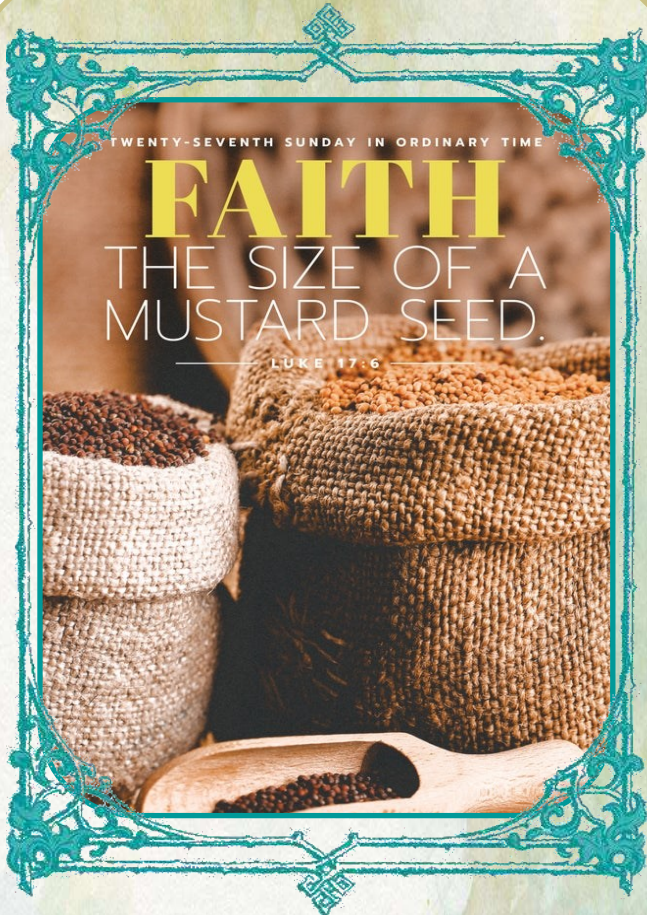


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October 5, 2025

Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time



OCIA

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is going on every Thursday 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

Vigil of Sunday
FIRST Saturday of the month ONLY-8:00am

Sunday
8:00am-Live Streamed, 11:00am, 5:30pm
5:30pm-Bilingual Mass (Portuguese-English)
Last Sunday of the Month

Daily
Monday, Wednesday, Friday:
7:30am

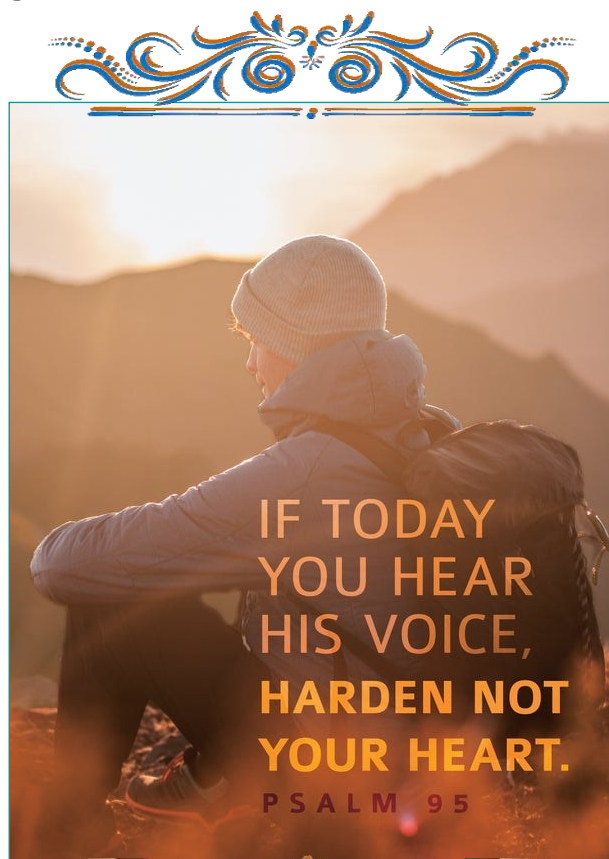
Tuesday, Thursday:
5:30pm

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



From the Desk of Romeo Velos

SIN OF OMISSION

The parable of the rich man and Lazarus is exclusive to Luke (16: 19-31). It highlights the true Christian way of life. It includes contemplation, communion and mission. We are called to contemplation in our prayer and worship, to communion by loving one another and to mission by witnessing the love of God in the world. The opposite of Christian life includes blindness, indifference, paralysis and death highlighted in the parable. A parable is a short, fictitious narrative designed to illuminate spiritual truths, usually with unexpected twist. The parable of the rich man and Lazarus highlights the sin of omission. It makes two important points. The first has to do with the reversal of fortunes of this life in the hereafter. The second is that even the return of a messenger from the dead will not bring about reform among those who are selfish, self centered and greedy. The parable is a wake up call, a warning and a call to conversion. There is an accounting and divine judgment at the end. Riches and freedom mean great responsibility and obligation to work for the common good. The parable presents contrasts between the rich man and Lazarus. The rich man is nameless because he could be anyone of us. The poor man is named Lazarus which means God helps. Lazarus is forgotten by men but remembered by God. The rich man is dressed in purple garments and fine linen while Lazarus is covered with sores. The only creatures that notice him are dogs who lick his sores. How many Lazarus today who suffer and die of intense deprivation and misery because of our indifference, insensitivity, greediness and self absorption? The rich man is brought to the place of torment while Lazarus is carried away by the angels to the bosom of Abraham. The place of torment refers to the irrevocable separation from God. It is that abyss we dig for ourselves, day by day, when we close our hearts to love. It is that gulf we create through our thousand refusals and delays. When we postpone compassion, the distance grows deeper. The parable therefore calls us to be responsible and faithful stewards of creation, to have the same mind and heart of Jesus and to be our brother/sister's keeper.



AN INVITATION

We invite young men who feel called to serve and help watch over our place of worship to consider volunteering. If you're interested or would like more information, please see Matthew Skotnicki (856)-906-9028 after Mass. Thank you!



September 28, 2025

Sunday Collection	AMOUNT
Envelope	\$ 3,164.39
Online Giving	\$ 3,267.21
Total	\$ 6,431.60

Parish Development Fund: 9/28/2025

PDF	\$ 282.00
PDF Online Giving	\$ 17.50
Total	\$ 299.50

Your generous donations to the Parish Development Fund (PDF) help support the upkeep and maintenance of our church and outlying buildings. PDF is also used for basic furniture and equipment needs to run the parish.

Mass Schedule

Monday, October 6	7:30am †Catarina & Jose Francisco
Tuesday, October 7	5:30pm †Felizbela & Jose Reis
Wednesday, October 8	7:30am †Joseph (Joey) Izidoro Jr.
Thursday, October 9	5:30pm †Maria Catarina Francisco & Jose Franca
Friday, October 10	7:30am †Rosaria Reis 7:00pm In Honor of OLF for the Living & Deceased members of Our Lady of Fatima Society
Saturday, October 11	4:30pm †Manuel Leal 7:00pm O.L.F.S. Rosary, Benediction & Adoration
Sunday, October 12	8:00am †Helena Neves 11:00pm †Valentim & Aurora Bettencourt 5:30pm In honor of O.L.F.S.

Mass Intentions for the Week

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS						
Sun 10/5	Mon 10/6	Tues 10/7	Wed 10/8	Thurs 10/9	Fri 10/10	Sat 10/11
<u>Masses</u> 8:00am-Live Streamed, 11:00am, 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am	<u>Mass</u> 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am	<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>OLFS Mass</u> 7:00pm	<u>Masses</u> 8:00am, 4:30pm <u>Confessions</u> <u>Every Saturday</u> 3:15am-4:15pm <u>OLFS Rosary</u> 7:00pm

Saint Agnes Fall Gathering

Our Annual Fall Gathering will be held at Saint Agnes Church, on Saturday, November 8, 2025 at 6:00pm. Tickets: \$35 per person

Come for an evening of *faith, food, and fun* and enjoy live music, children's craft table and a delicious dinner catered by Bekker's - featuring BBQ Tri-Tip (carved on site), BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, potato Salad, and Fresh Garden Salad, desserts and more!!

We're also accepting *raffle prize donations* please drop them off at the front office. For more info, contact the St. Agnes at (619) 223-2200.

We can't wait to gather together as a church family!



SAVE-THE-DATE

Our Lady of Fatima Triduum



Will be held at Saint Agnes Catholic Church

October 10th-12th, 2025

Mass-Friday, October 10, 2025-7:00pm

Rosary-Saturday, October 11, 2025-7:00pm

Mass-Sunday, October 12, 2025-5:30pm

Baptism

The next baptism workshops will be on Tuesday, **October 7th** at 7:30pm, in the school behind the church. Please call Jeanette Finete at 619-224-7562 a week before the class to confirm your attendance.

St. Agnes Religious Education

Our St. Agnes Faith Formation classes will resume this October.

You can download our St. Agnes 2025-2026 Faith Formation registration packet, from our Saint Agnes Website.

This year we will ONLY be offering sacrament classes for Reconciliation and 1st Holy Communion.

Classes start for **Communion** on Tuesday, October 14 in the Parish Center from 4:15pm to 5:30pm.

May start first year in 1st grade or 8 years and above.

Confirmation classes start Sunday, October 5, following the 5:30 mass, in the Parish Center.

Confirmation students must be at least 15 at the time of Confirmation thru senior year.

Please make checks payable to Saint Agnes Religious Education, and check our website to download the application, or call the Parish office.

We would also 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.



SEEKING CCD TEACHERS

Teach the Love of Christ

CCD Classes we are seeking teachers and substitutes, Tuesdays from 4:00-5:30pm. First day of class is October 14th. Registration packets available soon. Contact Trisha Myers 619-840-4241



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 St. Agnes and throughout the world.

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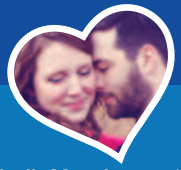
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