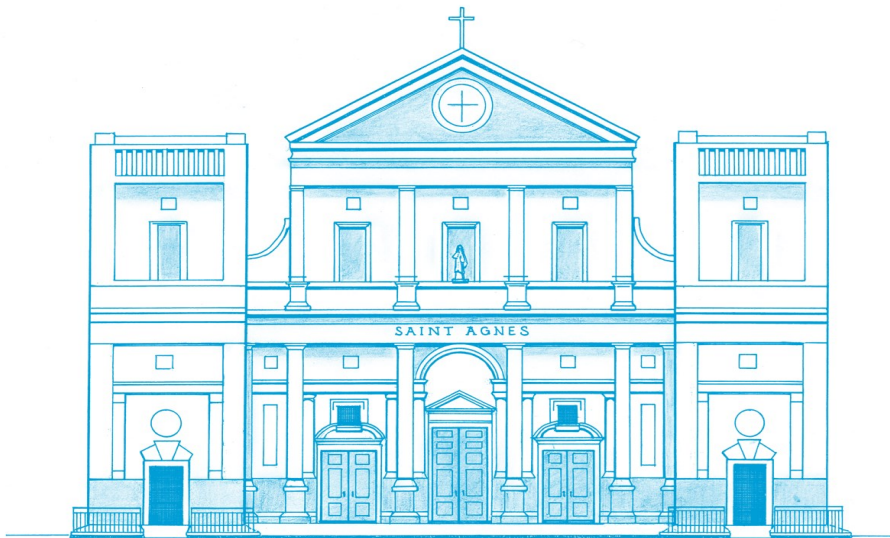


# The Church of Saint Agnes

143 East 43<sup>rd</sup> Street, New York, N.Y. 10017



## SERVED BY

Rev. Michael J. Barrett S.Th.D., *Pastor*  
Rev. Robert J. Brisson, *Parochial Vicar*  
Rev. Gova Showraiah Dasari  
(Fr. Francis), *Parochial Vicar*  
Most Reverend John O'Hara,  
*In Residence*  
Rev. William Elder, *In Residence*

## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

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

## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

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

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

**Sunday:** 8:00 AM, 9:00 (*Traditional Latin Mass*), 11:00 (English High 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

Mass at 5:10 PM, Holy Hour at 6pm, includes Benediction

## 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*)

## Sunday, January 28th —The Fourth 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

**Sunday:** 10:30AM—12:30 PM

**Phone:** (212) 599-7588

*bookstore@stagneschurchnyc.org*

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms of children should take place as soon as possible. Please make arrangements one month before your preferred date.

### WEDDINGS

By appointment at least six months in advance. Pre-Cana is required.

Rectory Telephone: (212) 682-5722    [www.stagneschurchnyc.org](http://www.stagneschurchnyc.org)    [church@stagneschurchnyc.org](mailto:church@stagneschurchnyc.org)

**GUILD OF CATHOLIC LAWYERS  
OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW YORK**

***Annual Red Mass***

The Red Mass, for members of the legal profession,  
will take place on Tuesday evening,

**February 13th, 2018, at 6p.m.**

at the Church of St. Agnes.

Timothy Cardinal Dolan will be the celebrant.

Join us!

***Did you know?***

In our Practice, we often refer to both the Consecrated and unconsecrated bread as a Host/host. The word host comes from a Latin word that means victim. This might best be remembered when we consider that “*O Salutaris Hostia*,” a beautiful hymn used every day for Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, translates to “*O Saving Victim*” in English.

**Confessions in Spanish**

Confessions can be heard in Spanish. Contact the rectory office for the availability of a bilingual priest.

**Praying the Liturgy of the Hours:  
Introduction to the Prayer of the Church**

Lent is coming and it’s a great time to begin or rejuvenate the praying of the Liturgy of the Hours, the official prayer of the Church, in your life. These two sessions (Jan 29 & Feb 5) will give you insight into praying with the Psalms as well as a step-by-step guide to navigating the books. Presented by Sr. Hosea Rupprecht, FSP. No cost. Donations accepted.

**When:** Monday, January 29  
and Monday, February 5

**Time:** 12 PM - 1 PM and 7 PM - 8 PM

**Contact:** Sr. Neville Christine Forchap, FSP  
[manhattan@paulinemediacom](mailto:manhattan@paulinemediacom) or  
212-754-1110

**Where:** Pauline Books & Media Center  
115 East 29th St (B/t Park & Lexington)  
New York, NY 10016

January 28, 2018

**The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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Opening hymn: #96 (blue hymnal)

Offertory hymn: #138

Recessional hymn: #115

**Septuagesima Sunday**  
*(Traditional Latin Mass)*

*Dear Friends & Parishioners,*

*I have asked our Music Director, Heitor Caballero, to step down; we aim to help him in his transition. Heitor is a talented musician who has done great work at St. Agnes. Although his emphasis on music is excellent, sometimes that can interfere with our desire to reach all of the faithful. We have asked for some liturgical music adjustments, but were unable to reach a compromise on how to best carry that out.*

*We are committed to maintaining a professional music program at St. Agnes and so I ask you to please pray for a smooth transition for Heitor and for our church as we look for a new Music Director.*

*Thank you for your understanding.*

*Yours in Christ,*

*Fr. Michael Barrett*

*Dear Friends & Parishioners,*

*Please accept my continued apologies for the lack of heat in the church. We are diligently working to resolve the problem as it is a priority for us to repair the heater as soon as possible.*

*Thank you for your patience.*

*Yours in Christ,*

*Fr. Michael Barrett*

***First Friday Holy Hour***

Friday, February 2nd, is the First Friday of the month. St. Agnes offers a Holy Hour immediately following the 5:10pm Mass on First Fridays. Holy Hour includes Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. Join us!



## The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### What is National Catholic Schools Week?

Since 1974, National Catholic Schools Week is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. It starts the last Sunday in January and runs all week, which in 2018 is **January 28 - February 3**. The theme for the National Catholic Schools Week 2018 is, "Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed." Schools typically observe the annual celebration week with Masses, open houses, and other activities for students, families, parishioners, and community members. Through these events, schools focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its contributions to our church, our communities, and our nation.

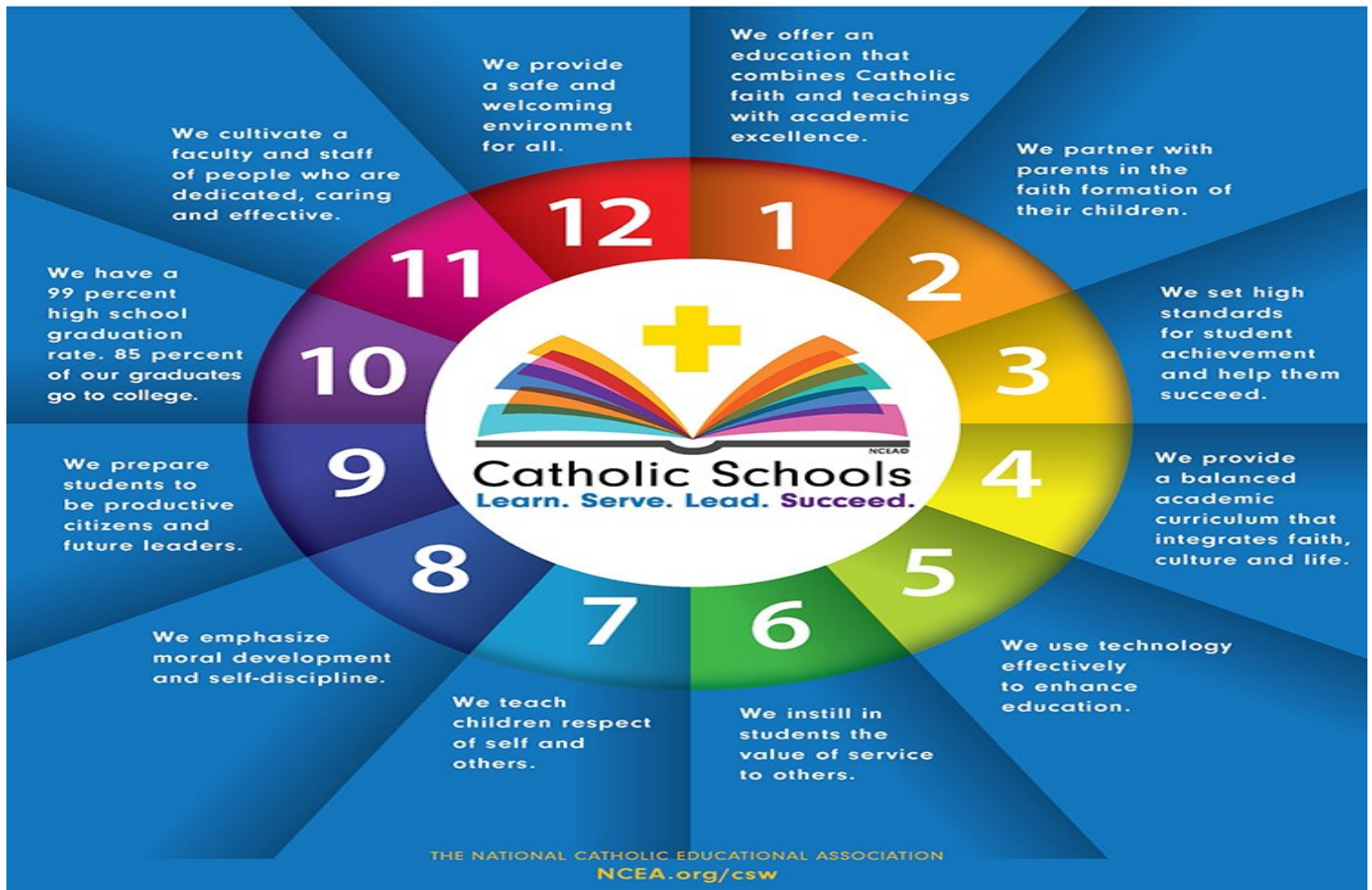
### Consider Catholic Schools!

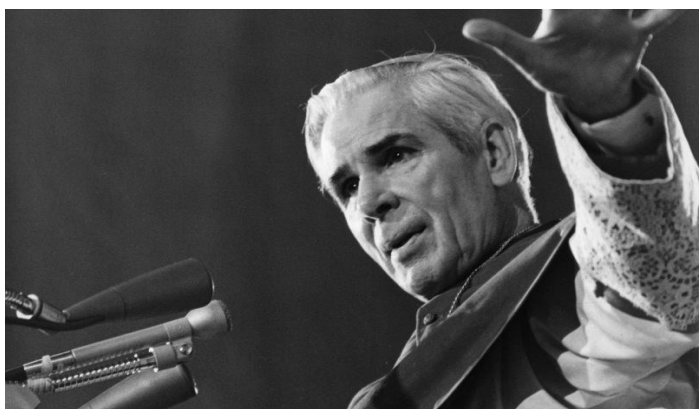
Did you know there is a website dedicated to providing information on Catholic schools in our Archdiocese? Find out what our schools have to offer! Visit the website at [buildboldfutures.org](http://buildboldfutures.org). Locate a school, search FAQs, and more!

The Archdiocese of NY began 2018-19 Admissions on December 1, 2018. For children moving into Pre-K 3 through Grade 8, families can apply:

- ◆ **Online** at [www.ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org](http://www.ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org);
- ◆ **By phone** at (646) 461-7398, between 9:00am and 5:00pm Monday through Friday. This bilingual helpline is dedicated to serving parents who are unable to access a computer or who would like to access Spanish-language representatives and/or translation services for other languages; and
- ◆ **At the school of interest** for parents who would like one-on-one assistance from the school's staff in completing the online applications for Admissions and Financial Assistance.

# a dozen reasons to choose Catholic Schools





*God loves you despite your unworthiness.  
It is His love which will make you better,  
rather than your betterment  
which will make Him love you.*

*Often during the day say:  
“God loves me,  
and He is on my side, by my side.”*

*- Venerable Fulton Sheen*

***Faces: Archdiocese Schools  
of New York Exhibition***

Join us for an art exhibition telling the story of where Catholic Schools in New York began, and where Catholic Schools of New York are today. Large scale art, installations, original musical performances, technology, and historical archives that celebrate our achievements. Every art or performance is designed, developed by Catholic students. Located at St. Patrick's Old Cathedral. Live Performance starts 6:00PM and Light Reception at 7:30 PM. No charge.

Monday, January 29, 2018,  
5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

<https://facesartsinitiativ.wixsite.com/mysite>

St. Patricks Old Cathedral  
273 Mott Street  
New York, NY, 10021



***Holy Water***

Holy Water is one of our best sacramentals. That is, it helps us direct our minds and hearts to the things of God. St. Agnes has Holy Water available in the north east corner of the church, near the statue of St. Michael. Bring your own bottle, or purchase one in the bookstore for a few dollars.

**JANUARY 28, 2018**

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, January 29**

7:10 AM Dorothy Vestecka Kouwenberg  
8:10 AM Rose D'Amato  
12:10 PM John Venezia (Living)  
12:40 PM Orazio Petito  
1:10 PM Denise Fingleton  
5:10 PM Lola Elias

**Tuesday, January 30**

7:10 AM Bob Hullstrung  
8:10 AM Jonathan Maldonado  
12:10 PM Linda Marrone  
12:40 PM Rose D'Amato  
1:10 PM Walter Atzrodt  
5:10 PM Sr. Celine

**Wednesday, January 31 St. John Bosco, Priest**

7:10 AM Marcela Matilde Peralta  
8:10 AM Dorothy Vestecka Kouwenberg  
12:10 PM John Douglass  
12:40 PM William David Young  
1:10 PM Ferdinand Gonzales  
5:10 PM Jerry & Margaret Jensen

**Thursday, February 1**

7:10 AM Rosemary Pannone  
8:10 AM Fr. Michael Santoro  
12:10 PM Julio Ignacio Gutierrez  
12:40 PM Rose D'Amato  
1:10 PM Joan M. Reynolds (Living)  
5:10 PM Mark Devlin

**Friday, February 2 The Presentation of the Lord**

7:10 AM All souls in Purgatory  
8:10 AM Vincent McDonnell (Living)  
12:10 PM Cynthia Planas Bernardo  
12:40 PM McDermott Family (Living)  
1:10 PM Michael Conmy  
5:10 PM Dorothy Vestecka Kouwenberg

**Saturday, February 3**

8:10 AM All Souls in Purgatory  
12:10 PM Leslie Rhodes (Living)  
5:10 PM Sr. Celine

**Remember:** A complete fast from all food and drink for one hour before the reception of the Holy Eucharist is *current law* for all Catholics. The fast does not include water and medicine.



**CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS**

January 20, 2017 \$4,571.00

**January 21, 2018 \$3,985.00**