Pastoral Staff
Very Rev. Robert J. Kantor V.F.
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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
7775 Vanderbilt Beach Rd. Naples, FL 34120
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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., 9:00 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 / Días 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.

November 20, 2016

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Kingship

The book of Samuel recounts for us today the anointing of David as king of Israel. It was the elders of Israel who declared David king that day, but it was God who called David to shepherd Israel. Thus mandated by the citizens of his kingdom and by his God, David took his place in a long line of kings.

The apostle Paul speaks to us of kingship as well, but on a much higher plane: the kingship of Jesus our Lord. As great as David was, he and all earthly monarchs who came before and after him in their kingdoms around the world are minor kings by comparison to the true King. And lastly, we hear the story of that true King in perhaps his weakest moment: near death, hanging on a cross, taunted by a common criminal and by the world at large.
Parish Contacts

Pastor
Very Rev. Robert J. Kantor

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Operations Manager
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Office Manager
Maggie Brady

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Diane Pappalardo

Receptionist
Lisa Dahn

Admin. Asst. to the Pastor
Barbara Pikal

Faith Formation Director
Ivy O’Malley

Coordinator Of Catechesis
Rose Deffenbaugh

Admin. Asst. to Faith Formation
Amanda Paez

Youth and Young Adult Coordinator
Robert Massey

Admin. Asst. to Hispanic Ministry
Estela Delgado

Sacristán
Connie Brehm

Music Director
Paul Todd

Asst. Music Director
Cindy Dallas

Stewardship Coordinator
Gloria Carter

Communications Assistant
Yenlys Hernandez

Maintenance
Larry Biela

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 email. Gracias por hacerse miembro de nuestra familia. Dios lo bendiga.

Scripture Readings

For the Week

November 21-27

Monday, November 21
Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday, November 22
Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday, November 23
Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday, November 24
v 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 21:20-28 Thanksgiving Day (suggested):
Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday, November 25
Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday, November 26
Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday, November 27
Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

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) 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.
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**MEETING PLACES**

NX=Narthex PC=Parish Center
PR=Prayer Chapel
PL=Parking Lot CL=Classroom
CY=Canopy BR=Bride’s Room
ST. AGNES FINANCIALS

This Week $37,465.00
One Year Ago $35,652.00
% of Change -1.04%
Mass Attendance 6,003

CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL Stewardship beyond our Parish

Calendar year 2016 Goal $451,000.00
Pledged (10/30/16) $438,523.87
Received $412,398.07
% of Registered Households 19.97%

PARISH DEBT $1,717,716.75
$12,538.00

MISSION COLLECTION
$18,226.00

REGISTRATION
St. Agnes registered households are now at 4,107.
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.

Solemnity of Christ the King

On the last Sunday of each liturgical year, the
Church celebrates the Solemnity of
Christ the King.

Pope Pius XI instituted this feast in 1925 with his
encyclical Quas Primas ("In the first") to respond
to growing national-ism and secularism. He
recognized that these related societal ills would
breed increasing hostility against the Church.
His encyclical reminds the faithful that while
governments and philosophies come and go,
Christ reigns as king forever.

"Jesus is the center of creation; and so the
attitude demanded of us as true believers is that of
recognizing and accepting in our lives the centrality
of Jesus Christ, in our thoughts, in our words and in
our works."

–Homily of Pope Francis
Solemnity of Christ the King
November 24, 2013

Support for Thanksgiving Dinners Needed

Catholic Charities offices in Collier and Lee counties
need grocery store gift cards or direct donations to
support the distribution of chickens for the needy
families in Immokalee, and turkeys in Naples, Fort
Myers and Clewiston at Thanksgiving. The need this year
comes with the notification that the food bank that serves
these locations is not offering meats at Thanksgiving. Those
interested in helping are asked to send grocery store gift cards
and checks only. Please do not send turkeys or chickens. To
help Catholic Charities of Collier County call 239-455-2655,
or send mail to 2210 Santa Barbara Blvd., Naples, FL, 34116.
For Catholic Charities of Lee County, call 239-337-4193, or
send mail to Elizabeth Kay Galeana Center, 4235 Michigan
Avenue Link, Fort Myers, FL, 33916.

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
Capt. David Ralph USMC

SPC Michael Broderick
A1C Daniel R. Hamde, USAF
SGT David Clark
MSgt. Eric Gunn
LCPL Brandon Weston
PFC Luke Kerney Kuser

Capt. Dominic Francis Adams
PVT John Wallace
CDR Gregory Meyer
A1C Peter Johnson, USAF
SPC Jorge Armando Nino
Vince Galer, 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
2LT. Sean Kealy, USA
Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA
A1C Anthony Landolfi USAF
### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday**  
11:00 a.m.  +Loretta Ferrari  
5:00 p.m.  +Mirinda Foti

**Sunday**  
7:30 a.m.  +Marian & Family  
8:30 a.m.  +The Family

**Monday**  
9:00 a.m.  +Joan & Robert Byerly

**Tuesday**  
10:00 a.m.  +Janet & Robert Canady

**Wednesday**  
1:00 p.m.  +The Family

**Thursday**  
8:30 a.m.  +Mary Jo Mattison

**Friday**  
11:00 a.m.  +Tom Dempsey

**Saturday**  
5:00 p.m.  +Monica & Charles Stigliano

### PRIEST SCHEDULE  
**Subject to Change**

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### We pray for:

- Diane Sinnott  
- Catherine Catizone  
- Al Sarruda

- Fr. Orsi
- Annette Mahoney  
- Laura Teems  
- Gerard Weis

- Maria C. Sanchez  
- Enrique R. Gonzalez  
- Philip Foti

- Nina Foti  
- Carlos Bermudez  
- Evangeline Bermudez

- Sally Costello  
- Anna Cassara  
- Justin Kromer

- Bob Rinkus  
- Frank Dale  
- William Kupiec

- Amanda Marlow  
- Susan Suros  
- Gayle Fedele

- Christine Kruman  
- Jeannie Crampston  
- Dick Richenberg

- Haven Hobbs  
- John Knapp  
- Roger & Dell Rogers

- Jack McKeon  
- Tamara Holt  
- Joseph Stio

- Gina Richardson  
- Janice Cameron  
- Anthony Lepore

- Kevin Pearson  
- Darryl Dobrilinsky  
- Molly Coulter

- Elizabeth Murphy  
- Mae Donahue  
- Claud Lacoste

- Roman Martinez  
- Rene Zambrana Jr.  
- Jim Norton

- Lilian Caruso  
- Don O’Brien  
- Jim Walker

- Basil Ver Vick  
- Mark Dabronzo  
- Dee Iuteri

- Joseph Iuteri  
- Kayla Marlow  
- Dave Johnson

- Joe Hayes  
- Christine Cassara  
- Lance Maly

- Charlie Scott  
- Kathy Stapleton  
- Teri Harnett

- Steve Allendar  
- Darlene Bergens  
- Fred Bergens

- Baby Margaret Grace  
- Jim Mootz  
- Jorja Miller

- Ann Basler  
- Dr. John Sexauer  
- Albert Gravel

- Terry Donohue  
- Barbara Hocking  
- Art Denaro

- Nicholas Cello  
- Christine Wiltzius  
- Caroline Grabenbauer

- Dawn Garavente  
- Joy Taylor  
- Hailey Rangel

- Laurie Maichel  
- Nick DeMatties  
- Luca Leahy

- Donald Heizer  
- Tim Curran  
- Sue Weatherman

- Philip DeBlasio  
- Danielle Palagi  
- Tom McLaughlin

- Michelle Griffin  
- Abigail Perez  
- Nancy Ortiz

- Nancy George  
- Anthony Ruggiero  
- Carmine DiMeglio

- Joseph Liguori  
- Liz Bammerlin  
- Tom McLaughlin

- Richard Casey  
- Mickey Macholl  
- John Lala

- Michelle Fera  
- Debbie Torchetti  
- Denna Laing

- Dottie Yezek  
- Mary Behe  
- Berta Pineda

- Estelle Hutta Scott  
- Robert Genovese  
- Matthew Hosmer

- Caroline Grabenbauer  
- Larry Kielasa  
- Samuel Albano

- Mary Jo Mattison  
- Judy Bica  
- Rosemary Christie

- Claire Shearer  
- Robert Donohue  
- Ann Jacobson

- Marge Honan  
- Maureen Freeman  
- Megan Shramovich

- Michael Kucharson  
- Joyce Kucharson  
- Caroline Grabenauer

- Merribrated Koyak  
- Ed O’Brien  
- Lisa Landolfi

- Marie Cuzzolino  
- Wendy Coleman  
- Irwin Meg

- Tom Dempsey  
- Richard Flynn  
- Justin Kromer

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Names will remain on the prayer list for approx 4-6 weeks, as space allows.  
To update, notify the Parish Office by calling 592-1949 or e-mail maggie@stagnesnaples.org.  
Thank You.
## Stewardship in Action at St. Agnes

### Parish Groups and Ministries

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“We have been assured, Sir, in the sacred writings, that "except the Lord build the House they labour in vain that build it." I firmly believe this; and I also believe that without his concurring aid we shall succeed in this political building no better than the Builders of Babel.”

—Benjamin Franklin
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- Please keep the prayer requests fairly simple. Try to avoid adding too much private detail. God knows who we are praying for. For example you might request, “please pray for my close friend, Sally, who is having surgery next week.”

Gathering prayer requests was one of the earliest functions of deacons in the Church. We look forward to continuing this great Christian tradition of praying for one another.

The Ladies of St. Agnes would like to send a big ‘Thank You’ to all our fellow parishioners and friends for your donations and contributions to our annual Bazaar and Bake Sale. Our success is due solely to your generosity. As always, 100% of the proceeds remains with St. Agnes.

**ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT**

**Wednesday Morning**

9:00AM-10:30AM

Offered Live via Free Video Teleconferencing at St. Agnes Parish Center

**November 30**

**St. John of the Cross: Our Need For God**

Fr. Eric Scanlan

**December 7**

**STREAM Education In Our Schools**

Dr. Vicki Parks

**December 14**

**Proving the Existence of God**

George Smith

**There is no charge for these events. All are welcome.**

If you would like to see more of these lesson, please consider supporting the Institute for Catholic Studies and Formation by contacting (941) 766-7334 or www.institute-DOV.org

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD DRIVE

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 Fighting 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 bulk purchases of cases of non-perishable. Thank you for helping to eliminate hunger by replenishing the St. Vincent De Paul food pantry.

Advent Wreath Sign ups

The custom of the Advent Wreath arose in the Middle Ages to Mark off the Sundays of this season of expectation, as one candle was lighted each week.

Here at St. Agnes, we dedicate one of the candles each week to a different age group in our parish.

FIRST WEEK: The Senior Members of Our Parish Family
SECOND WEEK: Families with Teens
THIRD WEEK: Families with Grade School Children
FOURTH WEEK: Families with Pre-School Children & Infants

We begin with the senior members whose faith has been burning the longest, and we end with the youngest families whose faith is newest and freshest.

We need a family for each Mass during each week of Advent. Please consider participating in this beautiful custom and call the office at 592-1949 to sign up.
Dust off your saddle shoes for the Knights of Columbus Doo Wop Dance on **Saturday, December 10th**
at 5:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Dance to your favorite tunes from the 50’s and 60’s by Up Town Express, and enjoy a delicious
catered dinner from Southern Accents
50’s apparel encouraged, but not required.

Tickets are $40 per person and on sale after Mass and in the Parish Office during the week.
A note of thanks from our sister parish following a summer Purple Basket collection designated for them.

Jesus the Worker Catholic Church

Dear Father Bob,

On behalf of the people of Jesus the Worker Catholic Church, I want to thank you and all of the people of St. Agnes for your very generous and gracious gift of $3,011.00 for the needs of our community. I want to thank you also for your desire to form a partnership with our church community as a "sister parish". We are very excited about this relationship, and hope we can find ways to contribute to a growing sense of shared Christian life between our two communities. Though we are, generally speaking, a financially poor community, and as a result struggle with the difficulties that accompany poverty, we are rich in many other ways. We are rich in faith, in family, and in joy, and love. Our community is very young and vigorous! We have so many children and young families, and so much life. We have a burgeoning religious education program. We love fiestas, food, music and dancing! We are very open and hospitable to visitors and new friends. Part of being a church in a poor neighborhood, and having a very involved Catholic community, is that we have been able to become a center of outreach and assistance to the needy; especially through our food pantry which helps many nutritionally deprived households. And we find many other ways to be a positive force of God’s goodness in a place in much need of love and attention. Though our primary language is Spanish, as a church devoted to meeting the needs of Latin immigrants, we find ways to communicate with others of different cultures and make them feel welcome. We hope we can find ways to return your many kindnesses to us, to learn ways to share our riches with you, and also be a loving "sister parish" to St. Agnes, in return.

Please know you have my gratitude, and my prayers and warm friendship. And May God bless you!!

Padre Patricia

Rev. Patrick O’Connor, OSFS
Pastor of Jesus the Worker Catholic Church, and Mission San Jose

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Traveling Chalice

To promote vocation awareness in the St. Agnes Parish community, we are instituting “The Traveling Chalice.” Each week at the Mass of their choosing, a family will accept a Chalice with the responsibility of praying for vocations. They will be provided with a prayer booklet and a Chalice to be used as a focal point and visual reminder in their home. The family will be called forward after Communion to receive the Chalice from the presiding priest and will return it to church the following weekend. Please consider this opportunity to pray as a family for people to answer God’s call to be Priests, Deacons, Brothers and Sisters. The Traveling Chalice will begin the first Sunday of Advent, Nov. 27th. Sign up in the Narthex today, or call the office at 592-1949.
2017 BUICK ENCORE
Donation $100 per ticket
Drawing March 18, 2017
Tickets are on sale in the Narthex after Mass
and in the Parish Office during the week

St. Agnes is conducting its 2nd annual car raffle of a 2017 Buick Encore. This compact luxury SUV features leather interior and a turbo charged engine. A sample of the Encore will be on display at the entrance to the church after December 15, 2016. The trim, options and color may vary from weekend to weekend.

Please help support St. Agnes by purchasing a ticket. There will only be 2500 tickets sold, and Florida State tax and title costs will be paid.

Tickets are available in the Narthex after Mass, or in the Parish Office during the week.
Make checks payable to St. Agnes. Purchases of raffle tickets are not deductible for federal income tax purposes.

The drawing will be held the evening of March 18th during our 10th Anniversary Gala. Proceeds from this raffle will go towards Debt Reduction and to support our Diocesan Catholic Schools.
St. Agnes Parish

November 20, 2016

Christ has no body on earth but yours, no hands, no feet but yours...

—St. Teresa of Avila

**Be a Good Steward of Thanksgiving Day**

Your Thanksgiving Day can be more than just enjoying a great meal and turning on the television to search for the traditional parades and football games. How about expressing your stewardship of this day in a more meaningful way? Here are some suggestions for making Thanksgiving an opportunity for expressing our gratitude to the Lord in creative ways:

- Go to Mass and count your blessings. Start the day off on a positive note and celebrate the Eucharist. In your prayer reflect on five things you are most grateful for in your life. Then reflect on how you can be an even better steward of these gifts.
- Write “I’m thankful for you” cards and give them out or e-mail them on Thanksgiving (or mail them beforehand).
- Share your Thanksgiving meal with someone who is alone this Thanksgiving. Look for someone, such as a neighbor, co-worker, fellow parishioner, college student or armed services personnel who may be separated from family and ask them to join in your Thanksgiving dinner.
- Practice ecumenism! Many parishes make Thanksgiving an opportune time to join in ecumenical services with other Christian worshipping communities, or inter-faith activities and programs with non-Christian centers of worship. Find one nearby and experience something new and enriching.
- Visit the sick. Check with hospitals, assisted living facilities or nursing homes in the area to see if there are volunteer opportunities to visit with patients or residents on that day.
- Help someone if you can. Extend your generosity and blessings beyond your own family. Be part of an adopt-a-family effort, help distribute food baskets, or bring canned foods or clothing to St. Vincent de Paul centers.
- Volunteer your time at a soup kitchen to help prepare and serve Thanksgiving dinners to others.
- Take a walk. Find a place to enjoy God’s gift of creation. Head out the door for a refreshing walk. Invite family, friends or others to share the experience too.
- Most important! Take advantage of the Thanksgiving holiday to focus on what you’re grateful for and the things you appreciate about yourself and others. It is an ideal time to remember and to celebrate the many blessings in our lives.

*International Catholic Stewardship Council*

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist**

There will be an EME Training on Saturday, December 10th from 9 a.m. to noon in the Church for those interested in the Ministry of helping distribute the Eucharist at Mass. Please call Robert or Martha Gomez at 228-5634 to register or for more information.
Over the centuries, St. Anthony of Padua has been acclaimed as a great example of holiness through countless works of art, sculpture and books. Many Catholics, and even non-Catholics, think of St. Anthony as the first one to turn to when something is lost. Yet amidst this widespread veneration and devotion, we may miss the story of a man who began his life like all of us.

This film reveals the journey of Fernando Martins de Bulhões, a thirteenth century Christian whom we know today as St. Anthony. Here, we discover a young man who was often “lost” and searching for direction in his life. He wanted to make a difference in the world of his time. As we encounter his humanity, we find someone we can relate to, someone who struggled in life, someone we could have easily called a friend.

Shot on historic locations in Portugal and Italy, *Finding St. Anthony: A Story of Loss & Light* is a documentary film that focuses on the experiences of Fernando (Anthony) in his search for the life God is calling him to lead. And as we look closely at the journey of St. Anthony, what we find may surprise us: a reflection of ourselves. His story gives us insight and inspiration for our own spiritual journey.

This inspiring movie is available for free on Formed.org using parish code TTQNCX.

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Are you being called to “love and serve the Lord” through your talents with children?

God might be calling you to join the Children’s Liturgy of the Word team during the 11am or 5pm Mass.

Call Diane at 239.353.4942

What was the ceremony celebrated last Sunday at Mass?

Last Sunday we celebrated two Rites of initiation for inquirers in the RCIA process: the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens (for those preparing for their Baptism) and the Rite of Welcoming (for those already baptized in another Christian tradition who are seeking full communion with the Catholic Church).

The following catechumens celebrated the Rite of Acceptance:
[names]

The following candidates celebrated the Rite of Welcoming:
[names]

A very special thanks to all who helped in any way with the celebration. Please continue to pray for our catechumens and candidates as they now enter into a period of deeper formation in the RCIA process.
High School
LIFE TEEN
Leading Teens Closer to Christ
Sundays 6-8pm

11/20...Life Night: “He is Listening!” We will share how important prayer is in our everyday lives through “ Tweeting to God” and “Our Soul’s Instagram Account.”

11/27... Thanksgiving break, no Life Night, see you next week!

12/4...Life Night: “Here and Now.” Dealing with relevant issues that affect HS teens through discussion, games, and media clips.

More than 70 MS and HS youth participated in the Diocese of Venice Youth Rally last week. While there, they listened to live music, great speakers, and attended Mass with Bishop Dewane.

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

11/24... Happy Thanksgiving, no Edge Night. See you Next week.

12/1... Edge Night “Super Power.” What kind of superhero are you? We all have gifts to glorify God and help others. This night will be about finding our superhero strengths and using them.

12/8...EDGE NIGHT: “Theology of the Body Part 1.” Join us for a fun night of snacks and games and we discuss what TOB is and how is applies to our everyday relationships.

12/15... “Theology of the Body Part 2.” Join us for the last Edge night of the year as we play some Christmas games and finish our ToB discussion from the previous week.

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

La Solemnidad de Cristo Rey

Al final de cada año litúrgico la Iglesia celebra la Solemnidad de Cristo Rey. El Papa Pío XI instituyó esta fiesta en 1925 con su encíclica Quas primas (“En la primera”) para responder al creciente nacionalismo y secularismo. Reconoce que estas enfermedades relacionadas de la sociedad generarían creciente hostilidad en contra de la Iglesia. Hoy nos recuerda que a pesar de que los gobiernos y las filosofías van y vienen, Cristo reina como rey eterno.

“Jesús es el centro de la creación; y así la actitud que se pide al creyente, que quiere ser tal, es la de reconocer y acoger en la vida esta centralidad de Jesucristo, en los pensamientos, las palabras y las obras”. -Papa Francisco
Homilía en la Solemnidad de Cristo Rey
24 de noviembre de 2013

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¿Busca una manera de ayudar?
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Ofrezca su tiempo una vez al mes de Septiembre a Marzo
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Domingos de 2-4 p.m.
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Lunes de 6-7.30 p.m.
Miércoles de 6-7.30 p.m.
Se les proveerá de entrenamiento y materiales para las clases, sólo lo necesitamos a usted. Pregunte los detalles a Rose (239) 592-1949 ext. 129 rose@stagnesnaples.org

REINADO

El libro de Samuel nos relata la unción de David como rey de Israel. Fueron los ancianos de Israel quienes declararon a David como rey ese día, pero fue Dios quien llamó a David para que pastoreara a Israel. Mandado así por los ciudadanos de su reino y por el Señor, David ocupó su lugar en un largo linaje de reyes.

El apóstol Pablo también nos habla de realeza, pero en un plano muy superior: la realeza de Jesús nuestro Señor. Tan grande como fue David, él y todos los reyes terrenales anteriores y posteriores, en sus reinos, son reyes menores en comparación con el verdadero Rey. Finalmente, escuchamos el relato del verdadero Rey en, tal vez, su momento más débil: cerca de la muerte, colgando en una cruz, insultado por un criminal común y por el mundo en su totalidad.
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