

Saint Agnes Church and Holy Trinity Church



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Administrative Office and Rectory
529 Grant Avenue Extension • West Mifflin, PA 15122
Saint Agnes School Principal - Sister Cynthia Wessel
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Mission Statement of Saint Agnes Parish

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 Saint Agnes Parish established in West Mifflin, PA in 1867, is a viable Catholic community that witnesses the message of Jesus through the talents of its members who are nurtured by the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to invite people to know and become one with Jesus Christ reaching out in service to all.

Mission Statement of Holy Trinity Parish

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 Holy Trinity Parish is a Faith Community gathered in celebration of the Eucharist, strengthened by the Word of God, reaching out to all generations and inspired by the Holy Spirit to promote holy, authentic and faithful Catholic living.

ST. AGNES MASS INTENTIONS

- SUN - JUNE 15 - MOST HOLY TRINITY**
 8:00a - **Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Agnes**
 11:00a - **John Susan** (Bea Susan)
- MONDAY - JUNE 16 - WEEKDAY**
 (8:00a Mass at Holy Trinity)
- TUES - JUNE 17 - WEEKDAY**
 7:00a - **Marie Belancik** (Alan, Gary, Denise & Families)
- WED - JUNE 18 - WEEKDAY**
 (8:00a Mass at Holy Trinity)
- THUR - JUNE 19 - WEEKDAY**
 7:00a - **John Yeschenko** (Parish)
- FRIDAY JUNE 20 - WEEKDAY**
 (8:00a Mass at Holy Trinity)
- SAT - JUNE 21 - ST ALOYSIUS GONZAGA**
 (8:00a Mass at Holy Trinity)
- SUN - JUNE 22 - CORPUS CHRISTI**
 8:00a - **Clara Riley** (Irene Slezak)
 11:00a - **Leo & Susanne Snyder** (Family)

HOLY TRINITY INTENTIONS

- SUN - JUNE 15 - MOST HOLY TRINITY**
 4:00p(Sat) - **Marjorie Byrnes** (Ray & Ruth Potts)
 9:30a - **Marie Belancik** (Alan, Gary, Denise & Families)
- MONDAY - JUNE 16 - WEEKDAY**
 8:00a - **Daniel Onofrey** (Dorothy Kemper)
- TUES - JUNE 17 - WEEKDAY**
 (7:00a Mass at St. Agnes)
- WED - JUNE 18 - WEEKDAY**
 8:00a - **Stephen Breznay** (Mom & Dad)
- THUR - JUNE 19 - WEEKDAY**
 (7:00a Mass at St. Agnes)
- FRIDAY-JUNE 20 - WEEKDAY**
 8:00a - **Diane Kovalsky** (Dave Evanovich)
- SAT - JUNE 21 - ST ALOYSIUS GONZAGA**
 8:00a - **Marilyn Sepesy** (Madeline Gimero Keane)
- SUN - JUNE 22 - CORPUS CHRISTI**
 4:00p(Sat) - **John Jasek Family** (Joe & Mary Ann Lewis)
 9:30a - **Mary Jean Maresch** (Diana Maresch)

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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**NOVENA TO MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP MONDAYS
 AFTER THE 8:00 A.M. MASS AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**

- HOLY DAY MASSES:** As scheduled.
- RECONCILIATION:** Holy Trinity: Saturdays at 3:30 pm (or by appointment).
- 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.
- EPHESIANS IV — PRAYER & PRAISE — ALL WELCOME ON 1ST & 3RD MONDAYS, 7:30 PM, ST. AGNES CHURCH**

**DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE
 1-888-808-1235**

Feast of the Most Holy Trinity

First Reading: *Exodus 34:4b-6,8-9.* Moses pleads for God's mercy on Mt. Sinai.

Responsorial Psalm: Daniel 3:52-56. We praise God who is exalted above all forever.

Second Reading: *2 Corinthians 13:11-13.* Paul urges the Corinthians to live in peace with one another and with God.

Gospel Reading: *John 3:16-18.* God sent his Son into the world to save the world.



Reflecting on God's Word

Can you remember a time when you heard an *a cappella* choir sing in perfect harmony? Perhaps you have sung in a choir like that. The many voices blend into one voice, the many parts into unified chords, the many notes into a single song. If we can imagine that harmony for an instant, we might hear an echo of the perfect harmony uniting our one God. The three-part harmony in God sings a single song of love. It sings of the merciful, faithful love of the Father who nurtures and protects this weak, beloved human family. It sings of the self-giving love of Jesus that liberates us from slavishly repeating our sins. It sings of the unifying love of the Holy Spirit that binds us together in love and unity and peace.

As we imagine that harmonious hymn of praise, we might also hear a summons to live in the harmony that the Holy Spirit empowers in us. Our God's love is so powerful that it resounds in the Christian community and invites the whole world to sing along in the never-ending hymn of love.

~~~MARK YOUR CALENDAR~~~

TODAY, June 15th.....**Feast of the Most Holy Trinity**

Sun, June 22nd.....**The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)**

Fri-Sun, June 27-29.....**St. Agnes Flea Market**

Thur, July 17th.....**92nd Annual Slovak Day at Kennywood (Bishop Zubik, Celebrant)**

Fri/Sat, July 25th-26th..... **The Annual St. Agnes Festival**

Fri, August 15th.....**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)**

HEARTFELT SYMPATHY to the family & friends of **Betty Tucak**, who was recently buried from St. Agnes Church. *May our Heavenly Father embrace all our beloved deceased and number them among the elect at the banquet of Heaven.*



Flowers at the Blessed Mother at Holy Trinity
are in memory of **Andrew and Elizabeth Stupar** by the Jozefov Family.



SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE OF THE PARISHES

- **Daily Masses at Holy Trinity** will be at **8:00 am, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday**. The Novena to the Mother of Perpetual Help will follow the 8:00 am Mass on the Mondays. The First Friday of the month will be at Holy Trinity followed by the Holy Hour of Adoration and Solemn Benediction.
- **Daily Masses at St. Agnes** are scheduled on **Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:00 am**. The Friday 8:15 am Mass at St. Agnes will not be celebrated during the summer, but will resume when the school year starts again.

PLEASE NOTE: With the extensive renovation of the St. Agnes Physical Plant such as the new sidewalk at the entrance of the Church, we ask you to make greater use of **YOUR MAINTENANCE ENVELOPE**. In today's economy the cost of repairs and maintenance is considerable and your generosity is much appreciated.



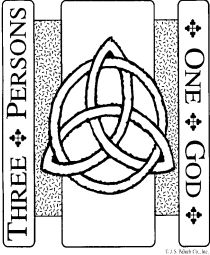
DID YOU RETURN YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS? Please return them as soon as you sell or purchase them. Place them in the collection basket in an envelope marked "**Summer Festival Raffle**". Also, if you haven't already, please pick up your tickets in the Social Hall after Mass.

ST. AGNES CHURCH BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, July 13, 2014 — 8:00am to 1:00pm, St. Agnes Social Hall

Make an appointment: Help us make your experience faster and more convenient.
Visit centralbloodbank.org, click Make an Appointment and search with group code **G0040039**
or call **Donna Milko at 412-466-4610 or Jean Saunders 412-466-7700.**





Feast of The Most Holy Trinity TODAY, June 15th

That there are **three Divine Persons in one God** is a **fact**, revealed to us by **Jesus Christ** — but at the same time it is a **mystery** beyond our human understanding, which we cannot explain but only accept with the **gift of faith** that God has given us. But one day it will no longer be a “mystery” when we “**see**” **God face to face in Heaven** in the **Beatific Vision**.

We profess our Faith in the Blessed Trinity every time we make the **Sign of the Cross**, beginning and ending everything we do in the **Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit**. Today’s feast should remind us to *make the Sign of the Cross carefully and reverently*, and to say the words distinctly and prayerfully.

We also express our Faith in the Trinity in the creeds we profess and pray — the **Apostle’s Creed**, which should be a part of our daily prayers and which we recite at the beginning of the Rosary — and the **Nicene Creed**, which we say together every Sunday at Mass. *May this Feast of the Holy Trinity deepen for us our understanding and love on the day we honor the Divine Trinity.*

Off to Vacation-Land?



As summer approaches and you are going away on that long-awaited, well-deserved vacation, **PLEASE DO NOT FORGET US!** The car is packed or the plane tickets are in your hand, or you are heading to the train or bus station. **Have a safe, happy and healthy vacation.** But before you leave, *please remember that your parish still has to pay the bills; bills sent by vendors who do not take vacations from sending them!* Your help will still be needed to meet current expenses. **Please put your envelopes in the collection basket before you leave, or mail them or deposit them in the front door mail slot. Your contributions are prayerfully appreciated!**

Also, include plans to **attend Holy Mass while you are on vacation**. If it were not for the wonderful gifts that God has given us, we would not be able to take those vacations and enjoy that leisure time. Please be sure that your plans include your obligation to the Lord. There is a **FREE ministry to traveling Catholics**.

For nationwide Mass times and locations visit www.masstimes.org.

St. Agnes Annual Summer Festival

On **Friday and Saturday of July 25/26**, the Parish will celebrate its **147th Annual Festival**. We are most grateful for the many volunteers and patrons who will grace this annual fundraiser for St. Agnes School. **(Remember: IF EACH of US HELPS a LITTLE, NO ONE NEEDS to HELP a LOT.)** **Jason Bevan** is the **General Chairperson**. Also, a special **Saturday 4:00pm Mass** will be celebrated at both **worship sites**. **Raffle tickets can be picked up in St. Agnes Social Hall following the weekend Masses.** - *-Also, if your neighbors are unable to attend Mass, please be kind enough to pick up their raffle tickets. Your understanding support will help make it the best summer festival!*

ST AGNES FLEA MARKET SALE... Friday, June 27th: Early Birds 8:00am to 9:00am, Sale 9:00am to 3:00pm. Saturday, June 28: 9:00am to 3:00pm. Sunday, June 29, 12:00pm to 1:00pm.



ST. AGNES FLEA MARKET

St. Agnes Flea Market will be held in **St. Agnes Social Hall** on **Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 27th 28th and 29th**. You can drop off your **donations** beginning on **Monday, June 16th—between 9:00 am and 9:00 pm**. We ask that all of your **"White Elephant"** donations be made by **Sunday, June 22nd**. Thanks for your understanding! Please no shoes, clothes or stuffed animals. Proceeds will benefit the festival account. Don't forget when you do your spring cleaning!



LOTTERY CALENDARS are on sale for July through December at \$10. Your continued support of our St. Agnes School is prayerfully appreciated!



A PRAYER FOR FATHERS

*God our Father, we give you thanks
and praise for fathers young and
old.*

*We pray for young fathers, newly
embracing their vocation; May they find the courage
and perseverance to balance work, family, and faith in
joy and sacrifice.*

*We pray for our own fathers who have supported and
challenged us; May they continue to lead in strong
and gentle ways.*

*We remember fathers around the world whose chil-
dren are lost or suffering; May they know that the
God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.*

*We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor
and guide us with fatherly love and advice.*

*We remember fathers, grandfathers, and great-
grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live
forever in our memory and nourish us with their love.*

Amen

KENNYWOOD PARK - NATIONALITY DAYS

Celebrate your cultural heritage at Kennywood Park. Several of the upcoming special dates are listed. Be sure to mark your calendars!

Irish Day	Wednesday, July 9
Italian Day	Tuesday, July 15
Slovak Day	Thursday, July 17
Serbian Day	Friday, July 18
Slovene Day	Monday, July 21
Greek Day	Tuesday, July 22
Byzantine Day	Thursday, July 24
Polish Day	Tuesday, August 5
Hungarian Day	Wednesday, August 6
Croatian Day	Saturday, August 30

SPECIAL EVENT DAYS

Celebrate America: July 1-6

(\$10 off admission coupons at participating Giant Eagle stores)

Catholic Day: Tuesday, July 8

(Day begins with program at 10:45am - Mass at 11:15am)

WTAE-TV'S SUMMERFEST: July 19-25

SHRINE FAMILY DAY: Friday, August 1

GIRL SCOUT DAY: Tuesday, August 12

Military members and their dependents can show their valid Military Photo ID **any day** during the 2014 regular operating season at Kennywood's front gate to purchase a discounted Fun Day Pass.

Please Pray for Our Beloved Sick

Holy Trinity

Monica Branik, Patricia Brevko, Veronica Bujdos,
Anna Cmar, Helen Gambal, Betty Hock,
Mary Lisa Holzwarth, Zander Holzwarth (toddler),
Flo Husfelt, Joseph Kirch, Agnes Kovac,
Louis Kruszewski, Ethel Palyo, Mary Sabo,
Maureen Sersen, Lois Soltis Martha Vasil

St. Agnes

Marie Beney, Libby Butko,
Francis J. Capaleo, Nettie Conley, Patricia DeLuca,
Florence Dugan, Irene Fontanese, Steve Grochalski,
Mary Hanchak, Mary Elizabeth Hudick,
Mary Kosko, Dorothy Kostovny,
Marguerite Oeler, Laura Pasternak, Dorothy Petrak,
Loretta Sabol, Bobby Schaff, Brian Saunders,
Jim Schragl, Michael Sorokacs,
Marie Steiner, Paul Thomas

Please call the Parish Office with any changes or additions. Your cooperation, visits and daily prayers are deeply appreciated.

Please Pray for Our Beloved in the Military

--Sean J. Bowen, Grandson of Eileen Cochrane
--Joshua J. Winter, Spc. E4, son of Ron & Mary Ann Winter

Weekly Collections

ST. AGNES

\$3,905 Offerings for June 8
\$ 500 Parish Share

PSP Assessment-2014.....\$ 23,790
Amount Collected PSP.....\$ 8,666
Monthly School Subsidy\$ 6,167

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

HOLY TRINITY

\$1,537 Offering for June 8
\$ 293 Parish Share

PSP Assessment-2014 \$ 24,618
Amount Collected PSP\$ 6,745

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