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**PLEASE PRAY 3 HAIL MARY'S EVERY DAY IN
THANKSGIVING OF BLESSINGS RECEIVED
BY SAINT AGNES PARISH FAMILY**

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon - Thurs 6:00 p.m.

Fri 8:30 a.m.

1st Saturday 8:30 a.m.

ADORATION

Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Youth: Wednesday 8:00 - 8:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 - 8:45 a.m.

Or by appointment.

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Mass Intentions

(+) - deceased

Monday	October 23	* Mem. of St. John of Capistrano	6:00 p m	Fred Wolfenbarger (+)
Tuesday	October 24	* Mem. of St. Anthony Mary Claret		
Wednesday	October 25		6:00 p m	Fred Wolfenbarger (+)
Thursday	October 26			
Friday	October 27		8:30 a m	Ken Schreiber (+)
Saturday	October 28	Feast of St. Simon & St. Jude	5:00 p m	Intentions for the Parishioners
Sunday	October 29	30 Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 a m	Knights of Columbus (+)

* optional

November 4 / 5 ~ 2nd Collection ~ Maintenance Fund

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



**OH MOST SACRED HEART
OF JESUS HAVE MERCY
ON US**

St. Agnes Church consecrated
to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
on June 25, 2017 by our
pastor, Fr. Joseph Shantiraj

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

Let's wish them a Happy
Birthday. May God Bless
them with good health of
mind and body!

Parker Baber
Charissa Anderson
Jose Hernandez
Joseph Haynes
Alicia Villalondo
Happy Birthday

THIS WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

May God Bless them with
many more!
Happy Anniversary!

Rex & Carol Burns
Bob & Ann Genzel
Congratulations!!

MOMENT OF GRACE
deacon874@live.com

LET US PRAY for those in our parish and community who are sick and need our prayers:

Thelma Bortz, Rob Brevik, Rex &
Carol Burns, Diana Beckman, Curis
Callahan, Chelo Cavdena, Joan
Childs, LaRita Chitwood, Fran Clark,
Ken Cook, Joan Davis, Sandy Egger,
Lucile Fagan, Philip & Kathleen
FERENCE, Dan Fitzgerald, Todd
Hairston, Hannah, Jim Harakal, Doris
Hastey, Dcn. Larry & Sally Hatch,
Connie Hernandez, Mary Hutchinson,
Sandie Jackson, Herman Jansen,
Tony Kelly, Karen King, Teresa
Lunsford, Bill & Raegan McCourtney,
Dale Miller, Norm & William Mueller,
Gerald Muldoon, Georgia Page, Dee
Pape, Mitch Posel, Dorothy Ryan,
Annabel Scroggins, Steve & Peggy
Severson, Sherman Spur, Cheri
Stanberry, Charles Thanos, J & L
Thomas, Sheila Warner, Carol
Warren, Andy Watkins, John
Whitham, Vic & Trudy Whitman, Wille
Family, Schalie Wooden, Youngblood
Family.

*Lord, Hear
Our Prayer*



To add a name to, or remove
a name from the above prayer
list please call the office.



Parish Council Meeting
on Tuesday at 6:45 p.m.
at St. Thomas House

**The more
you give,
the more
blessings &
graces you
receive.**

- Fr. Shanti



SAINT AGNES, MENA

<u>Attendance:</u>	October 21:	83
	October 22:	105
<u>Collection:</u>		\$ 2,401.38
<u>Weekly Budget:</u>		\$ 2,378.00

Parish Prayer Chain: pegsevmj@gmail.com

**Never has there been a greater need
for prayer! Rosary Tally for last week;
403 brings the grand total to 17,589!**



"To become perfect, say a rosary a day"
- St Louis de Montfort

**"Trust & trust alone should lead us to
love" - St. Therese of Lisieux**



RCIA - Wednesday evenings at
6:45 p.m. in St. Thomas House.
Ann will present this week's topic;
the 'History of the Catholic Church'.

Please call the office with new phone numbers
and/or addresses. Thank you!

FAITH & HOPE & LOVE
but the greatest of these is love

*The blood-
mobile will be
here on
Monday,
October 23
from 1 - 6 p m*



Deacon Larry Hatch
479-234-5351

The greatest commandment.

The Ten commandments are excellent rules for life but they are passive, requiring no response from us. We are instructed to not do something. The greatest commandment is quite different. To love God completely and our neighbor as our self requires a dynamic, daily response, an ongoing action on our part. The first step is of course is to love ourselves, to see our selves as good people capable of loving others unselfishly. The way to create heaven on earth is to have a positive self image and do our best to encourage a positive self image in our children, friends and neighbors. Let us remember, though, it starts with us.

October Calendar of Events

No PRE Fall Break	Sunday, October 22		
BloodMobile Blood Drive	Monday, October 23	1 - 6 p	Parish Parking Lot
Council Meeting	Tuesday, October 25	6:45 p	St. Thomas House
CYM	Wednesday, October 26	6 p	Youth Center
RCIA	Wednesday, October 26	6:45 - 8:15 p	St. Thomas House
Knights of Columbus Sunday	Sunday, October 29		
Happy Halloween	Tuesday, October 31		
All Saints Day HDO Mass	Wednesday, November 1	6 p	Church
All Souls Day Mass	Thursday, October 2	10 a	Mt. Calvary Cemetery

In the next couple of weeks we will be passing out index cards asking you to fill out your name, phone number & e-mail address for those parishioners who will be wanting *current important events* that happen during the week.

Fr. Shanti will be gone this Tuesday - Thursday for Priest Continuing Education, however Fr. Mike Hinken will be here to celebrate Mass on Wednesday.

From here after St. Agnes will have Mass on Monday's and Thursday's at 6 p m (except this Thursday). Please come join us.

This year Fr. Shanti will celebrate a Thanksgiving Day Mass at St. Agnes and Mt. Ida. Times will be announced at a later date.



COME VISIT JESUS
Jesus is here, constantly present, in St. Agnes Church.

Please stop in and see Him.

ASK YOURSELF

THE WEEKLY CHALLENGE.

A corporal work of mercy is to visit the sick. Jesus is sick with longing for you to visit him. He misses you.

Will you come in?

The church is open every day
from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. - *And often later*

Heartfelt 
THANKS
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

The Altar Society would like to Thank everyone who brought a dish for Ken Schreiber's funeral meal.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone for helping make this Oktoberfest a great success!!! There are some brats left for anyone who'd be interested in buying them, please contact John Golding.

To all of the volunteers who helped with the Knight's Tootsie Roll Drive. THANK YOU!

Pat White and Sally Hatch are participating in the pilgrimage to Rome Oct. 27 - Nov. 4. They will be celebrating daily Mass and have been invited to bring their special intentions to the altar / papal audience. If you have a special prayer need, please contact Sally or Pat and leave your intention with them.

Share the Good News of Jesus Christ, the Author of Life.

CHURCH BULLETIN for ALL SAINTS, MT. IDA & SAINT AGNES, MENA

Location: 708 Hwy 270 E.
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ALL SAINTS CHURCH



WEEKEND MASS

Sunday 12:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS

Thursday 10:00 p.m.

ADORATION

Sunday 11:00 a.m. - Noon

Thursday 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

CONFESSION

Sunday After Mass

Thursday 9:30 - 9:50 a.m.

Mt. Ida Emergency Numbers:

Deb Hunt: 870-867-3846, Kathy Elder: 870-867-2252

Please Pray For:

John Baber, Ron Baber, Max Chown,
Donald Durst, Bekki George, Jason
Hunt, Carolyn Johnson, Thomas
Joswick, Linda McNellis, Stevie Price,
Shirley Sambrano, Dennis Schleifer,
Eugene Suttee, Rob Waldon, Lydia Waldon,
Jessica Wax, Rita Whisenhunt.



PASTOR, FR. JOSEPH SHANTIRAJ
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October 15
Attendance: 42
Collection: \$485.00

The more you give, the more blessings & graces you receive...

~ Fr. Shanti

Lord, Hear Our Prayer

A Mass is the greatest prayer you can give

If you would like to request a **Mass Intention** please contact Sandra Schmitt at 870-867-2443.

October

Happy Anniversary

OCTOBER 29

Dennis & Deb Hunt

Happy Birthday

Jean DeJordi
Richard Pantel

NEW MEMBERS

If there are new members, please fill out a registration form located in the foyer & give it to Diane Campbell, Council Secretary. THANK YOU

Church Bulletin

If you have information you would like printed in the bulletin, contact Margie Graham at (870) 867-3161.

Adoration

"Jesus wants us all to come to Him in the Blessed Sacrament. He is there in person, just waiting for you. Nowhere on earth are you more loved, than by Jesus, living and truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The time you spend with the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth. Each moment you spend with Jesus will deepen your union with Him and make your soul everlasting more glorious and beautiful in heaven, and will help bring about an everlasting peace on earth."

~ Saint Mother Theresa



For All Saints' arrangements for occasions such as funerals, hospitalization of church members, Father's birthday, etc., contact Parish Life Coordinator Deb Hunt at (870)490-0808© or (870)867-3846 home. Thank you.

Bless God Every day : I love you, thank you, & I am sorry.

MASS INTENTIONS				(+) - deceased
Thursday	October 26			No Mass
Sunday	October 29	30 Sunday in Ordinary Time	12:00 p m	Julie Jones (+)

LITURGY SCHEDULE	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Cup
October 22	Vida Retzlaff	Ron Zlotnik	Kathy Elder / Mary Ann Nichols
October 29	Deb Hunt	Margie Graham	Richard Campbell / Kathy Elder

Once we come through that church door, we are one, we are family, just one catholic community.