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Everyone in the world can belong to this group.

A member of this group ought to perform at least one act of mercy per day; at least one, but there can be many more, for such deeds can easily be carried out by anyone, even the very poorest.

For there are three ways of performing an act of mercy: the merciful word, by forgiving, and by comforting; secondly, if you can offer no word, then pray that too is mercy; and thirdly, deeds of mercy. And when the Last Day comes, we shall be judged from this, and on this basis we shall receive the eternal verdict.

—Diary of St. Faustina: 1157-1158, page 424

• **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**—April 16, see next page for schedule.

- YOUNG-AT-HEART SENIOR GROUP—Trip to Skagit County—Wed./Apr. 19—pg. 6.
- BBQ & BROTHERS—Thu./Apr. 20/6:30/Narthex—pg. 5 for details.
- PANCAKE BREAKFAST—Apr. 23, after the 8AM/10AM Masses.
- PLANT & BAKE SALE—weekend of Apr. 29—pg. 6 for more info.
- 52ND ANNUAL PARISH SCHOOL AUCTION DINNER-Apr. 29-see pg. 6.

OFFICE HOURS

Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 9:15am-noon; 12:30pm-4:30pm Phone: (425) 483-9400 / Fax: (425) 486-9735

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SICK & HOMEBOUND

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

To arrange for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick or to receive Holy Communion at home, please contact the Parish Office. For after hours emergency care you may also call the Eastside Deanery Pastoral Care Ministry at 425-655-3200.

Ministerio para los Enfermos

Para hacer arreglos para el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos o para recibir la Santa Comunión en casa, por favor contacte la Oficina de la Parroquia.

FUNERAL MASS & BURIAL RITES

Funeral Masses and Burial Rites

To arrange for a funeral Mass, please contact the Parish Office, or ask the funeral director to do so.

Misas para Funerales y Ritos de Entierro

Para hacer arreglos para Misa para funeral, por favor contacte la Oficina de la Parroquia, o pregunte al director de los servicios funerarios.

WEEKLY READINGS

MASS INTENTIONS

PLEASE PRAY FOR

SUNDAY, APRIL 16-DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Monday, April 17

Acts 4:23-31 Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday, April 18

Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday, April 19

Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Jn 3:16-21

Thursday, April 20

Acts 5:27-33 *Ps* 34:2 & 9, 17-18, 19-20 Jn 3:31-36

Friday, April 21

Acts 5:34-42 *Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14* Jn 6:1-15

Saturday, April 22

Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 Jn 6:16-21

SUNDAY, APRIL 23—3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER Acts 2:14, 22-33 *Ps* 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 1 Pt 1:17-21 LK 24:13-35

Sunday, April 16

8:00am (+Lourdes Minda Saturnino) 10:00am (Community of St. Brendan) 12:00pm (+Jose de la Torre)

Monday, April 17 8:30am (+Maude Roark)

Tuesday, April 18 NO MASS

Wednesday, April 19

8:30am (+Guadalupe Celedonio)

Thursday, April 20

8:30am (+Lennie Treichel)

Friday, April 21

8:30am (+Colleen Montemayor)

Saturday, April 22

8:30am (Katy Danforth Staley) 5:00pm (+Patrick Lundgren)

Key: + = deceased

THE SICK

- Brigette Blair
- Maxine Dion
- Charlie & Sandy Ferreri
- Daniel Heidrich
- Jewell Woods

THE DECEASED

- Jacques Fourcault
- Sid Mills
- Gabriel Morales Bernal
- Jean Smith

OVERNIGHT ADORATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Second Saturday of the Month:

Women's Overnight Adoration
 o 7PM to 6AM (Sunday)

Third Saturday of the Month:

- Children/Teen's Evening Adoration o 6:30PM to 8:30PM
- Men's Overnight Adoration
 o 8:30PM to 6AM (Sunday)

Segundo sábado del mes:

 Adoración nocturna de las mujeres o 7PM a 6AM (domingo)

Tercer sábado del mes:

- Adoración nocturna de los niños/ adolescentes
 - o 6:30PM a 8:30PM
- Adoración nocturna de los hombres o 8:30PM a 6:00AM (domingo)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—APRIL 16

- After Mass until 3PM—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 3PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 3:15PM—Benediction.



CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

Priscilla Finch | 425-483-9400 ext. 2648 | childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org

During this Easter season of resurrection and renewal, please pray for the children working towards their first communion in May.

SAVE THE DATE! Vacation Bible School is coming, and it will be out of this world! Games, snacks, Tee shirts, music and fun! Please mark **July 10 - 14** on your calendars, and prepare to blast off into the heavens. And Ivy Weiss will be leading music, so fun is guaranteed!

Durante esta temporada de Pascua de resurrección y renovación, oren por los niños que están trabajando para su primera comunión en mayo.

¡RESERVA! Se acerca la Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones, ¡y será algo fuera de este mundo! ¡Juegos, meriendas, camisetas, música y diversión! Marque del **10 al 14 de julio** en sus calendarios y prepárese para despegar hacia los cielos. *E lvy Weiss* estará al frente de la música, ¡así que la diversión está garantizada!

EVANGELIZATION

Brigette Blair | 425-483-9400 ext. 2645 | brigetteb@saintbrendan.org

Here is the Jon Leonetti one-minute video we will be featuring weekly:

- These Holy Days YouTube
- True Love Is Not Easy YouTube
- Learning About God YouTube

Chris Stefanick's 30-minute live program on FORMED at 7PM ET or 4PM PT.

- The TRUTH About the Shroud of Turin w/Fr. Robert Spitzer | Chris Stefanick Show Chris Stefanick Show FORMED
- Why the Devil Hates (and Fears) Mary w/Fr. Chad Ripperger | Chris Stefanick Show FORMED
- What's an exorcist like off-duty? w/ Fr. Chad Ripperger Chris Stefanick Show FORMED

Fearless with Chris Stefanick

- Fearless: A 7-Week Lenten Video Series | Trailer FORMED
- 5 Ways to Manage Fear w/ Dom Raso | Fearless | Session 1
- Faith Over Fear w/ Rosemary Stefanick & Fr. Dave Pivonka | Fearless | Episode 2
- Talking Back: Scripture's to Answer Common Fears | Fearless | Episode 3
- Death, Where is Your Sting? Sarah Kirchner's Story | Fearless | Episode 4
- Fear and Spiritual Warfare w/ Fr. Chad Ripperger | Fearless | Episode 5
- Fear of Being Canceled w/ Paul J. Kim | Fearless | Episode 6
- More Than Conquerors w/ Jim Beckman | Fearless | Episode 7

Restore with Sr. Miriam James Heidland

- Introduction | Restore: Lent with Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT FORMED
- Ash Wednesday | Restore: Lent with Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT FORMED
- Restore: Lent with Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT (SERIES): Week 1 | Week 2 | Week 3 | Week 4 | Week 5 | Holy Week | Easter Sunday

Lent with Fr. John Burns

- Trailer | Return: Lent with Fr. John Burns Return with Fr. John Burns FORMED
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ADULT & FAMILY FAITH



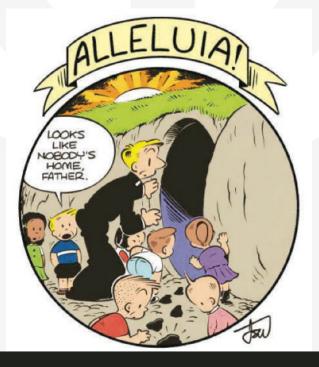
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (KofC) CORNER

- The weekend of April 15-16, Knights will hold our annual Bake Sale after all masses (as long as supply holds up...). Proceeds will support seminarians, pro-life and other Catholic charities such as St. Vincent de Paul.
- Our next pancake breakfast will be Sunday, April 23 after the 8AM and 10 AM masses. Please join us!
- Remember we are again offering two higher education \$1,500 scholarships— one for a HS senior, and one for a HS senior or beyond. **Applications are due by April 30**. Envelopes are in the narthex and south entrance kiosks.
- Knights will lead a "5th Sunday Rosary" in the chapel after each mass the weekend of April 29-30. Please come join us in the prayer of our Blessed Mother.
- During the month of May we will again host a "Perpetual Rosary" with online signup. We are looking for people to pray a rosary each day at the same time in the Month of May. This is not an easy request; it will take some sacrifice and discipline on your part. Pray as a family, couple or on your own. THE GOAL is to have a rosary prayed every second of every minute of every hour of every day during the month of May 2023. To sign-up, go to: https://volunteersignup.org/7RFF4?classic. More information will be forthcoming. If you have any questions please contact any of the following: Colleen Danforth at rdhcoll@aol.com, Bill Nash at billnash307@gmail.com, or Tom Gray at gwtomail.com, or Tom Gray at gwtomailto:gwtomail.com, or Tom Gray at gwtomailto:gwtomail
- Calling all Knights! **Sunday, May 7**, we will hold a Corporate Communion at the 8AM mass. Wear your vest and sit in the pews near Our Lady of Guadalupe. After mass, we'll go out for breakfast at Jay's Cafe (7520 NE Bothell Way, Kenmore).
- Knights of Columbus SAVE LIVES and CHANGE LIVES. Does that interest you? Joining is easy! Talk to a Knight—we proudly wear a blue vest. Or call our Grand Knight, Bill Nash, at 206-999-7767. Also learn about the many tangible benefits available for Knights and their families.

BBQ & BROTHERS

Gentlemen: We hope you are having a blessed Holy Week! We are pleased to announce that our next meeting will be held on **Thursday, April 20th at 6:30 PM in the Narthex**. The program for this meeting is the first of a two part presentation on The Holy Spirit and presented by Mark Sizemore. You don't want to miss this one!! Brett Carlton is cooking Pork Ribs and Beans. We are looking for you to bring your favorite coleslaw or dessert. If you're like a lot of men who want to know more about the Holy Spirit, this is your meeting! Hope to see you there!

CATHOLIC CARTOON—by Joshua Masterson



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & OUTREACH

CURSILLO ULTREYA

Looking for spiritual growth? Meet Saturday mornings from 7:00am— 8:30am. Contact: Sam or Melinda Affronte: (425) 481-5296

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YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries request the following items:

PREPARES FOR LIFE

Baby Wipes

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

UPDATED: Shampoo • Macaroni & cheese (boxed) • Spaghetti pasta • Spaghetti/marinara sauce

SOS

cream of mushroom • cream of chicken • carrots With fresh fruit season ending, PLEASE donate canned fruit!

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

We usually meet the 4th Thursday of the month in the SOS Room at 7:00 pm.

We respect life from conception to natural death, as we are called to do as Catholics.

If you are interested in joining us, we would love to have you and your new ideas! If interested, please contact Colleen Danforth at rdhcoll@aol.com



YOUNG AT HEART SENIOR GROUP

Our April event promises to be an adventure: a trip north to Bay View in Skagit County. We will be going to the Padilla Bay Reserve, site of the second largest eelgrass meadow on the North American Pacific coast. You'll learn about the importance of eelgrass during the 1 hour tour of the Breazeale Interpretive Center & Aquarium. Lunch will be in Anacortes, followed by a stop at the Roozengaard Tulip Gardens.

Please meet in the narthex at 10AM on Wednesday, April 19. Breazeale tour is free, but Roozengaard Tulip Gardens and lunch are not. Tickets to view display gardens are \$15. Contact Donna 425-488-1373 to reserve your seat on the church bus.

ST. BRENDAN GARDENS

No work party in April, but our annual fundraising Plant & Bake Sale will be on the last weekend of April (29th). As you start working in your own gardens, please consider potting up some plants for the sale, labeling with name and pertinent info. Please also label baked contributions and indicate if nuts are present. Contact Anneliese at (425) 770-2103, if you are able to help with setup or sales or if you're willing to share plant knowledge with fellow parishioners.

SCHOOL NEWS

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HIRING-FIRST GRADE INSTRUCTIONAL AIDE

We are hiring an Instructional Aide for our First-Grade classroom! The right candidate will assist in fostering a classroom environment that reflects our Catholic faith, Christian leadership and values. The position is Monday-Friday and a total of 33-40 hours per week, with summer and holidays off. This position is eligible for a comprehensive benefit package. To apply, visit https://www.applitrack.com/seattlearch/onlineapp/default.aspx?AppliTrackPostingSearch=location:%



<u>22St.+Brendan%2c+Bothell%22</u> or scan the QR code. Please send a cover letter and resume to Principal Catherine Shumate at <u>catherines@school.saintbrendan.org</u>.

ST. BRENDAN SCHOOL ANNUAL DINNER AND AUCTION



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & OUTREACH

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus Meets the need of each disciple. To the fearful in the upper room, He speaks words of peace. To doubting Thomas, He provides the tangible proof of His resurrection. What do I need to become His disciple? What do I have to share that might meet someone else's need?

RICE BOWL—THANK YOU!

Our community changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl, and we want to say THANK YOU! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl or donate or online at crsricebowl.org.



CONGRATULATIONS and MANY THANKS

Happy Easter to all!

Congratulations to everyone received into the church this Easter Vigil from our RCIA Class! As a parish, we welcome you to the Holy Catholic Church and will continue to pray for you and your families as you move forward with us and the whole Universal Church in our journey with Christ!

Thank you to ALL who worked hard to make our Holy Week celebrations so special!

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Please Pray For These Expectant Mothers: April • Jenn Anderson • Jaclyn • Clarissa Gardinas • Sarah Discollinas • Jesse Harmon • Jan • Barit Johnson • Laura (Majewski) Yates.

Congratulations to Krystina & Skyler Coker on the birth of their baby girl Vivienne Hayes • Rachelle & Sean Mullins on the birth of their baby girl Penalope Ann • Hailey & Andy Schock on the birth of their baby boy, Joshua Robert. We ask that God will bless you and bring you much joy as you raise your little ones.

Contact Martha Becker at (206) 557-2316 or marthab@school.saintbrendan.org.

Spiritual Adoption Update - Two Months - I'M DANCING!! - The baby is making rapid progress developing all her external and internal organs. During the second month baby teeth form and her fngers and toes are developing. Ears, nose, lips and tongue can now be clearly seen. Even her brain waves can now be recorded. The skeleton changes from cartilage to bon. The central nervous systm is now functioning and so forty muscle sets begin thier first exercises. By 8 weeks all body systems are present and the baby is called a "fetus", a Latin word meaning "little one" or "young one". Ultrasound reveals that this little one can now spring and jump - her first dance steps!

"Your hands have formed me and fashioned me. With skin and flesh you clothed me, you have knit me together with bones and sinews." (Job 10: 8-11). Please continue to pray for these little ones.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Margaret Deleon | 425-483-9400 ext. 2644 | youthminister@saintbrendan.org

- Class resumes Monday, April 17.
- CONFIRMATION MASS Saturday, June 3, 2023, 5PM.
- Students can only miss up to TWO classes. Classes are on Mondays from 6:30PM to 8PM.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

12 Noon Thursday — A week prior to bulletin weekend, bulletin@saintbrendan.org

ONLINE PARISHIONER REGISTRATION AND ONLINE GIVING

Every person's finances and family situation is different. Jesus makes it clear that it matters not how much one gives, but that it is planned, calculated, at least somewhat sacrificial (see Luke 24:1-4), and not simply from what is "leftover" at the end of the month.

We propose the tithe (10%) as the ideal every family can consider working towards. This means taking steps to give 5% to one's parish and 5% to other charities, or causes you have personal passion for.

You can register online at saintbrendan.org and click on the link Online Registration/New Parishioner on the right column.

To give online, click on the Online Giving link at the top of the page. It's quick, secure, convenient, and easy. Your support helps sustain our parish. If you need help with online giving, please call the Parish Office at 425-483-9400.

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