St. Agnes Church Orrville, Ohio



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St. Agnes Mission Statement

We, the Catholic Community of St. Agnes, will carry forward the work of the Church by providing opportunities for:

- Worship through Liturgy
- Education of each person in the Faith
- · Service to others as a means of Christian witness

MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Obligation

Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	.9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.
Summer Sundays	.9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.
Weekdays	
Monday through Friday.	8:15 a.m.
Holy Days	
Vigil	7:00 p.m.
Holy Day	8:15 a.m. and 5:15 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/CONFESSIONS:

Thursday before the First Friday 8:00 to 8:30 p.m.

BAPTISM: Following the last Mass on Sunday. Arrangements should be made by calling the Parish Office in advance.

MARRIAGE: Please make initial arrangements by calling the Rectory at least 6 months before the intended wedding date. Various requirements must be fulfilled before Marriage in a Catholic Church.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: For Communion, Anointing of the Sick, and visits to those in hospitals, nursing homes or confined to home, please call the Parish Office.

STAFF:

Father Ronald J. Turek	Administrator
Steven K. Knox	Deacon
Mary Stoll	. Religious Education
Maria Hostetler	Secretary

PHONES:

Rectory	(330)) 682-3606
Parish Center	(330)) 682-2611

MAILING ADDRESS:

541 Spring Street Orrville, Ohio 44667

OFFICE HOURS: The office in the Parish Center is generally open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome. Please register by calling the Parish Office.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Thursday from after the 8:15 a.m. Mass until 8:45 p.m. At 8:45 p.m., Adoration concludes with Benediction.

ST. AGNES ORRVILLE, OHIO

Mass Intentions for the Week

August 16th – August 24th, 2025

Saturday, August 16th

5:00 p.m. - Judy Werntz

Sunday, August 17th

9:00 a.m. – Allan Baumgartner

10:45 a.m. - For all the people of St. Agnes

12:00 p.m. – **Spanish Mass**

Monday, August 18th

8:15 a.m. - Students & Teachers

Tuesday, August 19th

8:15 a.m. – Deceased Members of the Klenotic Family

Wednesday, August 20th

8:15 a.m. – Margaret McMorrow

Thursday, August 21st

8:15 a.m. – For the Sick

Friday, August 22nd

8:15 a.m. - Benefactors of St. Agnes

Saturday, August 23rd

5:00 p.m. – Judy Werntz

Sunday, August 24th

9:00 a.m. – Deceased Members of the Most Family

10:45 a.m. – For all the people of St. Agnes

12:00 p.m. - Spanish Mass

DAILY SCRIPTURE - August 9th - August 17th

Sat. - Jos 24:14-29 • Mt 19:13-15

Sun. - Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 • Heb 12:1-4

Mon. - Jgs 2:11-19 • Mt 19:16-22

Tue. - Jgs 6:11-24a • Mt 19:23-30

Wed. - Jgs 9:6-15 • Mt 20:1-16

Thu. - Jgs 11:29-39a • Mt 22:1-14

Fri. - Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 • Mt 22:34-40

Sat. - Ru 2:1-3,8-11; 4:13-17 • Mt 23:1-12

Sun. - Is 66:18-21 • Heb 12:5-7, 11-13

PARISH ROSARY PROGRAM

Members of our St. Agnes Parish family are invited to participate in a parish rosary program. This simple, yet powerful program involves each

https://www.msn.com/en-us/feed member tallying the number of rosaries they have prayed in a week and turning in the count each Sunday. The tally sheets should be placed in the wooden box in the church vestibule.

Week of	Rosaries prayed	Year to Date
August 3 - August 9	78	2,222

Our world is in a crisis of violence and terror. The rosary powerful and carries many graces with it.

Liturgical Appointments, August 23rd & 24th Saturday, August 23 – 5:00 p.m.

Ushers: Marc Thauvette & Hank Kolleth

Servers: Paul Bishop Song Leader: Cantor Lector: Adrian Besancon

Eucharistic Minister: Don Locher

Sunday, August 24 – 9:00 a.m.

Ushers: Chuck & Mike Baumgartner Servers: Joey & Charlie Lorson

Song Leader: Choir Lector: Barbara Lorson

Eucharistic Minister: Marjorie Showalter

Sunday, August 24 - 10:45 a.m.

Ushers: Somvang Inthavongsay & Edmund Dunkle

Servers: Dave Yehl & Gerrard Dunkle

Song Leader: Cantor Lector: Frank Jackson

Eucharistic Minister: Ed Zaleski, Jr.

*Please find a substitute if you cannot be present for assignment.

Weekly Schedule

Thur. August 21st • Adoration 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Sat. August 23rd • Confessions 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Church Support

Weekly GoalAugust 9/10	\$5,000
August 9/10	\$5,063
Repairs & Improvements St. Vincent de Paul	\$55
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Peter's Pence	\$20
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LOOKING AHEAD

September 1st • Labor Day Mass 9 a.m. September 21st • PSR Classes Begin September 21st • Return to Winter Mass Schedule



WELCOME TO ST. AGNES

Please know that, whoever you are and from wherever you have come, you are welcome in God's house. May every heart be warmed by God's presence

Church Plaza—In May of 2006, we expanded the simple sidewalk, that led to the front door of the church, into a wider area or a plaza. The plaza provides more room outside the church for when people might gather after Mass. At that same time, benches were added and lights that provide more illumination outside the church during the evening hours. Part of the plaza project was the insertion of ornamental stones with various symbols. Several parishioners made donations toward these ornamental stones and the plaza. For the most part, there are two stones with the same symbol. With the approach of the 20th "anniversary" of the plaza, we might run in the bulletin, from time to time, an explanation of the meaning of the symbols.

Dove

One of the symbols that appears on two of the stones is a dove. Sometimes, a dove is sued as a symbol of peace. That is not the case here. The dove on the plaza stones is a symbol of the Holy Spirit. Two factors indicate that this particular dove is a symbol of the Holy Spirit and not just a mere symbol of peace. One thing is that the dove is descending. Both the wings of the dove are



extended, not in flight, but descending from heaven. The second factor is that there is a halo above the head of the dove. The halo is a sign of holiness. Sometimes, there is a halo around the head of Jesus, or of the saints, in some styles of Christian art.

The Holy Spirit is presented in the Gospels as a dove descending when Jesus was baptized by John the Baptist.

Do you like music?

Come raise your voice to God by joining the Choir! New members are always welcome. The choir season starts practicing on Wednesday, September 3rd, 7-9pm in the Church. If you have any questions, please contact Suzi Lorson at 330-465-7865.

The St. Monica Ministry

A community of prayer and mutual support, offering hope to the families and friends of fallen-away Catholics First meeting: Saturday, Sept 6th, about 9:15 AM (after the 8:30 mass). Subsequent meetings every first Saturday. Meetings will include prayer, shared intentions, and discussion of a chapter in the book Return by Brandon Vogt. Light breakfast food available. Please call the St. Mary Church office (330-264-8824) to RSVP.If possible, bring a rosary and a copy of the book, Return, to the Sept 6th meeting. We will discuss the brief Introduction to the book at the first meeting. If you would like assistance ordering the book, please call the St. Mary Church office. Cost is \$21.00.

Ice Cream—A good number of people enjoyed ice cream after the 5:15 PM Mass on the feast of the Assumption. Thank you to those who served the ice cream, and all who made it possible.

Judy Werntz—At the recent death of Judy, mention was made in her obituary of possible donations to St. Agnes parish in her name. We are thankful when people suggest such donations to the parish and of course are grateful for the people who make memorial donations. Please remember to pray for Judy and all the faithful departed.

St. Vincent de Paul—We are appreciative of those who help people in need by donating food and money for the charitable works of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Thank you.

Repairs & Improvements—People continue to make use of the gold "Repairs & Improvements" envelopes that are included in the monthly envelope packets. Your generosity continues to make it easier to make necessary repairs, as well as to make improvements on the parish grounds and buildings. Thank you for your continued generosity.

Regular collection—Week after week, the parish receives regular income from the collection basket. Some parishioners also mail regular donations to the parish. Thank you to both those who drop in donations in the collection basket, as well as those who mail in donations.

Church Directories & myUCD App—

Directories are now available for those who may not have received one, with a donation to St Vincent de Paul. A digital directory is also available through the myUCD App. For more information please contact Maria Hostetler at 330-682-2611 or email officestagnes@gmail.com

New Website—We are pleased to announce the launch of our new website. You'll find current bulletins, the church calendar and more. Visit www.stagnesorrville.org to check it out.

2025-26 PSR School Year— The first PSR class will begin September 21st Parents, please visit our new website to download paperwork for PSR students or packets are available in the church vestibule or parish center office. Contact Mary Stoll for more information at 330-682-2611.

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