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**MASS SCHEDULE:**

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday : 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.  
Weekday: 6:30 & 11:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday,  
9:20 a.m. Friday - School Mass  
Holy Day: 7:00 p.m. Vigil, 6:30, 8:30 & 11:30 a.m.

**BAPTISMS:**

First-time parents must attend a Baptism Preparation Class before the child can be baptized. Classes are held every other month on the second Thursday. Call the Parish Office to register. Baptisms take place every Sunday at 1:00 p.m. except during Lent.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA):**

Persons wishing to inquire about the Catholic Faith or seeking to complete their initiation Sacraments should contact Paula Fritz at 431-1802 or [pfritz@saintagnes.com](mailto:pfritz@saintagnes.com).

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

Confessions are heard on Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass on the first Friday of the month or by calling the Parish Office and making an appointment.

**MARRIAGE:**

Call the Parish Office at least nine months in advance. At least one of the individuals must be a registered parishioner.

**HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK:**

For those who are homebound or sick and wish to receive Communion, call the Parish Office.

**MEN'S PRAYER GROUP**

Gather with fellow Brothers in Christ every Saturday morning, 7:00-8:00 a.m. in the Saint Agnes Daily Mass Chapel. Enjoy fellowship and the Word of God.

**GRADE SCHOOL CCD CLASSES:**

Held on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. during the school year. Contact Anita Dunn, 431-1802 or [adunn@saintagnes.com](mailto:adunn@saintagnes.com) for more information.

**PRE-SCHOOL RELIGION:**

Held on Sunday during the 11:30 a.m. Mass from September thru April. Contact Stacey Moorhead at 859-907-3667 or [staceyscully4@aol.com](mailto:staceyscully4@aol.com) for more information.

**MEETINGS:**

Athletic Boosters-3rd Monday at 7:30 p.m.  
in the Parish Conference Room  
Board of Education-2nd Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.  
in the Library/Media (School) Center  
Finance Committee-1st Thursday at 7:00 p.m.  
in Feb., May, Aug. & Nov. in the  
Parish Conference Room  
Parish Council-1st Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in the  
Parish Conference Room  
Pro-Life Committee-2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m.  
Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct. & Dec. in  
Murphy Hall  
St. Vincent de Paul Society-2nd & 4th Mondays  
at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Conference  
Room

## EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Calendar

#### Sunday, March 3

Coffee & Donuts after 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30  
Blood Pressure Screenings

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary - Church
- 10:30 a.m. RCIA - Parish Conf Room
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms
- 7:30 p.m. Rosary for Peace-Adoration Chapel

#### Monday, March 4

7:00 p.m. CCD - School

#### Tuesday, March 5

7:00 p.m. Parish Council - Parish Conf Room

#### Wednesday, March 6

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts - Murphy A & B

#### Thursday, March 7

- 11:30 a.m. Anointing of the Sick following Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Rosary - Church

#### Friday, March 8

5:00 p.m. Fish Fry - Murphy Hall

#### Saturday, March 9+

- 8:10 a.m. Sung Morning Prayer - Church
- 9:00 a.m. Confessions - Church

#### Sunday, March 10

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary - Church
- 10:30 a.m. RCIA - Parish Conf Room
- 1:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross
- 7:30 p.m. Rosary for Peace-Adoration Chapel

### Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, March 3-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 a.m. Richard Goodwin
- 9:30 a.m. Betty Muldoon
- 11:30 a.m. Col. A. E. Bob & Emily Von Holle

#### Monday, March 4-St. Casimir

- 6:30 a.m. Karen Everson
- 11:30 a.m. Meredith Kruetzkamp

#### Tuesday, March 5

- 6:30 a.m. Jason Dove Family
- 11:30 a.m. Cindy Kelly

#### Wednesday, March 6-Ash Wednesday

- 6:30 a.m. Intention of James Rahe
- 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish
- 11:30 a.m. Bill Becker
- 7:00 p.m. Kathleen Dean

#### Thursday, March 7-Sts. Perpetua & Felicity

- 6:30 a.m. Bill Poncer
- 11:30 a.m. Mary Tenkotte

#### Friday, March 8-St. John of God

- 6:30 a.m. Intention of JoAnn Glazier
- 9:20 a.m. Robert & Rosemary Jameson
- 11:30 a.m. William J. Roth Family

#### Saturday, March 9-St. Frances of Rome

- 8:30 a.m. Mark Sevilla
- 4:00 p.m. Ann Dickman

#### Sunday, March 10-First Sunday of Lent

- 7:30 a.m. Bill Poncer
- 9:30 a.m. Mary Wigger
- 11:30 a.m. Jack & Anna Beth Collett

### Ministry/Volunteer Schedule for March 9th & 10th

#### Gift Bearers

- 4:00 p.m.
- 7:30 a.m.
- 9:30 a.m.
- 11:30 a.m.

#### Special Ministers of the Word

- 4:00 p.m. L-A Ward, C-C Hill
- 7:30 a.m. M Ruberg
- 9:30 a.m. Ken Jump
- 11:30 a.m. L-J Osterhaus, C-C Read

#### Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:00 p.m. J Ward, M Stoeckle, J Bayer, D & K Bray, A Emerson, D & J Rechtin
- 7:30 a.m. L Ferguson, D & I Mai, Sr. Flo
- 9:30 a.m. J & P Bramlage, A Dickhaus, T Fischer, M Fox, MB Scott, G & D Small
- 11:30 a.m. R & J Lawson, P & ML Scheper, B Thamann, D Able, J & M Crowe

#### Servers

- 4:00 p.m. N Romes, J Bayer, W Michels
- 7:30 a.m. VOLUNTEERS
- 9:30 a.m. S Fischer, A Tignor, S Toebben
- 11:30 a.m. M Summe, P Summe, H Thamann

#### 6:30 a.m. – Servers:

March 4th-Steve Lorenz      March 11th-Don Mai

#### Rosary, Sunday, March 3rd at 9:00 a.m.: Jesse Boone

#### Highland Crossing, March 3rd:

#### Vocation Chalice Program Participants

- 4:00 p.m. Larry & Dorothy Hafertepen
- 7:30 a.m. Jack & Carrie Brueggemann
- 9:30 a.m. Deacon Gary & Mary Beth Scott
- 11:30 a.m. Greg & Debbie Small

#### Greeters

- 4:00 p.m. F-Kathy Bell A-David & Maria Kathman
- 7:30 a.m. F-Ronnie Mitchell A-Tom Arnold
- 9:30 a.m. F-Leah Rosing A-Paul & Debbie Finke
- 11:30 a.m. F-Keith & Julie Hopkins  
A-Gwen & Dennis Travis

## Staff Article

### Dear Friends

With all of the recent news articles it is very easy to see that people love to judge other people and give advice and opinions, even when they don't have much to offer. It can be kind of cute to see children spouting off about topics they know nothing about, but it gets a little scarier when they grow up. Depending on how serious the topic is, it can become downright dangerous, like "the blind leading the blind".

As Jesus points out in today's Gospel, we can be particularly prone to offering unnecessary, as well as ill-conceived, advice in the spiritual or moral realm. It can seem so clear to us what needs to happen in someone's life that it's hard to hold back. But when it comes to our own lives, we are more cautious because we see the big picture and we know there is no quick and easy fix.

Only God sees the true big picture. And because He does, He treats us with unending patience, grace and mercy. What a comforting truth this is! We can rest peacefully, secure in the faith that our heavenly Father has us in the palm of His hand.

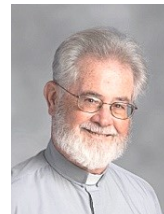
But here too is where a major challenge lies. God sees everyone's big picture. He has every person in the palm of His hand--even the people you understand the least. This means that you can leave everyone else to His care. You don't have to worry about changing them.

Of course we should love the people around us, and be involved in their lives. But try to do it by treating them with the same merciful loving approach that God has. Seek to understand and empathize, not condemn and over advise.

Think of one person whom you are most tempted to judge, or give advice to. Now try to isolate one conversation you have had in the last day or two when you gave in to the temptation to try to fix him or her. How could you have offered grace or love instead? Finally, watch for the next

conversation, and lead with love rather than correction.

God Bless  
Deacon Bob



## Parish Worship

### Faith Sharing Questions

**Theme of this week's Gospel: Jesus tells His disciples that if they are to produce good in others, they themselves must be good and if they are evil, they can only produce evil!**

Adults: When Jesus said, "every tree is known by its own fruit" what did He mean? Are you living a life that can lead others to Christ?

Teens: What do you think Jesus meant when He said, "people do not pick figs from thorn bushes?" How can you get rid of thorn bushes and brambles in your own life?

Children: Do you know anyone who reminds you of Jesus? Why? Can you try to imitate that person?

### **Next Sunday, March 10, 2019 First Sunday of Lent, Cycle C**

This coming Wednesday, March 6th, we begin the Liturgical Season of Lent. Each year at Easter (April 21st this year) we renew our Baptismal Promises. These promises reflect our commitment to allow the "story" we profess in the Creed to be THE fundamental and guiding story of our lives. That story is also called "Salvation History." It is reflected in the Baptismal Promises we will renew. With this Profession of Faith as our guide to being disciples of Jesus Christ, we strive literally and figuratively to embody His teachings in our individual lives and in our life as His Church .

Lent is a time set aside by our church for the purpose of preparing ourselves to renew the Baptismal Promises. On a personal level, the Baptismal Promises express our desire for our lives to be configured to Christ's, "who though He was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God something to be grasped, rather He emptied Himself... becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross." (Philippians 2:6-11, Second Reading on Palm Sunday). Prayer,

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### Parish Worship continued

alms-giving and fasting are three "tried and true" disciplines to help us prepare ourselves to live more deeply the life of sacrifice that our Baptismal Promises call us to. It is helpful to keep this in mind as we study the readings during Lent.

We are in Cycle C and so our Gospel readings this Lent are from the Gospel of Luke, specifically Luke's texts on conversion. During Lent, the first reading -- from the Old Testament -- is always about the history of salvation. The second reading -- from the New Testament writings -- is chosen because of thematic relations to the Old Testament and Gospel readings.

**Gospel (Luke 4:1-13):** Regardless of which year we are in, the Gospel Reading for the first Sunday in Lent is an account of Jesus' temptation in the desert from one of the Synoptic Gospels. This year it is from Luke. The story of Jesus fasting in the desert for forty days and then being "tested" by the devil occurs before Jesus begins His public ministry. The story seems to serve as an indicator that Jesus has been prepared in the desert by the Holy Spirit and is ready for His life's salvific work.

**First Reading (Deuteronomy 26:4-10):** The Book of Deuteronomy is constructed as a collection of speeches attributed to Moses, just as the Jewish people are about to enter the Promised Land. Moses is concerned that having reached their destination, they will become complacent and forget the Lord. As in many places in the Old Testament, there is a concern that the people not forget what the Lord their God has done for them. For this reason, Moses instructs that at the end of the harvest season, the people were to present the first fruits to the Lord, and recite the words that comprise this reading.

**Second Reading (Romans 10:8-13):** Paul instructs his listeners that the Word they have received effects both their inner selves ("in your heart") and their external selves ("in your mouth").

### Catholic Traditions

**Lent:** A little research shows that the season Lent has a very complicated history. The practice

of having a period of fasting before the annual celebration of Easter is very old. In the earliest days of the Church, the weekly Sunday celebration of the Eucharist was seen as THE commemoration of Easter and it was preceded by a day of fast on the Friday of each week. So the church's celebration of the Eucharist on Sunday and fasting on Friday are among the oldest of our traditions.

There have been many variations of the season that we now call Lent. The symbolism of "40 days" connects Lent with Jesus' "40 days in the desert" when he fasted and prayed before he began his public ministry. An exact count of 40 days does not seem to have been important. In some areas, Sundays were expected to be days of fasting like any other day of Lent. In other areas, Sundays weren't fast days. In some areas, neither Sundays nor Saturdays were counted, but Lent lasted for eight weeks (8x5=40). One form of Lent consisted of the six weeks before Easter, but not counting Sundays. These 36 days amounted to a spiritual tithing (10% of the 365 days of the year). Later, to make it 40, so as to be more similar to Christ's 40 days in the desert, four more days were added at the beginning (Ash Wednesday through the following Saturday--the so-called "porch" of Lent).

In our age, with better communications, it is easier for us all to be on the same page. Currently, officially Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on the evening of Holy Thursday. If you count all the days -- including Sundays -- that will add up to 44 days. The evening of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Saturday are no longer part of "Lent." They form what is called the "Triduum" or "the three days" which form the summit of our year of worship, commemorating Jesus' crucifixion, death and resurrection. The reason for Lent is to provide a time when together as a church we prepare to enter into the Paschal Mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection, and to renew our Baptismal Promises wherein we die with Christ, so that we may rise with Christ. At the Easter Vigil and on Easter Sunday morning at all Masses, we renew our Baptismal Promises. (See introduction to the readings above.)

## Parish Worship continued

### Adoration of Our Lord

*"But, who do you say that I am? You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."* (Matthew 16:15, 16)

The Most Blessed Sacrament is the God Man Jesus Christ in the fullness of His divinity and humanity. Our faith centers on this Truth, and is not up for debate. Do you believe or do you need help in your unbelief? Please sign up for an hour with the Living God in our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. Call 496-4149 for more information.



### Weekday Rosary

The Rosary is prayed in Church every weekday at 11:00 a.m.

## Stewardship

### Status of Sunday Collection

Actual Collections (July thru February)	\$861,576
Budgeted Collections (July thru February)	\$878,000
Actual Compared to Budgeted	<b>\$16,424</b>
Budgeted Collections for Fiscal Year (2018/2019)	\$1,258,000

## We Are His Hands

### Thanks: From Family Promise of Northern Kentucky

We recently received a very nice acknowledgment from Family Promise of Northern Kentucky (formerly known as Interfaith Hospitality Network) thanking us for our donations to them. Each month we send a percentage of our Sunday offerings to Family Promise. Family Promise is the only agency in our area that keeps homeless families together while trying to help them get on their feet.

## Saint of the Week

### Saint Frances of Rome

Did you know that a 15th century saint is the patron saint of automobile drivers? It's true. It's Saint Frances of Rome. Frances was born to an aristocratic family in Rome in 1384 and Christened at the Church of Saint Agnes. Although she wanted to be a nun her parents set up an arranged marriage with the commander of the Papal troops, who was a member of another aristocratic Roman family. The marriage was a happy one partly because her husband, Lorenzo, admired her and partly because he was often away at war.



Rome experienced a period of flood and famine during which time Frances turned the estate into a hospital and distributed food and clothing to the poor. It is said that her father was so upset with her generosity that he took the keys of the stores away from her. He relented when he saw that the supplies were replenished after Frances prayed over the stores. During the wars of the time, her son, Battista, was to be turned over to opposing forces as a hostage. She did not want to do this, but her spiritual director told her to. On the way to deliver her son to the opposing forces she stopped and prayed at a church and entrusted her son to the Virgin Mary. When she got to the soldiers who were going to take her son away, the horse they put him on refused to move. The soldiers tried to get the horse to go but it would not and seeing the hand of God in this, they refused to take the boy.

Her husband was severely injured in the wars and she nursed him for the rest of his life. At the same time, Rome was in ruins. Frances again opened her home to the poor and sick and went into the forests around the city to obtain herbs for medicine and firewood for the poor. She is also reported to have the gift of healing. She was also a contemplative and had visions, particularly of her Guardian Angel. In 1433 she established a confraternity of the Olivetan Oblates of Mary. She continued to nurse her husband until his death in 1436, after which she moved to the monastery she had established. She died in 1440.

## Saint of the Week continued

Why is she the patron of automobile drivers? It is reported that when she traveled an angel preceded her with a lantern to light her road. So remember Saint Frances of Rome when you are on the road and need some help.

## Parish News

### Deceased of our Parish (February)

Please pray for the family and friends of the following parishioners who recently passed away:

Mrs. Dorothy Bankemper  
Mrs. Emily Von Holle  
Mrs. Mary Wigger

### New Parishioners (February)

Welcome the newest members to Saint Agnes Parish:

Mr. & Mrs. Richard & Mary Kay Schmeing

### This Sunday: have a donut

This Sunday, March 3rd, you are invited to Murphy Hall immediately following the 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. Masses for donuts, fruit, coffee & juice.

Sponsors this month are members of the Big Blue Bash Committee



### Blood Pressure Screenings

Blood pressure screenings will be taken by nurses from our Parish Wellness Committee after all Masses next weekend.

### Family of God

We welcome into the Family of God the following infants who were baptized recently at St. Agnes:

Emma Beatrice Carter  
Child of Dennis & Stephanie Carter  
Nathaniel Ryan Jump  
Child of Ryan & Cheryl Jump  
Theodore Andrew Kreyling  
Child of Andrew & Alison Kreyling

### First Thursday Rosary in March

Please join us on March 7th at 7:00 p.m. Join other faithful in praying the Rosary for the needs of family and parish.

Pray for our country and the world, especially in these dangerous times. Pray in gratitude for all the gifts God has given us.

Give 30 minutes to God and Mary in this Saint Agnes tradition that started in 1999. *Please*

*enter via the annex doors facing Dixie Highway.*



### Pray for Our Second Graders

Today our second grade children from school and our evening program make their commitment to prepare as best they can for receiving First Eucharist on May 5th. Please pray for our children:



Alexander, Gianna

Averdick, Joshua

Barczak, Erika

Barth, Evan

Berger, Charlotte

Boyer, Alexa

Broering, Nola

Carpenter, Jaydence

Christian, Landon

Costin, Jacqueline

Cousineau, Dylan

Cruse, Alexa

DeCastro, Mila

Dicke, Ethan

Edmondson, Addison

Edmondson, Asher

Fariello, Danica

Fassbender, Elin

Graham, Lily

Haaser, Eastlyn

Harmeling, Mason

Holbrook, Pippa

Jordan, Molly

Kathman, Reed

Kelly, Dylan

King, Claire

Lambert, Blake

Lawrie, Seraphina

Lynch, Samuel

Lyons, Nola

Mando, Sydney

McClure, Ava

Metzler, Emery

Nienaber, Luke

Robertson, Eli

Rosing, Austin

Rossow, Carter

Ruwe, Charles

Ruwe, Sylvia

Scanlon, Quentin

Schneider, McKenna

Seibert, Nolan

Seither, Maeve

Smith, Hayden

Spaulding, Eli

Stahl, Caden

Tappy, Logan

Teller, Robel

Thamann, Leo

Trenkamp, Olivia

VonHoene, Clara

Ward, Kayleb

Wehner, Juliana

Wilder, Colin

Zinga, Amberlee

Zinga, Annabelle

## Parish News continued

### Cans for Kids Next Weekend

Please remember that next weekend is the monthly collection for "Cans for Kids". Bring in your non-perishable items to donate to a worthy cause.

### Jump Into Spring with Youth Group



Youth Group meets March 10th, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Join other teens in the quest to stay close to Jesus. Spend time reflecting on Lent and sharing your faith with other teens. Fun games, food, and fellowship. Hope to see you there. Further info contact Anita Dunn, [adunn@saintagnes.com](mailto:adunn@saintagnes.com).

### Saint Agnes Fish Fries

Be sure to "Catch" the Saint Agnes Fish Fries on March 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th from 5-9 p.m. in the church undercroft. Come for a night of fellowship, fun and FISH! We will have fried fish on the world famous Sub Station II buns, baked salmon, shrimp, pizza and new this year will be soup. Desserts will also be available for sale. Carry-out will also be available. If you are interested in volunteering please go to <https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/2704905/false#/invitation>.



See you at the Fish Fry!!

### Randyfest

A benefit for parishioner Randy Griffin, who is battling cancer, will be held on Saturday, March 9th from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at American Legion Hall in Latonia. There will be a donation bucket and cash bar with proceeds going to offset medical expenses Randy has incurred over the past year. Featured bands will be The Guitar Boys and The Head Gaskets, who play a variety of classic rock, blues, and country rock. For more information search "randyfest" on Facebook.

## Spiritual Adoption

### Month 5—Developing Baby

"Mommy felt me kick today!" Your spiritually adopted baby weighs over one pound now, and his mother can feel his movement. Before this time he was too small for her to feel. Although he swam with ease in his watery world, he needed to be big and strong enough to kick hard against the outside wall and dent it — the inside wall of the uterus has little feeling. We are mid-way through the pregnancy now. Your prayers have helped your baby's mother continue with her pregnancy and seek the help she needs.

## Faith Formation

### RCIA

Next weekend, March 10th, our RCIA catechumen, Cheryl, will celebrate the Rite of Sending in our parish at the 11:30 a.m.



Mass. Across the world, Catholic Bishops on the First Sunday of Lent welcome those sent by the parish to gather with their sponsors in what is known as the Rite of Election. The Rite of Sending, celebrated in the parish, offers the parish community the opportunity to acknowledge the spiritual progress the catechumens have made, to express approval of their readiness to enter the Catholic Church, and to send them forth to our bishop with assurance of the parish's care and support. Please pray for Cheryl, as she celebrates this last major Rite and so begins a period of more intense spiritual preparation before entering the Church at the Easter Vigil. **If you, or someone you know, would like to explore the Catholic faith, please contact Paula Fritz at [pfritz@saintagnes.com](mailto:pfritz@saintagnes.com) or call the Parish Office at 431-1802.**

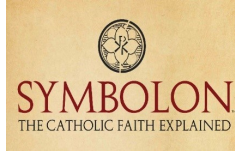
### Word of Life Bulletin Brief

"Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living."  
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
"Every Life is Worth Living" Prayers

## Faith Formation continued

### The Catholic Faith Explained

This Lent discover the big picture of the Catholic faith, and how to live it! Saint Agnes is presenting *Symbolon: Knowing the Faith* as our Adult Faith Formation series every Wednesday through April 17th at 1:00 pm, repeated at 7:00 pm, (skipping Ash Wednesday). "Too often we try to live a faith we don't know or understand. Some of us stumble along with it, going through the motions. Others simply walk away." [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org)



This Lent, commit to learn and live your faith. *Symbolon: Knowing the Faith* explains the essentials of the Catholic Faith in a way that will "inform our minds and inspire our hearts." [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org)

Come, join us in the parish conference room for this free series whenever you have time. For more details, please email [pfritz@saintagnes.com](mailto:pfritz@saintagnes.com) or call the Parish Office at 431-1802.

### FORMED

**Lent 2019 IS THE PERFECT TIME TO JOIN FORMED.ORG! DO YOU KNOW WHAT FORMED IS?**

Our parish has received the gift of an online subscription to **FORMED**, which offers multiple Catholic resources for each of us to grow in our relationship with Jesus Christ and in our desire to share our Faith with others. **FORMED** includes faith based movies, documentaries, books, audios, and children's resources, all beautifully presented to help you and your children grow in your love, understanding, and zeal for our faith. Lent is a wonderful time to commit to growing in your faith so that you can know, love, and serve the Lord more intently each and every day. **Please register (free) for FORMED by going to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org), clicking the Enter Code box in the upper left section, entering the access code 7CWP2N, and then following the instructions.** Jesus is inviting you and your family to a deeper union with Him this Lent. Please respond YES today and register for **FORMED!**

### Young Adult and Adult Faith Formation Catholic Bible Study Classes

Ten individual workshops will be offered at the Curia Office Building (12th and Madison, Covington, across the street from the Cathedral). Father Timothy Schehr is the presenter. These workshops will provide the Young Adult and Adult learners with a more in-depth understanding of specific books of the Bible during 2018-20. This is a wonderful opportunity for the people of the diocese to learn more about their Catholic Bible. The sessions are scheduled for Tuesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Each workshop will cover one book of the Bible. The cost is \$35 for each session. One does not need to attend all sessions. The next session, on the First Book of Kings will be offered beginning on March 5th. For more information see the brochures in the foyers of church, or email [catechesis@covdio.org](mailto:catechesis@covdio.org) or go to the website: <http://www.covdio.org/catechesis-formation/>

To register call Marian West at 859-392-1500, ext. 1533, or register online, <https://www.covdio.org/scripture-study-for-young-adults-and-adult-faith-formation>. At the bottom of the page is a link to take you to the online registration page.

## Diocesan News

### Thinking About the Priesthood?

Today, March 3rd, there will be a Discernment Dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory of the Cathedral. Bishop Foys and Fr. Andrew Young invite any men, high-school age and older, who are interested in learning more about the priesthood to attend. These dinners are held on the First Sunday of every month and usually last about an hour and half. Please contact Fr. Andrew Young in the Vocations Office (392-1500 ext. 1587) for more details. If you would like more information, or if you know someone who might be discerning a vocation, please contact Father Keene (431-1802 or [mkeene@saintagnes.com](mailto:mkeene@saintagnes.com)).



## **Saint Agnes Parish Lent and Easter 2019**

<b>Wednesday, March 6th</b>	<b>Ash Wednesday</b>	<b>Masses at 6:30, 8:30 (School), 11:30 AM &amp; 7:00 PM</b>
<b>Sunday, March 10th</b>	<b>First Sunday of Lent RCIA Rite of Sending Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times 9:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Sunday, March 17th</b>	<b>Second Sunday of Lent RCIA Penitential Rite Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times 9:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Sunday, March 24th</b>	<b>Third Sunday of Lent RCIA First Scrutiny Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times 9:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Sunday, March 31st</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Lent Anointing of the Sick RCIA Second Scrutiny Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times All Masses 9:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Thursday, April 4th</b>	<b>Parish Reconciliation Service</b>	<b>7:00 PM in Church</b>
<b>Sunday, April 7th</b>	<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent RCIA Third Scrutiny Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times 9:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Thursday, April 11th</b>	<b>Deanery Reconciliation Service</b>	<b>7:00 PM at St. Pius X Church</b>
<b>Sunday, April 14th</b>	<b>Palm Sunday Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times 1:00 PM</b>
<b>Tuesday, April 16th</b>	<b>Chrism Mass</b>	<b>7:00 PM at our Cathedral</b>
<b>Thursday, April 18th</b>	<b>Morning Prayer Holy Thursday Pot Luck Supper Holy Thursday Liturgy</b>	<b>6:30 AM 6:00 PM in Murphy Hall 7:30 PM</b>
<b>Friday, April 19th</b>	<b>Morning Prayer Good Friday Liturgy Stations of the Cross Good Friday Liturgy (repeated)</b>	<b>6:30 AM 12:00 PM 1:30 PM 7:00 PM</b>
<b>Saturday, April 20th</b>	<b>Morning Prayer Easter Vigil</b>	<b>8:30 AM 8:30 PM</b>
<b>Sunday, April 21st</b>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times</b>
<b>Sunday, June 2nd</b>	<b>Ascension of the Lord</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times</b>
<b>Sunday, June 9th</b>	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>	<b>Regular Mass Times</b>