

The Church of Saint Agnes

143 East 43rd Street, New York, N.Y. 10017
Rectory Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 10am-5:30pm



REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday: 7:10 AM, 8:10, 12:10, 12:40, 1:10, and 5:10 PM

Saturday: 8:10 AM, 12:10, and 5:10 PM (*fulfills Sunday obligation*)

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:00 (*Traditional Latin Mass*), 11:00 (English High Mass), 12:30, 5:15, and 7:00 PM
Please note the church closes at 8PM.

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Friday: 7:30–8:30 AM, 12:40–1:40 PM, and 5:00–5:30 PM

Saturday: 11:45 AM–12:30 PM, 4:45–5:30 PM

FIRST FRIDAY VIGIL

Mass at 5:10 PM, Holy Hour at 6pm, includes Benediction

SERVED BY

Rev. Michael J. Barrett S.Th.D., *Pastor*
Rev. Robert J. Brisson, *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. Gova Showraiah Dasari
(Fr. Francis), *Parochial Vicar*
Most Reverend John O'Hara,
In Residence
Rev. William Elder, *In Residence*
Rev. Brian McWeeney, *In Residence*

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Mr. Alexander Pattavina
SacredMusic@stagneschurchnyc.org

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday-Friday: 1:50–4:55 PM

First Friday: 8:40AM –12noon and 1:50–4:55 PM
(*Vespers and Benediction at 4:55 PM*)

HOLY ROSARY

Monday-Friday: after the 5:10 PM Mass
Saturday: after the 12:10 PM Mass

Sunday, February 17 —The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

NOVENAS & PRAYERS

Monday: Miraculous Medal

Tuesday: St. Agnes

Wednesday: Saint Michael

Thursday: St. Agnes

Friday: Sacred Heart of Jesus

Novenas follow the 7:10am, 8:10am, 1:10pm, and 5:10pm Masses only.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

5:10 PM (*Vigil Mass*)

7:10, 7:40, 8:10, 8:40, 11:40 AM, 12:10, 12:40, 1:10, 1:40, 5:10 (*High Mass*), and 6:10 PM

CIVIC HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:10 AM, 12:10PM, and 1:10PM

LEGION OF MARY

Meets every **Tuesday** at 6:30 PM

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Monday-Friday: 3:00 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent after the 5:10PM Mass

SERVING THE HOMEBOUND

The sacraments are available to the ill and homebound. Please contact the rectory.

RCIA (Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults)

Beginning in September, classes meet on Thursdays at 6:45pm.

SAINT AGNES BOOKSTORE

Mon, Wed, Fri: 12:00 Noon–2:00 PM

Tues, Thurs: 12:00 Noon–6:00 PM

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: 10:30AM—12:30 PM

Phone: (212) 599-7588

bookstore@stagneschurchnyc.org

BAPTISMS

Baptisms of children should take place as soon as possible. Please make arrangements one month before your preferred date.

WEDDINGS

By appointment at least six months in advance. Pre-Cana is required.

Rectory Telephone: (212) 682-5722 www.stagneschurchnyc.org church@stagneschurchnyc.org

**WHAT DO I SEE
WHEN I LOOK AT MY LIFE?**

Have you ever anguished like St. Paul: "I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate... Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me?" (Rom 7: 15, 24)

If so, join us for an intense journey into one's inner core – the God space within, the image of the invisible God.

Join us for a three day program that leverages knowledge from psychology in a spiritual environment where you will experience personal exploration and sharing combined with praise and worship, confession, and daily Mass.

The Retreat Leader: Rev. Fr. Johny Dominic PhD, Asst. Director, *Sumedha Centre for Psychology and Spirituality* (in India), and former parochial vicar of St. Agnes (2008-2015), who specializes in helping people explore and address their emotional conflicts as a pathway to a deeper inner life in Christ.

Date & Time: February 22, 2019 (8:00 a.m.) to February 24, 2019 (6:00 p.m.)

Venue: The Church of St. Agnes, 143 East 43rd Street, NYC.

Cost (for 3 days): \$295 per person (Payment may be made in favor of *Salesian Missions*)

Last date to register: February 13, 2019

For more information / registration contact:

Andrea O'Boyle
(732) 639-4296 or aoboyle@aol.com

Maria Williams
(914) 649-4909 or mzwilliams231@gmail.com

**The Sixth Sunday
In Ordinary Time**

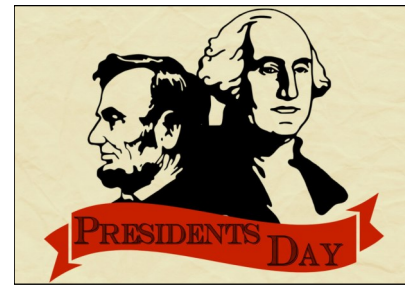
Septuagesima Sunday
(Traditional Latin Mass)



Let's meet for coffee—TODAY!



St. Agnes welcomes everyone to coffee hour after the 9am Mass today, Sunday, February 17th. Coffee and light treats will be served in the lower church hall. Join us!



The Church of St. Agnes will offer three Masses on **Monday, February 18th**, which is President's Day. **Masses will be at 8:10am, 12:10pm, and 1:10pm.** The church will close after the 1:10pm Mass. There will be no confessions that day. The Rectory Office will also be closed and we will resume our regular schedule the following day. Thank you!

**SAINT PATRICK'S DAY GAELIC MASS
Saturday, March 16th – 9:00 AM**

St. Agnes is pleased to announce that Fr. Aidan O'Driscoll of Co. Cork will celebrate our Annual Gaelic Mass on **Saturday, March 16th at 9:00 AM.** Fr. Michael Barrett will deliver the homily in English. The readings will be in Gaelic, coordinated by Eileen Zurell. Vonny Quinn will sing Gaelic and Alex Pattavina will accompany on the organ. We will have bagpipes in front of the church before and after Mass. Please join us for this beautiful celebration (and St. Agnes tradition!) for the feast of St. Patrick. For more information, please contact Anna Megan at the rectory office (212 682 5722) or by e-mail at church@stagneschurchnyc.org.



Church Contributions



St. Agnes publishes church contributions once a month. This number reflects all donations, including those made online. A monthly number gives a better overall understanding of the financial picture of our church in terms of donations.

***St. Agnes operates at a deficit.
We continue to need your help!***

The monthly report of church contributions is NOT savings in the bank, but what we need to operate on a day-to-day basis. If you haven't made your church contributions online, you might want to consider it. St. Agnes works with Parish Pay (also called We Share) and Appia (info below). **We have found that those who donate online find it an easy option for giving.**

What is Parish Pay?

ParishPay provides parishioners a simple, secure and convenient way to support St. Agnes by enabling you to transfer your donations directly from your checking, savings, or credit card accounts through automated giving.



What is Automated Giving?

An alternate means of support for Saint Agnes instead of envelopes. In lieu of weekly collections, the ParishPay program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, saving, or credit card account. There is NO cost to participate in the program.

What are the benefits to me?

- Allows you to plan your giving, in the same way you budget your other financial commitments.
- You no longer have to be concerned about catching-up missed offertory donations when you miss a Mass because you are out of town, on vacation, ill, etc.
- You can easily adjust the amount of your automated contribution (increase or decrease) via secure website access.
- You no longer need to write a check every week.

How does it relate to the use of the weekly envelopes?

If you choose to participate in ParishPay, this will replace your weekly envelopes.

What about Special Collections and a one time Donation?

You can specify your giving preference for Second Collections and special celebration dates (e.g., Christmas, Easter) when you join ParishPay, or anytime thereafter. And, yes, a special one-time gift can be made.

To Sign up or more information

It's easy to sign up. Visit our church website and click on ParishPay. Or, visit www.parishpay.com to enroll on-line or call ParishPay's Toll-Free Customer Service Center at 866-PARISH1 (866-727-4741). If you need help, contact Anna at the Rectory Office (212-682-5722).

What is Appia?

Appia is an app for iPhones specifically designed to help Friends & Parishioners have up-to-date information for Mass times, Confessions, Holy Days of Obligation, and other activities at St. Agnes and other churches. You can make your church contributions through Appia. Stop by our website and click the Appia icon, or download Appia at the Apple App Store, or access it at www.appia.org. If you are having any trouble downloading Appia, contact Anna Megan at (212-682-5722). Once enrolled, donating is easy. First, select St. Agnes from the map of churches in Manhattan, then tap the \$ sign to make your contribution. We're proud to say that Appia was created by a Catholic for Catholics. Many thanks to Wilken Yu, the creator of Appia, for all his help.



Sacred Relics Exposition and Presentation

**Tuesday, March 5, 2019
8:00 AM - 9:00 PM**

Over 150 Sacred relics will be on display at St. Helena Parish gymnasium on March 5th. There will be a public teaching about the Sacred Relics at 7:00 PM in the parish church. Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with a very special Vatican collection, some as old as 2000 years.

Among the treasures will be relics of St. Helena, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. In addition, there will also be present a portion of the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic.

There is a special plenary indulgence attached to viewing this display. In the Church's history, many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this ministry. For more information, call the church at 718-892-3232.

**St. Helena Church
1315 Olmstead Avenue
Bronx, NY 10462
www.churchofsthelena.com**

Vocation Discernment Weekend for Women

March 8, 2019, 4:00 PM - March 10, 2019

We invite women (ages 19 – 45) who are discerning a religious vocation to join us for a weekend of sharing in our life of prayer and apostolate.

There is no fee, but reservations are required.

Rosary Hill Home
600 Linda Avenue
Hawthorne, NY 10532

www.hawthorne-dominicans.org/come-and-see

Contact: Sister Catherine Marie
at 845-745-1319 or

vocationdirector@hawthorne-dominicans.org

FEBRUARY 17, 2019

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 18

8:10 AM Anna Frazzano
12:10 PM Gilberte Ambroise
1:10 PM Jean DeSales Barrett

Tuesday, February 19

7:10 AM Margaret Gibney
8:10 AM Patricia & Ed Storm (Living)
12:10 PM Reynaldo Cruz
12:40 PM Daniel Sciolto
1:10 PM Godofredo Gonzales
5:10 PM John Enrigat

Wednesday, February 20

7:10 AM Ashley Storm (Living)
8:10 AM Vincent McDonnell (Living)
12:10 PM Jedd Sereysky
12:40 PM Frank Kelly (Living)
1:10 PM Luis Calderon
5:10 PM Lorraine Mary Jones

Thursday, February 21

7:10 AM Margaret Gibney
8:10 AM Eugene Ancheta
12:10 PM Patrick Doyle
12:40 PM Leonard Franklin
1:10 PM Cynthia Gordon (Living)
5:10 PM Harry Ryan

Friday, February 22 *The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle*

7:10 AM Dennis O'Driscoll
8:10 AM Anna Sforza
12:10 PM Adolfo & Rose Sierra
12:40 PM Ana Cardenas
1:10 PM Lourdes Teves
5:10 PM Cynthia Gordon (Living)

Saturday, February 23 *St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr*

8:10 AM Anna Sforza
12:10 PM Francis Thorp
5:10 PM Matthew Frank Cea

Law of the Eucharistic Fast

A complete fast from all food and drink for 1 hour before the reception of the Holy Eucharist is *current law* for all Catholics. Water and medicine are allowed.

Confessions in Spanish

Confessions can be heard in Spanish. Contact the rectory office for the availability of a bilingual priest.

Church contributions for the month of February will be reported at the end of the month.