

## The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**All bulletin submissions must be sent in writing and received in the parish office by Tuesday at 12 noon.**

**Question of the Week:** St. Angela Merici has the double distinction of founding the first teaching congregation of women in the Church and what is now called a "secular institute" of religious women. True or false?

**Last week's question: St. Agnes:** Her feast day is celebrated on January 21. On her feast day, it is customary for two lambs to be brought in to be blessed by the pope. On Holy Thursday the lambs' wool is removed and woven into the pallium the pope gives to a newly consecrated archbishop as a sign of his power and union with the pope. **True**

**Ohio Dominican University** invites high school students who are interested in pursuing a career in the science or healthcare fields to attend its Natural Sciences Open House on Thursday, Feb. 23. The event will take place from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. in Battelle Hall, located on ODU's main campus at 1216 Sunbury Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43219. To register for this free event, please go to [www.ohiodominican.edu/NaturalScience](http://www.ohiodominican.edu/NaturalScience).



**Chili Cook-off Contest: St. Aloysius** will hold a Chili Cook-off contest after Mass Sunday, February 26 at 1:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Anyone is welcome to enter their "Prize Winning Chili Recipe" with a \$5.00 entry fee due by February 19. We will sell tickets to anyone wanting to show up, sample each Chili entry, and then cast their vote for "The Best Chili." Tickets for tasting will be sold prior to the cook-off for \$5.00. Tasting tickets must be purchased in advance by February 19. The top 3 chili recipe entrants, based on the number of votes their chili receives from the tasters, will be awarded prizes.

**With the cold/flu season upon us**, please take precautions in order to reduce the risk of the flu/cold. If you are sick, the obligation to attend Mass is lifted. If you are not feeling well, offering the sign of Peace may be done in the form of a head nod or simply saying "Peace be with you". Washing hands thoroughly before and after attending Mass is another very helpful precaution.

**St. Aloysius Hilltop Heroes January Raffle:** A framed set of ten St. Aloysius Stained glass windows book marks. The set includes our rose window as the central point of the cross. Retail value nearly \$500.00. Only 100 tickets will be sold. Tickets are \$10.00 each. The Drawing will be held on the Sunday immediately following the sale of the 100th ticket, at the end of the 12 noon Mass. Profits will help finance the Hilltop Heroes 2017 community building projects.

**The next Catholic Men's Luncheon Club** will feature The Most Reverend Frederick F. Campbell and the presentation of the 2017 Catholic Man of the Year. Please join Bishop Campbell and us on Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus. Holy Mass begins at 11:45 am followed by lunch and the presentation of the Catholic Man of the Year until about 1:00 pm. No reservations are necessary. \$10 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! For information on Catholic Men's Luncheons, visit [www.ColumbusCatholicMen.com](http://www.ColumbusCatholicMen.com) or contact Tim Merkle, CMLC President at [hbm@ejhlaw.com](mailto:hbm@ejhlaw.com).

**Would they find Christ in your home?** Learn how to make the sacrament of your marriage more visible, in just 20 minutes a day: take a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend. The next two weekends are February 17-19 and April 21-23, both in central Ohio. For more information or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at [www.wwmecolumbus.org](http://www.wwmecolumbus.org)

**St. Aloysius Church**

*A beacon of hope on the hill.*



**Please remember in your prayers,** members of our parish who are suffering, home bound or in nursing facilities: Mary Ann Abbot, Derrill Baltzer, Jan Breedlove, Leo Breitfeller, Mary Carter, James Coburn, Margaret Hayden, Nancy Lenihan, Juanita Parsley, Lorraine Pastore, Annette Pepple, Mateo Polt, Ann Reed, Erma Silveira, Mary Silveira, John Stasa, Father Stevenson, Sydney Tatum, Leonard Uting, Ruth Wilt, Don & Mary Lynn Davis, Mark Higgins, Margaret Maurey, Jim Weaver. Friends: Angela Higgins.

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**The Prayer Group** will gather on Monday, January 23, at 7:00 P. M. in the parish meeting room. All are invited.

**Next weekend,** January 28/29 we will have our traditional 5th Sunday collection for our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Our St Vincent DePaul members will be at the doors of the church to accept donations immediately following Mass. The offerings will assist families who are enduring hardships.

**Our parish is very generous.** One example of your generosity is in the contributions of personal care items to J.O.I.N. Many people receive your gifts who cannot afford to purchase these items. Thank you for your kindness.

**“How do I make a return to the Lord for all he has done for me.” (Ps. 116:12)**

**January 14-15**

Envelopes	\$2010.00
Loose	\$554.00
Children	\$ 1.00
Propagation Of The Faith	\$260.00

**Thank you**

**Activities at St. Aloysius this week**

**SATURDAY, January 21, Vigil**  
**4:00 p.m. Mary Ann Murnane †**  
 by Glenn & Nancy Hetterscheidt

**SUNDAY, January 22, The Third Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time**  
 Is. 8:23-9:3; 1 Cor. 1:10-13, 17; Mt. 4:12-23  
**12 Noon David Polt †**  
 by St. Aloysius Choir

**MONDAY, January 23, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**  
 Heb. 9:15-24; Mk. 3:22-30  
**No Mass at St. Aloysius or St. Agnes**  
 7:00 p.m. Prayer Group rectory meeting room

**TUESDAY, January 24, St. Francis de Sales**  
 Heb. 10:1-10; Mk. 3:31-35  
**No Mass at St. Aloysius**  
 7:00 p.m. Choir

**WEDNESDAY, January 25, The Conversion of St. Paul**  
 Acts 22:3-16; Mk. 16:15-18  
**No Mass at St. Aloysius**

**THURSDAY, January 26, Sts. Timothy & Titus**  
 2 Tm. 1:1-8; Mk. 4:21-25  
**No Mass at St. Aloysius**  
 6:30 p.m. PREP @ SMM

**FRIDAY, January 27, St. Angela Merici**  
 Heb. 10:32-39; Mk. 4:26-34  
**No Mass at St. Aloysius**

**SATURDAY, January 28, Vigil**  
**4:00 p.m. Joann Patete †**  
 by Glenn & Nancy Hetterscheidt  
 St. Vincent de Paul collection

**SUNDAY, January 29, The Fourth Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time**  
 Zep. 2:3, 3:12-13; 1 Cor. 1:26-31; Mt. 5:1-12a  
**12 Noon The Soul of Javia Enanod †**  
 by Estrella Polt  
 St. Vincent de Paul collection

**Liturgical Ministers for January 28-29**

	<b>Servers</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Cantors</b>	<b>Greeters</b>
<b>January 28</b>	M. & J. Halliday	M. Silveira	M. A & C. Gochenour		L. Clagett
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>				Cliff Eckle	M. L. Davis
<b>January 29</b>	D. E. & M. Polt	A. Dial	D. Bishop, Y. Higgins,		P. Byrd
<b>12 noon</b>		P. Zinser	A. Bonacci	Pat Huffman	P. Ferry

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word: 1/22:** J. O'Brien, P. Byrd  
**Counters: 1/22:** Y. Higgins, J. O'Brien

**1/29:** J. O'Brien & J. Darby  
**1/29:** P. Zinser & S. Anderson

**Saint Agnes Church**



**Mission Statement:**

**"Seeking to grow in prayer, forgiveness and mutual support to bring the love of God to fellow parishioners and neighbors"**

*Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick or suffering, especially those homebound or in nursing homes.*

**Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace.**

Tom Sturgis, Laszlo Kakash, Dottie Trant, Joan Fabian, Rita Stout, Richard Weldon, Pat Galbraith, Mary Reinhard, Fr. Ron Aubry, Steve Harris, Dottie Kelly, Kiefer Schmitt, Don Deibel, Eddie Linser, Aneka & Mark Rogers, Judy Morris, Jayme Bowen, Rosemary Crego, Heather Breedlove, Gene, & Tom Sheridan, Fr. Dennis Stevenson Janet Held, Bobbie Higgins, Earl Higgins, Lenny Higgins, Ben Nye, Ralph Tallarico, Tyler Mossbarger.

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**Front Driveway** – Thank you once again to all those who contributed toward the lights in the church. Between the donations and the rebate we were able to cover the cost of the new lights. Now we are saving toward the replacement of the driveway. Because of the cost, the driveway will be replaced in sections. The east half of the curved front drive will be first. The estimate for this section is almost \$15,000.00. As with the lights, special envelopes labeled for this purpose are in the back of church. We have already collected just over \$2,000.00 toward this project. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

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Envelopes	\$774.00
Loose	\$347.00
Children	\$ 5.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$10.00
Propagation of the Faith	\$102.00

**Thank you**

**Activities at St. Agnes this week**

**SATURDAY, January 21, Vigil (St. Agnes Feast Day)**  
 4:30 p.m. **Eleanor Gualtieri †**  
 by Ida Zavarella

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 by Lori & Donnie Heston

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**9:00 a.m. Alice Mays †**  
 by Sharon, Colleen, & Marjorie

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 2 Tm. 1:1-8; Mk. 4:21-25  
**9:00 a.m. Moses and Helen Khoury †**  
 by Joe & Tina Bricker  
 6:00 p.m. ESL  
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 by Mary Carter  
 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oracion

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 4:30 p.m. **Fr. Richard Pendolphi †**  
 by Betty Greenwood

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	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Greeter/Usher</b>
<b>January 28 4:30 PM</b>	† T. Nance, D. Fox	F. Tallarico, C. Marcum	B. Greenwood, T.Nance	@P. Higgins, L. Higgins, B. Crown, T. Nance
<b>January 29 10:00 AM</b>	† J. Sambrano, W. Maria, A. & J. Cazales	R. Rivera, Jr., L. Malan	J. Szabo, J. Eddy	@R. Sanghez, J. Eddy, I. Montano, K. Montano

**Collection Counters: 1/22:** E. & J. Saldivar, R. & I. Montano, L. Rangle **1/29:** D. Fox, T. Nance, R. Tallarico  
**Church linens: 1/22:** T. Villa; **1/29:** C. Marcum  
**Pray for our men and women in uniform.**

**Respect Life Mass - January 23 – Day of Prayer for the legal protection of unborn children**

The annual Respect Life Mass will be held on Monday, January 23, 2017, 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral, 212 E. Broad Street, Columbus. Bishop Frederick Campbell celebrant. Since January 22nd, the anniversary of the United States Supreme Court decision *Roe v. Wade*, falls on a Sunday, our diocese will join all of the dioceses of the United States in observing a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children on Monday, January 23rd. All are invited to attend. For more information about the Church's teaching on pro-life issues, visit the U.S. Bishops' website at [www.usccb.org/prolife](http://www.usccb.org/prolife) or contact the diocesan Office for Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.

**Roe Remembrance at Ohio Statehouse - January 23**

Greater Columbus Right to Life will sponsor the annual Roe Remembrance event on Monday, January 23 - Noon to 1 p.m., at the Ohio Statehouse following the 10:30 a.m. Respect Life Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral. The program will be held in the Statehouse Atrium. Please allow extra time for new Statehouse security measures. Stickers, signs, and weapons are not permitted inside the Statehouse. For additional information, please visit Greater Columbus Right to Life online at [www.gcrtl.org/roe.html](http://www.gcrtl.org/roe.html).

**Apostolic Works Program:** St. Agnes and St. Aloysius are a part of the Pontifical College Josephinum's Apostolic Works Program. This program assists in the training of our future priests. Seminarians visit our shut-ins, bring the Eucharist to them, and pray with them. If you know of a parishioner who could benefit from such a visit please call the rectory.

**Votive Lights:** Traditionally Catholics have expressed their faith and prayers by lighting Votive Candles. It is a good devotion worth keeping: the cost of each large candle is three dollars (\$3.00) and one dollar (\$1.00) for each small votive candle lit, or taken home. A receptacle is marked for candle donations.

**Mass Intentions:** We have many opportunities for daily Masses to be offered for your loved ones either living or deceased at St. Agnes. Just mark an envelope Mass Intentions and drop it in the collection basket with a list of the dates you would like Mass offered, for whom it is to be offered, and include your name. The traditional Mass stipend is \$10.00.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

As a member of the Church you are accepting the responsibility of supporting God's work here through giving of your time, talent and worthy weekly offering to show your love for Christ and your gratitude for His many favors. When moving out of the parish, or changing address or phone number please notify the rectory.

**SACRAMENTS**

Our young people participate in the Sacraments of Eucharist, Penance and Confirmation as a class after classroom instruction is completed. Individual arrangements may be made for special situations.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Parishioners are urged to call the rectory immediately in case of emergency. Also, please call to notify the staff prior to hospitalization or if shut-ins, the aged, or ill require staff visits or the Eucharist.

**Baptism:** Parents are encouraged to call the rectory before the birth of their baby to make arrangements for preparation classes.

**First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation** of children are sacraments that require a two year preparation process. Children should be enrolled in St. Mary Magdalene School or PREP.

**Matrimony:** Couples are encouraged to make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of the intended date. The diocese requires a marriage preparation program.

**Reconciliation:** Individual confessions Saturday 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. or call Fr. Ron for an appointment. Reconciliation Services are held during Advent and Lent.

*"The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched - they must be felt with the heart."* ~ Helen Keller

**Not sure if you are registered IN THE PARISH?**

You may not be if:

- You have moved away from your parental home
- You grew up here, but are newly married and starting your own family
- You are living with your parents, but are over 23 years of age.
- You are not receiving contribution envelopes

To register in our parish see Father after Mass.