

The Church of Saint Agnes

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August 29, 2021
Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

CHURCH WEBSITE
stagneschurchnyc.org



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday:

8:00 AM, 12:10*, 1:10, and 5:10 PM

Saturday:

8:00 AM, 12:10*, and
5:10 PM (*fulfills Sunday obligation*)

Sunday:

8:00 AM, 9:00 (*Traditional Latin Mass*),
11:00* (*High Mass - English*), 12:30,
and 7:00 PM

Please note the church closes at 8PM.

Holy Day of Obligation:

See the bulletin for upcoming
Holy Day Schedules.

Civic Holiday:

See the bulletin for upcoming
Civic Holiday Schedules.

* *Live Streamed on YouTube.*

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday:

12:40-1:40 PM and 5:00-5:30 PM

Saturday:

12:30 PM-1:30 PM

HOLY ROSARY

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

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Due to Coronavirus we are not
offering exposition at this time.

FIRST FRIDAY VIGIL

Abbreviated Holy Hour begins after the
5:10 PM Mass, includes Benediction.

NOVENAS & PRAYERS

Monday Miraculous Medal
Tuesday Saint Agnes
Wednesday Saint Michael
Thursday Saint Agnes
Friday Sacred Heart of Jesus

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Suspended due to Coronavirus

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent after the
5:10 PM Mass.

SAINT AGNES BOOKSTORE

Monday - Thursday.... 12 Noon - 2 PM
Friday - Sunday Closed
Phone: (212) 599-7588

bookstore@stagneschurchnyc.org

LEGION OF MARY

Meets every Thursday at 6:30 PM

SERVING THE HOMEBOUND

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

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.

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

Meets at 7:00 PM on Thursdays
beginning September 30th. Details
inside bulletin.

YOUTUBE CHANNEL

[youtube.com/c/ChurchofSaintAgnesNYC](https://www.youtube.com/c/ChurchofSaintAgnesNYC)



FACEBOOK

[@stagneschurchnyc](https://www.facebook.com/stagneschurchnyc)





August 29, 2021

**Twenty-Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

**Fourteenth Sunday
after Pentecost**
(Traditional Latin Mass)



Rectory Phones

Due to problems with Verizon, the church phone system is not working properly. If our main number does not work, you can try our auxiliary number **(646)707-0168** or email church@stagneschurchnyc.org.

Second Collection for Haiti

On the morning of August 14, a powerful earthquake with a magnitude of 7.2 struck southwestern Haiti, less than 100 miles from the capital city of Port-au-Prince, resulting in over 1,400 deaths, thousands of wounded, and millions of dollars of damage to houses, businesses, and churches. Two days later, Tropical Storm Grace swept over the island, battering the stricken area with heavy rains and high winds that interfered with earthquake search and rescue efforts and further damaged already weakened structures. The people of Haiti are likely to see ongoing hardship in the weeks ahead as they begin recovery and rebuilding efforts.

In response to this disaster we will have a second collection at all Masses this weekend to help support humanitarian relief in Haiti. Thank You for your generosity!

**We pray for all those in Haiti affected
by these natural disasters.**

Women's Retreat at Saint Agnes

Every once in a while, we all need some time to unplug. The noise of life, from daily tasks to technology, can sometimes be overwhelming. That's where the value of a recollection comes in.

**Join us at the Church of Saint Agnes for a
SPIRITUAL RECOLLECTION
FOR WOMEN**

Beginning September 18, 2021 on
the Third Saturday of the Month from 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM.

For more information and
to register to attend visit:
mhplace.org/afternoon-of-recollection



These events will be free but donations are appreciated.

Please give \$20...



Continued support to Saint Agnes is vital to our parish. We ask if you would consider putting \$20.00 in the collection basket to help us with the additional deficit caused by the pandemic. A weekly contribution will add up and will make a big difference. Supporting our church is not just about getting through a tough time, it is also for the decades ahead in bringing the Catholic Faith to the public square of New York City.

We want to acknowledge all the contributions we receive online through Zelle, Venmo, and WeShare; in person at Mass; checks by mail; and in another ways. We appreciate all your support and could not have survived the last year and a half without you.



Together with your talents,
we can build up the kingdom.
Let us know how you can
help by emailing:

church@stagneschurchnyc.org

Online Giving

Saint Agnes offers three ways to make church contributions online: Zelle, Venmo, and WeShare. These are popular ways to give and they are known for their safety and ease of use. Those who give online say that they prefer the simplicity (no need to remember your envelope!).

zelle

The email associated with *Zelle* for
church contributions is:
church@stagneschurchnyc.org



Visit our website at
www.stagneschurchnyc.org
and click on the
"We Share" icon.

venmo

To donate to Saint Agnes through
Venmo, search for user [@StAgnesNYC](https://www.venmo.com/@StAgnesNYC)



Labor Day 2021

We will have a civic holiday schedule on Monday, September 6th.



Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 AM and 12:10 PM.
The Church will close after the 12:10 PM Mass.
There will be no Confessions.
The Rectory Office and Bookstore will be closed.

Saint Jeanne Jugan

1792-1879

Feast Day – August 30



Born in Brittany, in France, Jeanne was four when her fisherman father died. Her mother supported six children as a farm laborer. Jeanne became a kitchen maid at 16, and her mistress took her on visits to the sick and poor. She joined a third order at 25, working in a hospital for six years, then returned to domestic service. Soon, however, she began devoting herself entirely to care of the poor, especially widows, living in community with two other women. Though she established the Little Sisters of the Poor in 1842, she was not recognized as the order's founder until 1893. Canonized in 2009, she is considered a patron of the elderly.

Saint Jeanne Jugan, pray for us!

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Altar Flowers

The Altar Flowers for the Week of August 29, 2021 are Donated in Thanksgiving by Alex and Katrina.

The Altar Flowers (\$250/week), the Bread and Wine that will be consecrated at Mass (\$50/week) and the Sanctuary Lamp (\$50/week) can be donated for your intention.

We will also print your donation/intention in our bulletin.

Contact the rectory office for more information.

First Friday - September 3rd

There will be an abbreviated Holy Hour immediately after the 5:10pm Mass on September 3rd. It will consist of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, a brief homily, time for personal prayer, and will end with Benediction at 6:15pm.

RCIA - Fall 2021 (Rite of Christian Initiation)

Saint Agnes will be offering an RCIA Course starting on September 30, 2021 which covers all aspects of Catholic teaching including revelation, scripture, theology, the sacraments and the commandments.

Classes are free of charge and will meet weekly at 7:00pm on Thursdays.

This program is meant to serve:

- Those who are seeking baptism or wish to be received into the Catholic Church.
- Those who are seeking to complete their sacraments, such as First Communion and Confirmation.
- Those who wish to acquire a deeper knowledge of their faith.

After completion students will be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil on April 16, 2022.

For questions or to sign up contact:
rcia@stagneschurchnyc.org

World Day of Prayer for Creation

September 1

God has entrusted creation to the care of humankind.

We are called to cultivate and steward the earth with wisdom, manage its resources well, and respectfully care for the creatures of the earth.

Prayer to Care for our Common Home

Father of all,
Creator and ruler of the universe,
You entrusted your world to us as a gift.
Help us to care for it and all people,
that we may live in right relationship—
with You,
with ourselves,
with one another,
and with creation.

Christ our Lord,
both divine and human,
You lived among us and died for our sins.
Help us to imitate your love for the human family
by recognizing that we are all connected—
to our brothers and sisters around the world,
to those in poverty impacted by environmental devastation,
and to future generations.

Holy Spirit,
giver of wisdom and love,
You breathe life in us and guide us.
Help us to live according to your vision,
stirring to action the hearts of all—
individuals and families,
communities of faith,
and civil and political leaders.

Triune God, help us to hear the cry of those in poverty,
and the cry of the earth,
so that we may together care for our common home.

Amen.

This prayer from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops is based on Pope Francis' Laudato Si': On Care for Our Common Home.

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 30

8:00 AM Remedios Mendoza
12:10 PM Lowell Hudson
1:10 PM Catherine Dooley (Living)
5:10 PM William M. Shaw

Tuesday, August 31

8:00 AM Marie Cronin
12:10 PM Benny Walsh
1:10 PM David Arnon
5:10 PM Santos Rosado

Wednesday, September 1

8:00 AM Lauren Ginarte (Healing)
12:10 PM Robert Lulack
1:10 PM Tessia Correa De Mattos (Living)
5:10 PM Al McGuire

Thursday, September 2

8:00 AM Vincent McDonnell (Living)
12:10 PM Eileen Tolan
1:10 PM Karen Tomita Megan (Birthday)
5:10 PM Rev. Dumount (Living)

Friday, September 3

Memorial of Saint Gregory the Great

8:00 AM George & Josephine Weber
12:10 PM Eileen Cronin
1:10 PM Mr. and Mrs. Chatterjee
5:10 PM For intercession of the Virgin Mary

Saturday, September 4

8:00 AM Christian Ginarte (Healing)
12:10 PM Jim Cooper
5:10 PM Dino J. Ferrari

To arrange an announced Mass, stop by or call the rectory office, send us a check by mail, or make your donation online (Zelle/Venmo)*. The donation for an announced Mass is \$15.

December 2021 Masses are available.

** If you make your donation through Zelle or Venmo, please email us at church@stagneschurchnyc.org with any details (such as a desired Mass date). Please include your phone number.*

We will do our best to accommodate your request.



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You can find a link on our website: stagneschurchnyc.org



Livestream Masses

Monday-Saturday @ 12:10 pm and Sunday @ 11:00 am

Pope Francis' Message on Vaccinations

The Vatican has released the following text of Pope Francis' appeal for all people to take any COVID-19 vaccine authorized by the competent authorities.

In a brotherly spirit, I join in this message of hope for a brighter future. Thanks to God and to the work of many, we now have vaccines to protect us from COVID-19. They grant us the hope of ending the pandemic, but only if they are available to all and if we work together.

Being immunized with vaccines authorized by the competent authorities is an act of love. And contributing to ensure the majority of people are vaccinated is an act of love. Love for oneself, love for one's family and friends, love for all people. Love is also social and political, there is social love and political love; it is universal, always overflowing with small gestures of personal charity capable of transforming and improving societies (cf. *Laudato si'*, no. 231, cf. *Fratelli tutti*, 184).

Vaccination is a simple but profound way of promoting the common good and caring for each other, especially the most vulnerable. I pray to God that everyone may contribute their own small grain of sand, their own small gesture of love; no matter how small, love is always great. Contribute with these small gestures for a better future.

God bless you, and thank you.

To schedule a COVID-19 vaccine
in New York City you can go to
vaccinefinder.nyc.gov or call 877-829-4692

Commemoration of The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Wednesday,
September 8, 2021**



The Church of Saint Agnes, in cooperation with the Legion of Mary, invite you to a sung Mass on Wednesday, September 8th at 5:10 PM to celebrate the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Those who have completed their private 33 day preparation (Aug 6-Sept 7) will make or renew their Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary at this Mass.

This Mass will also be live streamed on YouTube.