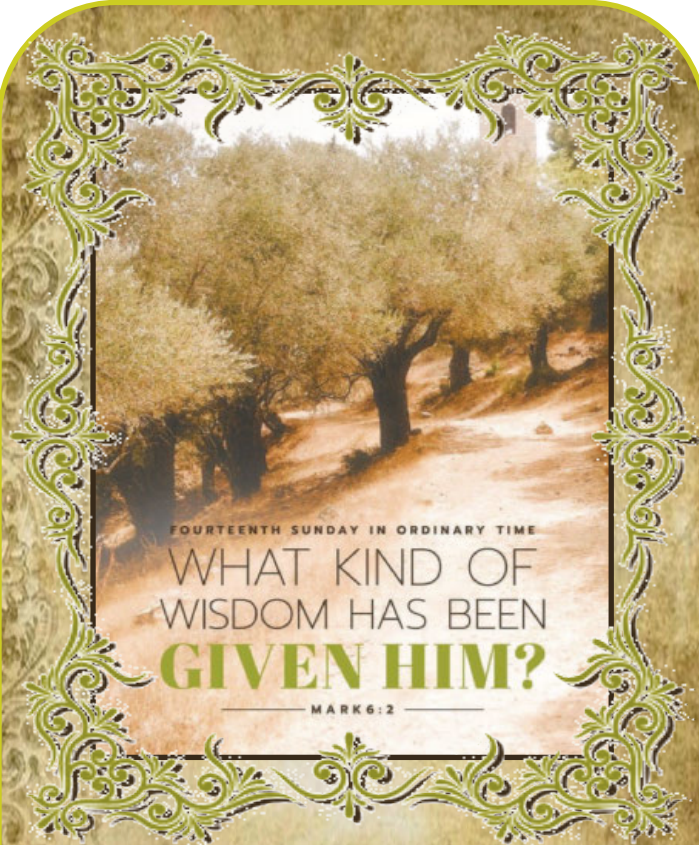
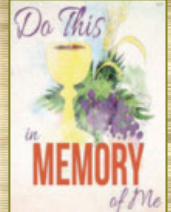


SAINT AGNES CHURCH

1140 EVERGREEN ST., SAN DIEGO, CA 92106

July 7, 2024

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is on summer break.

It will resume on Thursday, August 8, 2024, at 6:45pm in the Parish Center. This is a program for those who are preparing to receive the sacraments.

For more information please call the Parish Office at (619) 223-2200.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed.

Tues-Friday 9:30am-4:00pm

Closed for Lunch from Noon-1:00pm

SCHOOL OF RELIGION: (619) 840-4241

PARISH WEBSITE: www.saint-agnes.org

Parish Schedule

MASS TIMES

Saturday

4:30pm-Live Streamed

Vigil of Sunday

FIRST Saturday of the month ONLY-8:00am

Sunday

8:00am, 11:00am, 5:30pm

5:30pm-Bilingual Mass (Portuguese-English)

Last Sunday of the Month

Daily

Monday, Wednesday, Friday:

7:30am

Tuesday, Thursday:

5:30pm

ADORATION: Every Friday

8:00am-12:00pm

Every first Saturday,

8:30am-9:30 am.

**CONFESSIONS: Saturday from 3:15pm-4:15pm
or by appointment only.**

**BAPTISM: Make arrangements three
months in advance.**

**Please call the Parish Office
at 619-223-2200.**

**MARRIAGES: Please contact the Priest
nine months in advance.**



14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. - Mk 6:2

The Heroic Moment

I once asked a wise mother how she raised her children, now all faithful adults, to value their Catholic faith.

A big part of it, she explained, was helping them get out of bed.

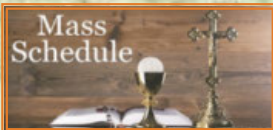
"We called it 'the heroic moment,'" she told me, referring to that time in the early morning when you have to decide if you're going to get up and face the day, or pull the covers over your head and hide.

In those hazy, half-asleep moments, most of us don't want to make the right decision. I know I don't. I'm not ready for the day. I'm not ready for the light. I'm not ready for the things I'm going to need to do, the person I'm going to need to be. It's easy to hide under the covers, in the darkness and the quiet.

"Do not be afraid," the angels tell the shepherds. Why is that the first thing they say? Because the night is dark, and the shepherds have grown used to the darkness.

Maybe they have even been asleep. This sudden apparition, this announcement, does not just come as a surprise. It comes as a shock. Light can be painful if we've spent too long in the darkness.

The angels brought news of great joy. But don't trust the thesaurus because joy is not the same as pleasure. It's not even the same as happiness. It's so much more. It's so much better. But you have to choose it.



Monday, July 8

7:30am †Gregorio, Maria Jose, & Fernando Balelo

Tuesday, July 9

5:30pm †Maria Coelho

Wednesday, July 10

7:30am †Hazel Gonsalves

Thursday, July 11

5:30pm †In memory of Jane Blessey Arrington

Friday, July 12

7:30am †João Bettencourt

Saturday, July 13

4:30pm Special Intentions of the Gibson Family

Sunday, July 14

8:00am †Patricia Vargas

11:00am †Carlota Silva

5:30pm †Maria Braz

Mass Intentions for the Week



2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

As of June 23, 2024

Number of Pledges: 56

Parish Goal \$35,000.00

Amount Paid \$28,392.00

We are under our goal by: \$6,608.00

A sincere thank you to the 56 families who have contributed so generously.



ARE YOU READY TO SERVE

St. Agnes is looking for dedicated youth and adults who would like to give service to their parish family by joining the Altar Server Ministry. We are especially in need of servers for all masses, Saturday Vigil Mass at 4:30 pm, Sunday masses at 8am, 11am and 5:30pm. You don't have to attend these Masses every Sunday to serve them. You just need to be willing to serve at least twice a month and then show up for your scheduled Mass. If you wish to join this ministry, you need to have received your First Communion and should be going into the 3rd grade, and, you are never too old to start. Junior high and high school students are welcome. If you are interested, please contact the Parish office at 223-2200 and ask for Maria. Come with us and Serve God with Gladness.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun 7/7	Mon 7/8	Tues 7/9	Wed 7/10	Thurs 7/11	Fri 7/12	Sat 7/13
<u>Masses</u> 8:00am, 11:00am 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am	<u>Mass</u> 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am <u>Rosary for Vocations</u> 7:00am	<u>Mass</u> 5:30pm <u>AA Meeting-7pm</u>	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am <u>Adoration</u> 8:00am-12:00pm <u>NA Meeting-7pm</u>	<u>Mass</u> 4:30pm <u>Confessions</u> <u>Every Saturday</u> 3:15am-4:15pm

St. Agnes Religious Ed

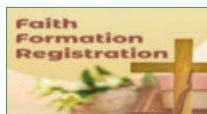
Our St. Agnes Faith Formation and Children's Liturgy will resume this September. You can register for St. Agnes 2024-25 Faith Formation classes here at <http://saint-agnes.org/ccd/2024 RegistrationPacket.pdf>

We would like to take this opportunity to appreciate our St. Agnes faith community for their prayers and support. Our students, families and teachers, for keeping the commitment to partner and grow our Catholic faith, to awaken in our children's hearts a love of God and an adherence to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We never cease to grow and mature in the practice of the faith. Pope Francis offers us practical advice as we strive to share our faith in the world: "You too need to see the entirety of your life as a mission. Try to do so by listening to God in prayer and recognizing the signs that he gives you. Always ask the Spirit what Jesus expects from you at every moment of your life and in every decision, you must make so as to discern its place in the mission you have received. Make it your number one priority to practice the faith above all with your family.

* Go to Mass as a family and talk about the readings and the homily afterward.
Pray the rosary together.

*Celebrate the liturgical seasons together and pray before meals and bedtime with your children.

*Live your faith well as an example.



Saint Agnes Book Club

The St Agnes Book Club Choice for July 2024 is:
The Alice Network
by Kate Quinn

We will meet on Wednesday evening, July 17, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. and/or Thursday morning, July 18, 2024 at 10 a.m. in the Parish Center. All are welcome!

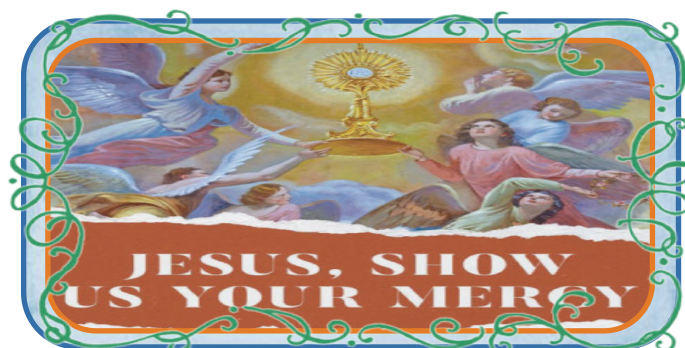
ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER AT SAINT AGNES?

We value you as a parishioner of Saint Agnes. Each week your presence, support and active participation brings life to our community. If you are not receiving mailings from Saint Agnes on a regular basis, or have not filled out a registration form, then we have no record of your presence in our parish. **The fact that you've been "coming here for years" is not the same as being registered. You must fill out a Parish Registration Form.**

This can be done on our Parish Website www.saint-agnes.org. Please keep in mind that families must be registered, active and supporting the parish to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, First Communion, and Holy Matrimony at Saint Agnes.

Rosary for Vocations

The Rosary for Vocations was begun more than 40 years ago at St Agnes by a group of men who belonged to the Serra Society, an organization which supports vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Join us at 7:05 every Wednesday morning before Mass, as we continue to pray for vocations at



COMMODITIES

The next food distribution will be in the Parish Teen Center on Thursday, July 25, 2024.

Food Distribution needs more volunteers to help distribute food to families on the 4th Thursday of each month from 7:00 AM- 10:00 AM.





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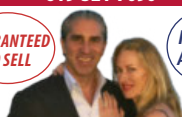
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