

St. Agnes & Sacred Heart Catholic Churches



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*We welcome newcomers! Please
contact our Parish Office to register.*

www.stagnescatholic.com



St. Agnes

210 Division Street, Walker

Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday (7/9) at 5:45 pm
+ All Parishioners

Sunday (7/10) at 10:00 am
+ Vaughn Cope

Monday (7/11) at 11:15 am
+ Pete Campbell

Tuesday (7/12) at 11:15 am
+ Special Intention

Wednesday (7/13) at 11:15 am
+ Willard Jueneman

Thursday (7/14) at 11:15 am
+ Anthony Busch

Friday (7/15) at 11:15 am
+ Roman & Lillian Meuwissen

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at 11:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tues at 8:30 am to Weds at 3:00 pm



Sacred Heart

300 First Street North, Hackensack

Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday (7/9) at 4:00 pm
+ Mike Nelson

Sunday (7/10) at 8:00 am
+ Leon & Monica Kerfeld

No Friday Mass @ Sacred Heart
Mass will be offered at 11:15 at St. Agnes

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at 3:30 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays at 4:00 to 5:00 pm

*For the Sacrament of Baptism or
Sacrament of Marriage, contact the
Parish Office as soon as possible.*

OUR MISSION STATEMENT: We, the parishioners of St. Agnes and Sacred Heart, are inspired by the Word of God, empowered by the Holy Spirit and nourished by the Eucharist. We strive to use our time, talents and resources to become a real presence of Christ. Our mission is to reach people for God, to welcome them into His Holy Church and to lovingly strengthen and support them as we journey toward our eternal home.

15th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

July 9th & 10th, 2011

PLEASE PRAY...

- ✠ For the young people in our parish who are attending *Totus Tuus*, that they may say yes to being "Totally Yours"
- ✠ For Deacon Anthony Craig, who will be ordained a priest for the Diocese of Duluth this Friday, that he will be blessed with peace and joy
- ✠ That God, the great Sower of the Gift of Life, may see that gift welcomed and celebrated by all His people, and never trampled underfoot
- ✠ That all who teach God's Word in pulpits and classrooms, in Bible studies and prayer groups, and in their own families, may be ever more effective and faithful



TOTUS TUUS THIS WEEK!

Our parishes will be hosting Totus Tuus Summer Faith Formation on July 10th through 15th and we are looking for parishioners interested in helping out and young people to attend! *Totus Tuus* means *Totally Yours* in Latin and was the motto of Blessed Pope John Paul II. Participation in this event is FREE! Permission slips have been mailed home to all children enrolled in our Release Classes; additional slips are on the Youth Bulletin Board at St. Agnes for any visitors who would like to attend. Please return the slips on the first day of camp.

The K-6th Grade program is Monday-Friday from 9:00am to 2:30pm with **Mass at 11:15 each day** (all parishioners welcome!). The High School program runs Sunday through Thursday from 7:30 to 9:45pm.

We are still in need of classroom helpers (M-F, 9:00am—2:30pm), snack/water Helpers (M-F, 9:30—10:30am), and Lunch Helpers (M, W, F, 11am—1pm). Since we are offering Totus Tuus free to participants, any donations to cover our expenses are appreciated!

Contact Lori in the office if you need more info or would like to help in any of the areas above.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

SEE OUR PARISH CALENDAR FOR JULY 2011 FOR ALL UPCOMING EVENTS. DEADLINE FOR AUGUST CALENDAR IS WED, JULY 27TH.

DO YOU HAVE AN INTENTION FOR OUR PRAYER CHAINS?

For **St. Agnes**: Call Betty Meeks at 547-1347 or (alternate) Zola Bleth at 547-2239.

For **Sacred Heart**: Call Joan Rueter at 682-2324 or (alternate) Lucille Abbott at 675-6102.



ST. AGNES SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP



All parishioners and visitors are invited to join us in the Social Hall after Sunday Mass for coffee and rolls; we would like to get to know you!

Thanks to Pat and Jamie Richter for serving coffee this weekend!

Kirk and Katie Lowe are on the schedule for next weekend.

THANKS FROM THE ANGELS OF ST. AGNES

St. Agnes Angels had a successful Bake Sale last weekend making \$1,247.80 Thank you to everyone who helped!



WOMEN'S LAMB OF GOD PRAYER GROUP

All women of the parish are invited to join this intercessory prayer group on **Monday, July 11th** at 6:30pm in the St. Agnes Chapel. With questions, call Mary Becker 224-3836



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All men of St. Agnes and Sacred Heart are being asked to prayerfully consider joining our NEW Men's Bible Study group, which began last week. The group meets on Tuesday mornings following 8am Mass. The 6-week study is using *Journey into the Bible: Letters of Paul to the Romans* published by Liguori. We invite men all who are interested to call 547-2110 or e-mail jamesfdawson@hotmail.com

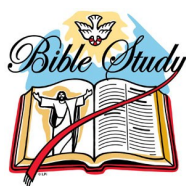


NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Bible Study group will resume on Tuesday, August 30th at 6:30pm. Our new study is "The Words of the Risen Christ", which is a follow-up of "Seven Last Words of Christ". These studies rely on the power of the scripture to change human hearts and deepen your relationship with our Lord.

RSVP to Rosemary (547-1509) by August 1st. Materials will be \$10.

All are welcome!



2011 FLEA MARKET AND CRAFT SALE AT SACRED HEART

The July Flea Market is this Wednesday, the 13th. Parishioners are asked to provide pies, muffins, cakes, and rolls to be served for breakfast and lunch. Goodies may be dropped off at the church the day before or day of Flea Markets.



Coffee and rolls are served beginning at 6:30 am; lunch service is from 9:30 am until 3:00 pm. Refreshments are served by the Sacred Heart CCW. For any questions, please call Karen at 675-5397 or Shirley at 682-2091.

PICTORIAL CHURCH DIRECTORY RENEWAL

Olan Mills will be taking pictures for our new directory on July 14-16 and 28-30 at St. Agnes and July 20-23 at Sacred Heart. **If you have not yet signed up for a time of if you need to change your time, please call 800-866-2263 for an appointment.**

This Thursday—Saturday, the photographers will be set up in the Social Hall at St. Agnes. Please arrive at least 10 minutes early for your appointment as there is some paperwork to check over. If you did not get an info booklet when you signed up for your time, please pick one up in the Narthex to review Olan Mill's recommendations for the best possible photo of your family.



Thank you for your cooperation in updating our very outdated directory!

PRESENTING: LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA

Thanks to the generous donation of a former parishioner, St. Agnes has been gifted a start-up display for Lighthouse Catholic Media! In the Narthex, you will find the beautiful display with a selection of 8 CD's containing talks and teachings on the Catholic faith.

Parishioners are invited to take these disks home, making a \$3 donation per disc. LCM offers nearly 200 discs, which we will be rotating through as our current selection dwindles. If there is a particular CD you are looking for, notify the Parish Office and we will add it to the list for our next order.

Here is what Cardinal Francis George, Archbishop of Chicago, had to say about LCM, "The CDs and brochures are a welcome addition to the faith life and continuing education of our people. I heartily recommend your program to all the pastors in the Archdiocese as a way to rekindle the faith of Chicago's Catholics and help fulfill Pope John Paul II's call for a New Evangelization"

Each week, our bulletin will feature a CD summary, below, you will find the first summary.

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA FEATURE CD

A WALK THROUGH THE NEW MASS TRANSLATION

Dr. Edward Sri, Professor of Scripture and Theology at the Augustine Institute, provides a fascinating explanation of the new English translation of the Mass which will soon be put into practice. This is truly a great opportunity for Catholics to enter more deeply into the biblical and theological richness found in the liturgy, and to better worship God with our whole heart. This CD has an accompanying booklet as well!

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St. Agnes Building Balance Remaining: \$164,633.37

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

7TH-12TH GRADERS

NO FAITH & FIRE THIS WEEK! But please plan to attend Totus Tuus!

VALLEYFAIR TRIP! We are looking at dates for a Valleyfair trip but we need to have at least 15 people attend to get a group rate. Cost will be \$35 for a ticket, transportation, and a picnic lunch. Please see info on the Youth Board in the Narthex at St. Agnes.

6-8TH GRADERS

CAMP SURVIVE 2011: BROKEN FOR YOU registration is due July 22nd. Camp Survive takes place the first week in August at Big Sandy, near McGregor. It is an incredible place for campers to discover what it means to be on fire for Christ! Register online under "Youth Ministry" at www.dioceseduluth.org.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

ADORATION IS GOD'S GIFT OF LOVE

"To be alone with Jesus in adoration and intimate union with Him is the Greatest Gift of Love - the tender love of Our Father in Heaven." - Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Spend a Holy Hour with our Eucharistic Lord exposed in the Blessed Sacrament! Sacred Heart has a **Holy Hour each Tuesday** from 4:00 to 5:00 pm and St. Agnes has Jesus exposed Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity in our **Adoration Chapel** beginning at 8:30 Tuesday mornings through 3:00 Wednesday afternoons.



Additional adores are always welcome and needed!

PRO-LIFE INFORMATION

WEEK 16: "DID YOU NOT . . . CLOTHE ME WITH SKIN AND FLESH, AND WEAVE ME OF BONE AND SINEW?"

This weekly pro-life education tool will follow the development of a child in the womb beginning with Annunciation until Christmas.

This week, Lucy is about 4 ½ inches long and weighs about 3 ½ ounces, about the size of a plum and she is beginning a huge growth spurt within the coming weeks. Her eyebrows and hair on her head are sprouting, although it will likely change color and texture after birth. Lucy is kicking, twisting, and flailing, but, mother can't feel her moving in the womb, yet.



BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN FOR WAPSC

If you still have a Baby Bottle for the Walker Area Pregnancy Support Center fundraiser, please drop it off at the Center (507 Front Street, Walker). Last year, with your help, the center raised nearly \$5,800! Thanks for your support!

CELEBRATING THE MARITAL GIFT

Natural Family Planning of the Brainerd Lakes Area now offers distance learning in addition to the free introductory sessions (offered by appointment) at St. Joseph's Medical Center in Brainerd, St. Joseph Center in Crosby, St. Alice Church in Pequot Lakes, and at St. James Church in Aitkin. Registration for evening sessions is required: (218) 829-2861 Ext. 6217 or visit <http://www.brainerdnfp.org>.



MOTO HOPE MISSION THANK YOU!

The Moto Hope Committee wants to thank Deacon Hap and Father Francis for their reflections this past weekend that helped us to raise \$5,259.30 from Hackensack and \$4,920 from St. Agnes during our 2nd Collection. Many thanks to those who contributed to this wonderful promising mission to help build an Elementary School in Fr. Francis's village of Moto as an outreach mission for future generations. As Fr. Francis said in his reflection on Sunday, living in a global World, we never know where our next priest, doctor, teacher, nurse, president, waitress, you-name-it, may come from. Maybe through this school that Father is spearheading to build, a child will have the opportunity to start formal education as God ways are often hidden from our eye sight and when we reach out, we empower others and even ourselves more, knowingly or unknowingly. So, we thank everyone who has supported this mission so far and are still considering how to support it. We will be reaching out to all parishioners through a mailing sometime in August with an open invitation to a September Fundraising Dinner at the Northern Lights Casino Event Center in Walker. Our main goal is to raise funds for our Phase One of the school project, that is approximated to be about \$65,000 (that is for 5 classrooms). We feel blessed that so far, in less than two months, we have raised over \$28,000 which, after the approval of the Moto Hope Mission board, will be wired to Kenya to start buying construction materials. We plan to break ground by the end of September for the 4 to 5 classrooms for next years first enrollment of the students. It's exciting and we urge you to continue to pray for this noble, result oriented efforts. Again, we thank you!

- Moto Hope Campaign Committee.

MOTO HOPE MISSION—WE REACH OUT. WE EMPOWER.

Please pray for the Moto Hope Mission! If you would like more information, grab a pamphlet from the Narthex and check out:

www.motohopemission.com

COMMUNITY EVENTS

NORTHWOODS ARTS COUNCIL SUMMER SHOW

This year's show is a musical comedy, "Ya Gotchyer Men; Ya Gotchyer Women". The show gently exaggerates stereotypes of men and women through skits and music. Performances are Friday, July 15th and Monday, July 18th at 7pm and Sunday, July 17th at 3pm in the Hackensack Community Building. Tickets are \$5 and available at Hackensack area business as well as after Masses at Sacred Heart on July 3rd and 10th. Call 218-675-6181 for more info.

"TASTE OF BROADWAY III" RESERVATIONS

The Walker Area Foundation (WAF) third annual musical revue dinner/theater fundraiser, "A Taste of Broadway III", featuring the WAF Chorale and soloists Heather Doughty, Pastor Phil Larson and Rick James is Monday evening, August 8, at the Northern Lights Casino and Hotel Event Center. "Taste of Broadway III" will again feature a wide assortment of show tunes from Broadway musicals. and a number of "Americana" selections that highlight American composers such as Aaron Copland, Irving Berlin, Jerome Kern and others. A salute to America's military service branches will close the show, which will be preceded by a social hour and gourmet dinner. For reservations at \$50 per person, call MJ Warren at (218) 547-2865. As a non-profit foundation, WAF uses all proceeds from the show to benefit the greater Walker area.

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