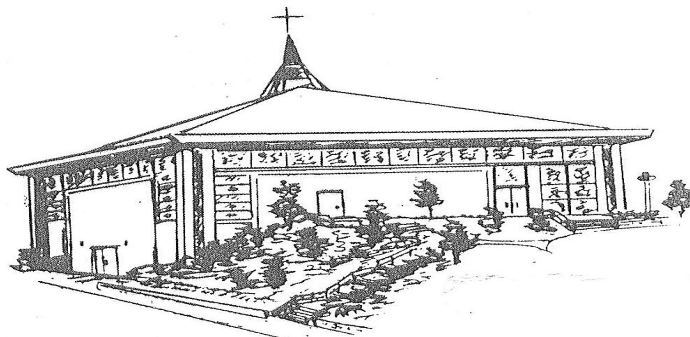


# Saint Agnes Church



# & Holy Trinity Church

St. Agnes Administrative Center  
622 St. Agnes Lane • West Mifflin, PA 15122-2925



Holy Trinity Administrative Center  
529 Grant Avenue Ext. • West Mifflin, PA 15122-3830

## ST. AGNES MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY - JUNE 20 - 12TH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

6:00p (Sat) - **James Alexander, Sr.** (Ephesian IV)  
8:00 - - **Robert J. Andres** (Egnitz and Baer Families)  
11:00 - - **Albert Savolskis** (Estok Family)

### MONDAY - JUNE 21 - ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

(8:00 - - *Mass at Holy Trinity*)

### TUESDAY - JUNE 22 - ST. THOMAS MOORE

7:00 - **Josephine Sitko** (Daughter, Patricia A. Ferchak)

### WEDNESDAY - JUNE 23 - WEEKDAY

(8:00 - - *Mass at Holy Trinity*)

### THURS-JUN 24-NATIVITY-ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

7:00 - **Floyd William Schuchert** (Floyd W. Schuchert, Jr.)

### FRIDAY - JUNE 25 - WEEKDAY

(8:00 - - *Mass at Holy Trinity*)

### SATURDAY - JUNE 26 - IN HONOR OF BVM

(8:00 - - *Mass at Holy Trinity*)

### SUNDAY - JUNE 27 - 13TH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

6:00p(Sat)-**Ann/Edmond Gruber-Health** (Ladies/Charity)  
8:00 - - **Robert Johns** (Ladies of Charity)  
11:00 - - **Corinne L. Schneider** (Estok Family)

## HOLY TRINITY MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY - JUNE 20 - 12TH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

4:00p (Sat.) **John Kovalcin** (Betty Clark)  
9:30 - - **Living/Deceased of First Catholic Slovak Union**

### MONDAY - JUNE 21 - ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

8:00 - **Mary Jean Maresch** (Diana Maresch)

### TUESDAY - JUNE 22 - ST. THOMAS MOORE

(7:00 - - *Mass at St. Agnes*)

### WEDNESDAY - JUNE 23 - WEEKDAY

8:00 - **Marian Nissen** (Pikula Family)

### THURS-JUN 24-NATIVITY-ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

(7:00 - - *Mass at St. Agnes*)

### FRIDAY - JUNE 25 - WEEKDAY

8:00 - **Joseph Svirbel** (Nesti Family)

### SATURDAY - JUNE 26 - IN HONOR OF BVM

8:00 - **Justine Kopay** (Agnes Kovac)

### SUNDAY - JUNE 27 - 13TH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

4:00p(S)**John/Marie Kolvacin** (Cecelia Minella/Virg Jasek)  
9:30 - - **Robert Schorr** (Eileen and Linda Schorr)

ADMINISTRATOR, **Rev. Joseph R. Grosko**

PRINCIPAL, ST. AGNES SCHOOL

Sister Cynthia Wessel .....412-466-6238

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Social Hall - St. Agnes ..... 412-466-5500  
Social Hall - Holy Trinity..... 412-466-9695  
St. Agnes Convent ..... 412-466-3554  
St. Agnes Website..... [www.stagneswm.com](http://www.stagneswm.com)  
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NOVENA TO MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP MONDAYS  
AFTER THE 8:00 A.M. MASS AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

EPHESIANS IV — PRAYER & PRAISE  
ON MONDAYS AT 7:30 PM IN ST. AGNES CHURCH  
EVERYONE IS INVITED AND WELCOME

**HOLY DAY MASSES:** As scheduled.

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays at 5:30 p.m., St. Agnes and  
Holy Trinity, Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. (or by appt.)

**BAPTISM:** By appointment. Pre-Baptism preparation  
required. Arrange before birth.

**MARRIAGE:** Arrange 6 months in advance.

**SICK & SHUTINS:** Please call the Rectory.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Please register at Rectory.

## THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The seventeenth-century bishop **St. Francis de Sales** wrote that **there is nothing complicated about becoming a saint.** We must come to know Jesus. How? By imagining ourselves in His presence and then asking what we must do to be like Him. So we apply that approach in reflecting upon Jesus' words: ***"If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must....take up his cross daily and follow Me."*** Take up our cross daily. The word "daily" suggests that Our Lord is not directing us to die as He did—which could only be done once—but to **live as His disciples, seeking daily to love as He did on the cross.** And how was that? A thousand years before Francis de Sales, Pope St. Gregory the Great said **such a love would include both self-sacrifice, putting aside our own desires, and compassion for others, looking sympathetically upon their failings, holding no more grudges than did Christ toward those—that is, toward us—whose sins put Him on the cross.**



### — Mark Your Calendar —

**On the weekend of June 26th and 27th,** the annual *Peter's Pence Collection* will be taken. This annual collection enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to those throughout the world who suffer from war, oppression, disease and natural disasters. **The annual collection is a powerful way for Catholics around the world to shed the Light of Christ on those who are most in need.**

**Wednesday, July 21st,** is the *Holy Trinity Men's Club Trip to the Meadows Casino.* Cost is **\$25 per person;** bonus at the Meadows is *\$15 slot play, \$5.00 food.* **Schedule:** **7:30 a.m.**—Enjoy coffee and donuts before our departure; **9:00 a.m.**—Depart for the Meadows Casino; **4:00 p.m.**—Depart for home. Call **George Miteff** at **412-466-5062** for reservations by **Wednesday, July 14th.**

### ETHNIC DAYS AT KENNYWOOD:

<p><i>Carpatho Russian Day</i>...Wednesday, <i>June 30</i>  <i>Irish Day</i>.....Wednesday, <i>July 7</i>  <i>SLOVAK DAY</i>.....Thursday, <i>July 15</i>  <i>Serbian Day</i>.....Friday, <i>July 16</i>  <i>Italian Day</i>.....Tuesday, <i>July 20</i>  <i>Byzantine Day</i>.....Thursday, <i>July 22</i>  <i>Jewish Day</i>.....Sunday, <i>July 25</i></p>	<p><i>Slovene Day</i>.....Monday, <i>July 26</i>  <i>Greek Day</i>.....Tuesday, <i>July 27</i>  <i>Polish Day</i>.....Tuesday, <i>August 3</i>  <i>Hungarian Day</i>...Wednesday, <i>August 4</i>  <i>Scottish Day</i>.....Friday, <i>August 20</i>  <i>Croatian Day</i>.....Saturday, <i>September 4</i></p>
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### — FOUR GUIDELINES FROM GOD —

Effective Immediately.....**please be aware that there are changes YOU need to make in YOUR life.** These changes need to be completed in order that *I may fulfill My promises to you to grant you peace, joy and happiness in this life.* I apologize for any inconvenience, but after all that I am doing, this seems very little to ask of you.

#### *Please follow these 4 guidelines:*

1. **QUIT WORRYING:** Life has dealt you a blow and all you do is sit and worry. Have you forgotten that I am here to take all your burdens and carry them for you? Or do you just enjoy fretting over every little thing that comes your way?
2. **TRUST ME:** Once you've given your burdens to Me, quit trying to take them back. Trust in me. Have the faith that I will take care of all your needs, your problems, and your trials.
3. **LEAVE IT ALONE:** Don't wake up one morning and say, "Well, I'm feeling much stronger now, I think I can handle it from here." Why do you think you are feeling stronger now? It's simple. You gave Me your burdens and I'm taking care of them. I also renew your strength and cover you in My peace.
4. **LOVE YOURSELF:** As much as I love you, how can you not love yourself? You were created by Me for one reason only—to be loved and to love in return. *I am a God of Love.* Love Me, your neighbors, and yourself. It makes My heart ache when I see you so angry with yourself when things go wrong. *You are very precious to me!*

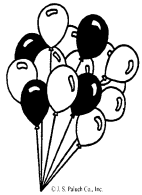


### Happy "Father's Day" To All Fathers

To be a human **Father** is a privilege that carries with it not only the obligation of providing for the material needs of a family, but also the serious responsibility of educating children in Faith, especially by good example. Today we need fathers who are not ashamed of their Faith—fathers who see to it that their children receive religious instructions—fathers who lead their families in prayer at home—fathers who come with their children to the Sacrament of Penance and Holy Communion.

Today we **congratulate all fathers** in our parish and pray that they be not only good natural fathers, but spiritual fathers as well. And we remember in our prayers today **all fathers**, those who are with us, as well as those already called by God to their eternal reward and everlasting embrace by our Father in Heaven.

Priests are also addressed as "**Father**" because in the work of Christ, they have the responsibility of being "**Spiritual Fathers**" to those they serve. **-So please whisper a prayer for all Priests today as well. And continue to pray for priestly and religious vocations.**



### St. Agnes Annual Summer Festival July 30th and 31st

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!** Please pick up your envelopes in the Social Hall with a personal letter to **ALL PARISHIONERS** and two books of **RAFFLE TICKETS** enclosed to sell. Please begin to return your stubs and check to the Parish Center. (Extras are available to sell.)

**Your help will ensure success!! Prayerfully grateful!**

**Sign-Up Posters for Summer Festival Volunteers are available in the Social Hall.**

**SIX MONTHS TO GO....**The Diocese gave us statements reminding us of the unremitted balance on our **2010 Parish Share goals**. For **St. Agnes**, of the goal of **\$24,367**, our outstanding balance is **\$12,748**. And for **Holy Trinity** of our stated goal **\$24,875**, the balance due is **\$15,306**. We have **until the end of January 2011** to fulfill our goals, otherwise the Diocese will loan the money with interest due. It has not happened in the past for either parish, so I ask each parish to faithfully fulfill their pledges in the **second collection of the first Sunday of the month**. *Be ever mindful that whatever is collected in excess is nontaxable and it does help the very financial stability of our parishes and we can continue in the payment of our bills and the maintenance of the physical plants of both parishes.*

**—Your understanding, support and concern is prayerfully appreciated.—**

**Memorial Gifts** - In the past week, **two beautiful vestments** and a **ciborium cup** were purchased for the use at our divine services at **St. Agnes Parish**. *These sacred items are available as memorial gifts in remembrance of your loved ones or "simply in gifting the parish" so that we can make payments on these gifts.* If you are desirous of these memorial gifts, please contact **Father Grosko** and they will be shown to you and it will be **gratefully appreciated**.



### THE ANNUAL KENNYWOOD SLOVAK DAY PICNIC, THURSDAY, JULY 15TH

Again, calling upon **all Slovaks** for our annual Western PA gathering of Slovaks in **Kennywood Park on Thursday, July 15th**. **Bishop Lawrence Brandt**, *Ordinary of the Diocese of Greensburg*, will be the **homilist** and **Fr. Thomas Burke**, *Pastor, Good Shepherd in Braddock*, will be the **presiding celebrant** with a number of priests of the Diocese joining in the **Eucharistic Celebration at 4:00 p.m., Pavilion #5 stage of the Park**. Tickets available in the **Holy Trinity Parish Office** and also with our **dedicated volunteers**. *The following tickets are available to purchase:*

**Regular All-day Rides and Park Tickets..... \$22.00**

**Senior Tickets, 55 and over.....\$11.00**

**Special Senior Tickets, 70 & over (FREE COUPON that is redeemed at the entrance of the Park with a payment of \$ 8.00)**

### A BLESSING PRAYER FOR ALL FATHERS

*O God the Father, Creator of all Life, Lifespring of all Fathers and Mothers, You who chose Joseph to be the Spouse of Mary and Foster Father to Your Divine Son,*

*bless now with Your love and protection all Fathers, that they may treasure the lives of the children entrusted to them.*

*O God the Son, Jesus, our Lord and Redeemer; You who learned from Your own Foster Father; and cared for him till death,*

*bless my own Father; he who gave me the great gift of life, that I may continue to be a loving and faithful child.*

*O God the Holy Spirit, continuing to gift the Church with the care and protection of Saint Joseph,*

*bless all who have had a father's influence on my own life; bless all those close to me who are fathers; bless all those who are expectant fathers.   Amen*

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### Kittens Found and Need Good Home

Five precious kittens were found at St. Agnes Church in the air conditioning system. The mother was fixed and received all her shots.

**Four** of the kittens still need homes. They are **eight weeks old** and are all **litter trained**. Two of them are orange and white and two are multi-colored charcoal (one with a unique spot of orange).

These kittens need a good home with someone to love and care for them. **Please contact Jason Bevan at 412-708-4042.**

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### 2010 LOTTERY CALENDARS

*2010 Lottery Calendars are on sale for half price—\$10. The numbers will be winners from July 1st through December 31st.*

If you want *special numbers*, please call the *School at 412-466-6238* and request them. We will be able to check if your number is available and have it available for you after Mass on the weekend.

## Please Pray for Our Beloved Sick

Weekly, the bulletin lists our sick, shut-ins, and hospitalized. *If you wish to add or alter this listing, please call the Parish Offices, so that we can have our special listing updated.* Your cooperation, visits, and daily prayers are deeply appreciated.

### Holy Trinity

**Maria Alzo, Steve Gaydos,  
Mary Lisa Holzwarth, Betty Horgas,  
Nancy Jackson, Diane Kovalsky, Anne Kushan,  
Theresa Lovas, Mary Pavlik,  
Ann Sabo, Ray Shahan, Margaret Shimko,  
Margaret Svirbel, Martha Vasil,  
Ann Yonek, Robert Zeok**

### St. Agnes

**Jean Abels, Alberta Buchleitner, Roy Cochrane,  
Irene Fontanese, Steve Grochalski,  
Ann Gruber, Edmond Gruber,  
John Gruber, Martha Gruber,  
Mary Hanchak, Mary Elizabeth Hudick,  
Dorothy Kostovny, Rose Marie Legg,  
Judy Matta, Genevieve Obringer,  
Catherine Olsakovsky, Dorothy Petrak,  
Olga Pollock, Brian Saunders, Rudy Saunders,  
Paula Smith, Alice Stanicar,  
Glenn Steimer, Marie Steiner,  
Rose Ann Thomas**

## Weekly Collections

### ST. AGNES — June 13, 2010

\$ 4,107.00 -- Sunday Offertory

\$ 583.00 -- Parish Share Program

PSP Assessment-2010 ..... \$ 24,367.00

Amount Collected PSP ..... \$ 11,619.00

Monthly School Subsidy ..... \$ 6,167.00

REMEMBER OUR PARISH SHARE PROGRAM CAMPAIGN

~~ REMEMBER ST. AGNES CHURCH  
AND HOLY TRINITY CHURCH IN YOUR WILL ~~

### HOLY TRINITY — June 13, 2010

\$ 1,995.00 -- Sunday Offertory

\$ 105.00 -- Parish Share Program

PSP Assessment-2010 .....\$ 24,875.00

Amount Collected PSP .....\$ 9,569.00

MEMORIALS IN MEMORY OF YOUR LOVED ONES ARE  
BEING ACCEPTED FOR THE ONGOING PROJECTS