

St. Agnes Parish
1019 Brown Street
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Parish Office
Open Tues. to Thurs.
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Weekend Mass
Sat. at 5 p.m.
Sun. at 9 a.m.
11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

Weekday Mass
Tues. at 7 p.m.
Wed.-Fri. 12:10 p.m.
Reconciliation: Sat. 4-4:30pm & on request.

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April 14, 2024 – Third Sunday of Easter

Focus: *We look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.*

Jesus is the fulfillment of God's promises of salvation and he has come to save us – body and soul. Our physical and spiritual realities are infused with one another, integrated within our creation as *Imago Dei* – made in the image of God. Christ was raised, body and soul, by the Father and his glorified body was seen by the Apostles and many others. Through him we will be reunited to God, our Father and Creator, on the last day. As we profess in our creed, we look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

In Our Parish This Week

Monday, April 15

~ 1:30pm Bind Us Together Prayer Group (Church)

Tuesday, April 16

~ 7:30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

~ 7:30pm KC Council Meeting (MR)

Wednesday, April 17

~ 6:30pm Life Group 2 (Zoom)

Thursday, April 18

~ 9:30am Inner Healing & Freedom Ministry (MR)

~ 6:30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, April 20

~ 8:30am Wild Goose (MR)

~ 10am Alpha (Hall)

Readings April 21:

1st Reading: Acts 4.7-12

Reading: 1 John 3.1-2

Gospel: John 10.11-18

As we read these passages we ask ourselves, "What is the Good News here for me?" "What is the challenge here for me" and, "How will this help me celebrate at the table of the Lord this Sunday?" This will enrich our celebration at Mass each week.

Mass Intentions for This Week:

Tuesday, April 16:

~ Intentions of Gerri Jessiman req. Joyce Ilkka

~ Jessie Duncan req. The Coursolle Family

Wednesday, April 17: St. Kateri Tekakwitha

~ Albert Vignuda req. Nancy Veneruzzo & Family

Thursday, April 18:

~ Lisa Fodchuk req. Bryan & Andrea North

Friday, April 19:

~ Lois Proctor req. Her Family

Saturday, April 20:

~ Romano Taddeo req. Bill & Maggie Bragnalo

~ Millie McQueen req. Her Family

~ Gary Pelletier req. Eileen & Family

~ Pasquale DiPaolo req. Gabriella Battistel & Family

~ Walter Hayko req. Donna & Family

Sunday, April 21: Fourth Sunday of Easter

9am: ~ Lisa Fodchuk req. Bill & Linda Lafontaine

~ Vittorio Cacciatore req. Sylvia Kayzer

~ Dino Buttazzoni req. The Family

11am: ~ Tony Arvonio req. Silvana, Giuseppe & Family

~ Carmine & Maria Prisco req. The Carleton Family

~ Pasquale DiPaolo req. Maria Veneruzzo & Family

~ Marjory & Hubert Zappe req. The Malette Family

7pm: ~ The People of the Parish

St. Agnes Inner Healing and Freedom

Ministry: SOZO means to save, deliver, protect, heal, preserve, TO MAKE WHOLE. Inner Healing is God healing us from the wounds of our sin and the wounds that others have caused us. To schedule an IHF session call the church office or email stagnesIHF@gmail.com

Baptisms: This weekend we welcome Susie Elizabeth Chapdelaine and Philip Keith Chapdelaine into our faith community through the Sacrament of Baptism. Congratulations to their family.

Catholic Women's League News



APRIL AGENDA: WEEK 2: THE SURVEY SAID: Last Sunday's April General Meeting was a success, measured by a 4% increase in attendance from February! A healthy buffet lunch, coffee and conversation, updates on forthcoming events, door prizes, featured Colleen Dolce demonstrating Chair Yoga which was perhaps the highlight of the afternoon. Recent results from the CWL survey, cited information from a sampling number of respondents to three questions provided- # 1 Have you ever been a member? Why? # 2 If you have discontinued, "Why"? # 3 What would attract you to join and fully participate in CWL? This opportunity to tell the tale of St. Agnes Council was deemed to be positive and worthy of offering comments/suggestions that would, could and should encourage the newly formed Executive. With their guidance and commitment, the membership can relive appreciation for our history, celebrate who we are and have presently become, while fostering our future, For God and Canada, as the 75th Anniversary Hallmark approaches.

Our Lady of good Counsel, Pray for us!

Eucharistic Retreat: You are invited to be a part of the Eucharistic Revival and join **The Pray More Eucharistic Retreat**. It will be just like an in-person retreat that you can experience at home -- anywhere, anytime. <https://praymoreretreat.org/>

Anniversaries of the Deceased: Please remember in your prayers Marie Valle, Rita Lalonde, Donald Drebit, Francis Wenzell, Patrick Antonishin and Rondino Kerkermeier whose anniversaries occur this week.

Dear Friends of St. Agnes Church: A lovely young family of 5 in our community has just welcomed their third precious baby! The family could use some support. If you would like to offer to cook a meal for this family, please phone or text Marianne at 807-708-6005. Thank you.

Live Streaming: The Saturday 5pm mass, Sunday 11am mass, and Tuesday 7pm mass followed by the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament are live streamed each week. To watch these, please go to www.facebook.com/stagnesrc

Knights of Columbus Council



8602 News:

The Knights of Columbus empowers Catholic men to live their faith and serve their family, parish, community and country. Families need strong husbands and fathers, and the world needs courageous witnesses to Jesus Christ. **Cor** meetings can help provide this. Through **Cor**, men will be formed and sharpened as disciples of Jesus, who are committed to serving Him and willing to boldly live and share their faith. It is the mandate of every Catholic man to bring Jesus to a broken world. The next **Cor** meeting will be held on **Saturday April 20th at 9:00 AM** at the Columbus Centre Coffee Room. All men are welcome. Coffee and fellowship will follow the meeting.

Upcoming Events

Spaghetti Take Out – Thursday, April 18th – Pick up from 2pm to 5:30pm at the Columbus Centre.

Pickereel Dinner Take Out – Thursday, April 25th – Call the Columbus Centre at 807 623-3252 for details.

Gratitude is the Key – This is the theme of the Annual Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign for 2024. This campaign officially begins on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7, 2024 and again I ask for your continued support for these important ministries in our diocese. Information about this campaign is being prepared at the Pastoral Centre at this time and will be sent out shortly. Each year your generosity is well noted and as the bishop, I wish to express my sincere thanks and Gratitude to my priests, deacons and laity who support this vital campaign for our diocese and who recognize that this is an important link in our diocesan family as we reach out to assist one another in charity and concern. May God bless you for your generosity and concern.

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Sunday Collection:

April 7 Collection: **\$11,773.10**

Thank you for your financial support of our Parish.



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