

The Church of Saint Agnes

143 East 43rd Street, New York, N.Y. 10017
Rectory Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 10am-5:30pm



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

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*
Rev. Brian McWeeney, *In Residence*

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Mr. Alexander Pattavina
apattavina@stagneschurchnyc.org

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*)

HOLY ROSARY

Monday-Friday:
after the 5:10 PM Mass
Saturday: after the 12:10 PM Mass

Sunday, April 7th —The Fifth Sunday of Lent

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

LEGION OF MARY

Meets every **Tuesday** 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.

RCIA (Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults)

Beginning in September, classes meet on Thursdays at 6:45pm.

SAINT AGNES BOOKSTORE

Mon, Wed, Fri: 12:00 Noon–2:00 PM

Tues, Thurs: 12:00 Noon–6:00 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.

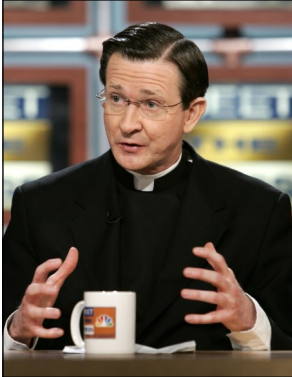
WEDDINGS

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

Rectory Telephone: (212) 682-5722 www.stagneschurchnyc.org church@stagneschurchnyc.org

The Seven Last Words **with Monsignor Thomas Bohlin**

The Church of St. Agnes is very pleased to announce that Monsignor Thomas Bohlin will present *The Last Seven Words* on Good Friday this year. The church will open at 11:30am on April 19th for the sermon, which will be held from 12noon–3pm. The Good Friday liturgy, which includes the distribution of the Eucharist, will immediately follow.



Msgr. Thomas Bohlin is currently the Vicar for the Prelature of Opus Dei (Work of God) for the United States. Opus Dei is a personal prelature of the Catholic Church with activities in more than forty countries. Its mission is to spread the message that all Christians are called by God to make Christ known and to seek holiness in and through their daily work, family life and social relations. To help people carry out this message, Opus Dei offers specialized pastoral care through classes, talks, personal spiritual direction, retreats, etc. This formation fosters the exercise of human and Christian virtues and stresses sharing in God's work of creation and redemption by following the example of Christ's hidden life of work.

Online Giving by We Share

For online giving through We Share, visit our website at www.Stagneschurchnyc.org and click on the "We Share" icon. Then, simply follow the prompts.

Having problems?

Call the rectory office at (212) 682 5722 and we will help you out.



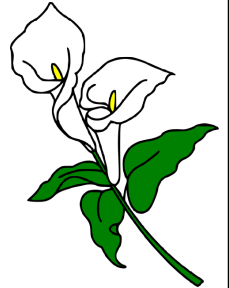
The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Passion Sunday
(Traditional Latin Mass)



Easter Spiritual Bouquet...

Now is the time to enroll your living and deceased friends and relatives into **St. Agnes's Spiritual Bouquet**. Pick up an envelope in the rectory office, fill out your information, and include your offering. **Your envelope will be placed on the Altar for all of our Easter Masses.** You will also receive a special Mass card to send to your intention.



Let's meet for coffee—TODAY!

St. Agnes welcomes everyone to coffee hour after the 9am Mass today, Sunday, April 7th. Join us! Coffee and light treats will be served in the lower church hall.



St. Agnes is in need of volunteers! **We're looking for:**

- Individuals to count church contributions on Mondays and Thursdays at 10am.
- Ushers for our weekday and Sunday Masses. We would especially appreciate help during Holy Week—our busiest and most important week of the year.
- Do you have limited time, but still want to help out somehow? Contact Anne Megan in the rectory office at (212) 682-5722.

Reconciliation Monday

Monday, April 15th is Reconciliation Monday. This is an Archdiocesan-wide effort to make the sacrament of Reconciliation available to the faithful so that we can prepare for Easter. **In addition to our regular schedule, Confessions will be heard from 4 - 8pm.** Fr. Barrett and Fr. Brisson **can hear Confession in both English & Spanish.** Don't let a language barrier get in the way! Call the Rectory at 212-682-5722 for their schedule.

HOLY WEEK 2019

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

MASSSES: Regular Mass Schedule
6:00PM: **TENEBRAE SERVICE**
OF PSALMS AND READINGS

HOLY THURSDAY

CONFESSIONS: 7:30AM – 9:00AM, 11:30AM – 1:30PM,
4:00PM – 5:00PM, 6:30 – 7:00PM

MASSSES: 8:10AM, 12:10PM, AND 5:10PM
(5:10PM IS THE MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER)

GOOD FRIDAY

CONFESSIONS: 8:00AM – 9:00AM, 11:30AM – 2:00PM,
5:00PM – 6:00PM

SERVICES:

12:00 NOON TO 3:00PM

"SEVEN LAST WORDS"
MSGR. THOMAS BOHLIN,
VICAR OF THE PRELATURE OF OPUS DEI

3:10PM GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY
5:10PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS
CONFESSIONS UNTIL 6:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY

CHURCH OPENS: 11:00AM

CONFESSIONS: 12:00PM TO 1:00PM
NO EVENING CONFESSIONS

EASTER VIGIL & MASS:

8:30PM – FR. MICHAEL J. BARRETT - PASTOR

EASTER SUNDAY:

MASSSES: 8:00AM (Low Mass)
9:00AM (Traditional Latin Mass)
11:00AM (Sung Mass)
12:30PM (with Organ and Cantor)

NO EVENING MASSES ON EASTER SUNDAY

A Note From the Pastor...

Dear Friends & Parishioners,

We have tried to create an atmosphere of peace and serenity by celebrating Holy Mass with devotion and by bringing God's mercy to you through the Sacrament of Confession. These two sacraments, along with other devotions, bring Christ to midtown Manhattan at The Church of St. Agnes. In order for the Church to be a beautiful, clean, and safe place to pray requires a fantastic staff and financial support.

I am asking you to support St. Agnes in the offertory collection, through online contributions on your smart-phone, or in any way that you can volunteer. I have been here a little over two and a half years and the pastor's term is limited. On the other hand, many of you have come, and will continue to come, to this parish. St. Agnes will continue to attract souls during the centuries ahead. We pray for the parish, but I am asking you to be generous in supporting St. Agnes by your financial contributions.

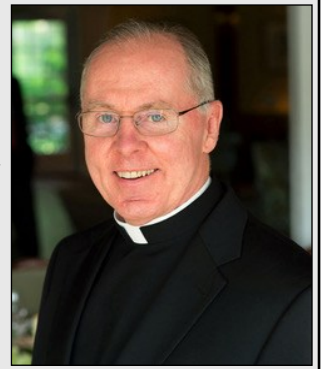
Many of you come from all around New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Long Island, and beyond. I am sure you support your home parish. But St. Agnes is in the center of New York City since 1873 and it is a place where the Catholic Church should be, right in the middle of everyday life. Midtown Manhattan is where we can spend three to five dollars for coffee or \$15.00 for a sandwich and a bottle of water. I am asking you to spend that level of money to support St. Agnes. Nothing dramatic, but a good way to give generously. During Lent almsgiving is one of the principal ways to be penitent and to give glory to God.

I want to encourage you to come to weekday Mass at least once a week during Lent or visit the Blessed Sacrament in the afternoons for Eucharistic Adoration. Please see the bulletin or our website for our Lenten and Holy Week schedules.

This year we saw a big increase in Mass attendance for Ash Wednesday. Since then, we've seen a 25% increase in Mass attendance overall! Keep up the good work! Make good use of the Lenten Season by extending your commitment of time and prayer throughout the year. Your love for Jesus, for the Heavenly Father, doesn't end on Easter Sunday, and it shouldn't. Stay with us for the liturgical year. The Holy Spirit can help us to celebrate Feast Days to come! Remember that Divine Mercy Sunday is the Sunday right after Easter.

St. Agnes, pray for us!
Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us!
Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!

Thank you, and God bless you.
Fr. Michael Barrett





***Unplanned* Movie In Theaters NOW!**

*"I have seen this film and **HIGHLY** encourage everyone to do so. It has the power to change hearts."*

*-Fr. Michael Barrett,
Pastor, The Church of St. Agnes*

Go to Stagneschurchnyc.org
to view a trailer of the film

Unplanned* surpassed expectations for its opening weekend!** Major TV networks won't air the film's commercials and Twitter has frustrated their account, but ***the film is catching on! As of publication time for this bulletin, only TWO theaters in Manhattan are showing the film:

- **AMC Kips Bay 15**
570 Second Ave at 32nd Street

- **AMC Empire 25**
234 West 42nd Street b/t 7th and 8th Aves

If you've discussed abortion, but have no further knowledge, this is the movie to see.

If you've heard the talking points of our politicians and don't understand why the Church doesn't modernize and "let this go," this is the movie to see.

APRIL 7, 2019

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 8

7:10 AM Ivan Oule, Yeresi Asire, and
their deceased family members
8:10 PM Simon Ho
12:10 PM Margaret M. McMahon
12:40 PM Ethel J. Schembri
1:10 PM Philip A. Baumgarten
5:10 PM Ray Quinones (Living)

Tuesday, April 9

7:10 AM Vincent McDonnell (Living)
8:10 AM Deceased members of the Foss Family
and All Souls of Purgatory
12:10 PM Souls in Purgatory
12:40 PM Ellen Canny (Living)
1:10 PM Rose D'Amato
5:10 PM Angela Giambrone

Wednesday, April 10

7:10 AM Anna Matarese
8:10 AM Mireya Acuna
12:10 PM Kevin Minihan
12:40 PM Iwona Witkowska
1:10 PM Lita Fortuna
5:10 PM John English, Jr.

Thursday, April 11

7:10 AM Ivan Matosevic
8:10 AM Simon Ho
12:10 PM John Giacona
12:40 PM Josefina Realuyo
1:10 PM Edward Lobo
5:10 PM Marie T. Martorana

Friday, April 12

7:10 AM Rose D'Amato
8:10 AM Teodolinda Munoz
12:10 PM Lucille Graziosa
12:40 PM Wilson Maitre
1:10 PM James Flynn
5:10 PM Julia & Agustin Albuerne

Saturday, April 13

8:10 AM Pope Francis (Living)
12:10 PM Nicolina Verlezza
5:10 PM Hendra Hadiprana

***Church contributions for the month
of March: \$30,054.93***

*This number represents all contributions, including
those made online for our Sunday collections.
Please remember that St. Agnes operates at a deficit
each month. Our many expenses regularly
exceed the donations given.*