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
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: 3:30 p.m. & 5:15 p.m.  
Sunday / Dom  
7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m. PRHS, 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.  
1 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.

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 Smartphone

January 15, 2017

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Three Missions

Today we begin with one of the “servant songs” from the book of Isaiah, a song prophetic of Jesus’ ministry of service. Isaiah’s mission is not only to bring back the children of Jacob to gather in Israel; it is also to be “a light to the nations” (Isaiah 49:6). Jesus Christ, as servant, will be the fulfillment of the ancient prophecy and the basis of the new.

This Sunday we begin a series of readings from Paul’s letter to the Corinthians. Here Paul is identified by his mission: he is an apostle of Jesus Christ. The church at Corinth to whom he addresses this letter is also identified: it is part of the universal church of God. The Corinthians are called to holiness, as are all Christians.

Though the feast of the Baptism of the Lord was celebrated last Monday, today’s Gospel also alludes to the importance of that event. The reading emphasizes that Jesus “outranks” John: his baptism in the Spirit will eradicate sin. Jesus accepts John’s baptism, even though it is he himself who is the Lamb of God.
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Admin. Asst. to Faith Formation
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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

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 ofrendas, 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
January 16 - 22

Monday, January 16
Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 17
Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday, January 18
Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, January 19
Heb 7:25 — 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12

Friday, January 20
Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8, 10-14; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday, January 21
Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Mk 3:20-21

Sunday, January 22
Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]

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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*Parish office closed*
**ST. AGNES FINANCIALS**

This Week (12/25/16) $29,659.00  
One Year Ago $29,917.00  
% of Change - .86%  
**Mass Attendance** 9,341  
This Week (1/1/17) $35,683.00  
One Year Ago $35,851.00  
% of Change - .47%  
**Mass Attendance** 5,519

**CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL Stewardship beyond our Parish**

Calendar year 2016 Goal $451,000.00  
Pledged (12/18/16) $466,869.77  
Received $454,967.90  
% of Registered Households 20.59%  
Pledged (12/25/16) $468,279.77  
Received $459,840.17  
% of Registered Households 20.63%

**PARISH DEBT $1,538,012.19**  
(12/25/16) $44,075.00  
(1/1/17) $14,761.00

**CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR**  
$46,735.00

**SOLEMNITY OF MARY**  
$5,809.00

**REGISTRATION**

St. Agnes registered households are now at 4,165. 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.

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**Please pray for the repose of soul of:**  
+Richard Derkman  
+Haven Hobbs  
May they enjoy everlasting life and may their families be comforted.

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**Baptized at St. Agnes**

Ryan Zachariah Hamilton  
James Miller Oleksak  
Andrew William White

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1. Visit stagnesnaples.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities and click on any collection.  
2. Select your donation amount and frequency.  
3. Enter in your account and payment information.  

Every faculty you have, your power of thinking or of moving your limbs from moment to moment, is given you by God. If you devoted every moment of your whole life exclusively to His service, you could not give Him anything that was not in a sense His own already.  
— C.S. Lewis

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**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  
Paul Ashley - USN  
SPC Michael Broderick  
A1C Daniel R. Hamde, USAF  
PFC Michael Baker  
SGT David Clark  
MSgt. Eric Gunn  
P03 Kimberly Wagner, US  
LCP Brandon Weston  
PFC Luke Kerney Kuser  
CPT Jacob Lawson  
Capt. Dominic Francis Adams  
PVT John Wallace  
CDR Gregory Meyer  
A1C Peter Johnson, USAF  
SPC Jorge Armando Nino  
Vince Galer, USMC  
Jordan M. Perez  
LCP Plate James Sheran, USMC  
A1C Victoria Landolfi USAF  
Pvt. Reynaldo Rodriguez USA  
SGT Abbi Wenthol  
Lance Cpl Danny Dewey USMC  
SGT Victor Quiles, USA  
2LT. Sean Kealy, USA  
Capt. Francisco Miranda, USA  
Capt. David Ralph USMC
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-3
Gospel: John 1:29-34

Adults: When have you been surprised to see goodness that you had overlooked in someone? ¿Cuándo se ha sorprendido al ver la bondad que había pensado no encontraría en cierta persona?
Children: Who has surprised you by doing something for you when you did not expect it?
¿Quién te ha sorprendido al hacer algo bueno por ti cuando no te lo esperabas?

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday  January 14  
8:30 a.m. +Stanislow Nowak  Zofia Nowak
3:30 p.m. +Sam Nuzzarello  Meredith & Frank Dale
5:15 p.m. +Evelyn Lambert  Patricia Wakim

Sunday  January 15  
7:30 a.m. +Our Parents  John & Dianne Haaga
9:00 a.m. +Luis Mastria  Adeline Mastria & Family
PRHS 10 a.m. +Francis J. DeFrancesca  St. Agnes Parish Family
11:00 a.m. +Steve & Rose Nagy  Frank Dobos
1:00 p.m.  Our Parish Family
5:00 p.m. +Al Alwill  Maria Alwill

Monday  January 16  
8:30 a.m.  +Harold Lawson  St. Agnes Parish Family

Tuesday  January 17  
8:30 a.m. +Joseph Matia  Eileen Matia

Wednesday  January 18  
8:30 a.m. +Thomas Erbland  Gail & Jim Hunt

Thursday  January 19  
8:30 a.m. +Frank Houlihan  Margaret Houlihan

Friday  January 20  
8:30 a.m. +Marion Anderson  Joan & Vic Anderson
7:00 p.m.  Our Parish Family

Saturday  January 21  
8:30 a.m. +Basil G. Verbrick  Mary Verbrick
3:30 p.m. +Tom Sheahan  Judi Sheahan
5:15 p.m. +Florence Renna  Claire Potaro

Sunday  January 22  
7:30 a.m. +Mirinda Foti  Husband & Sons
9:00 a.m. +Antonio & Agnese Muro  The Muro Family
PRHS 10 a.m. +Paul William  M.G.
11:00 a.m. +Barbara Faletti  Gino Faletti
1:00 p.m.  Our Parish Family
5:00 p.m. +Dec'd Members of The Hutter Family  Henry Hutter

PRIEST SCHEDULE  subject to change

Saturday  January 14  
3:30 p.m.  Fr. Bob
5:15 p.m.  Fr. Orsi

Sunday  January 15  
7:30 a.m.  Fr. Bob
9:00 a.m.  Fr. Jan
PRHS 10 a.m.  Fr. Luis
11:00 a.m.  Fr. Jan
1:00 p.m.  Fr. Luis
5:00 p.m.  Fr. Orsi

Saturday  January 21  
3:30 p.m.  Fr. Orsi
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Sunday  January 22  
7:30 a.m.  Fr. Orsi
9:00 a.m.  Fr. Dave
PRHS 10 a.m.  Fr. Jan
11:00 a.m.  Fr. Bob
1:00 p.m.  Fr. Luis
5:00 p.m.  Fr. Jan

WINE & HOSTS:
In Memory of John F. Loughran

We pray for:

John Knapp  
Gina Richardson  
Kevin Pearson  
Claud Lacoste  
Jim Norton  
Jim Walker  
Dae Futeri  
Dave Johnson  
Lance Maly  
Teri Harnett  
Fred Burgens  
Jorja Miller  
Albert Gravel  
Art Denaro  
Dawn Ganavente  
Laurie Michel  
Donald Heizer  
Philip DelBlasio  
Abigail Perez  
Anthony Ruggiero  
Liz Bammerlin  
Michelina Fera  
Mary Behe  
Robert Genovese  
Mary Jo Mattison  
Claire Shearer  
Marge Homon  
Michael Kucharan  
Ed O’Brien  
Wendy Coleman  
Richard Flynn  
Eleanor Dewey  
Samuel Albano  
Barbara Zatarga  
Jizelle Andrade  
Sharon Kane  
Len Judy  
Robert Donohue  
John Mahoney  
Roger & Dell Rogers  
Kate Hosmer  
Robert Roher  
Mae Donahue  

Tamara Holt  
Janice Cameron  
Darryl Dobrolynsky  
Roman Martinez  
Lillian Caruso  
Basil Verbrick  
Joseph Duteri  
Joe Hayes  
Charlie Scott  
Steve Allendar  
Baby Margaret Grace  
Ann Basler  
Terry Donohue  
Nicholas Ciello  
Joy Taylor  
Nick DeMatties  
Tim Curran  
Danielle Palagi  
Nancy Ortiz  
Carmine D’Meglio  
Richard Casey  
Denna Laing  
Berta Pineda  
Matthew Hosmer  
Judy Bica  
Robert Donohue  
Maureen Freeman  
Joyce Kucharon  
Lisa Landolfi Irvine  
Meg Dempsey  
Justin Kromer  
Carol Roper  
Join McKeon  
Joseph T. Greco  
Mike Costanzo  
Janice Sharpe  
Deborah Torcchetti  
Ed Hord  
Annette Mahoney  
Michelina Sarno  
Julie Trettis  
Tom McLaughlin  

Names will remain on the prayer list for approx. 4-6 weeks, as space allows.
To update, notify the Parish Office by calling 502-1949 or e-mail maggie@stagnesnaples.org Thank You.
# Stewardship in Action at St. Agnes

## Parish Groups and Ministries

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“...it would be peculiarly improper to omit in this first official Act, my fervent supplications to that Almighty Being who rules over the Universe, who presides in the Councils of Nations, and whose providential aids can supply every human defect, that his benediction may consecrate to the liberties and happiness of the People of the United States...”

— George Washington’s First Inaugural Address
Celebrate the Feast of St. Agnes
at our second annual family picnic.

**WHEN:** Sunday, January 22\textsuperscript{nd}

**WHERE:** Parish Parking Lot West

**TIME:** Noon-5 p.m.

*Food will be available for purchase.*

Music, games, food, bounce houses
and obstacle course for the kids and more!

Please join the families of St. Agnes for an afternoon of fun and games.

Please call the parish office to RSVP 592-1949 with how many people in your family will be attending.
St. Agnes Catholic Church

2007 10th Anniversary Gala 2017

Saturday, March 18th
Vineyards Country Club

- Cocktails 6-7 p.m.
- Surf & turf Dinner at 7 p.m.
- Black tie optional
- Dinner, Dancing and Auctions
- Car Raffle winner drawn that evening
- $100 per ticket

(Only 300 tickets are available)
The Knights of Columbus, a Catholic male fraternal service organization is doing just that. Come join the Knights and serve both your parish and the collier county community. Social gathering Wednesday January 18th at 6pm in the Parish center, classroom 1.
1st degree exemplification Monday January 23 at 6pm in the parish center.
All good Catholic men over the age of 18 are invited to learn about and join this great organization.
10TH ANNUAL ST. AGNES K OF C GOLF OUTING

Sunday, April 23rd

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 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
8250 Danbury Dr. Naples, FL 34120

$125.00 PER PLAYER
• 1:00 p.m Shot-Gun Start
• Golf Scramble
• Prizes
• Dinner Buffet

Dinner only: $45.00

Hole Sponsors Needed - $200 donation

For more information contact:
Dom Regan (239) 821 9679 or domaregan@gmail.com
Jack Foley (239) 353 2454 or jfoley311@comcast.net
Jim Kavney (239)272 4671 or jmkavney@gmail .com
Phil Massimino (239) 353 8729 or pmmdret@aol.com

Action for Life / Naples Pro-Life Council
2017 Annual Fundraising Dinner - Tuesday, January 17, 2017
St. John the Evangelist Church Hall - 625 111th Ave. N. Naples Florida
~ 5:00 PM Registration ~ 5:30 PM ~ Social Hour followed by a sumptuous Buffet Dinner

$80. donation includes drinks, social hour, dinner

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Dr. Hayes Wicker
Senior Pastor
First Baptist Church, Naples FL

Opening our dinner with prayer and blessing of our food will be Fr. Philemon Patitas from St. Katherine Greek Orthodox Church. Fr. Michael Orsi, St. Agnes Parish and host of Action For Life TV Show, will give a preview of the upcoming 2017 season. Dr. Trent Casto, pastor from Covenant Church will offer the closing prayer.

$80. donation per person ~ Please make check payable to: Action For Life
Return by January 10, 2017 to: Action For Life, P.O. Box 8206, Naples FL 34101-8206
www.actionforlife.net - Phone: (239) 262-Life - E-mail: terese121@aol.com
CAR RAFFLE

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

Please help support St. Agnes by purchasing a ticket. Proceeds from this raffle will go towards Debt Reduction and to support our Diocesan Catholic Schools. There will only be 1500 tickets sold.

St. Agnes is conducting its 2nd annual car raffle of a 2017 Buick Encore. This compact luxury SUV features leather interior, navigation system, and a turbo charged engine. A sample of the Encore will be displayed under the Canopy.

Florida State tax and title costs will be paid. 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.

Paul Todd & Friends performing

January 26th & 27th at 7:00 p.m.
St. Agnes Parish Center in Naples FL
proceeds to benefit the St. Agnes CFA

the Great American Songbook

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are $25 per person available after all Masses except 5 pm or in the parish office during regular business hours.
BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

If you or a family member are grieving the loss of a family member or friend, we invite you to participate in a support group designed to offer spiritual and emotional support. The program which last 8 weeks begins Tuesday, February 7th. We will have an afternoon and evening session, depending on need. All sessions will be held in the Parish Center. Please call the parish office (239-592-1949) or email Deacon Henry (deaconhenry@stagnesnaples.org) to register or request more information. You are in our prayers.

Faith and Wine

Father Bob Kantor, Pastor of St. Agnes Catholic Church, and Rabbi Adam Miller, Rabbi of Temple Shalom, will participate in a dialogue based on a book co-written by Pope Francis and Rabbi Abraham Skorka: “On Heaven and Earth; Pope Francis on Faith, Family, and the Church in the 21 Century.” The book brings together a series of conversations between the authors - both tenacious promoters of interreligious dialogues on faith and reason - about God, fundamentalism, atheism, abortion, homosexuality, euthanasia, same-sex marriage, and globalization. Father Bob and Rabbi Miller, as members of the Catholic-Jewish Dialogue of Collier County, will re-create this fascinating dialogue, making it relevant to our lives and providing us with a better understanding of these religions and their responses to the issues we face today.

So, pre-register NOW at www.faithandwine.com.

Invite your friends, neighbors and fellow parishioners to this GREAT event!

Thursday, January 19, 2017
6:30-8:30 PM (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

featuring
Father Bob Kantor & Rabbi Adam Miller

“On Heaven and Earth”

Event open to men!

Cost: $25 prepay • NO WALK-INS!

Please prepay for this event no later than noon on January 17, 2017 by going to www.faithandwine.com (using Paypal) or dropping off your check made payable to “Faith and Wine, Inc.” to the St. John parish office. Or you can mail (postmarked before Thursday, January 12, 2017) your check to Kathleen Millard at 2134 Morning Sun Lane, Naples, FL 34119

Event held at: St. John the Evangelist PLC Ballroom
625 111th Avenue North, Naples, FL


Go to www.FaithandWine.com to learn more!
the ladies of st. agnes are pleased to present
FASHION FIRST

Thursday, February 9, 2017
Cypress Woods Country Club
3525 Northbrook Dr | Naples, FL 34119
Tickets are on Sale Now!

Tickets: $35.00
Meet and Greet: 11:30 a.m.
Luncheon & Fashion Show: 12:00-2:00 p.m.

For more information call: Carol 596.4810 or Linda 716.380.4947 or Kathleen 596.3985

2017 ST. AGNES SCRIPTURE STUDIES

“No Pressure” Bible Study for all levels and interests. All are welcome.

“Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of Christ.”
-St Jerome (CCC133)

LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE SERIES:
“WOMEN IN THE OLD TESTAMENT”
How being a woman in the holy land during the time of Jesus and the apostles shaped many of the challenges they faced in responding to Jesus. Materials fee: $25 (couples may share)

Tuesdays, 10–11:30am
Jan 10–March 14
Register: Ken Fennell at Kennethnap@aol.com

Thursdays 7–8:30pm
Jan 12–March 23
Register: Mike Langan at mlangan203@aol.com

Sign up for weekly “St Agnes Bible Study Notes” to keep abreast of our topics. Contact mlangan203@aol.com to add your email address to the distribution list.

JOURNEY THROUGH SCRIPTURE:
“THE BIBLE AND PRAYER”
Examines various types of prayer and explores the prayer life of Jesus in order to help us begin a process on earth that leads to sharing in the divinity of God in heaven. Materials fee: $35 (Couples may share)

Sundays, 6–8:30pm
(includes dinner after 5pm Mass)
Jan 15–March 5

“The Bible and the Mass”
Explore what the Bible teaches us about the Mass and the connection of the Eucharistic sacrifice and God’s covenant with Israel. Materials fee: $35 (Couples may share)

Sundays, 6–8:30pm
(includes dinner after 5pm Mass)
March 19–May 7
Register: lvy@StAgnesNaples.org

“INTRODUCCIÓN A LA BIBLIA”
Este es un programa para todos aquellos interesados en saber más acerca de la Biblia o la reintroducción de uno mismo a ella.
Los Martes, 7–8 pm - Ene 3–Abr 5  *Costo de materiales: gratis
Registrarse con Gladys M. Gómez gtoursinc@aol.com
Christ Renews His Parish Retreat Weekends:

Contacts: (Men) Jonathan at Mcelroyj56@yahoo.com or (Women) Pattie at paulnpattie@gmail.com

We’d like to meet you! Members of the Retreat Team will be in the narthex after all Masses this weekend. Stop by to ask questions and get a flyer.

Life Planning Seminar

Making a will can be difficult, but dying without one can make it even more difficult for your loved ones left behind. If you do not have a will, your wishes can never be known, and your loved ones will face uncertainties, obstacles and added costs in resolving your estate.

Who will make my health care decisions, when I cannot speak for myself?
You will need to appoint a Health Care Surrogate by way of a specific legal document. If you do not have a legal Health Care Surrogate, your health care may not be carried out according to your wishes.

To learn more, you are invited to attend the Life Planning Seminar entitled: “Preparing for Today, Tomorrow and Beyond” which will be held at our parish on Wednesday, February 1, 2017 at 1:00 p.m.
**SUPPORT OUR TROOPS**

Knights of Columbus will be gathering personal items for our troops in the war zone starting January 14th - February 5th. A box to collect items will be in the Narthex through the weekend of February 5th. The knights will then package these donated items along with a letter of thanks and mail them to the troops.

If you wish to make a financial donation for mailing expenses, entitle an envelope “Support Our Troops” and make out the check to Knights of Columbus, 3094. Please put the envelope in the collection basket at mass or bring it to the parish office. If you have relatives or friends in the war zone and you would like them to receive these donate items please call us with their names and and complete address and we will mail them a package.

**Suggestions:** Protein bars, protein powder, lemon drops, (candy that won’t melt), trail mix, rice crispy treats, peanut butter, oreo cookies, jelly, writing paper, cards, dice, and wipes, hand wipes, lip balm, sunscreen, foot lotion, hand sanitizer, Christian items, nuts, especially pistachio, frisbees, gloves and hats. *(Please no glass jars, chocolate candy, books or magazines. No used clothing or shoes.)*

The Knights of Columbus serve the parish and community.

If you are interested in joining the Knights and helping in their service projects, please contact a knight or call Ray Sollitto at 455.4346 or or John Shelton at 248.4948.

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**THE FACES OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING**

_In The United States Thousands of Human Trafficking Cases Are Reported But Many More Go Unnoticed._

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**Thursday February 2, 2017 at 7p.m. in the St. Agnes Parish Center**

Join us for an informative educational program about human trafficking and learn how you can help. Local experts will:

- Describe the forms of trafficking
- Discuss how to recognize and report suspected human trafficking
- Highlight local realities of this crime and the role of law enforcement
- Provide information about community services for victims and survivors

Presenters include professionals from Catholic Charities Victims Assistance Program; the Shelter for Abused Women and Children; Collier County Sheriff’s Office, Special Crimes Bureau/Exploitation Unit.

Sponsored by St Agnes Justice & Peace Committee
“Christ has no body on earth but yours, no hands, no feet but yours...”
—St. Teresa of Avila

Stewardship Workshop - January 14-15

This weekend the stewardship committee sponsored a stewardship workshop for all the ministry leaders. It was based on the book “Resisting Happiness” by Matthew Kelly that was given out to parishioners at Christmas. He talks about all the ways we sabotage ourselves when it comes to happiness and mostly are not even aware that we are doing it. If you haven’t had the opportunity to start reading the book yet, please try and make it a priority in the next few weeks and you will not be sorry. It is the beginning of a new year, so if you need a new year’s resolution make it be that you will read or begin to read “Resisting Happiness”.

On the weekend of February fourth and fifth, we will have our stewardship procession of all the ministries here at St. Agnes and our Stewardship Fair over in the Parish Hall. You will be able to have a continental breakfast after all the Masses and speak one on one with a steward from each ministry. We hope you will come and learn more about the ministries we have here at St. Agnes and see where you can offer your time and talent.

Award for Stewardship Committee

This is the award and some of our Stewardship Committee. We received this award at the International Catholic Stewardship Conference on October, 2016.
Join us for a great NEW bible study
“The Bible and Prayer”
Sundays, Jan 15--March 5, 6-8:30pm
in the St. Agnes Parish Center
Decidedly practical, "The Bible and Prayer" examines the
ins and outs of the three types or modes of prayer every
Catholic is called to engage in: vocal prayer, meditation,
and contemplation. Lectio Divina, Liturgy of the Hours,
and many other essential characteristics of prayer are also
covered. The study culminates in an exploration of the
prayer life of Jesus Christ, the ultimate example of how to
commune with our Father. The goal of The Bible and Pray-
er is to help Catholics begin a process on earth that leads to
nothing less than sharing in the divinity of God in heaven.

$35 materials fee. Register with Ivy: 592-1949

Why not make a New Year’s Resolution to
allow CHRIST to RENEW you?

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH RETREAT WEEKENDS
Men: Feb. 25-26, 2017
Women: April 22-23, 2017
An overnight retreat at the St. Agnes Parish Center:
• A time to relax;
• A way to get to know other St. Agnes parishioners, while
growing spiritually;
• An opportunity to examine, rediscover, and intensify your
personal relationship with Jesus.
• DO NOT ATTEND if your life is already perfect;
• But seriously, attending might just be the
BEST RESOLUTION YOU WILL ACHIEVE IN 2017.

Members of the Retreat Team will be
in the narthex after all Masses this
weekend. We’d like to meet you!

Contacts: (Men) Jonathan at Mcelroyj56@yahoo.com
(Women) Pattie paulnpattie@gmail.com

RESISTING HAPPINESS

We hope you are enjoying your free
book!
We invite you to post a “book review”
on the St Agnes
Catholic Church
Facebook page.

To order a FREE book for a friend, click the link on the
parish website: www.StAgnesNaples.org

A true story about why we sabotage ourselves,
feel overwhelmed, set aside our dreams, and lack the courage to
simply be ourselves... and how to start choosing happiness again!

MATTHEW KELLY
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

The Faith Formation team is here to serve you M-F, 9am-4pm
Director: Ivy@StAgnesNaples.org
Coordinator: Habla Español
Admin. Assistant: Rose@StAgnesNaples.org

Regardless of sacraments received, faith formation and
adult faith enrichment is relevant for all ages.
Sin importar los sacramentos recibidos, formación y
enriquecimiento en la fe es para todos.
1/14 & 1/15...Second Collection for Youth Group:
Sign up to assist at Mass, please show your support
to the parishioners who support us!

1/22... Parish Picnic, 2-4pm. The HS youth group
will be help run the Parish Picnic, No Life Night in
the evening.

1/29... Life Night: “Dignity.” Using the dignity of
the human person as the basis, we will be covering
the basics on the Church’s sacraments and
foundational teachings.

The Middle School winners of the
soccer shootout. Thank you to the
Knights of Columbus for hosting
the event!

1/19... Edge Night: “Spiritual Wealth.” Come discover the
Church’s teachings on wealth and materialism.

1/26... The core team and HS teens will be in DC for the
March for Life, no Edge night. See you next week!

2/2...Edge Night: “Theology of the Body Part 2.” Using
discussion and movie clips, this night will help us under-
stand the need to build good and moral relationships.

2/9... Edge Night: “Dignity.” Using the dignity of the
human person as the basis, we will be covering the basics
on the Church’s sacraments and foundational teachings

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

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

¿POR QUÉ DEBO INSCRIBIRME EN LA PARROQUIA?

Nuestra parroquia de St. Agnes le da la bienvenida a todos, especialmente los invita a asistir a la Santa Misa. El mayor regalo de participar en la Eucaristía es el encuentro personal y sin igual con Jesús. Ese es el centro de nuestra vida y la razón más importante de nuestro trabajo.

Además, los invitamos a ser parte activa de nuestra comunidad inscribiéndose en la parroquia por los siguientes motivos:

1. Recibirá información de nuestro párroco de eventos y campañas de nuestra comunidad.
2. Nos permitirá programar con eficiencia los servicios que damos a la comunidad.
3. Al entregar sus ofrendas en sores su asistencia a misa queda registrada.
4. Su inscripción y asistencia a misa son elementos importantes para participar en los sacramentos de nuestra Iglesia.
5. Su inscripción y participación en la misa nos da elementos para emitir cartas a las autoridades que soliciten sus referencias.
6. Si alquila servicios en nuestra Iglesia como por ejemplo el uso de salones, tiene un precio de descuento.
7. Al final del año puede recibir una notificación de sus contribuciones, las que pueden ser descontadas de su declaración de impuestos.

TALLER: IMPORTANCIA DE LA ORACIÓN EN FAMILIA

Solo viendo el amor y la oración de los padres, los hijos pueden entender que sus progenitores son reflejos del amor de Dios. Es por eso que siempre en todas las parroquias se repite que ‘la familia que reza unida, permanece unida’, y si permanece unida se amarán entre sí como Dios ha amado a cada uno de ellos.

- El horario del retiro es de 8:00 am hasta las 3:30pm
- El costo del retiro es $ 15.00 por adulto y $ 5.00 por niño.
- Desayuno y almuerzo incluido
- Inscripciones en el lobby de la Parroquia comenzando el domingo 8 de Enero

Este retiro es convocado por el Ministerio Familias (Carlos y Maria Mejias) Enriquecimiento Matrimonial (Roberto y Veronica Lewis), Padres y Madres Orantes (Carlos y Adriana Sena).

TRES MISIONES

Hoy comenzamos con una de las “cantos del siervo” del libro de Isaías, una canto profético sobre el ministerio de servicio de Jesús. La misión de Isaías no sólo es lograr que los hijos de Jacob se reúnan en Israel, sino también es convertirse en “una luz de las naciones” (Isaías 49:6). Jesucristo, como servidor, será el cumplimiento de la antigua profecía y la base de la nueva.

Este domingo comenzamos una serie de lecturas de la carta de san Pablo a los corintios. Aquí se define a Pablo de acuerdo a su misión: es un apóstol de Jesucristo. La Iglesia en Corinto a quien se dirige en su carta también se define: es parte de la Iglesia universal de Dios. Los corintios, como todos los cristianos, son llamados a la santidad.

Aunque la fiesta del Bautismo del Señor se celebró el domingo pasado, el Evangelio de hoy también alude a la importancia de dicho acontecimiento. La lectura enfatiza que Jesús “tiene precedencia” sobre Juan: su bautismo en el Espíritu erradicará el pecado. Jesús acepta el bautismo de Juan, a pesar de que él mismo es el Cordero de Dios.

TALLER ANUAL DEL MINISTERIO POR AMOR A CRISTO

Lugar: Parroquia Madre de Cristo en Miami
Día: sábado, 21 de enero, 2017
Salida desde St. Agnes a las 6.am Regreso 6 pm

En este taller tendremos la invitación al servicio y la corresponsabilidad en nuestra parroquia para servir a Cristo.