

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 331

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Saint Agnes Church in Houston on the grand occasion of its 36th anniversary, which is being celebrated on March 11 and March 16, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Saint Agnes Church began as a vision of Reverend Gene A. Moore, Sr., who became its first pastor when the church was officially organized at the home of Brother and Sister Malcolm Williams on March 15, 1967, with 18 members present; and

WHEREAS, Under the guidance and wise stewardship of Bishop Moore, the church has continued to grow and to undertake many worthy projects in the community; the Saint Agnes Christian Academy has been operating for more than 20 years, and the seminary, the Gregoreo School, is located in the Saint Agnes Pearland Church; and

WHEREAS, Saint Agnes Church moved to its latest meeting facility, the March of Faith Worship Center Dome in 1996; the facility has the seating capacity for over 4,000 people; and

WHEREAS, Saint Agnes Church has become an invaluable source of strength for its members during their hardships and in times of bereavement; and

WHEREAS, The celebration of its 36th anniversary is an expression of the church's enduring commitment to its holy mission and its dedication to tradition and unity among Christians; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby extend best wishes to the clergy and members of Saint Agnes Church on the jubilant occasion of its 36th anniversary; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the church as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Ellis

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 10, 2003.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate