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Saint Mary Magdalene Catholic Church



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Saint Agnes Catholic Church



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At St. Agnes Church: Domingo 9:00-11:00 a.m.

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MASSSES/MISAS

At Saint Mary Magdalene Church

Monday Novena Mass/ Misa de la Novena del Lunes	7:00 p.m. (English)
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday Martes, Jueves, Viernes, Sábado	8:30 a.m. (English)
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Martes, Miércoles, Jueves, Viernes	7:00 p.m. (Spanish)
Saturday Vigil/Vigilia del Sábado	4:00 p.m. (English); 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)
Sunday Mass/Misa Dominical	9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (English); 1:00 p.m. (Spanish)

At Saint Agnes Church

Sunday/Domingo	11:00 a.m. (Spanish)
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DEVOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES/ OPORTUNIDAD DEVOCIONAL

Monday Mornings with Mary and Her Son,
8:30 a.m. Holy Hour (English)
Miraculous Medal Novena,
Monday 7:00 p.m. with Mass (English)
Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración Eucarística,
9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Thursday/Jueves
Hora Santa 7:45 p.m. Jueves (Spanish)

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:
POR FAVOR, RECUÉRDENME
EN SUS ORACIONES:**

Dawn Francis, Debbie Levine, Mary Fern Horch, Kevin Sohner, Betty Regan, Nancy Birtcher, Marianne Martin, John Davis, Roger Wright, Barbara (Rhodes) Dillon, Maggie Cosgrove, Kenny Quinn, Marlene Parsley, Nichola Storey, Kathy Maxwell, Thomas Knight, Alan Wiseman, Pam Moine, Marge Foley, Gene Catlett, Michelle Martin, Sandy Hagood, Patsy Davis, Tom Francis, Gary Moses, Jim Shroyer, Stefania Siok, Bobbi Lindner, Zach Wise, Steve Gruber, Ted Leidinger, Sandy Bonneville, Kathy Puccetti, Patricia Somers, Kimberly Walker, Melissa Jewell, Sarah Moore, Lisa Chapman, Marita Zawisa, Diane Puccetti, Julie Roberts, Pat Galbraith, Heather Breedlove, Yolando Cruz, Estefany Yadaicela, Jan Ries, Jane Payton.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 29

4:00 p.m.

Lector: M. Doughty

Eucharistic Minister: * Need volunteer

Sunday, August 30

9:00 a.m.

Lector: A. Kaiser

Eucharistic Ministers: *D. Sielschott, H. VanTilburg

11:00 a.m.

Lectors: C. Rowe, N. Smith

Eucharistic Ministers: *P. Davis, N. Smith

COLLECTION COUNTERS (AUGUST 30):

Moine, Dew, Palazzo

LITURGICAL LINENS (SEPTEMBER): T. Briggs

ACTIVITIES FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, August 24

8:30 a.m. Monday Morning Holy Hour with Mary –
Miraculous Medal Novena, Exposition of
the Blessed Sacrament, the Rosary and
the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

7:00 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena before Mass

Tuesday, August 25

7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting

8:00 p.m. Matrimony Group (Spanish)

Wednesday, August 26

8:00 p.m. Evangelization Group (Spanish)

Thursday, August 27

Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Friday, August 29

8:00 p.m. Young Adult Group (Spanish)

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS
THIS WEEK: (AUGUST 23RD)**

In memory of Agnes and Edward Galusha.



UPCOMING MASSES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 22 –

Vigil: Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Eng) 4:00 p.m. †Joseph Liston – Liz Pizurro

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 23 –

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Eng) 9:00 a.m. †Casimir and †Davis Zawisa –
Marita and family

(Eng) 11:00 a.m. The Living and Deceased of SMM

(Span) 1:00 p.m.

Monday, August 24 – Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

(Eng) 7:00 p.m. †Ted VanScoy –

Joe & Karen Harrison

Tuesday, August 25 – Weekday

(Eng) 8:30 a.m. The Conversion of the
Rhodes Family

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 26 – Weekday

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 27 – Saint Monica

(Eng) 8:30 a.m. †Robert Johnston –

Mary Jane Johnston

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, August 28 – Saint Augustine, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church**

(Eng) 8:30 a.m. †The Poor Souls in Purgatory

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 29 –

The Passion of Saint John the Baptist

(Eng) 8:30 a.m. The Special Intentions of the Priest

Saturday, August 29 –

Vigil: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Eng) 4:00 p.m. The Living and Deceased of SMM

(Span) 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 30 –

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Eng) 9:00 a.m. †Casimir and †Davis Zawisa –
Marita and Family

(Eng) 11:00 a.m. †Jack and †Toni Sapp –

Mark and Kathy Swies

(Span) 1:00 p.m.

WELCOME INTO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY BY WAY OF BAPTISM:

Liam Rivera Hernandez, son of Evelin; and **Mauro Daniel Pedroza Parada**, son of Nerio and Maria.

Congratulations to the children and their families!



Who do I say that Jesus is?

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

St. Mary Magdalene Athletic Association is sponsoring an overnight bus trip to South Bend, Indiana for the 7:30 p.m. Notre Dame vs. Michigan State football game on Saturday, September 19th. We will spend the night in Fort Wayne, Indiana after the game and return Sunday by early afternoon. For all the details or to reserve your spot, contact Julius Palazzo at 614-946-5729 or Jmpalazzo@juno.com.

Would you like a piece of St. Mary Magdalene or St. Agnes history? On behalf of our parish, Father Héctor donated to the Yard Sale dozens of highly collectible glasses once used in the rectory at St. Mary Magdalene as well as nearly 100 beautiful dinner plates from St. Agnes rectory. We sold a number of these lovely pieces at the Yard Sale, but dozens remain and we would like to offer them to parishioners before selling them on eBay or Facebook Marketplace.

The Dorothy Thorpe barware is likely from the 1940s and features gold-edged glasses in six different sizes. Replacements sell online for up to \$20.00 but our price for parishioners is \$4.00 apiece. The plates are from the Federal Glass Company's iridescent Moonglow collection and date to the 1960s. Online they are selling for \$10.00-15.00, but we are offering them to parishioners for \$2.00 per plate.

Anyone interested in viewing or purchasing any of these items may contact the parish staff from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. You may also contact Nancy Smith at 614-746-7203 to get additional information about these pieces or to make arrangements to view them outside of business hours.

Jeremiah 20:7-9
Romans 12:1-2
Matthew 16:21-27

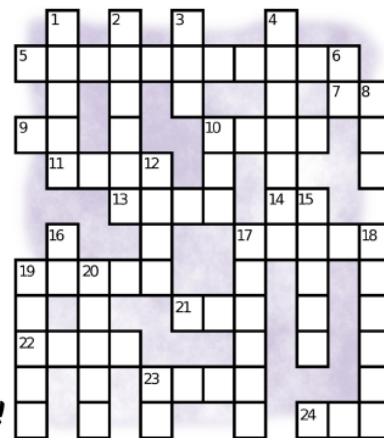
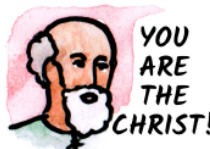


¿Quién digo que es Jesús?

Oremos para que, en las grandes ciudades a menudo marcadas por el anonimato y la soledad, encontremos nuevas formas de anunciar el Evangelio, descubriendo caminos creativos para construir comunidad.

La Asociación Atlética de Santa María Magdalena está organizando un viaje nocturno en autobús a South Bend, Indiana, para el partido de fútbol americano entre Notre Dame y Michigan State. Pasaremos la noche en Fort Wayne, Indiana, después del partido y volveremos el domingo a primera hora de la tarde. Para todos los detalles o para reservar tu plaza, contacta con Julius Palazzo 614-946-5729 or Jmpalazzo@juno.com.

*See how well you
know what
happened in
today's Gospel
story!*



ACROSS

5. "...the gates of the _____ will not prevail..."

7. "...this rock I will build my Church..."

9. "Whatever you bind on earth shall _____ bound in Heaven."

10. "I will _____ you the keys of the kingdom..."

11. "On this _____ I will build my Church."

13. Jesus made Peter the _____ of the Church on earth.

14. "Whatever you loose on earth will be loosed _____ Heaven."

17. "_____ and blood have not revealed this to you..."

19. _____ asked them, "Who do you say that I am?"

21. God _____ Peter in charge of His Church on earth.

22. Jesus changed Simon's _____ to Peter.

23. "Flesh and blood _____ not revealed this to you..."

24. "...You are the Christ, the _____ of the living God!"

DOWN

1. _____ said, "You are the Christ..."
2. "On this rock I will build my _____."
3. "Blessed _____ you, Simon..."
4. "...the gates of the netherworld shall not _____..."
5. "Who _____ people say that the Son of Man is?"
6. "Flesh and blood have _____ revealed this..."
7. "You are the Christ, the Son of the living _____!"
8. "I will give you the _____ to the kingdom of Heaven."
9. When will the gates of the netherworld prevail against the Church?
10. _____ belong to the Church that Jesus started.
11. The Heavenly _____ revealed to Simon who Jesus was.
12. "...the keys to the kingdom of _____..."
13. "Blessed are you, Simon, son of _____..."
14. Peter's name before Jesus changed it.
15. Jesus ordered the disciples to tell no one that _____ was the Christ.

23 DE AGOSTO DE 2026 –

**VIGÉSIMO PRIMER DOMINGO
EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO****Introducción a la Liturgia del Día**

Hoy oímos a Jesús desafiar a sus discípulos: “Y ustedes, ¿quién dicen que soy yo?”, así les dice después de haberles preguntado lo que dicen los demás. San Pedro responde inmediatamente: “Tú eres el Mesías, el Hijo de Dios vivo”. Nosotros somos los discípulos a quienes Jesús desafía ahora. ¿Cómo respondemos a esa pregunta? Al encontrar a Jesús aquí hoy y recibirlo en la Eucaristía, pensemos en quién es él para nosotros.

**¿TE GUSTARÍA ENCENDER UNA LÁMPARA
SANTUARIO EN MEMORIA DE UN SER
QUERIDO O CON UNA INTENCIÓN CONCRETA?**

Santa María Magdalena ofrece una forma adicional de conmemorar a un familiar fallecido, o de honrar o celebrar un evento especial, patrocinando la lámpara del Santuario que cuelga junto al Tabernáculo en la iglesia.

Las ofrendas cuestan 15 dólares cada una. El recuerdo comienza el domingo y termina el sábado de la semana programada. Coloca tus peticiones en la Cesta de Ofertas o envíaselas por correo a la Oficina Parroquial. También puedes encontrar un enlace en nuestra web en stmarymagdalenecolumbus.org.

Las intenciones especiales para la lámpara se publicarán en nuestro boletín semanal, donde además pedimos a nuestros feligreses fieles que mantengan esas intenciones en sus oraciones.

“Mantén la llama encendida.” – ÉXODO 27:19-20

Actualmente estamos programando las Intenciones de Lámparas Santuario para 2027. Puedes solicitar una semana por correo electrónico (acarrier@saintmarymag.org), en nuestra web (stmarymagdalenecolumbus.org/mass-intention-calendar) o llamando a la Oficina Parroquial.

Financial Report as of August 17, 2026		
Regular Sunday Collection - 59 Envelopes	\$	6,899.50
Online Giving	\$	2,566.00
Other Parish Income	\$	389.00
Total Income	\$	9,854.50
2026 Appeal Goal - St. Mary Magdalene	\$	36,989.20
Amount Pledged as of 8/17/2026	\$	35,939.20
Amount left to Goal	\$	1,050.00
2026 Appeal Goal - St. Agnes	\$	21,832.15
Amount Pledged as of 8/17/2026	\$	3,597.00
Amount left to Goal	\$	18,235.15

AUGUST 23, 2026 –

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day**

Today, we hear Jesus challenge His disciples. “Who do you say that I am?” He asks them, after asking them what others say. Saint Peter responds at once, “You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.” We are the disciples who Jesus challenges now. How do we answer this question? As we encounter Him here today and receive Him in the Eucharist, let us think of who Jesus is for us.

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO LIGHT A SANCTUARY
LAMP IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE OR
FOR A PARTICULAR INTENTION?**

Saint Mary Magdalene offers an additional way to memorialize a deceased family member, or to honor or celebrate a special event, by sponsoring the Sanctuary Lamp which hangs by the Tabernacle in church.

Offerings are \$15.00 each. Remembrance begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday of your scheduled week. Place your petitions in the Offertory Basket or mail to the Parish Office. You can also find a link on our website at stmarymagdalenecolumbus.org. The special intentions for the Lamp will be printed in our weekly bulletin, where we additionally ask our faithful Parishioners to keep those intentions in their prayers.

“Keep a flame burning.” – EXODUS 27:19-20

We are currently scheduling Sanctuary Lamp Intentions for 2027. You can request a week by email (acarrier@saintmarymag.org), on our website (stmarymagdalenecolumbus.org/mass-intention-calendar) or by calling the Parish Office.

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING
THE 2026 APPEAL**

The Appeal

Rooted in Christ, Growing in Mission

—2026—

Thank you to everyone who has supported the 2026 Appeal. The Appeal is our parish family's opportunity to reach beyond our own community and help our brothers and sisters throughout the Diocese of Columbus. Your gift supports the ministries, programs, and services that strengthen our Catholic faith and assist those in need across the Diocese. It also supports our pastor, Fr. Héctor, and Bishop Earl Fernandes as they lead and serve the people of the Diocese of Columbus.

If you have not yet made a gift, please prayerfully consider doing so. No gift is too small, and every gift makes a difference. Together, we can reach our goal and continue the important work of sharing Christ's love throughout our Diocese and parish.

“COME TO ME ALL OF YOU WHO ARE WEARY AND FIND LIFE BURDENSOME AND I WILL REFRESH YOU...”



Spend quiet time in prayer and worship with Our Lord. Join us every Thursday for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, beginning immediately after the 8:30 a.m. Mass until the 7:00 p.m. Spanish Mass.

Members of our parish are asked to join together to dedicate hours of Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. Adorers are especially needed during the midday hours.

Sign up at ttsu.me/smmadoration.

“VENID A MÍ, TODOS VOSOTROS QUE ESTÁIS CANSADOS Y QUE ENCONTRÁIS LA VIDA UNA CARGA, Y OS REFRESCARÉ...”



Pasa tiempo tranquilo en oración y adoración con Nuestro Señor. Únete a nosotros todos los jueves para la Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento, que comienza inmediatamente después de la misa

de las 8:30 de la mañana hasta la misa en español de las 7:00 de la tarde.

Se pide a los miembros de nuestra parroquia que se unan para dedicar horas de adoración ante el Santísimo Sacramento. Regístrate online ttsu.me/smmadoration o en el espacio de reuniones. ¡Jesús te está esperando!

ST. BRENDAN THE NAVIGATOR: ST. MONICA MASS AND RECEPTION

Write the name(s) of any loved ones who have been away from the Church on our St. Monica Prayer Boards on Thursday, August 27, 2026, as Fr. Dan Moloney leads us in praying for them to return back to the Church during the special 5:30 p.m. Mass. Light refreshments will be served afterward from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the St. Brendan Church Gathering Area (4475 Dublin Road, Hilliard).

Our prayer team will also be on hand to pray one-on-one with you. The theme this year is “Be the Light in the Darkness” and a candle gift will be available to everyone who attends as a reminder of the light of Christ and how your relentless prayers, with St. Monica as our example, can lead those astray back to their Catholic faith and back to Mass.

ST. BRENDAN THE NAVIGATOR: MISA Y RECEPCIÓN DE SANTA MÓNICA

Escriba el nombre(s) de cualquier ser querido que se haya alejado de la Iglesia en nuestros Tableros de Oración de Santa Mónica el jueves 27 de agosto de 2026, mientras el P. Dan Moloney nos guía en oración para que regresen a la Iglesia durante la Misa especial de las 5:30 p.m. Después se servirán refrigerios ligeros de 6:00-7:00 p.m. en el Área de Reunión de la Iglesia de San Brendan (4475 Dublin Road, Hilliard).

Nuestro equipo de oración también estará disponible para orar individualmente con usted. El tema de este año es “Sé la Luz en la Oscuridad” y habrá un regalo de una vela disponible para todos los que asistan como recordatorio de la luz de Cristo y de cómo sus oraciones incansables, teniendo a Santa Mónica como nuestro ejemplo, pueden conducir a quienes se han extraviado de regreso a su fe católica y de regreso a Misa.

BASKETS WANTED!



With last year’s inaugural Holiday Gift Basket Sale an overwhelming success, the Yard Sale team is set to begin assembling baskets for this year’s sale in mid-September, with hopes of making enough that we don’t run out as we did in year one! We have lots of holiday items to put inside the baskets, but not enough baskets for all these treasures!

Please consider donating any baskets that may be sitting around your house looking for a new home. You may bring them to Mass with you and place them at the church doors or drop them off in the church office from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Support the Mission of St. Mary Magdalene... Sacrificially, Joyfully and Regularly!

Through your generosity and support, we are able to answer God’s call to serve others and build His Kingdom.

“Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.”
2 Corinthians 9:7-8



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