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*Saint Agnes Parish Ministries Social  
Sunday, September 27, 2009*

All current or recent adult participants in the ministries at Saint Agnes Parish are invited to the 12:00 Noon Mass followed by a Social in the Fidelity House gym. Spouses are welcome!

Baptism and Marriage Preparation, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Mass of Anointing, Coordinators of Servers, Family Liturgy Coordinators, Choir, Ushers, Funeral Acolytes, Sacristans, Giving Tree, Parish Finance and Pastoral Council, Saint Vincent DePaul Society, Lectors, Bereavement Group, and the Welcome to New Parishioners. If you have any questions, please call Ginny at 781-648 4766.



**Saint Agnes  
Parish  
Ministries  
Social**

Please let us know if you will be attending and the name of your adult guest (e.g. spouse) so we can plan for the correct number. Use the form below and drop in the collection, or insert in the box at the rear of the church; or mail to/drop at the Parish Center by Sunday, September 20.

Yes, I'll be attending the Saint Agnes Parish Ministries Social, Sunday Sept. 27, 2009

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ or Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name of spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Ministry(s) \_\_\_\_\_



# mass intentions

Sunday, August 23, 2009	10:30 A.M.	<b>Month's Mind Bereavement Mass</b>	
Monday, August 24, 2009	7:00 A.M.	Msgr. Paolo Capobianco	Anniversary
Tuesday, August 25, 2009	7:00 A.M.	Delia Doherty	Memorial
Wednesday, August 26, 2009	7:00 A.M.	Jane and Anthony Doherty	Memorial
Thursday, August 27, 2009	7:00 A.M.	Theresa Femia	Memorial
Friday, August 28, 2009	7:00 A.M.	James and Mary McGrath	Memorial
Saturday, August 29, 2009	4:00 P.M. (Dn)	Mary Murphy	Anniversary
	5:15 P.M.	Thomas Field	Anniversary
Sunday, August 30, 2009			



Nancy Cerulli, Sister Agnes Lee, CSJ, Brother Charles K. Moran, CFX, Rev. Richard Fleck, OP, and Rev. Victor F. Leeber, SJ, whose Funeral Masses were celebrated last week.

**Priest Appreciation Dinner** - In honor of Cardinal's Seán's 25th Anniversary as a Bishop, the Archdiocese is sponsoring a *Priest Appreciation Dinner* on Wednesday, September 16, 2009, at the Seaport Hotel in Boston. Parishes are invited to sponsor a table at this event for \$5000, to raise funds for the trusts for sick and retired priests. **Parishioners are asked to help the Parish sponsor a table for ten for this event. If you would like to purchase a ticket for \$500 and/or are able to donate \$500 or \$1000 in appreciation for the priests who have ministered to you in the past or present, we would appreciate your help. Please contact Father Flatley. Thank you.**



**The Offertory Collection** last weekend was **\$11,116**. Thank you very much.

The second collection **this** weekend is for **Catholic Home Missions**, the Church's Missions here in the United States.

The second collection **next** weekend is for **Catholic University**.

## Mass Schedule for Next Weekend

### Saturday, August 29, 2009

4:00 P.M.	Lower Church	Father Bennett
5:15 P.M.	Lower Church	Father D'Onofrio

### Sunday, August 30, 2009

7:00 A.M.	Lower Church	Father Flatley
8:00 A.M.	Lower Church	Father Graham
9:00 A.M.	Upper Church	Father Flatley
10:30 A.M.	Upper Church	Father D'Onofrio
12:00 Noon	Upper Church	Father Graham
5:00 P.M.	Lower Church	Father Harrington

**Adult Choir:** Our Adult Choir resumes leading the music at the 10:30 A.M. Mass on Sunday, September 13. We resume our weekly 7:00 P.M. Tuesday rehearsals on September 15 ( **No rehearsal** on September 1 and September 8).



If you've been thinking about singing with the choir, come and sit in on a Tuesday evening rehearsal, 7:00-8:30 PM. Our Music Director will spend a few minutes after rehearsal with each new singer to determine vocal range and voice part. Call Michael Vaughan at 617-833-0364 or email: [mrv1960@verizon.net](mailto:mrv1960@verizon.net)

**We are offering the opportunity to be trained as an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist at Mass.** It is a wonderful way to serve our Parish. The next training will be on Thursday, September 10 in the upper Church at 7:00 P.M. It is a 60-minute discussion and training by Father Flatley. At that time you will be able to ask questions and request which Masses you would like to serve. It is a set monthly schedule, revised yearly. There are no commitments for Easter and Christmas, or the months of July and August. Please call Ginny Lawrence with any questions at 781-648-4766 or email at [gdcooking@aol.com](mailto:gdcooking@aol.com). to let me know that you will be attending the training.

## IN LOVING TREMORANCE

**Saint Agnes Month's Mind Bereavement Mass** - As an expression of sympathy, every month, Saint Agnes Parish celebrates a Month's Mind Mass to remember the parishioners who were buried during the previous month. Today, the Month's Mind remembers: **Jayne White, Frank Mauriello, Miriam Havern, Stephen Grace, Theodore Bell, Eugene Sanchez, Mary Ann Mallett, Elizabeth Evans, Jean McManus, Mary Paradis, Norah Gannan and Patricia Buckley.**

Saint Agnes Parish joyfully welcomes **Genevieve Helen Nohrden, Caitlyn Frances Casserly, Audrey Grace Hupp and Michael James Santosuosso.**



### Saint Agnes School News

**2009-2010 School Year begins!** - On Tuesday, September 1, teachers will attend a meeting to prepare for the new school year. Throughout August, teachers have begun setting up and decorating their classrooms as well as working on lesson plans and schedules.

**Wednesday, September 2, is the official opening of school for students.** The schedule for the first week is as follows:

Wednesday, Sept.2	7:50 - 11:30 A.M.
Thursday, Sept 3	7:50 - 11:30 A.M.
Friday, Sept. 4	No School
Monday, Sept. 7	No School, Labor Day

**New Teachers** - This year we welcome two new teachers. Ms. Julia Hoying is the new 7<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom teacher. She will teach 7<sup>th</sup> grade Social Studies, Religion and Literature. Mr. Michael Olsen is the new 8<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom teacher, he will teach 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Math.

**Late Registrations** - It is not too late to register for the new school year. For information or to arrange for an appointment to tour the school, call the school office 781-643-9031 or email the Development Office [Stagnesschool\\_dev@hotmail.com](mailto:Stagnesschool_dev@hotmail.com).

**Wish List Thank You** - Thank you to the O'Keefe family for their recent donation for the purchase of items on our Wish List. If you would like to donate an item on the list, call the School office or email the Development Office. If you would like to make a donation for the purchase of an item on the list, send your check payable to Saint Agnes School, 39 Medford Street, Arlington, MA 02474. Indicate that your donation is for the Wish List and what item you would like purchased. Thank you.



**Classes for Grades 2-8 will begin on September 20. Grade 1 starts on October 18.** A mailing is being sent this week to all registered families..

**The Family Liturgy Committee** needs volunteers to assist at the 9:00 A.M. Family Mass. Commitment involves one 9:00 A.M. Mass a month October-June and one rehearsal. Kindly call 781-646-5579 for information.

## Confirmation

**Confirmation Office** is open 10:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.

**Registration Forms** must be returned immediately.

If you need a form, please call the office, 781-641-6621.

**Regular Classes for grades 9 and 10** will begin the end of September.

**Grade 11 Retreats** will be held on Saturday, September 26 or Sunday, September 27 at Saint Camillus Parish Hall from 9:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.



**Full Day Programs** - Fidelity House will be offering full-day programs for 6-13 year olds up until the first day of school. Trips include Roller World, Castle Island, Southwick Zoo, Stage Fort Park and more. Activities include sports, arts and crafts, special events and age appropriate activities. Individual day and weekly registrations are being accepted.

**Pre-Kindergarten Openings** - Fidelity House's Pre-Kindergarten has limited openings for September. The program is licensed by the Department of Early Education and Care.

**School Age Child Care Program September Openings.** Program is for 5-13 year olds. Transportation from public schools will be available. Full-day programs are also offered.

**Men's, Women's and High School Basketball Leagues** Men's league plays Tuesday or Thursday nights. Women's League plays on Monday nights. Teams and individuals are welcome. A high school varsity league is offered on Sunday afternoons beginning September 13.

**Job Opportunities** - Afternoon and weekend hours working with youth. Arts/crafts instructor, game room supervisor, sports program and group leader positions are available.

**Basketball Program** - The program will run Monday through Thursday August 24-27 and include drills, scrimmages and instruction. Girl's 12 and up will meet 3:00-4:30 P.M. Boys 12 and up will meet 4:30-6:00 P.M. and High School players will meet 6:00-8:00 P.M. All four sessions are only \$20.00. Participants may also sign up for individual days.

[www.fidelityhouse.org](http://www.fidelityhouse.org) or call 781-648-2005

## Schedule for the Week

**Tuesday, August 25, 2009**

4:30 P.M. - Legion of Mary - Parish Center

7:00 P.M.- Fatima Apostolate Prayer Hour - Parish Chapel

**Wednesday, August 26, 2009**

7:00 P.M. - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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## Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are held on the first and third Sunday of the month at 2:00 P.M. You must attend Baptismal Briefings prior to having your child baptized.

## Sacrament of Penance

Saturday at 3:00-4:00 P.M. and before the 5:15 P.M. Mass and also by appointment. Please contact the Parish Center.

## Sacrament of Marriage

Archdiocesan guidelines require that couples planning to marry in the Church make an appointment to see one of the priests as far in advance as possible prior to the wedding date.

## Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office if someone in your family is gravely ill and in danger of death and you feel the grace and power of the Sacrament would be helpful.

## Sunday Masses

### Saturday

4:00 P.M. (Upper and Lower Church)  
5:15 P.M. (Lower Church)

### Sunday

7:00 A.M., 8:00 A.M. (Lower Church)  
9:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M., 12:00 (Upper Church)  
5:00 P.M. (Lower Church)

**Our Family Liturgy is celebrated at 9:00 on Sunday morning.**

### Weekdays

### Monday through Saturday

7:00 A.M. (Lower Church)