

Prayer Service



Sister Paulette Shaw

July 27, 1935—September 3, 2025

Nazareth Center Chapel

Thursday, September 11, 2025

11:00 a.m.

Welcome

Opening Song: *Song of Transformation* – attached sheet

Leader: Loving God, Sister Paulette is gone now from this earthly dwelling. Grant that we may give thanks to You as we celebrate her life, hold her memory with gratitude, and live in the hope of the eternal kingdom where you will bring us together again. Stir up the will of your faithful, we pray, that, striving more eagerly to bring your divine work to fruitful completion, we may receive in greater measure the healing remedies your kindness bestows. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen

Reading: Acts 2: 1—11

Antiphon: ^{ALL} O, Lord grant success to the work of our hearts.

Psalm 90

- 1 Eternal and Immortal One, You have been
our refuge in all generations.
Before the mountains were brought forth,
before You had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting,
You are the Alpha and the Omega.
- 2 When our days on Earth are ended,
You welcome us home to your Heart,
to the City of light, where time is eternal
and days are not numbered.

- 1 You gather those who love You as friends returning
from a long journey, giving rest to their souls.
You anoint them with the balm of understanding,
healing wounds of the past.
- 2 For our days on Earth are a mystery,
a searching for You,
a yearning for the great Mystery
to make itself known.
- 1 The years pass and soon the Harvest is at hand,
a time to reap the fruit of one's life.
Who has lived with integrity?
Who will reflect the Light?
Who can bear the radiant beams of Love?
- 2 Who have revered the Counselor,
and opened their hearts to the Spirit of Truth?
Teach us, O Beloved, to honor each day
that we may have a heart of wisdom.

Antiphon: *ALL* O, Lord grant success to the work of our hearts.

Sharing of memories/stories



Have the courage to go against the
tide of current values that do not
conform to the path of Jesus.

— Pope Francis —

Prayer to St. Agnes:

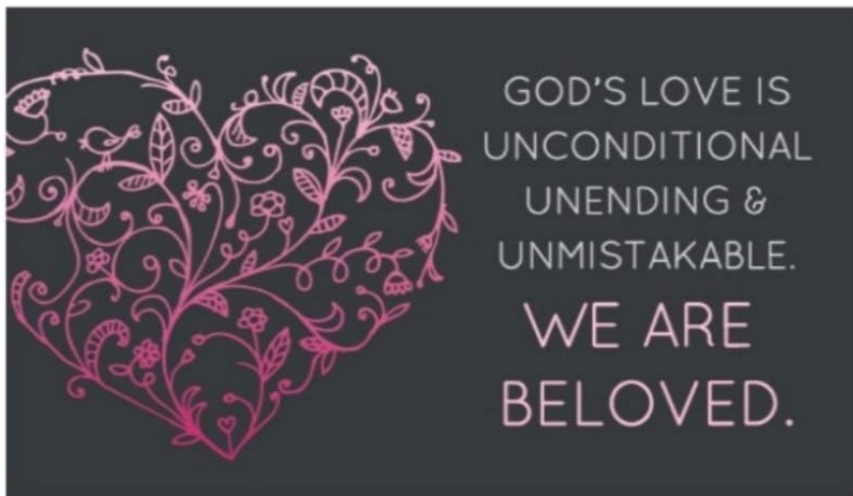
Behold, what I long coveted, I already see; what I hoped for I now hold safe. To God alone I am associated in Heaven, whom on earth I loved with all devotedness.

Leader: Pray for us, St. Agnes.

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Almighty and eternal God, who choose the weak of the world to confound the strong, mercifully grant that we, who are placed under the patronage of your virgin and martyr, Agnes, may feel the benefit of her intercession with you. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Closing Song: *With One Voice* **BB #395**



Song of Transformation

S. Alice Ann Pfeifer, CSA

1. All of us gaz-ing on the glo - ry of God are be - ing trans-formed from glo - ry to glo - ry

9 in - to the im - age of Je - sus, Word of God, liv - ing and ac - tive-through - out the u - ni - verse!

17 VERSE 1: Be - cause we be - long to Christ and Christ be - longs to God, we can - not stand still, we

24 can - not be si - lent un - til we've made a stand for God's reign in ev' - ry land and prom - is - es of

31 jus - tice are ful - filled. To refrain VERSE 2 Trans - form - ing Spi - rit stirs in ev' - ry place and time; she

39 can - not stand still, she can - not be si - lent un - til God's will be done and all liv - ing things are one and

47 all cre - a - tion danc - es with de - light! To refrain VERSE 3: God's word ac - com - plish - es all that God in -

55 tends and rais - es up the wit - ness, the proph - et to speak truth to pow'r and peace to the poor, to

64 search for com - mon ground where all can stand. To refrain

2 Cor: 3:18; Heb. 4:12; 1 Cor. 3:23; Is. 55:11