

# Saint Agnes Church



# & Holy Trinity Church

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

## ST. AGNES MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY - JUNE 5 - 7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6:00p (Sat) - **James Mannella** (Irene Slezak)  
8:00 - - **Renee Rhodes** - birth (Johns Family)  
11:00 - - **Kathy Stinner** (Bob and Lucy Stinner)

### MONDAY - JUNE 6 - ST. NORBERT

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

### TUESDAY - JUNE 7 - EASTER WEEKDAY

7:00 - - **Loretta Hudak** (Sister, Margaret Kratzenberg)

### WEDNESDAY - JUNE 8 - EASTER WEEKDAY

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

### THURSDAY - JUNE 9 - ST. EPHRAM

7:00 - - **Robert J. Andres** (Egnitz and Baer Families)

### FRIDAY - JUNE 10 - EASTER WEEKDAY

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

### SATURDAY - JUNE 11 - ST. BARNABAS

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

### SUNDAY - JUNE 12 - PENTECOST SUNDAY

6:00p (Sat) - **Frank Ackerman** (Rob/Natalie Schwoeble)  
8:00 - - **John Susan** (Wife, Bea and Family)  
11:00 - - **Paul and Margaret Smith** (Fred & Joann Smith)

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

PRINCIPAL, ST. AGNES SCHOOL

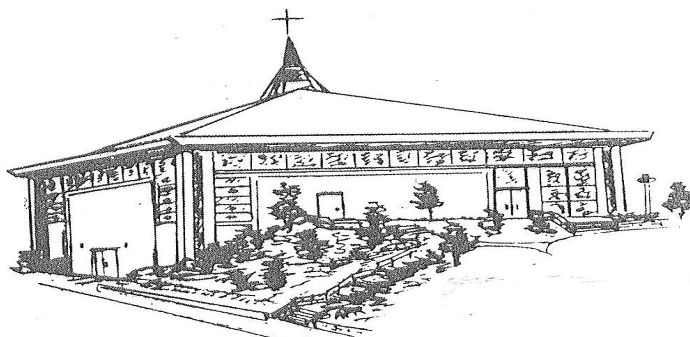
Sister Cynthia Wessel .....412-466-6238

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

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

## HOLY TRINITY MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY - JUNE 5 - 7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

4:00p (Sat) - **William Krise** (CCD Teachers)  
9:30 - - **David Daniels** (Family)

### MONDAY - JUNE 6 - ST. NORBERT

8:00 - - **Andrew and Mary Yugas** (Daughter, Alice)

### TUESDAY - JUNE 7 - EASTER WEEKDAY

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

### WEDNESDAY - JUNE 8 - EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 - - **Genevieve Obringer** (Joe Henchir and Rose)

### THURSDAY - JUNE 9 - ST. EPHRAM

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

### FRIDAY-JUNE 10 - EASTER WEEKDAY

8:00 - - **Peter Penezic** (Ginny Graney)

### SATURDAY - JUNE 11 - ST. BARNABAS

8:00 - - **John Bodnar** (Wife, Nancy)

### SUNDAY - JUNE 12 - PENTECOST SUNDAY

4:00p (Sat) - **Robert Schorr** (Wife and Daughter)  
9:30 - - **Anna Moran** (Daughters)

**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.

They devoted themselves to prayer



## SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

In our first reading today, we glimpse a rare sight: a group of disciples, women included, are gathered together in complete harmony. How did they achieve this unity? Because they “*devoted themselves with one accord to prayer.*” Genuine prayer, especially as a group, always unites us. **When we focus our hearts in prayer to seek God, our divisions vanish because we are united in Christ.** In the second reading, Saint Peter says we may also rejoice in unity with Christ when we are insulted or share His suffering, as our suffering unites us with Him and with each other. In the Gospel, Jesus prays fervently for our unity by turning His eyes to heaven and asking His Father to keep us unified “*so that they may be one just as we are.*” This is quite a prayer for us to hear; Jesus is wishing us to be unified on earth and to be unified with Him and our Father for all eternity.

— Summer Mass Schedule at St. Agnes: Tuesdays/Thursdays, 7:00 a.m. and No Mass on Fridays —

### — MARK YOUR CALENDAR —

Sunday, June 12th.....**PENTECOST SUNDAY**  
Sunday, June 19th.....**TRINITY SUNDAY**  
Fri/Sat, June 24/25.....**WHITE ELEPHANT SALE** - St. Agnes Social Hall  
Sunday, June 26th.....**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**  
Thursday, July 07th.....**CATHOLIC YOUTH DAY AT KENNYWOOD**  
Thursday, July 21st.....**SLOVAK DAY AT KENNYWOOD**  
Fri/Sat, July 29/30.....**ST. AGNES SUMMER FESTIVAL**

**PLEASE NOTE:** ALL PHONE CALLS CAN ONLY BE RECEIVED AT HOLY TRINITY PARISH OFFICE, 412-466-6545.

### ***Stewardship—HELP!***

Our **Sunday offerings are vital** in maintaining the financial stability of the parishes; that is, receiving the stewardship of your weekly offerings in meeting our bills, maintaining our physical plant, and receiving sufficient funds in which we monthly subsidize St. Agnes School and the Diocesan Subsidy of Holy Trinity.

**Prayerfully asking of each envelope holder to maintain and upgrade your offerings, fulfill your Parish Share Program pledge, regularly meet paying the School's tuition, and above all, know that we depend on your faithful stewardship.** Otherwise, there are difficulties in our budgeting and parish improvements.

**Your understanding and support is a blessing for the parishes—and a prayerful thanks from your Administrator.** *The Lord, truly blesses the faithful and cheerful givers!*

**—This weekend, June 4th and 5th, the Second Collection is for the Parish Share Program—**

**White Elephant Sale....**will be in St. Agnes Social Hall on Friday and Saturday, **June 24th and 25th.** **Volunteers are needed**—a sign-up sheet is in the Social Hall. Also, you can drop off your “**GOODS**” beginning on **Monday, June 13th—between 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.**—please no shoes or clothes. We ask that all donations be made by June 20th. The money raised will benefit the festival account.

**SLOVAK DAY KENNYWOOD TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE IN HOLY TRINITY RECTORY:** **RIDE ALL DAY, \$22.00; Senior 55+, \$12.00; Special Senior age 70 and older,** coupon to present at cashier's booth at Kennywood and pay **\$8.50.** Kennywood Slovak Day is **Thursday, July 21st, 2011.** **Father Thomas Burke,** Pastor of Good Shepherd Parish, is the homilist at the Eucharistic Celebration for Kennywood Day, Thursday, July 21st. **A number of priests from the local Diocese will join us.**

**Pentecost Next Sunday, June 12th—Red Outfit Sunday**

*“Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’ And when He had said this, He breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit’ . . .”*

John 20: 19-23

**Peace and the Holy Spirit go hand in hand.** The Lord Jesus says to His frightened disciples: **“Peace be with you.”** And if that were not enough, He utters the same exact words again. Immediately, He breathes on them and sends the Holy Spirit upon them. In some ways we are like those frightened disciples. **We live in a world marred by war and terrorism. Yet the power of the Holy Spirit has been given to us.** That Spirit inspires us to *breathe peace upon our world, our neighborhoods, and our homes.* **Let us imitate Christ and breathe the new life of the Holy Spirit so that frightened hearts will know the peace and joy that come only from God.**

*As we look forward to the coming of the Holy Spirit* into our lives and into the Church, may the **fiery presence of the Spirit be emphasized by the red vestments** that are used liturgically. **We encourage everyone to wear something red** so that we can fill our sacred space with the colored *sign of the Holy Spirit who has given to each of us a life on fire with the presence of the Divine in our hearts.* ~ Come, Holy Spirit. Come! ~



**PLEASE NOTE: OUR SUMMER SCHEDULE FOR DAILY MASSES**

**Beginning Monday, June 6th,** daily Masses will be celebrated at **St. Agnes** only on **Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:00 a.m.** And then, at **Holy Trinity,** the daily Masses will be celebrated on **Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8:00 a.m.** This new schedule of Masses will continue throughout the Summer days and we will return to the old schedule upon the resumption of our St. Agnes School classes.

*During these beautiful days of summer, let us become a more Eucharistic parish by making a determined effort of joining us in the Eucharistic celebrations and worshipping the Lord for our endless gifts.*

**St. Agnes Parish Summer Festival Raffle Tickets...**

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!** Hopefully, you have picked up your personal letter with the enclosed two books of raffle tickets that need to be purchased. Each envelope user in the parish has their personal letter. If not, please call the parish office to notify that you are not on the parish rolls—that is, a registered member of the parish. Your personal letter with the tickets can be **picked up in the Social Hall** after any of the Masses. **Your help ensures success of our Summer Festival!!** Extra tickets are available—so you can request more tickets to sell. **Please begin to return your stubs & check to Parish Office in the church or through the usual offertory collections.**

**St. Agnes Annual Summer Festival, JULY 29th and 30th. Mark Your Calendar!!**

**Prayerful and Joyful Congratulations to the Sisters of the Holy Spirit**



In a recent election of their Community, a newly elected leadership team was established. The following names are the makeup of their new leadership:

- Sister Grace Fabich**..... *General Superior*
- Sister Diane Smith**..... *Councilor*
- Sister Cynthia Wessel**..... *Councilor*
- Sister Madalyn Chlebowski**..... *Councilor*
- Sister Madeline Horning**..... *Councilor*

As noted, our own **Sister Cynthia Wessel** has become a **member of their team leadership.** Our hearty congratulations and continued success in the various endeavors that Sr. Cynthia undertakes. She does continues as **Principal of St. Agnes School.**

## VISION FOR LIFE

*Let us pray for the young people,  
to whom the Lord extends  
His invitation to follow Him more  
closely, that they may not be drawn  
away by the things of this world, but  
may open their hearts to the loving  
voice that is calling them.*

*Let us pray that they may feel capable  
of dedicating themselves for their  
whole lives, "with undivided heart,"  
to Christ, the Church, and souls.*

*Let us pray that they may believe that  
grace gives them the strength to  
make this gift, and that they may see the  
beauty and greatness of priestly,  
religious, and missionary life.*

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### ***St. Agnes Lottery Calendar Tickets...***

...are now on sale at the price of **\$10.00** and the purchaser will have the opportunity of being a winner throughout the six months beginning on **July 1st until December 31st.**

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**St. Anthony Novena....**does begin on **Sunday, June 5th** and continues on through **Monday, June 13th**, which is the Feast Day of St. Anthony of Padua. We will, following the daily Masses, have Novena prayers seeking the intercession of St. Anthony.

Also, the **Lady of Fatima statue** is on display at **Holy Trinity Church.** *The Novena to our Blessed Lady during the duration that the statue is with us, and that is, throughout the month of June, will be said after the Masses.* May St. Anthony respond to our intercessory prayers and we give honor to our Blessed through the daily recitation of the Novena.

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**Diocesan Toll-Free Number  
for Abuse Response: 1-888-808-1235.**

## 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, Patricia Brevko,  
Anna Cmar, Marie Cmar, Paul Cmar,  
Helen Gambal, Mary Lisa Holzwarth,  
Betty Horgas, Diane Kovalsky, Anne Kushan,  
Justine Mantich, Dolly Monda, Ethel Palyo,  
Mary Pavlik, Ann Sabo, Ray Shahan,  
Margaret Shimko, Margaret Svirbel,  
Ann Yonek, Robert Zeok**

### St. Agnes

**Jean Abels, Alberta Buchleitner,  
Gabrielle CiFaldi, Patricia DeLuca,  
Florence Dugan, Irene Fontanese,  
Steve Grochalski,  
John Gruber, Martha Gruber,  
Mary Hanchak, Mary Elizabeth Hudick,  
Roberta Karichko, Marilyn Koehler,  
Robert Kosko, Dorothy Kostovny,  
Victor Merritt, Laura Pasternak,  
Dorothy Petrak, Brian Saunders,  
Rudy Saunders, Glenn Steimer,  
Marie Steiner, Rose Ann Thomas**

## Weekly Collections

### ST. AGNES — May 29, 2011

\$ 2,036.00 - - Sunday Offertory

\$ 20.00 - - Parish Share Program

PSP Assessment-2011 ..... \$ 22,232.00

Amount Collected PSP ..... \$ 9,028.00

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 — May 29, 2011

\$ 1,920.00 - - Sunday Offertory

\$ 40.00 - - Parish Share Program

PSP Assessment-2011 ..... \$ 22,074.00

Amount Collected PSP ..... \$ 5,605.00

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