

The Cathedral of St. Agnes

ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NEW YORK

7.6.25



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOLY MASS

SUNDAY

7AM, 8AM, 9:30AM (*Family Mass*),
10:30AM (*Lower Hall, Family Mass*)
11AM, 12:30PM, 5PM

SATURDAY

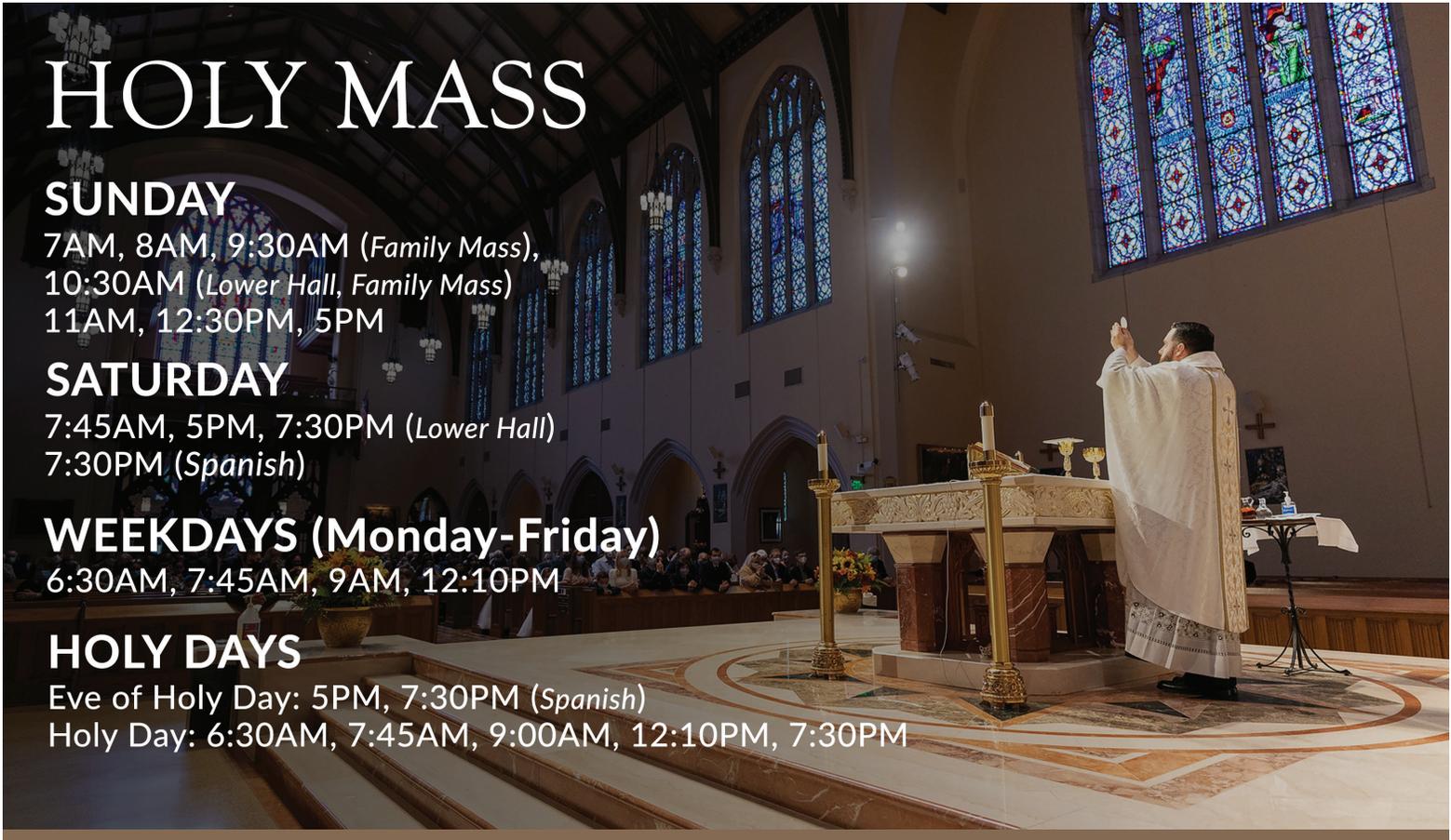
7:45AM, 5PM, 7:30PM (*Lower Hall*)
7:30PM (*Spanish*)

WEEKDAYS (Monday-Friday)

6:30AM, 7:45AM, 9AM, 12:10PM

HOLY DAYS

Eve of Holy Day: 5PM, 7:30PM (*Spanish*)
Holy Day: 6:30AM, 7:45AM, 9:00AM, 12:10PM, 7:30PM



OUR PARISH

29 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre, NY 11570
(516) 766 - 0205 | parishoffice@stagnescathedral.org

CLERGY

Bishop
Most Reverend John O. Barres, D.D., S.T.D., J.C.L.

Rector
Very Rev. Michael F. Duffy

Associate Pastors
Rev. Christopher Heller
Rev. Michael Ngoka, C.M.
Rev. Gustavo Perez Alzate, *Comunidad Hispana*

In Residence
Rev. Lachlan Cameron, S.T.L.

Weekend Assistants
Rev. Patrick Flanagan, C.M.
Very Rev. James Kuroly

STAFF

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Anne Nelson, *Administrator*
anelson@stagnescathedral.org (516) 678-2306

Outreach
Sr. Kathleen P. Murphy, O.P.
(516) 678-1856

Music
Michael Bower, *Director*
Maura Goodwin, *Associate Director*
(516) 764-9578

Facilities Manager
Patrick O'Brien

SCHOOL

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Phone: (516) 678-5550 | Fax: 516-678-0437

Cecilia St. John, *Principal*
Mary Brower, *Assistant Principal*

OFFICE HOURS

Rectory
Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Sunday: Closed
Emergencies anytime

Religious Education*
Tuesday - Thursday: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Outreach*
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

*Offices located in the Parish Ministry Building
(corner of N. Village Ave and Quealy Pl)

CATHEDRAL HOURS

The Cathedral is open for prayer
daily from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Confession

Saturday & Sunday: 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
Monday – Friday: Following the 6:30 am Mass
Friday: Following the 12:10 pm Mass

Baptism

Once a month on Saturday at 12:30 p.m. and on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 1:45 p.m. Contact the Rectory Office to arrange for interview, ceremony and registration for required Baptism Preparation Class (for first time parents). Spanish Baptisms take place before the 7:30 p.m. Spanish Mass on Saturday evening. Please call the Rectory Office for more information.

Marriage

Arrangements should be made at least 12 months in advance and prior to making reception plans. Call the Rectory for an appointment with the priest you wish to witness your wedding. All couples are required to attend Pre-Cana.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Priests and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion are available to bring Holy Communion to parishioners confined to home. Please call the Rectory Office to make arrangements. Those who are seriously ill should request a priest for Anointing of the Sick.

Visit the Sacraments page at www.stagnescathedral.org for more information.



LIVE STREAM REQUEST

We are now able to stream personal services such as weddings and funerals.
For more information, please call the rectory at (516) 766-0205.



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The Cathedral of St. Agnes

Unable to join us for Mass? Tune in on  LIVE

The Roman Catholic Cathedral for the Diocese of Rockville Centre

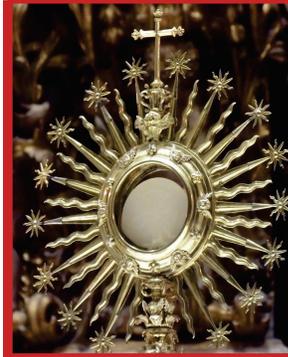
LET US PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Lance Corporal Ryan Thomas Albergo, USMC
 Spc. Liam Atwell, U.S. Army
 Capt. Robert L. Betts, U.S. Navy
 CDR Maura C. Garrity-Betts, U.S. Navy
 Lance Corporal Ryan Brower, USMC
 Lt. Gabby Busching, U.S. Coast Guard
 Lt. Joseph Busching, U.S. Coast Guard
 Sgt. Lucas Camacho, USMC
 1st Lt. Paul D. Cammarota, USMC
 Lt. Scott Kiley Childers, U.S. Navy
 LCDR Richard Childers, M.D. U.S. Navy
 Lt. JG Julia Coughlin, U.S. Navy
 Lt. Greg Crescenzo, U.S. Navy
 Airman Michael Cummo, U.S. Navy
 Maj. Richard Davin, Jr., Air National Guard
 Lt. Christopher DelBello, U.S. Navy
 Chief Petty Officer Robert W. DeMattia, U.S. Navy
 Lance Corporal Trevor Donohue, USMC
 Lt. J.G. Jack Doyle, U.S. Navy
 Lt. J.G. Kevin Doyle, U.S. Navy
 Michael Espada, 2nd Class Petty Officer, MR2
 Daniel Fels, U.S. Army, Military Police
 Lt. Brendan J. Fisk, U.S. Navy
 Lt. Daniel R. Fisk, U.S. Navy
 2nd Lt. Charles Flanagan, U. S. Army
 A.M.T 3, Kyle Forster, U.S. Coast Guard
 Capt. Steven Hampson, U.S. Army
 Capt. Cody Hardenburgh USMC
 Pvt. Daniel Healey, U.S. Army
 2nd Class Petty Officer, Robert Hock, U.S. Navy
 1st Lt. Tynika Holland, U.S. Army
 Maj. Philip F. Johndrow, U.S. Army
 Lt. Kieran McCarthy, U.S. Navy
 Lance Corporal Aidan Patrick McNamara, USMC
 Lance Corporal Jason Maccaron, USMC
 Cpl. James Thomas Maroney, USMC
 Lt. Andrew Maza, USAF
 Sgt. Joseph Meyer, U.S. Army
 Col. Christopher V. Meyers, USMC
 Lt. Col. Gregory John Mueller, USMC (Reserve)
 Stephan O'Connor, E-5, U.S. Navy
 Matthew Pacheco, U.S. Army
 Ensign John A. Petr, US Navy
 Pvt. Ray P. Rodriguez, U.S. Army
 Spc. James Rodziewicz, U.S. Army
 Lance Corporal Eric Roehrig, USMC
 Spc. Jeanine M. Rosa, U.S. Army
 Thomas Sullivan, U. S. Army
 Alec Swoger, MMN3 Nuclear Operator, U.S. Navy
 Robert C. Tempesta, Master at Arms
 1st Class U.S. Navy
 PFC Derick Thomas, USMC

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
 Protect them as they protect us.
 Bless them and their families
 for the selfless acts they perform
 for us in our time of need.
 And give us peace.
 I ask this in the name of Jesus,
 Our Lord and Savior. Amen

Kindly call the Rectory Office at 766-0205 if you know
 of anyone that is on this list and has returned home.



Devotions



Eucharistic Adoration is the traditional Catholic practice of taking the consecrated host, the Blessed Sacrament, and placing it in a sun-shaped vessel called a Monstrance in order for the faithful to look upon Our Lord and pray to Him in peaceful contemplation. You are invited to join us **every Wednesday (unless otherwise noted)** in the Cathedral from 2:00–5:00 p.m. for Adoration and some quiet reflection and prayer.

The Rosary is prayed after the 9:00 a.m. Mass each Monday through Friday in the Cathedral except on Saturdays when it is prayed after the 7:45 a.m. Mass.



STEWARDSHIP

A Way of Life *Stewardship Reflection*

“The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.”

Living Stewardship . . . Pillar of Formation

The priesthood is so important in our Faith. We need priests to say Mass and hear our confessions. Take time this week to pray for an increase of vocations in our country and especially in our Diocese. Pray also for those brave, faithful men in the seminary today.

Sharing One's Material Resources in the Parish

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

	6/29/2025	6/30/2024	7/2/2023
Weekly Collection	\$33,335	\$31,942	\$29,052

Pregnant? Need help?



LIFE CENTER
OF LONG ISLAND
A Voice for the Unborn on Long Island

24 hour Helpline
 1-800-550-4900;
birthright.org/wantagh

(516) 798-8746
lifecenterli.org

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 7, Weekday

Gn 28:10-22a; Mt 9:18-26

- 6:30 Nancy Ricupero
7:45 Louis Pagano
9:00 James B. Ryan
12:10 Mary & Joseph Davey

Tuesday, July 8, Weekday

Gn 32:23-33; Mt 9:32-38

- 6:30 Steven Zinno
7:45 Milan Jass
9:00 Maureen Ferragamo
12:10 Martina Henry
7:30 Special Intentions

**Wednesday, July 9, St. Augustine Zhao Rong,
Priest & Companions, Martyrs**

Gn 41:55-57, 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Mt 10:1-7

- 6:30 Thomas V. Whitbread & Family
7:45 Catherine Frake
9:00 Doug Ford
12:10 Lawrence Lessing

Thursday, July 10, Weekday

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29, 45:1-5; Mt 10:7-15

- 6:30 Victoria Sullivan
7:45 Raymond Castoldi
9:00 Andrew Castiglione
12:10 Christopher J. Keller

Friday, July 11, St. Benedict, Abbot

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Mt 10:16-23

- 6:30 Alba Garavito & Belarmina Pelaez
7:45 Detective Steven McDonald
9:00 Deidre Lee Moser
12:10 Anthony Aurigemma

Saturday, July 12, Weekday

Gn 49:29-32, 50:15-26a; Mt 10:24-33

- 7:45 Detective Steven McDonald
5:00 Leonardo, Arcangelo & Bianca Minelli,
Arthur Izzo, Rosemary Joeckel,
Chloe Elizabeth Mahabir (Living),
Monica Van Dervoort
7:30 C Special Intentions
7:30 LH William Goldy

Sunday, July 13, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

- 7:00 Marguerite Digristina
8:00 Brian Lawless
9:30 The Parishioners of St. Agnes Cathedral
11:00 Robert & Marcia Mahoney
12:30 Maraline Murphy, Brooks Zirkel,
Oscar Corona & Davie Chris Corona,
Marianne Dombo, William D. Smith
5:00 Anthony Paruolo

PLEASE PRAY



For The Faithful Departed

Grace Elizabeth Lucchesi,
Joanne P. Kiernan

For The Sick

Margaret Davis, Richard Spadaford, Robin Sackstein,
Louise Washington, Anthony Ventrice, Christopher
Diez, Jennifer Duffy, Nina Longo, Thomas Kelly,
Bob Toy, Maggie Goodwin, Sr. Helen Byrne,
Jack Prophet, Vera Davis, Samantha Giacomantonio,
John T. Lindsay, Frances Katon-Donegal,
Balestrieri Family, David Sylvester Seal, Ron La Grega,
Barbara Magloire, Caitlin Nally, Akosua Cobb,
Marie Poggelli, Gilbert Otano, Joseph Murphy,
Barbara Rotunno, Tania Smith, Joseph Mariani,
Jeffrey Buxton, Thomas Hayes, Jr., Susan Kowalski,
Maria McDonald, Stephanie Ramos,
Lisa Pelrine-Shulman

Sick Names for the bulletin remain for three weeks
unless the Rectory is notified for an extension. Please
note that requests should come from the family and the
person must give permission to be listed.



Rose for Life

In Loving Memory of
William Goldy

Love, Regina & Bill McCutchan



Holiday Schedule

The Rectory Office will be closed for the Independence Day holiday on Friday, July 4th and will re-open Saturday, July 5th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

On Becoming A Catholic

Those seeking information about the Catholic Faith are invited to contact Rev. Michael F. Duffy, Rector of St. Agnes Cathedral 516-766-0205 concerning the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



I

Caitlin Morahan
Thomas Law

St. Agnes Cathedral
St. Frances de Chantal
Wantagh, NY

Megan May Lo
John Anthony Clesi

Lake Ronkonkoma, NY
St. Joseph's
Lake Ronkonkoma, NY

Natalia Woloszyn

St. Frances de Chantal
Brooklyn, NY

Miguel Rivera

St. Frances de Chantal
Brooklyn, NY

II

Julie Picone

Our Lady of Grace
West Babylon, NY

Nicholas Sokol

SS. Cyril & Methodius
Deer Park, NY

Lauren Sansone

Our Lady of Miracles
Brooklyn, NY

Peter Pecoraro

St. Rita's
Staten Island, NY

Danielle Totino
Dennis Kirschbaum

St. Agnes Cathedral
St. Anthony
Oceanside, NY

Diana Torres
Thomas Law

St. Agnes Cathedral
St. Frances de Chantal
Wantagh, NY

Hongmin Jin
Daniel Johnson

Seaford, New York
St. William the Abbot
Seaford, NY

III

Meghan Hillery
Andreas Michaelidis

St. Agnes Cathedral
New York, NY

St. Monica Parents Intercession Prayer Group

The St. Monica Parents Intercession Prayer Group meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Holy Cross Chapel, located in the Parish Ministries building. Our next meeting will be on **July 3rd**. For more information call Mary at (516) 375-0738.



Pray for Vocations

We pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life, especially from among the people of our parish and the children of our schools.



Discerning a Vocation to the Priesthood?
Contact: vocations@drcv.org

Suicide Prevention Resources

Suicide is a major public health problem and a leading cause of death in the United States. The effects of suicide go beyond the person who acts to take his or her life: it can have a lasting effect on family, friends and communities. If you are thinking about suicide, are worried about a friend or loved one, or would like emotional support, the Lifeline network is available 24/7 across the United States.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:
988 Suicide Crisis Lifeline - Call. Text. Chat.
<https://988lifeline.org>

JUST A REMINDER

Please be sure to include your envelope number on your check in the Sunday collection if you are not using your envelopes. If you are using a plain white envelope please include your name, address, envelope number and the amount of your donation on the outside of the envelope to ensure you get proper credit.

The Office for Protection of Children and Young People

The Diocese of Rockville Centre is committed to assist those who have been victims of abuse by Clergy, Religious, Lay Employees and Volunteers. To report an incident of abuse, regardless of when it occurred, please call the Hotline Number 516-594-9063. Your call will be returned by a licensed mental health counselor. If you suspect someone is in immediate danger, call 911. All calls remain confidential.



**Society of
St. Vincent de Paul
St. Agnes Cathedral
Conference
We Help People!**

We at St. Vincent de Paul would like to wish you all a happy and blessed summer filled with lots of sunshine and all the activities that bring you joy.

We would also like to take this time to thank you for the constant generosity and kindness you have shown to our RVC families in need. With your donations we have helped our neighbors with food, rent, furniture, financial counseling and companionship.

We ask you to please remember our entire community in your prayers and, if possible, make a donation to St. Agnes' St. Vincent de Paul Society. We use every dollar and donation for families right here in town.

As always, if you or anyone you know need assistance, please leave a message at the St. Agnes Rectory (516-766-0205) and a member of the Society will contact you.



Thank you!

Parish Outreach



The Outreach Pantry is low and in need of the following tea bags, juice boxes, 18 oz. grape jelly, 16.3 oz. peanut butter, canned chicken breast, 1 lb. bag of rice, rice mixes, apple sauce cups, jarred marinara sauce, Spaghetti O's, pork & beans and canned fruit. In addition, toiletry items i.e. shampoo, soap, toothpaste, tooth brushes, deodorant and toilet paper.

You may call the office at 516-678-1854 with any questions. **Please do not leave any donations on the porch outside the Outreach office when the office is closed.** We are NOT accepting Winter Clothing at this time. We will gladly accept donations between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday except for holidays.

Love, *Sr. Kathleen*

Religious Education

Dear Families and Students,

Religious Education Registration for 2025-2026
Registration for the upcoming Religious Education year will begin July 15th. The registration link will be available on our parish website.

We're excited to announce that this year we will be using a new platform called Pushpay for registration and communication. Many of you may already be familiar with Pushpay, as it is also the platform we use for online giving. More information will be shared in the coming weeks.

Summer Office Hours (Effective July 1st)
The Religious Education Office will follow summer hours starting July 1st:

- Monday & Friday - Closed
- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - Open from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Attending Mass while traveling? Staying connected to the Eucharist is one of the most powerful ways to nourish your relationship with God. If you attend Mass at another parish, please email your attendance to massattendance@stagnescathedral.org.

Wishing you a joyful, safe, and faith-filled summer!

Blessings,
Anne Nelson

THE NEWLY BAPTIZED



On June 28th & 29th, 2025 we welcomed the following children into the St. Agnes Cathedral Parish Community:

Marianna Calibar
Grace Carlsen
Reed Caso
Sophia Checo
Rio Reid
Graham Sayers
Ryan Sweeney

Congratulations to the parents of the newly baptized.

Update Regarding Electronic Giving at Saint Agnes Cathedral



We are excited to announce an important update to electronic giving at St. Agnes. We are now using PushPay, an industry leader known for creating an easy, secure way for you to manage your own giving. Those who make use of Faith Direct will have already received an email to cancel their account and create a new one through PushPay.

Scan the QR Code above to create a PushPay account.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Galatians 6;14-18: Saint Paul says, "May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. Peace and Mercy be to all who follow this rule and to the Israel of God." We can have peace and mercy in our marriage. The Holy Spirit can help and guide you in your relationship. Check out and sign up for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. Dates to sign up are:

August 15-17, 2025 at Holy Family Retreat Center in West Hartford, CT, September 19-21 in Huntington, NY
Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited; there is a \$100 application fee. For more information or to apply, call Kevin & Regina Hickson at 516-554-3835 or <https://wwmenyli.org/>

Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial

Worldwide Marriage Encounter está patrocinando una variedad de experiencias matrimoniales en persona y virtuales, algunas los fines de semana y otras los siete días de la semana. Las parejas explorarán su relación entre ellos, Dios y la Iglesia. El registro es limitado y se requiere una tarifa de solicitud de \$100. Para más información o para aplicar, llame al Felipe y Rosa Ruano Teléfono 203-979-6109 o renuevatumatrimonio.org.

The Saint Agnes Mass Transit

The St Agnes Mass Transit offers parishioners who cannot drive to mass on their own, the opportunity to be picked up and brought to church every Sunday for the 9:30 Family Mass. If you were interested or know of someone who would enjoy this service, please call the rectory office at 516-766-0205 and leave your name and phone number. Someone will get back to you to get additional information and make the necessary arrangements to ensure you are able to join us for mass on Sundays.

Friends of Steven McDonald Our Lady Of Fatima First Saturday Devotion

Steven made many friends – men, women, young adults, and children – as he shared his story and message of forgiveness. To live for the birth of his son, he knew he must forgive the young man who shot him leaving him paralyzed and unable to speak. As he lived each day with the consequences of this young man's actions, Steven forgave him daily. Why forgive? Asking God to bless his enemy freed him of bitterness so he could receive God's graces to live on a respirator for 30 ½ years far beyond the expectations of doctors.



**In Loving Memory of Detective
Steven McDonald
March 1, 1957-January 10, 2017**

DO YOU HAVE SOMEONE YOU NEED TO FORGIVE? Practice Forgiveness daily. Everyone is welcome to become a friend of Steven by joining us on the First Saturday of the Month praying for healing in families as Steven did for 17 years. **Asking God to bless our enemies frees us from bitterness and resentment to receive God's healing graces.** We meet at Steven's parish - **SAINT AGNES CATHEDRAL at 7:00am** to pray and meditate on the mysteries of the rosary before mass at 7:45 on January 4, February 1, March 1, April 5, May 3, June 7, July 5, August 2, September 6, October 4, November 1, December 6.



St. Agnes Cathedral
Parish Center
Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30pm



Six Talks, Three Bros, One God

An informal weekly event for adults with a short talk over light refreshments. Panel discussion following for you to question, probe, and push back.

WHAT YOU

DIDN'T

LEARN IN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

- 6/17 | YOU DON'T GET TO HEAVEN BY BEING GOOD
- 6/24 | GOD DOESN'T NEED YOUR PRAYERS
- 7/01 | RULES SCHMULES! IT AIN'T ABOUT RED TAPE
- 7/08 | YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO FEEL GOOD ALL THE TIME
- 7/15 | THERE ARE NO CHEESEBURGERS IN PARADISE
- 7/22 | YOU CAN'T GET BAPTIZED WITH GATORADE

ST. AGNES TRACK PRESENTS



More Info

Boost Your Game This Summer!



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ST. AGNES TRACK

ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY



SPEED WINS

SPRINT & CONDITIONING PROGRAM

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

On behalf of the St. Agnes Knights of Columbus Council #2548, we extend an invitation to all parishioners to our second 2025 blood drive on Sunday, July 13 from 8:30am to 2:30pm in the Parish Center. Whether it's your first time or have donated in the past, I promise that this will be a pleasant and meaningful experience.

All blood donors are special people as:

- 3% of the US population provides 100% of all blood donations
- Blood donors save lives

Blood donors are an important and valued group within our parish and the Rockville Centre community.

A special invitation is extended to anyone who might be contemplating donating blood for the first time or learning how a blood donation benefits both recipient and donor. Please feel free to stop at the Parish Center anytime during the drive and ask to speak with me. We can discuss

the donation process and answer any questions. You will also leave with a bag of New York Blood Center's world-famous snacks! Please consider joining us on Sunday, July 13 and becoming a member of the 3% of those who enable our medical community to perform today's lifesaving and sustaining services. If you decide to donate prior to July 13, please use the QR code provided to make an appointment, which will enable us to have sufficient supplies and staff available. Walk-ins, as always, will be welcome if space permits.

If you have any questions about becoming a blood donor, please call me at 516 306-9127.

In closing, I found that with every donation, I left with a sense of accomplishment and purpose that I would like to share with you!

Sincerely yours,
John Madson
St. Agnes Parishioner: 62 Years
Blood Donor: 54 Years

New York Blood Center

DONATE BLOOD

**ST. AGNES CATHEDRAL
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
IN MEMORY OF TOM TOY
SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025
ST. AGNES PARISH CENTER**

Coleccion de Sangre
Cuando: domingo,
julio 13, 2025
St. Agnes Parish Center
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Prepare to Donate

- Eat well & Hydrate
- Bring photo ID
- Feel Good - symptom free
- Must be 17+ or 16 w/ parental consent form
- Meet Minimum weight requirements

SCAN QR CODE TO MAKE APPT.
Walk ins allowed based on capacity

Icons: Blood bag, Heart, Cross, QR code, Social media (Facebook, Instagram, X, YouTube)

ST. JOSEPH'S SEMINARY PRESENTS,

“SAINT THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX
*on the Night of Faith
and Dawn of Hope*”

AUGUST 1, 5:00 pm to
AUGUST 3, 2:00 pm

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OF THE IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION**

LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK

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contact 914-367-8201 or SJS.Events@dunwoodie.edu

www.dominicanhouseofprayer.com or
www.dunwoodie.edu

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Bishop John
O. Barres



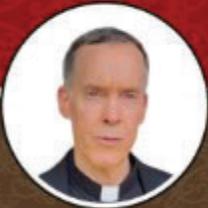
Cardinal Anders
Arborelius, OCD



Bishop James
Massa



Sr. Talitha, OCD



Fr. Donald
Haggerty



Fr. Ignatius John
Schweitzer, OP



Dr. Anthony
Lilles



Fr. Boniface
Hicks, OSB



Sr. Armelle
Fauvette



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Focus on Religious Freedom

www.cffor.org

America's 249th Independence Day - July 4, 2025

We Americans love to celebrate birthdays and can be incredibly creative to mark those special birthdays in our lives and the lives of our loved ones. Our best efforts will be well spent in planning to celebrate America's 250th birthday on Independence Day 2026, marking the signing of our Declaration of Independence.

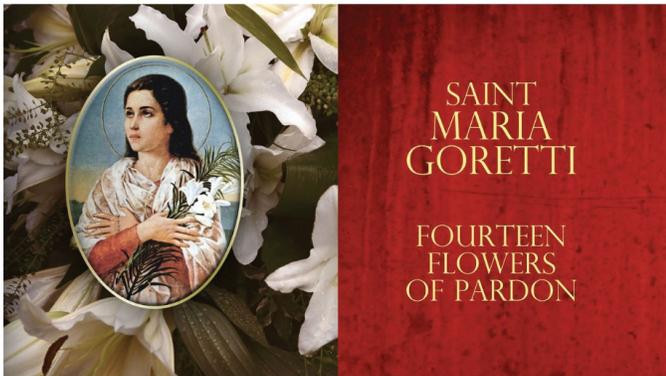
America's 250th birthday is a blessing to each American and many churches in America are planning to give thanks and to honor America's religious freedom. Congregations of every denomination will be celebrating the privilege of practicing their faith in the only nation founded by its citizens and solidly based on the Judeo-Christian ethic. Still the United States is not a "Christian nation" because our founders saw the history of theocracies and knew them to always result in tyranny. They determined that freedom of conscience would support an abundance of religions as each man chose to worship his God according to the dictates of his conscience. Because no one religion, including Christianity, would be established as a state religion, each man would be free and secure in following his spiritual path and would, according to President George Washington, live in peace and **"... there shall be none to make him afraid."**

- George Washington Letter to the Hebrew Congregation of Newport, RI

An example of a clear and important benefit of Constitutional freedom of religion is the Supreme Court's June 27, 2025 opinion upholding the rights of parents to remove their children from required public school lessons which teach sex education lessons which violate the parents religious values and beliefs.

Another Constitutional protection of parental rights to guide their children's moral development is the Tennessee law restricting adult cabaret, drag performances, where children could be present. Drag queen story hours in schools and libraries were disallowed by law for children as sexually explicit adult entertainment.

Read more: <https://tinyurl.com/3zrxrc6> <https://tinyurl.com/yzjx9nuz> <https://tinyurl.com/zkr9pnbv>



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Saint Maria Goretti: Fourteen Flowers of Pardon

Learn more about the holy life and martyrdom of St. Maria Goretti in this moving documentary. In particular, the film highlights her ultimate act of love: forgiving her murderer on her deathbed.

Our parish has a Formed subscription. Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish. Scan the QR code to download the Formed app to your phone.



To create a FORMED account:

1. Visit FORMED.ORG
2. Click SIGN UP
3. Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization:
4. Find the parish by name (St. Agnes Cathedral) or Zip (11570)
5. Enter your email and you're in (There is no cost to use FORMED.)



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MISAS EN ESPAÑOL, Sábado - a las 7.30pm
(Misa del Domingo)

Martes - a las 7.30pm (comenzando con el Rosario
y confesión a las 7.00pm)

La ascensión es como el desarrollo del acontecimiento de la Pascua, su plenitud, que todavía «madurará» más con el envío del Espíritu. Pascua, Ascensión y Pentecostés no son unos hechos aislados, sucesivos, que conmemoramos con la oportuna fiesta anual, sino un único y dinámico movimiento de salvación que ha sucedido en Cristo, nuestra Cabeza, y que se nos va comunicando en la celebración pascual de cada año.

Todas las lecturas de hoy iluminan el misterio de la Ascensión. Los Hechos de los Apóstoles nos narra la ascensión de Jesús a los cielos y su promesa del Espíritu Santo. El salmo se acomoda perfectamente a la fiesta y nos ayuda a entender que, subiendo al cielo, Jesús es entronizado como “rey de toda la tierra”. Este aspecto está aún mejor desarrollado en la Carta a los Efesios, donde se insiste en que la resurrección ha otorgado a Cristo la plenitud del poder junto a Dios. Precisamente lo mismo que proclama el Resucitado en el evangelio de Mateo con el envío de los discípulos y su promesa de permanecer con ellos para siempre.

Escucharemos a continuación la otra versión de San Lucas sobre la Ascensión del Señor. Jesús, después de prometer la venida del Espíritu Santo, sube a los cielos.

LOS SACRAMENTOS *PENITENCIA/CONFESIÓN*

Todos los martes a las 7pm de la tarde antes de la Misa a las 7.30 p.m.

BAUTISMO

El tercer Sábado de cada mes a las 6:30 p.m. Hay que comunicarse con la oficina de la rectoría para la entrevista. Se puede llenar el formulario por la web de la parroquia. Los padrinos deben ser católicos, bautizados que han hecho su primera comunión y la confirmación. Si son parejas, tienen que haberse casado por la iglesia.

MATRIMONIO

Los que quieren casarse por la iglesia deben contactarnos con 12 meses de anticipación, hay que llamar la rectoría para citar la entrevista con el sacerdote y obtener más informaciones. La pre-cana es obligatoria.

CUIDADO PASTORAL DE LOS ENFERMOS

Los sacerdotes y los ministros extraordinarios de la Eucaristía están disponibles para visitar y llevar la comunión a los feligreses confinados en sus hogares. Favor llamar a la oficina de la rectoría para información.

ACTIVIDADES

Tenemos la adoración Eucarística el primer Martes de cada mes en la catedral después de la Misa de las 7.30pm.

Movimiento de Cursillos de Cristiandad tiene su reunión todos los sábados después de la misa en el sótano de la sacristía.

Grupo de Oración (Carismático) tiene su oración del grupo todos los miércoles en el Lower Hall a las 7.00 p.m. Para inscribir las intenciones de difuntos en la Misa de los Sábados a las 7:30 p.m y Martes 7:30 p.m ir a la oficina de la rectoría. Se abrirá espacio para 5 intenciones en cada Misa.

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Sunday 9:30am Mass

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11:00am Mass

Junior Girls Choir

Grades 3-5
Rehearsal | Tuesday, 4:15pm-5:15 pm
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Senior Girls Choir

Grades 6-8
Rehearsal: Tuesday & Friday, 3:00pm-4:00pm
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29 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre, NY, 11570

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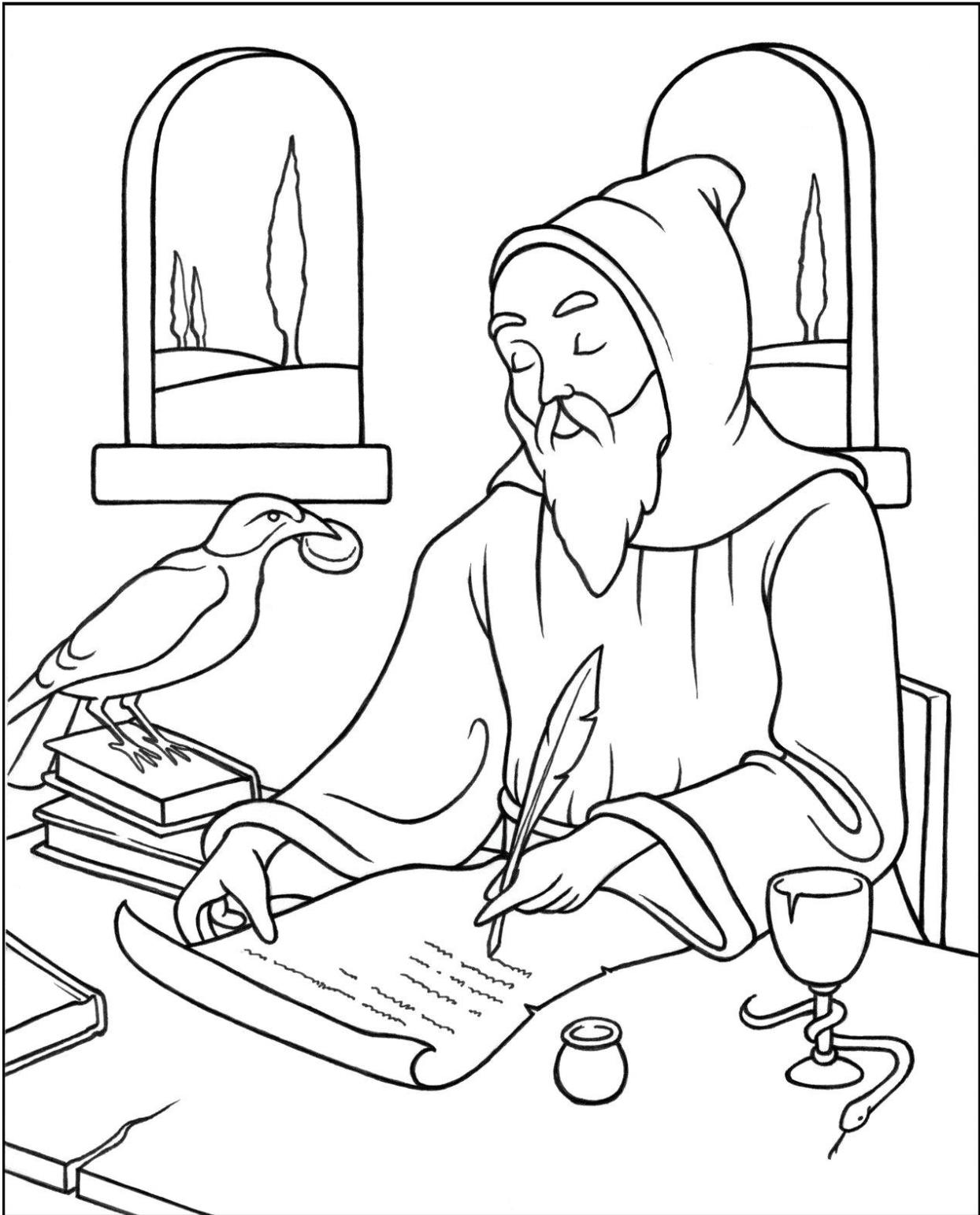
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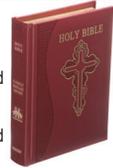
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