

# St. Agnes Catholic Community

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Diverse  
Inclusive Jesuit



## Liturgy Schedule

Sunday: 8:30am	Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
10:30am	Weekdays: 8:30am
6:00pm	Holy Days: 8:30am & 5:30pm

## Mission Statement

### We the people of Saint Agnes are:

an inclusive urban community, rich in diversity of age, ethnicity, gender, orientation, culture, talent, & treasure; a faith community, enlivened and empowered through Baptism to celebrate and proclaim the presence of Christ among us.

### We declare to one and all that we commit ourselves to:

grow spiritually as disciples of Christ to become men and women for others  
build community through hospitality, ecumenism and social & cultural events  
understand cultural differences and accept them as sources of enrichment  
give loving service & outreach to those in need  
promote social justice issues in our neighborhood and in the larger community of city, nation, and world.

We pledge ourselves to be a light in the darkness through the love that we share in the name of Christ and through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit.

## March 21 & 22, 2009

Dear Friends,

Our parish staff had a day of prayer and reflection this past week and it was a wonderful opportunity to give thanks for all of you and the gifts you share to build up this community of faith. I would like to give special thanks this weekend to all those who have already donated either to the Annual Archbishop's Appeal or to the Spiritual Life Center Endowment. These include the following:

Alexandra Helmick, Amy O'Donnell, Anne Nomura, Anne Petrides, Arnold Dito, Augustinian Community, Betty White, Bill Issel, Bob & Barbara Bussey, Brad & Tamara Cooreman, Carlo Viglione, Caroline Smith, Catherin Marconi, Catherine P. Gallagher, Charles Ozorio, China & Tina Baluyut, Christa Sullivan, Cissy & John Lee, Cissy Lee, Clayton & Christine Tominaga, Colleen O'Connor, Corazon J. Leano, Craig & Maureen Sullivan, Daisy Sundstrom, Dalia Becerra, David & Rose-Marie Dittmann, David Kirkpatrick, David Walsh, Diana Zarnoch, Diane & John David, Don T. Yamamoto, Doug & Margaretta Page, Dr. & Mrs. Robert Szarnicki, Elena Christopher, Elena G. Wilson, Eli Havens, Emilio & Jen Passi, Erin Campany, Esperanza Pedrin, Estefania B. de Castro, Evelyn I. Rodriguez, Felina Lapuz, Franco & Katerina Yap, Freddy & Kathy Ghanayem, Gene & Sally Tongson, George & Donna Rosko, Grant, Greg & Rose Farley, Greg Wagner & Lisa Wilsbacher, Gregory & Sharon Quintana, Hae Hyun Vivian Moon, Harold & Lyn Isbell, Helen Rosario, Henry McKenzie, Herman Bracey, Isabel Santos, Isabelle Toms, Jackie Wheeler, James Medina, Jay & Kate Banfield, Jeanne Nelson, Jess Ybanez, Jesuit Community at St. Agnes, Joan Grant, Joan Szarfinski, John & Jin Bertkon, John & Kathleen Nerney, John & Patricia Lee, John Arent, Joseph & Jean Kelly, Joseph & Keysha Deery, Joseph & Nancy Stretch, Joseph Lis & Carolyn Kelly, Judith Penland, Justin & Rebecca Walsh, Karen Kelly, Katherine A. Scanlon, Kathleen Brown, Kathleen Gluck, Kathleen McTiernan, Ken Goriup, Kevin & Margarita McKinney, Kim Sims, Leonor Barnett, Louis & Marianne Bachleder, Lucy Haas, Madie L. Baptiste, Maggie McDermott, Manuel & Maria Frias, Maria Vergara, Marie Crinnion & Richard McAllister, Marilyn Thickett, Mary Adele Lafrenz, Mary F. Crowley, Mary Jubb, Mary Louise Myers, Mary M. Riordan, Matt McCarthy, Matthew Reining, Maureen Beckman, Maureen O'Conner, Maureen Sullivan, Maurice Growney III & Family, Michael Brennan, Michael J. Narkewicz, Michelle Carlos, Mike Henseler, Miriam Crennan, Mr. & Mrs. John Walsh, Nancy & Samuel Edwards, Neil O'Donnell, Nelida Belarde, Nelson Schlater & Alicia McHale, Nicola Smith, Pamela Ann Sergio, Patricia McKinney, Patricia Watson, Pauline Haas, Peter Ricci & Bridget Hennessey, Rachel Pinette, Remy Montaner, Richard & Gwendlyn Gee, Richard & Rita Felciano, Richard & Stephanie Fredericks, Richard Champion, Richard Ford, Rita Clunies-Ross, Robert & Marilyn Bjorkquist, Robert Sleeth, Ryan & Kristen Darmody, Sr. Helene McBride, PBVM, Sr. Laetitia Bordes, Sr. Rose Therese Sausa, Sr. Virginia Espinal, PBVM, Stephanie Sullivan, Stephen & Patricia Keteltas, Steve & Rose Kircher, The Olivares Family, Thomas & Mary English, Thomas Brugge, Thomas Duval, Tim & Maureen Reardon, Todd Campbell, Tom & Jackie Marx, Tom & Linda Candelaria-Hunt, Valerie Gaggero, Violet Shinn, Virginia Murillo, Virginia Snyder, Wayne & Mary Alba, and William & Nenita Zarilla.

We are still most grateful to receive your donations to either program and will list in a future bulletin a more up-to-date roster. May God bless you and yours!

*J. Cameron Ayers, SJ*

# Parish Information

## Parish Staff & Ministries

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. J. Cameron Ayers, S.J.
<b>Parochial Vicar</b>	Rev. Raymond Allender, S.J.
<b>In Residence</b>	Rev. Donald Sharp, S.J.
	Rev. Frank Buckley, S.J.
	Mr. Dario Gonzalez, S.J.
<b>Scholastic Interns</b>	Mr. Anthony Borrow, S.J.
	Mr. George Collins, S.J.
<b>Visiting Associate</b>	Rev. Joseph Hartzler, S.M.
<b>Director of Liturgy &amp; Music</b>	Frank Uranich
<b>Director of Operations</b>	Zack Zweber
<b>Spiritual Life Center Director</b>	Rosemary Robinson
<b>Children's Faith Formation</b>	Sr. Janet Chau, R.S.M.
<b>Secretary/Cantor</b>	Scott Grinthal
<b>Executive Assistant</b>	Michael Silk
<b>Office Assistant</b>	Phyllis Clausen
<b>Sexton and Janitor</b>	Mario Hernandez
<b>Bookkeeper</b>	Pam Frantz
<b>Sacristans</b>	Tony Santos, Matthew Tominaga, John Payne
<b>All Saints Food Program</b>	Matthew Bourdet
<b>Altar Linens &amp; Vessels</b>	Virginia Snyder
<b>Art &amp; Environment</b>	Brad Cooreman
<b>Consolation Ministry</b>	Naomi Mayer
<b>Event Coordinator</b>	Michele Ledoux
<b>Faith to Justice Chair</b>	Cathy Ellis
<b>Filipino Community</b>	Sally Tongson
<b>Finance Committee Chair</b>	Chris Roman
<b>Food Pantry Director</b>	Michael Silk
<b>Funeral Ministry</b>	Jim Connor
<b>Gay &amp; Lesbian Ministry</b>	Mark How
<b>The Gathering</b>	Cristina Airaghi
<b>Lector &amp; EM Training</b>	Barbara Nelson
<b>Legion of Mary</b>	Felina Lapuz
<b>Marriage Prep Classes</b>	Regina Lathrop & Bob Boguski
<b>Martha Ministry</b>	Al Goncalves
<b>Pastoral Council Chair</b>	Frank Mitchell
<b>R.C.I.A.</b>	Clay Tominaga
<b>Rita da Cascia</b>	Richard Wagner
<b>Welcoming Ministry</b>	Rosemary Robinson
<b>Young Families</b>	Shannon & Chad Evans

## Reconciliation Schedule

Saturdays • 3pm – 3:45pm or by appointment

## Parish Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9am to 5pm (closed Noon-1pm for lunch)

Phone: 415-487-8560 • Fax: 415-487-8575

## St. Agnes Stewardship

Last weekend's collection: **\$6831 (including EFT)**

Weekly Goal: \$6000

4pm: **\$617** 8:30am: **\$512** 10:30am: **\$2100** 6pm: **\$502**

*Please consider the EFT program*

March 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent

1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13 • Ephesians 5:8-14  
• John 9:1-41

Date	Intention	Presider
<b>March 21</b> 4:00 PM	Benny Pinaroc (D)	Fr. Don Sharp
<b>March 22</b> 8:30 AM	Patrick Sullivan (D)	Fr. Cameron Ayers
10:30AM	Philip Smith (D)	Fr. Frank Buckley
6:00 PM	St. Agnes Parishioners	Fr. Cameron Ayers
<b>March 23</b> 8:30 AM	Wanda Strong (D)	Fr. Don Sharp
<b>March 24</b> 8:30 AM	Cathie McAuley (D)	Fr. Tom O'Neill
<b>March 25</b> 8:30 AM	Elizabeth Ann Paolini (D)	Fr. Cameron Ayers
<b>March 26</b> 8:30 AM	Robert Smith (D)	Fr. Frank Buckley
<b>March 27</b> 8:30 AM	Frank Uranich, Sr. (D)	Fr. Ray Allender
<b>March 28</b> 4:00 PM	Barbara Chudzinski (D)	Fr. Ray Allender
<b>March 29</b> 8:30 AM	Joash & Tim Paul (D)	Fr. Ray Allender
10:30AM	Jack Bredemeier (D)	Fr. Cameron Ayers
6:00 PM	St. Agnes Parishioners	Fr. Cameron Ayers

D = Deceased; L = Living

## New Parishioners

You are Home! Welcome to a great parish community! Please fill out a registration form found at the entrances to the church or stop by the rectory to add your name to our mailing list. We invite you to support Saint Agnes generously and to participate in the various programs that are offered here and through the Spiritual Life Center. All are welcome!

## Spiritual Life Center

The Spiritual Life Center (1611 Oak Street) provides programs and services to the parish and larger faith community through educational programs, opportunities for prayer, and community events. It houses a library, book center, garden, and chapel. Hours: Tues–Fri noon to 4pm, & by appointment.

Visit [www.StAgnesSLC.org](http://www.StAgnesSLC.org)

Please contact the Parish Office for information about the following: Anointing of the Sick \* Baptism \* Children's Faith Formation & Liturgy of the Word \* Communion for the Homebound \* Marriage \* Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

## Children's Daycare

Daycare is provided for children 18 months through 5 years of age during the Sunday 10:30 AM Mass. April Shimshock and Molly O'Brien work in our Daycare room. Daycare is closed on holiday weekends - but parents are welcome to use the Daycare Room with their children.



## COMING SOON TO THE SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER



For more information, contact Rosemary Robinson at 415.487.8560, ext 228 or [rosemary@saintagnessf.com](mailto:rosemary@saintagnessf.com)

### Approaching the Holy; A Lenten Day of Prayer with Chris Rodgers

Come join us for a Lenten Day of Prayer on Saturday, March 28th from 10:30am – 3:30pm. Our day will include scripture, silence, music, poetry, liturgy and lunch. As we approach the holiest days of the year, give yourself the gift of time and space, making the interior room to journey with our Beloved Jesus. Registration extended to March 23. Please call or email Rosemary. Cost for the day is \$15.00.

### Acts: The Good News of the Holy Spirit:

Six Weeks with the Bible Series Wednesdays from 7:00PM – 8:30PM beginning April 15 and running through May 20. Jesus departs, the Spirit descends, and a dynamic church is born! Join Bob Sleeth and Rosemary Robinson for this scripture study series. Our mass readings during the Easter Season focus on the Acts of the Apostles making this a good time to study these scriptures and learn about the life of the early church. Registration required by April 1. Cost for course is \$10.00. Please call or email Rosemary to register.

### Book Club

Below is a list of the upcoming books. All meetings are held at 7pm in the SLC

- March 27 – *The Miracle: A Novel* by John L'Heureux
- April 24 – *The Shack* by William P. Young
- May 29 – *Terrorist: A Novel* by John Updike

### “The Gathering” Reprisal

"The Gathering" traditionally has been folks in their 20's, 30's and 40's from St. Agnes Parish. Join us once you've had your coffee and pastry after the 10:30 Mass in the Spiritual Life Center for fellowship as we continue to build community and companionship. Children are of course welcome.

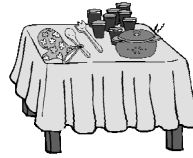
### Easter Flowers



You are invited to make a special gift for the beauty of the church. You may remember your loved ones by making a donation for flowers in their names. Please use the special envelopes in the pews.

## Parish PotLuck

**Holy Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm**  
Parish Center/Gym – 1530 Page St.



Join in the fellowship at our PotLuck Dinner before the Liturgy on Holy Thursday. You may choose to bring an entrée, vegetable, or salad or help with set up or clean up. **Please see the sign up sheets at the entrances to the Church or call Scott at 415 487-8560 x224.**

## Holy Week Schedule

**All Day Reconciliation – Wed. April 8, 9am-7pm**  
Confessors available throughout the day.

**Holy Thursday – April 9**  
*PotLuck Dinner – 5:30pm in the GYM (1530 Page)*  
*Liturgy of the Lord's Supper – 7:30pm*

**Good Friday – April 10**  
*Stations of the Cross:*  
Outside along Haight St. – 12noon / In the church – 2pm  
*Liturgy of the Lord's Passion – 7:30pm*

**Saturday, April 11**  
*Great Vigil of Easter – 8pm (no 4pm Liturgy)*

**Easter Sunday, April 12**  
*Liturgies at 8:30am & 10:30am (no 6pm)*

### Stewardship Prayer

Lord and source of all gifts, I rejoice in the fullness of your generosity. I thank you for those whose lives are visible signs of your love and blessing to others. Give me the courage to do the same. Make me a good steward of all I have received generously sharing my time, abilities and material resources to build up your kingdom of love and justice. We ask this through Jesus Christ, in whom we begin and end all things. Amen.

### Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace;  
where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith;  
where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light;  
and where there is sadness, joy.  
O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;  
to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love;  
for it is in giving that we receive,  
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,  
and it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life. Amen