These sessions are for adult practicing Catholics who missed receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation as a child.

Contact: Ivy O’Malley 239-592-1949 x114  Ivy@stagnesnaples.org

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