

# DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

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—Apr. 7 | 3PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet 3:15PM—Benediction.
- ST. BRENDAN WOMEN'S GROUP—Apr. 11/Thu./6:30PM
- BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP—Apr 11/Thu. At St. Teresa of Calcutta—pg. 6 for details.
- ST. BRENDAN GARDENS—Bake and Plant SALE—Apr. 13/14—pg. 6
- BBQ & BROTHERS—Apr. 18/Thu./6PM
- ANNUAL KNIGHT'S BAKE SALE—weekend of Apr. 20/21, after Masses—pg. 5
- PARISH SCHOOL AUCTION—Apr. 27/Saturday. Volunteers needed—see pg. 5.
- PANCAKE BREAKFAST—Apr. 28, after the 8AM/10AM Masses.
- KofC SCHOLARSHIP DUE-Apr. 30-pg. 5 for more info.

#### **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 7-DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

## Monday, April 8—Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

Tuesday, April 9

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

Wednesday, April 10

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

## Thursday, April 11—Memorial of St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

Friday, April 12

Saturday, April 13

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

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 14-3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

ACTS 3:13-15, 17-19 PS 4:2, 4, 7-9 1 JN 2:1-5A LK 24:35-48 Sunday, April 7

8:00am (+Phil Kyburz) 10:00am (Community of St. Brendan) 12:00pm (+Luciano Hernandez Martinez)

Monday, April 8

8:30am (+Robert Naff)

Tuesday, April 9 NO MASS

Wednesday, April 10 8:30am (Maya Harmon)

Thursday, April 11 8:30am (Anlly Cordova)

Friday, April 12

8:30am (+Frank Javier Narag)

Saturday, April 13

8:30am (Gina Harrison) 5:00pm ()

Key: + = deceased

#### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—APRIL 7**

- 3PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 3:15PM-Benediction.

#### RICE BOWL—THANK YOU!

Together, we changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl. THANK YOU for being a part of this effort! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl this weekend or donate online at crsricebowl.org/donate.

# Renewed: 7 Steps for an Amazing Marriage

Starts Easter Monday!

Natalie and I are excited to launch a 21-part video series for married couples. We understand that marriage is beautiful, but often challenging. Our hope for this series is that you and your spouse would feel renewed in your marriage, your faith, and your family too!



For more information go to: reallifecatholic.com/marriage

#### **THE SICK**

- Ernestina Barrera
- Brigette Blair
- Arnulfo Armando Rojas Castillo
- Kyle Sahagun
- Sarah Watson

#### THE DECEASED

- Martha Corthedano
- Aninceto Perez Rojo
- Xavier Reves
- Dayana Santiago Bautista
- Aurelia Santos
- Michael Santos

# 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)

#### EL GRUPO DE ORACION VEN A MI

El Grupo de Oracion Ven a Mi en español los invita todos los viernes de 7pm a 9pm a reflexionar la palabra de Dios, a Orar y Alabar a Dios, hay Evangelizacion de Jovenes y Niños. Nos reunimos dentro de la Parroquia.

Vengan a mi y yo los aliviare.

-Mateo 11:28

#### **ARISE & SHINE**

Join us for PRAISE & PRAYER every first Saturday of the month right after the 5PM Vigil Mass.

#### CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

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

Please pray for our children going through faith formation for their first communion in May. "Dear Father, bless this Lent for our children, guide them and draw them always closer to You in love and truth."

Por favor oren por nuestros niños que están pasando por la formación en la fe para su primera comunión en mayo. "Querido Padre, bendice esta Cuaresma para nuestros hijos, guíalos y atráelos siempre más cerca de Ti en el amor y la verdad".

## **EVANGELIZATION**

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

Jon Leonetti's one-minute weekly video reflection (YouTube): This IS My Body... • Saints and the Eucharist • The Source of Our Happiness

Chris Stefanick has several new video outlets on YouTube:

- This Single Event Answers Every Question You Have About Life
- Heal Your Wounds, Heal Your Marriage (And Grab Some Tissues)
- Understanding Woke Culture & Responding With Grace | Noelle Mering

The 3-Minute Reset (YouTube) with Pat Lencioni and Chris Stefanick:

#### Other Items from FORMED:

- Via Lucis: The Stations of the Resurrection FORMED
- Easter in Art (3-Part Series) FORMED

#### The Catholic Parent

Our Sunday Obligation - Episode 1 • Confession - Episode 2 • Family Prayer - Episode 3 • Sacrifice - Episode 4 • Generosity - Episode 5 • Handing on the Faith - Episode 6.

#### For Kids—FORMED

Christine in Action • Drawing Closer to God • Holy Week & Easter Special | Laugh and Grow Bible for Kids

#### HALLOW APP

Here is the corrected information for Hallow App. All parishioners have the App for free through Pentecost.

#### Holy Day Package - Hallow

- 1. Type in St. Brendan—our parish will pop up.
- 2. Then click Redeem Offer.
- 3. It will then give you the QR code to use or if you are on your phone it will take you to the site. Just follow the instructions.
- 4. A couple of issues that people have had:

I am required to do a 7 day trial—Typically, there are two reasons that people see the 7 day trial instead of getting full access. The first reason is if they do not register through the Holy Day page in advance. Sometimes, people think that the holy day page is just one way to get access. Unfortunately, that is not the case. They will not be able to utilize their premium access except through first registering on the webpage.

The second reason this happens is if someone registers on the holy day page through one option (phone, email, google registration, or apple registration), and then they try to access their account a different way.

If you have any questions please contact the parish office. There has been quite a bit of bad information out there about our subscription and it has caused some confusion. Please call 425-483-9400. THANKS!

## **ADULT & FAMILY FAITH**

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (KofC) CORNER

- Calling all Knights and spouses! Our next Corporate Communion Mass and Breakfast is **THIS SUNDAY, April 7**. Wear your vest, come to the 8 AM mass and sit in the pews by Our Lady of Guadalupe. Afterward we'll enjoy breakfast together at **Fairwinds Brittany Park** (address: 17143 133rd Ave NE, Woodinville, WA 98072). This will be a full-course restaurant-quality breakfast, at a very reasonable cost of \$14.00 (no tips) per person.
- BAKE SALEI Our Annual Knights of Columbus Bake Sale Will be the weekend of April 20 & 21. Proceeds Go To Support Pregnancy Aid, Heartbeat for Wounded Warriors, Catholic Charities such as St. Vincent de Paul, and many other Council Programs. If you would like to bake an item to sell, please bring it by our tables in the narthex before mass on April 20 or 21, or call Dan Heye in advance at 425-286-7749 to arrange for it to be picked up. Please help continue our Knights of Columbus tradition of supporting our Church and our Community, and enjoy some delicious goodies at the same time!
- Our next pancake breakfast will be April 28, following the 8 and 10 AM masses. Please join us for a delicious meal!
- Don't forget: Your Knights of Columbus **scholarship application is due by April 30**. Mailing instructions are included in the application. Again this year, we're offering two scholarships—with increased (again) award amounts—\$2,000 each. One is for a high-school senior, and one is for a high-school senior or beyond.
- SAVE THE DATE- May 4: Our council will host a first-ever "Holy Rollers Spring Dance"! Saturday, May 4, bring your honey to the Bothell Rental Hall (24323 Bothell-Everett Highway, Bothell, WA 98021). Come 6:45PM to 10 PM and dance to hits of the 60's, 70's and 80's, performed by an all-KofC band, the "KC Holy Rollers." Hors d'oeuvres/appetizers will be available. Suggested donation is \$10 per person.
- Men of the parish: Knights of Columbus SAVE LIVES and CHANGE LIVES. Does that interest you? Look for a knight in a blue vest, or call our Grand Knight, Bill Nash, at 206-999-7767. We have many tangible benefits available for Knights and their families.

## SCHOOL NEWS

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#### **53RD ANNUAL DINNER & AUCTION**

We are offering high-school students volunteer credit for their time.



## 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 • Ron Fernades: (425) 821-3599 • seattlecursillo.org

#### YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries request the following items:

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Canned fruit • Spaghetti • Mac & Cheese • Toilet Paper Toothpaste • Shampoo

**S0S**—Pasta • Rice • Canned Tuna

#### PREPARES FOR LIFE

Supports families in need by providing diapers, baby wipes, and clothing for children from birth to school age. We are located in the lower Brendan House and are open on Tuesdays from 9AM to 11AM.

NEED: Clothes for kids SIZE 4T and 5T.

For further information, please contact the Parish office at 425-483-9400.

If you are in a housing or food crisis or in need of other immediate assistance, please call the State of Washington Services at 2-1-1 for help—it's FREE; they are open 24/7 and multilingual.

# RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

We usually meet the 4th Thursday of the month in the SOS Room at 7PM.

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

#### **GARAGE SALE TO BENEFIT HOME FOR PREGNANT MOMS**

Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a charitable garage sale to help pregnant moms keep their babies. The garage sale will be held at the Bothell Rental Hall on April 5th to7th. The Respect Life ministry at St. Brendan's appreciates your support in this pro-life event.

#### **SPRING FELLOWSHIP**

Join us for a meal and faith-based discussion as we kickstart the season:

- THE WOMEN'S GROUP on April 11 at 6:30PM—potluck dinner.
- BBQ & BROTHERS on April 18 at 6PM.

#### ST. BRENDAN GARDENS

Baked goods ... plants ... helpers. These are the three things we need to make the fundraiser Bake & Plant Sale on April 13/14 a success.

Please bring the plant and baked item donations to the church on Saturday afternoon or before your Mass. Please indicate:

- If baked item contains nuts or if it's gluten-free or sugar free.
- Label the plants with their name, sun/shade preference, and if invasive.

If you're able to help at all with pricing or selling of items or set up/take down, please contact Anneliese (425-770-2103). We need help before and after each Mass.

#### **RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY**

Please Pray For These Expecting Mothers: Claire Cook • Lisette Franklin • Bridget Frauenholtz Megan Fryhover • Clarissa Gardinas • Hannah • Taylor Haug • Natakue Johnson • Lauren Manni • Maria Musgave • Bethany Nicasio • Patty • Lauren Seerdan • Alison Spudich

**Spiritual Adoption Update - One Month** - "I'm tiny" My heart started beating today! During this first amazing month of life the baby grows to 10,000 times his size at conception. He is totally dependent upon his mother. Between mother and child lies the vital organ called the placenta. Here vessels from mother and baby intertwine allowing food and oxygen to pass through to the baby. By the third week the baby's tiny heart begins to beat.

"As thou knowest not what is the way of the spirit, nor how the bones do grow in the womb of her that is with child: even so thou knowest not the works of God who maketh all." Ecclesiastes 11:5

If you are expecting, a baby and would like your church family to pray for you, please contact Martha Becker at (206) 557-2316 or marthab@school.saintbrendan.org.

#### BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Have you experience the loss of a loved one? Have you longed to tell someone your story about your relationship with the person you loved? A bereavement support group is offered for St. Teresa and St. Brendan parishioners. The program provides information about the grieving process and gives you the opportunity to share your thoughts and feelings with others who are also experiencing a loss. This seven-week series will be held Thursdays April 11th through May 23rd, from 12:30-2:00 in the St. Teresa Commons Room. The group will be facilitated by Chris Gaines and Arlene Sullivan. For more information or to register please contact Arlene at 425-225-6966 or Chris at 425-481-3431 or <a href="mailto:chrisg-63@msn.com">chrisg-63@msn.com</a>.



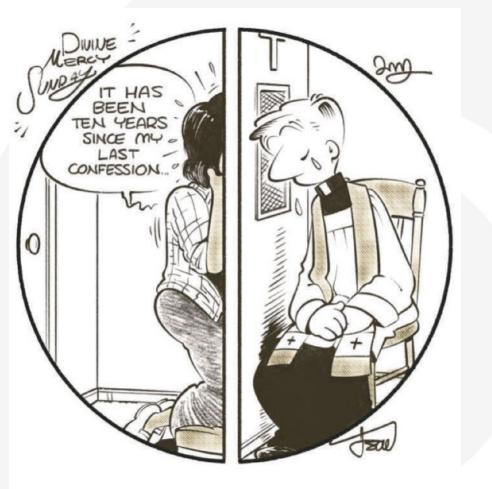
## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & OUTREACH

#### **2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

The Christian community described in Acts understood and practiced *total* stewardship. St. Paul reports that the believers did not claim anything as their own, but held everything in common, and distributed to each whatever was needed

#### **CATHOLIC CARTOON**

by Joshua Masterson



## PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL

#### **PRAYER**

Gracious God, we praise and thank you for the Catholic Church in Western Washington. We praise and thank you for the women and men who have shared the joy of the Gospel here for more than 170 years. Send your Holy Spirit upon us that we might encounter your Son anew and become more effective partners in sharing the Good News of his saving love.

May our partnership in the Gospel empower us to be your missionary disciples, bringing the Good News to all, especially to those who are marginalized or hurting in any way. Give us the courage, the flexibility and the vision to renew parish life, so that the good work, begun long ago, may continue among us, and one day, be brought to completion in your Kingdom, where you live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

#### **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.

#### **COVER IMAGE**

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