

# The Church of Saint Agnes

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## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

**Monday-Friday:** 10:00 AM–5:30 PM  
**Saturday and Sunday:** Closed

## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**Monday-Friday:** 1:50–4:55 PM  
**First Friday:** 8:40AM –12noon and  
1:50–4:55 PM  
(*Vespers and Benediction at 4:55 PM*)

## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday-Friday:** 7:10, 8:10 AM,  
12:10, 12:40, 1:10, and 5:10 PM

**Saturday:** 8:10 AM, 12:10, and  
5:10 PM (*fulfills Sunday obligation*)

**Sunday:** 8:30, 10:00,  
11:00 AM (*Tridentine Latin Mass*),  
12:30, 5:15, and 7:00 PM  
*Please note the church closes at 8PM.*

## CONFESSIONS

**Monday-Friday:** 7:30–8:30 AM,  
12:40–1:40 PM, and 5:00–5:30 PM

**Saturday:** 11:45 AM–12:30 PM,  
4:45–5:30 PM

## FIRST FRIDAY VIGIL

Opens with Mass at 5:10 PM  
Closes with Benediction at 7:00 PM

**Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> —Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## NOVENAS & PRAYERS

**Monday:** Miraculous Medal

**Tuesday:** St. Agnes

**Wednesday:** Saint Michael

**Thursday:** St. Agnes

**Friday:** Sacred Heart of Jesus

*Novenas follow the 7:10am, 8:10am, 1:10pm,  
and 5:10pm Masses only.*

## HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

5:10 PM (*Vigil Mass*)

7:10, 7:40, 8:10, 8:40, 11:40 AM, 12:10,  
12:40, 1:10, 1:40, 5:10 (*High Mass*), and  
6:10 PM

## CIVIC HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:10 AM, 12:10PM, and 1:10PM

## HOLY ROSARY

**Monday-Friday:**

after the 5:10 PM Mass

**Saturday:** after the 12:10 PM Mass

## LEGION OF MARY

Meets every **Thursday** at 6:30 PM

## DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

**Monday-Friday:** 3:00 PM

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent after the  
5:10PM Mass

## SERVING THE HOMEBOUND

The sacraments are available to the ill and  
homebound. Please contact the rectory.

## SAINT AGNES BOOKSTORE

**Monday-Friday:** 12:00 Noon–2:00 PM

**Saturday:** Closed

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Baptisms of children should take place as  
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## WEDDINGS

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vance. Pre-Cana is required.

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### *Celebrating Summorum Pontificum at St. Agnes*

This year the Church celebrates the 10-year anniversary of *Summorum Pontificum*, the Apostolic Letter of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, which granted more freedom to priests to practice the Tridentine liturgy in its 1962 form, often referred to as the Extraordinary Form of the Mass. The Apostolic Letter was issued on July 7, 2007, but went into effect on September 14th, the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. St. Agnes will recognize this anniversary on Sunday, September 10th, with a Traditional Latin Mass at 9am, followed by a Solemn *Te Deum* and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Join us!

### **Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary**

The 33-day prayer preparation for The Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary, which began on Sunday, August 6th, **will culminate on Thursday, September 7th with the Vigil of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**

### **Friday, September 8th: The Commemoration of the Nativity of The Blessed Virgin Mary**

The Church of St. Agnes, in cooperation with The Legion of Mary here at St. Agnes, invites you to two sung Masses on **Friday, September 8th, 2017 at 1:10pm and 5:10pm** to celebrate the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary & make our Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary.

### *In Thanksgiving...*

A generous, longterm donation for our Sanctuary Lamp has been made in thanksgiving by Mr. & Mrs. Roberto Adsuar.

### **Cinema Divina in NYC**

Culture and faith come together with a prayerful viewing of a film in light of the Scriptures with *Cinema Divina in NYC*. Hosted by The Daughters of St. Paul (the lovely ladies of Pauline Books & Media), the theme for this year is "Living Empathy," empathy being such an important virtue to embody in our world today. Films are viewed every second Tuesday of the month, from September through May. September's event features *Hidden Figures*. Please join us at St. Mary's (15th St. @ 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.) on **September 14th**; movies begin promptly at 6:30pm. Popcorn provided! For more information, please contact Sr. Hosea at (310) 890-8226 or [hrupprecht@paulinemediamedia.com](mailto:hrupprecht@paulinemediamedia.com).

September 3, 2017

### **Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today's readings: page 554 (red missal)  
Ordinary of the Mass: page 844

Opening hymn: #80 (blue hymnal)

Offertory hymn: #84

Recessional hymn: #115

### **Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost**

*(Tridentine Latin Mass)*

### **Labor Day Schedule**

Monday, September 4th, is Labor Day. In recognition of this civic holiday, St. Agnes will offer Mass at 8:10am and 12:10pm. The church will close after the 12:10pm Mass. There will be no Confessions that day. The rectory office and the bookstore will also be closed. We will resume our regular schedule the following day.

### *Pajama Program*

Dear Friends & Parishioners of St. Agnes,

I am writing on behalf of Pajama Program, a nearby nonprofit that works to ensure children nationwide have a comforting good night by giving kids in need **new** pajamas and books. Our headquarters, located on 114 East 39th Street, is also the site of a Reading Center, where we host Reading Parties for children from all five boroughs. During a Reading Party, adult volunteers read one-on-one with a child for an hour, providing attention and reading practice the children often don't receive in their day-to-day lives.

We are always looking for more volunteers and donations for our programs. We can offer flexibility with volunteer scheduling, but please be advised that all would need to pass a background check. We hope you'll consider helping us!

Best,  
Elizabeth Graham

### **\*\*\*DONATIONS ACCEPTED\*\*\***

For the month of September **ONLY**, St. Agnes will gladly accept donations of **NEW pajamas & books** to benefit the Pajama Program. Monetary donations, *payable to Pajama Program and sealed in an envelope*, will also be accepted. **Cash donations will NOT be accepted; please donate by check.** All donations will be delivered to the Pajama Program office on East 39th Street. **Please note that pajamas and books MUST be new; used items will not be accepted.** Bring your donation to the Rectory Office during regular working hours and we'll take care of the rest!

## *Twenty-second Sunday In Ordinary Time*

*Dear Friends & Parishioners,*

*On September 10<sup>th</sup> our new Sunday Mass schedule will go into effect at St. Agnes. The 8:30am Mass will be changed to 8:00am. The Traditional Latin Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am, followed by our (English) High Mass at 11am. The rest of the schedule remains the same, with Masses at 12:30pm, 5:15pm and 7:00pm. Please note that the 12:30pm Mass is no longer a High Mass.*

*St. Agnes is a community with great devotion to our parish, including those who travel in order to celebrate Mass with us. The new schedule allows two hours for the Traditional Latin Mass, providing time for worship and to also prepare the sanctuary for the next Mass. We are very happy to have the Traditional Latin Mass at St. Agnes and look forward to continuing this longstanding tradition.*

*The new schedule also assures everyone that the 12:30pm Mass will always start on time. This has been an ongoing concern and we hope this will be the solution that keeps our Sundays running smoothly. Some have suggested that 12:30pm would be better time for the Traditional Latin Mass, but this is not clear to us and we hope you'll be willing to give the new schedule a chance. Changes are always hard to accept and it may be some time before we get used to the new schedule, however, change also opens doors, bringing many benefits that might make our practice better.*

*God bless,*

*Fr. Michael Barrett*

### **RCIA Classes begin Sept 14th! Sign up NOW!**

The Church of St. Agnes will offer a RCIA course **for those interested in completing sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation) or converting to the Catholic faith.** RCIA, the Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults, covers all aspects of Catholic teaching: revelation, scripture, theology, sacraments, and commandments. We also welcome anyone seeking to deepen their knowledge of Catholicism. **Classes begin on September 14th and will meet in the lower church hall on Thursdays at 7pm.** After completing the course, students will be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil at St. Agnes on March 31, 2018. **There is NO CHARGE for this course.** For more information, contact the Rectory Office at 212 682 5722 or mail us at [church@stagneschurchnyc.org](mailto:church@stagneschurchnyc.org).

***Now is the time to complete your sacraments! Register today!***

**St. Agnes RCIA**

**Fall 2017**

*If you are interested in the program, but have questions or want to register, fill out the form below and put it in the collection basket at Mass or drop it off at the Rectory Office during the week. We'll be in touch!*

**Please print clearly**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

## **The Relics of St. Padre Pio at St. Patrick's Cathedral**

- When:** Sunday, September 17 to  
Monday, September 18, 2017
- Time:** Veneration 7 A.M. to 8 P.M. on both days.  
Check below for Mass times.
- Where:** Saint Patrick's Cathedral  
14 East 51st Street
- Cost:** Free
- More info:** <https://saintpatrickscathedral.org/padrepio>

The Saint Pio Foundation has organized a first-time tour of the official relics of Padre Pio, on the occasion of the 130th anniversary of his birth and the 15th anniversary of his canonization, here in the United States. St. Patrick's Cathedral has been blessed to welcome these beautiful and holy relics for full veneration throughout the day on Sunday, September 17, 2017 and Monday, September 18, 2017 from 7:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. each day to commemorate their first stop on this once in a lifetime American tour.

It is our hope that all faithful can have a moving experience with the most-holy relics of Padre Pio – which includes one of his blood-stained gloves and his personal mantel (cloak) – and witness Christ's love through an active encounter with Padre Pio.

### **Mass Schedule**

#### Sunday, September 17

The 10:15 am Mass will be the official welcoming Mass celebrated by His Eminence, Timothy Cardinal Dolan, with **the Sistine Chapel Choir**, and seating will be limited.

#### Monday, September 18

The 5:30pm Mass will be the official Closing Mass celebrated by Rev. Msgr. Robert T. Ritchie, Rector.

## **Candlelight March for Persecuted Christians**

Join us for a Candlelight Prayer Rally for persecuted Christians on **Friday, September 22, 2017** after the 6:00 p.m. Traditional Latin Mass at The Church of the Holy Innocents.

We will head to Herald Square at 34th Street and Broadway, then walk to Times Square at 42nd Street and Broadway. The Procession will conclude at the front of the church with the chanting of the Litany for Persecuted Christians and Blessing with the Relic of the True Cross.

#### **Where:**

The Church of the Holy Innocents  
128 West 37th Street  
New York, NY 10018

**SEPTEMBER 3, 2017**

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, September 4th—LABOR DAY**

8:10 AM Eugene Ancheta  
12:10 PM Juliana Lovett (Living)

**Tuesday, September 5th**

7:10 AM Alfredo Cristobal, Gustavo Proctox  
8:10 AM Bernadette Lynch  
12:10 PM Virginia Ngo (Living)  
12:40 PM Gustavo Lozada  
1:10 PM Lesbia Angulo  
5:10 PM Marco Paolo Lacson Yupangco (Living)

**Wednesday, September 6th**

7:10 AM Virginia Ngo (Living)  
8:10 AM Carol Settele  
12:10 PM Alba Caporuscio  
12:40 PM Franklin Angelo  
1:10 PM Paul Casaccio  
5:10 PM Alicia Miranda

**Thursday, September 7th**

7:10 AM Rossana & Romina Lanza (Living)  
8:10 AM Antoinette Todino  
12:10 PM Anne Atkinson  
12:40 PM Liam Hughes  
1:10 PM Yolanda & Benjamin Rosario  
5:10 PM Vincent Ward

**Friday, September 8th Nativity of**

**the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:10 AM Natividad M. Calibag  
8:10 AM Rosa & Leonardo Mendoza  
12:10 PM McEvoy, Doyle, and Stack Families  
12:40 PM Kathleen & John Halligan  
1:10 PM Celeste Reside  
5:10 PM Barbara & Socko Prasetyo (Living)

**Saturday, September 9th St. Peter Claver, Proest**

8:10 AM Vincent Reedinger (Living)  
12:10 PM Jason Chang (Living)  
5:10 PM Tom Mullally

**40th Annual Columbus Day Mass and Parade**

Please join us at St. Patrick's Cathedral on Monday, **October 9th, 2017**, at 9:30am, for Mass with our Italian brothers and sisters in celebration of Columbus Day. His Eminence, Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan, will be the Celebrant.

To reserve free tickets, please call 646 794 2000 or e-mail [columbusday@archny.org](mailto:columbusday@archny.org).

**CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS**

Sunday, August 28, 2016	\$3,958.00
<b>Sunday, August 27, 2017</b>	<b>\$4,866.50</b>

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