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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

## SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Calendar

#### Sunday, July 28

- ACUE Collection
- 9:00 a.m. Rosary - Church
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms
- 7:30 p.m. Rosary for Peace-Adoration Chapel

#### Monday, July 29

- 5:30 p.m. First Place 4 Health - Parish Conf Room

#### Tuesday, July 30

- 7:30 a.m. First Place 4 Health - Parish Conf Room

#### Wednesday, July 31

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

#### Thursday, August 1

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

#### Friday, August 2

- 12:00 p.m. Confessions after Mass

#### Saturday, August 3

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

#### Sunday, August 4

- Coffee & Donuts after 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30
- Blood Pressure Screenings
- 9:00 a.m. Rosary - Church
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms
- 7:30 p.m. Rosary for Peace-Adoration Chapel

### Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, July 28-Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 a.m. Intention of Linda Rahe
- 9:30 a.m. Agnes Karlin
- 11:30 a.m. Charles Mayleben

#### Monday, July 29-St. Martha

- 6:30 a.m. Dodd & Connelly Families
- 11:30 a.m. Jim Brown

#### Tuesday, July 30-St. Peter Chrysologus

- 6:30 a.m. Mary Maschmeyer
- 11:30 a.m. Carl & Emma Kuchle Family

#### Wednesday, July 31-St. Ignatius of Loyola

- 6:30 a.m. Rose T. Poage
- 11:30 a.m. Deacon Ralph Grieme

#### Thursday, August 1-St. Alphonsus Liguori

- 6:30 a.m. Robert & Rosemary Jameson
- 11:30 a.m. Rebecca Moening

#### Friday, August 2-St. Eusebius of Vercelli;

- St. Peter Julian Eymard
- 6:30 a.m. People of the Parish
- 11:30 a.m. Betty Muldoon

#### Saturday, August 3

- 8:30 a.m. All Members of Clay Ministries
- 4:00 p.m. Christine Heupel

#### Sunday, August 4-Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 a.m. Bernie Cummings
- 9:30 a.m. Mark Seifried
- 11:30 a.m. Robert Powers

### Ministry/Volunteer Schedule for August 3rd/4th

#### Gift Bearers

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

#### Special Ministers of the Word

- 4:00 p.m. L-A Wadsworth, C-M Witt
- 7:30 a.m. M Ruberg
- 9:30 a.m. L Rowekamp
- 11:30 a.m. L-M Fritz, C-C Read

#### Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:00 p.m. J Bayer, S Gleeson, M Stoeckle, N Stratman,  
K Willenbrink, J & A Ward, P Adams
- 7:30 a.m. B Lewin, R & T Lonneman, R Miller
- 9:30 a.m. K Fischer, P Metzger, C Jacober, T Fischer,  
C Mullen, MB Scott, P Bramlage
- 11:30 a.m. M Osterhaus, P Fritz, P Johnston,  
B Thamann, D & G Travis, J & M Crowe

#### Servers

- 4:00 p.m. J Bayer, W Michels, E Dowd
- 7:30 a.m. Volunteers
- 9:30 a.m. K Brungs, C Brungs, C Collins
- 11:30 a.m. E Davis, J Lawrie, J Lawrie

#### 6:30 a.m. - Servers:

- July 29th-Tony Eilerman August 5th-Paul Kleier

#### Rosary, Sunday, August 4th at 9:00 a.m.: Dan Summe

#### Highland Crossing, :

#### Vocation Chalice Program Participants

- 4:00 p.m. Andy & Tricia Kennedy
- 7:30 a.m. Sisters of Notre Dame
- 9:30 a.m. Todd & Marijo Fischer
- 11:30 a.m. Jackie Ayres

#### Greeters

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

## Staff Article

### Moon Missions and the Mystical

Much of our attention in recent weeks has been directed toward the 50th Anniversary of the Apollo rocket mission that landed Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin on the moon and brought them safely back home. I was twelve years old on that Sunday afternoon back in 1969. We were having a family reunion at "Uncle Twyman's and Aunt Hattie's" farm outside of Bardstown. As the time for the landing approached, we all (70-80 persons I guess) crowded into the "sitting room" where there was a TV and we watched the landing. Later, that night, back at home, we watched the two astronauts as they explored the landing sight on the moon. It was amazing then... and has only gotten more amazing to me as I have gotten older (by 50 years no less!).

There is a DVD entitled *In the Shadow of the Moon* which consists of interviews of a number of the astronauts who went to the moon. It is a very interesting documentary. The most memorable moments (for me) in the documentary are when the astronauts speak in mystical terms about their experience. One astronaut (Jim Lovell I believe) described how from the moon you could hide the earth behind your thumb... the earth with all its wars and other challenges, hidden by your thumb. Most impressive to me was Edgar Mitchell's reflection of how returning to earth from the moon, the capsule rotated so that you could see the sun, then the moon, then the earth every so often. He talked about how moved he was, when he considered that all of the elements in his body, the spaceship, the earth, the moon and the sun, were all fabricated in some "ancient generation of stars"... and that they were all "one." This experience of the unity of all things seems to be a common element in mysticism as well as cosmology.

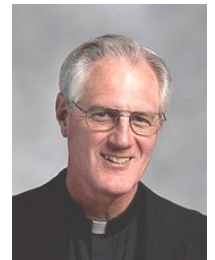
I conclude my reflection here with a quote from *Christian Meditation - Experiencing the Presence of God* by James Finley.

*I encourage you to pause and look deeply into those moments in which your own heart was quickened by the graced awareness of*

*God's surprising nearness. I encourage you to look for the ways in which you, in those moments, fleetingly tasted the fullness of God's presence. And I encourage you to look for the ways in which each passing moment in your life is woven with the threads of glory streaming out from those moments of realized oneness with God. Do not say that no such moments exist for you. For you would not be drawn to read this book if that were so. If you calibrate your awareness to a fine enough scale, you will recognize that utterly ordinary moment of holding a newborn infant, or of looking up into a black sky thick with stars. You will see how in these simple, unassuming moments you were granted a fleeting taste of the divinity of your life. The path ahead entails your willingness not to play the cynic, not to doubt the fullness of the divine presence that you, in your most childlike hour, recognized to be the ever present mystery of your life. The path ahead entails your willingness to open yourself to this ever present mystery, and to remain as open and responsive to it as you can be.*

The Mystery that the astronauts described is the same Mystery present to all of us... the awareness of which enriches our lives beyond limit. So avoid "playing the cynic" and be open to a richness that reveals itself in all aspects of our lives... if we wish to see it.

Father Mark Keene



## Parish Worship

### Faith Sharing Questions

**Theme of this week's Gospel: Jesus teaches us we must persevere in prayers and trust in the goodness of our loving Father!**

**Adults:** How do you think you would react if someone called you at midnight and asked you to share some of your food with them? What lesson do you think Jesus was trying to teach to His disciples?

**Teens:** If you could ask Jesus for one special gift what would it be? Why not ask Him?

*Parish Worship continued*

Children: What “gifts” can you give to your parents, your siblings and your friends? What “gift” can you give to Jesus?

## Next Sunday: August 4, 2019 The 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle C

In our Liturgical Calendar we are now in the period called “Ordinary Time”. The Liturgical color for Ordinary Time is green, unless there is a special feast.

This year we are using Cycle C, and so our Gospel reading this year will feature the Gospel of Luke. During Ordinary Time the first reading, from the Old Testament, is chosen because of a thematic relation to the Gospel reading. For the second reading, we read semi-continuously from a New Testament letter, currently the Letter of Saint Paul to the Colossians.

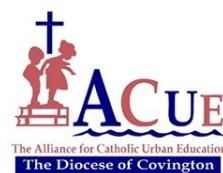
**Gospel (Luke 12:13-21):** In this reading Jesus tells a parable about a man who seems to have achieved great material success, yet doesn’t realize that at the height of his prosperity, his life will be taken from him. Jesus uses this parable about the tenuous nature of life to teach about just how ephemeral are the things of this world and to point us toward pursuing those things that even death cannot take from us. The parable also provides a perspective to help us not succumb to greed: “for though one may be rich, one’s life does not consist of possessions.” In another place, Jesus invites His followers to leave all things behind and come and follow Him. It is an “invitation” that we will all have to heed eventually, for in the end, all gets taken from us anyway.

**First Reading (Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23):** In this reading the writer reflects upon the futility and the tenuousness of life, and upon how much of what you spend your life building, ends up being given to others who often have no appreciation of your effort that went into the building: “Here is one who has labored with wisdom and knowledge and skill, and yet to another who has not labored over it, he must leave property.”

**Second Reading (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11):** In this passage, Saint Paul reminds the church at Colossae that they have been Baptized into Christ and so “raised with Christ.” Therefore their conduct should reflect the fact that now their lives are “hidden in Christ in God.” They should “Think of what is above, not of what is on earth...” They have taken off their old self and put on the new self which is being renewed. In this there is no difference between any human being, but “Christ is all and in all.”

## Urban Catholic Schools: A Chance to Help

A number of years ago, our diocese designated the inner-city areas of our diocese as being a special focus for our diocesan mission. A large part of this focus is in the area of Catholic education. In the past, leaders in the inner city have stated that one of the largest and most helpful contributions the Catholic Church can make to the lives of people who live in the inner city is in the area of education. This is what the Alliance for Catholic Urban Education (ACUE) is about. Many of us owe a debt of gratitude and more to the parishes and schools of our diocesan inner-city that educated us, and/or our parents and/or our grandparents. Our diocesan urban schools continue to make a difference in the lives of children and their families who live in urban areas.



This weekend we welcome Paul Smith to our parish to speak on behalf of this ACUE mission and to encourage our support for this important work of our Diocese of Covington. Paul held a leadership position at Fidelity Investments before his retirement. He currently serves on the ACUE Development Advisory Board. We welcome Paul to Saint Agnes!

There will be a special second collection for ACUE after the regular collection today. If you are not prepared to make a donation today, you can make one the next couple of weeks by clearly marking your donation and putting it in the collection basket or by mailing it to the parish office. Please be generous!

–Thank you, Father Mark Keene



## Parish Worship continued

### Adoration of Our Lord

Being in the Presence of Our Lord is the perfect way to meditate on the sufferings He endured for our sins. Please commit to an hour with Jesus in our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. Call 859-496-4149 for more information.



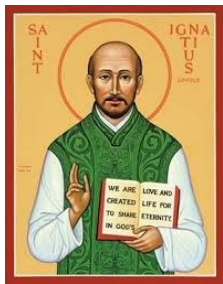
### Bulletin Cover Picture

This photograph is of the depictions of the “Seven Sorrows of our Lady” located in the Mass Chapel, taken early one sunny morning. Highlighted by the dawning sunlight is the depiction of “The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus.”

## Saint of the Week

### Ignatius of Loyola

Iñigo Lopez de Loyola was born on October 23, 1491 in Azpeitia Spain, which is in the Basque part of that country (in the north of Spain near the French border). He was the youngest of 13 children. As an aristocrat he was interested in the life of a soldier and read the romantic stories about knights and when he became a soldier he amused himself by fighting duels. He went to war in 1509 when Spain was attacked by a French and Navarrese army that attacked the fortress at Pamplona. Iñigo was badly wounded in the leg. This incident would change his life. While recovering he read *Da Vita Christi* by Ludolph of Saxony (a 14th century German theologian). Ludolph’s book asked the reader to place himself in the place where the action is happening, at the manger, at the wedding at Cana and on Golgotha. Iñigo would later use this method as part of the Spiritual Exercises.



As he recovered Iñigo read more about the life of Christ and about the saints. When he recovered he took his military gear and hung it before an image of the Virgin Mary at a monastery and

went to live in a cave for several months, living as an ascetic. He then went to the Holy Land but was not allowed to stay. He and the companions he had begun to attract went to Madrid and then travelled to Paris where he studied and became known as Ignatius. He earned a master’s degree and became known as “Master Ignatius.”

It was in Paris in 1534 that he gathered six of his companions; Francis Xavier, Alfonso Salmeron, Diego Laynez, and Nicholas Bobadilla, all Spanish; Peter Faber, a Frenchman; and Simão Rodrigues of Portugal. These men began the Society of Jesus, the Jesuits. Ignatius of Loyola was the first Superior General of the order. One of the key elements of what is called Ignatian spirituality are the Spiritual Exercises which is a 28 day series of prayers and meditations designed to help the practitioner to discern Jesus in his life.

The Jesuits became a key player in the Counter Reformation and became a powerful force in much of Europe. They also served as missionaries all over the world. Our current pope, Francis, is a Jesuit. (Read about the Jesuits in Canada and the northern part of the US and the Reductions or missions in South America.) Jesuits have contributed to history theologians, scientists and educators. They were also suppressed or expelled from many countries during the 18th century. The Jesuits were even suppressed by Pope Clement XIV in 1773.

Ignatius died in Rome on July 31, 1556. He was beatified in 1609 and canonized in 1622. You are encouraged to read about this saint, the Jesuits or to try the Spiritual Exercises (there are several good books available to help guide you). Ignatius of Loyola’s feast day is July 31st.

## Parish News

### Parish Office Summer Hours

Effective now through August 30th, the Parish Office hours will be Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and **Friday 8:30 a.m. to noon.**

Parish News continued

### Next Sunday: have a donut

Next Sunday, August 4th, 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 RCIA.



### Blood Pressure Screenings

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

### Homecoming—Save the Date

Our parish Homecoming will be on August 23rd from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on the parish grounds. It will be a wonderful evening of faith, friendship and fun for past and present parishioners. Watch the bulletin for more information and how you can help.

### First Thursday Rosary

Rosary Night is **August 1st** at 7:00 p.m. Please join us for 30 minutes of prayer and meditation. Pray for a safe summer. Pray to Mary, Our Mother to guide and protect our country. Join your prayers for special intentions, world peace, our priests and families with other faithful. Rediscover the power and peace of prayer. Prayer starts at **7:00 p.m. on August 1st. Enter by way of annex door by Sleepy Hollow Road.**



### New Parish Directory-Volunteers Needed

Life Touch will be taking pictures for our new Parish Directory in late November/early December. Volunteers are needed to register families online, greet parishioners on photography days and help with the directory design. Anyone interested in helping, please contact Beth at the Parish Office at [parishoffice@saintagnes.com](mailto:parishoffice@saintagnes.com) or call 431-1802. Thank you!

### Recognition: Kayla Kluemper, Mike Monson

In a recent newsletter from Parish Kitchen, Saint Agnes parishioners Kayla Kluemper and Mike Monson were recognized for their support of Parish Kitchen. Kayla was recognized for her volunteer mentoring work in Parish Kitchen's "Reach and Teach" mentoring program. This program "promotes academic success, self-confidence and positive choice making in elementary/grade school students through high school volunteers." As part of her recognition, Kayla was awarded a scholarship. Kayla has volunteered with this program for three years and is a recent graduate of Saint Henry District High School. She is the daughter of Ted and Tammy Kluemper of our parish. Parishioner Mike Monson was also recognized in the same newsletter for his Sub Station II's donation of 200 sub sandwiches and chips to Parish Kitchen's Volunteer Appreciation Dinner. Mike is the coordinator of all of the "food services" at our parish fish fries, Oktoberfest, parish breakfasts and more. He is always very generous in these activities as well. Congratulations to Kayla and Mike and thank you for your example!

—Father Mark Keene.

### Knights of Columbus Selling Tickets

Next weekend after all Masses the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will be in the back and side of Church. They will be selling their 2020 raffle tickets. The tickets are \$10 each and are good for twelve monthly drawings. The first quarter's prize is \$250 per month. The second quarter's prize is \$500 per month. The third quarter's prize is \$750 per month and the 4th quarter's prize is \$1,000 per month. A name will be drawn on the first Tuesday of every month during 2020. All winners go back in the barrel for future drawings. The funds will be used to buy chalices for the priests and support the deacons while they are in the Seminary in addition to other assembly charities. Thank you for your support!



*Parish News continued*

## Evening Religion Classes (CCD)

Classes for those students attending public school in grades 1 – 8 will begin on August 26th. Parents and children will meet for Prayer and Orientation at 7:00 p.m. in Church. Regular classes begin the week after Labor Day on September 9th. Classes are held in the school. Drop off is at the cafeteria using the back drive. Classes run from 7:00 p.m. until 8:10 p.m. Registration forms and calendar are available on the Bulletin boards and the Saint Agnes web site. Contact Anita Dunn at [adunn@saintagnes.com](mailto:adunn@saintagnes.com).

## VIRTUS Class Here!

A Virtus Training Session will be held here at Saint Agnes on August 8th at 6:00 p.m. in Murphy Hall. To register see below.

## For Those Interested in Volunteering

Here is what you need to do:

1. Go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org) and create an account.
2. Sign up for and attend a Live Training Session. Sessions are listed on the Virtus website.
3. Run a background check through Selection.com. Do this through your Virtus account by clicking on the Toolbox tab and click "Selection.com Background Check" in the upper left column.
4. Contact Deacon Bob Stoeckle at the Parish Office (431-1802) to set up a 15 minute meeting. He will give you two forms that you need to complete.
5. Once all of the above is done and the Diocese processes your forms, you will receive an email stating your account is now "active" and you will be able to volunteer.
6. To remain "active" you will be required to read a monthly bulletin and answer a question regarding the bulletin.



If you have any question about the process, please contact Beth at the Parish Office (431-1802 or [parishoffice@saintagnes.com](mailto:parishoffice@saintagnes.com)).

## Confirmation

Bishop Foys is scheduled to administer Confirmation at Saint Agnes on November 14th. If you have an 8th grade age student not enrolled at Saint Agnes nor in the Evening Religion Program please contact Anita Dunn at [adunn@saintagnes.com](mailto:adunn@saintagnes.com). Parent meeting on Confirmation is scheduled for September 12th at 7:00 p.m. in Church. Enrollment/Sponsor Sunday has been scheduled for September 22nd. Further information will be given at the parent meeting. The required Confirmation Retreat is Youth 2000 on October 11th-13th at Covington Catholic High School.



## Youth Group Returns

Saint Agnes Youth Group returns in August. We invite teens in grades 7-8-9 to join us as we begin a new year with new leaders, John Griffin and Maddie Black.

Scheduled meetings at present are:

- August 25th
- September 22nd
- October 20th
- November 17th

Meetings take place in the school cafeteria from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. We will discuss if that is best time the first night. Watch for further news. Contact Anita Dunn for more info at [adunn@saintagnes.com](mailto:adunn@saintagnes.com).

## Catholic Charities Raffle Tickets

Catholic Charities needs your help! August 10th/11th after all Masses, parish members and volunteers from Catholic Charities will be outside church promoting their upcoming fundraiser by selling their raffle tickets. The raffle tickets are \$20 each. Grand prize is 30% of total ticket sales. Last year the winners received over \$11,000! All proceeds for this event benefit the clients being served through Catholic Charities. You can also purchase tickets on-line at [www.covingtoncharities.org](http://www.covingtoncharities.org). Thanks for your support of Catholic Charities.





## Parish News continued

**Boosters Golf Outing**

The annual Saint Agnes Athletic Boosters Golf Outing supports athletic programs at Saint Agnes and the Christian values we try to instill through sports. This is the largest fund raiser of the year for our athletic programs. The outing is a 9-hole scramble/alternate-shot format with 8 person teams. Sign-up as a single, a couple, a team, or any size group. This is a fun event with an after party at the Devou Clubhouse with dinner and LIVE MUSIC THIS YEAR. The outing starts at 4:30 p.m. on **Saturday, August 17th at Devou Golf Course**. To sign-up please go to <http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters> (click on "Registration Info"). If you do not golf, you can sign-up for just the dinner and party. Please also consider sponsoring a hole. For more information contact Josh Randolph at [jlrandolph1@gmail.com](mailto:jlrandolph1@gmail.com) or Tim McHugh at [timemchugh@gmail.com](mailto:timemchugh@gmail.com).



## Faith Formation

**FORMED**

Would you like to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ and help your children to know Jesus as well? Do you know someone who has fallen away from the Church, perhaps a friend, a family member, a co-worker, and you want reach them but you just don't know how? Our parish has 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. Summer provides more free time, so why not access **FORMED** and enjoy a summer of fun rekindling your faith and sharing it with your family and friends? In order to effectively teach our children the faith and spread the Good News in our community, we need to continue our study of the faith throughout our whole lives. **Please register for FORMED by going to [saintagnescatholic.formed.org](http://saintagnescatholic.formed.org)**. That will lead you to the registration page for our parish subscription. Follow the instructions to register.

**RCIA**

**Are you interested in learning about the Catholic faith?**

Please join us on a journey of faith where we will share with you the treasures of the Catholic Church and our parish family. We invite you to learn what the Church teaches, and be introduced to members of our parish family. The sessions also are opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. These gatherings are open to people who are not Baptized, those who are Baptized Christians from Protestant or Evangelical backgrounds, and those who may have been Baptized Catholic but are not fully initiated. Please join us for information sessions (no obligation, just questions and answers) about the Catholic faith on August 11th or August 25th, after the 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Conference Room (under the deck on the big parking lot side of Church). Please come to learn more about our holy Catholic faith in which Jesus makes Himself present to us and strengthens us to be His presence in the world. For more information, please call the Parish Office at 431-1802 or email Paula at [pfritz@saintagnes.com](mailto:pfritz@saintagnes.com).

Are you thinking of becoming Catholic?



**ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS!** Our Saint Agnes parish needs you to invite people to consider becoming Catholic! If you know anyone who is not Baptized, is Baptized in another faith, or was Baptized Catholic but not fully initiated, please invite them to the RCIA. We are always welcoming new inquirers. For more information call the Parish Office at 431-1802 or email [pfritz@saintagnes.com](mailto:pfritz@saintagnes.com).

**Word of Life Bulletin Brief**

"O God, you are faithful, and you never abandon those who hope in you. I know that my redemption from sin and death has been purchased at the cost of your Son's blood. In return for this priceless gift, I resolve today to renew my trust in my unfailing mercy."  
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
"Trust in God's Mercy" Prayer



# 2019 Diocesan Summer Mission Collection



## Alliance for Catholic Urban Education—The ACUE Schools

Holy Cross  
Latonia

Holy Trinity  
Newport, Bellevue/Dayton

St. Augustine  
Covington

Holy Family  
Covington

St. Anthony  
Taylor Mill

Prince of Peace  
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