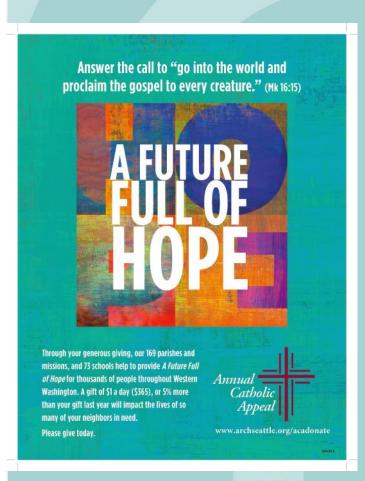
# ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

10100 NE 192nd Street, Bothell, Washington 98011 www.saintbrendan.org / 425-483-9400

FR. NICHOLAS WICHERT, PASTOR

**APRIL 24-25, 2021** 

#### 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



#### **Mission Statement**

We, the St. Brendan Catholic community, are called to:

- · Celebrate through Word and Sacrament;
- Be formed as disciples and go forth as apostles;
- Reach out to all with love and respect

In order to make visible the reign of God by transforming our world.

#### Misión

Nosotros, la comunidad católica de San Brendan estamos llamados a:

- Celebrar a través de la Palabra y Sacramento;
- Ser formados como discípulos y seguir adelante como apóstoles;
- · Llegar a todos con amor y respecto

Todo esto para hacer visible el reino de Dios transformando nuestro mundo.

#### **Sunday Eucharist Schedule**

Sat.: 5:00 pm | Sun.: 8:00 and 10:00 am Domingo: 12:00 Noon (Misa en Español)

#### **Weekly Mass Schedule**

Mon., Wed., Thur., Fri., and Sat.: 8:30 am

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri. and Sat.: 7:45–8:15 am Saturday: 2:30–4:00 pm

\*During this time, Masses are available in person or livestream. Please visit our parish website at parish.saintbrendan.org for the link.



# Parish Life

#### ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### **Pastor**

Rev. Nicholas Wichert | ext. 2647 frwichert@saintbrendan.org

#### **Pastoral Assistant for Administration**

Kerri Foust | ext. 2642 kerrif@saintbrendan.org

#### **Pastoral Assistant for Evangelization**

Brigette Blair | ext. 2645 evangelization@saintbrendan.org

#### Youth Ministry (Sr. High)

Margaret Deleon | ext. 2644 youthminister@saintbrendan.org

#### **Children & Family Ministry**

Rosa Connolly | ext. 2648 childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org

### Director of Music Ministry & RCIA Coordinator

Mary Sims | ext. 2649 marys@saintbrendan.org directorofmusic@saintbrendan.org

#### **Facilities Supervisor**

Isaac Anderson | ext. 2650 facilitiessupervisor@saintbrendan.org

#### **Pastoral Secretary/Receptionist**

Lupita Silva Ocampo receptionist@saintbrendan.org

#### **School Principal**

Catherine Shumate catherines@school.saintbrendan.org

#### School Office Manager/ Development Director

Christen Lambert Christenl@school.saintbrendan.org

#### **School Secretary**

Karyn Murnane secretary@school.saintbrendan.org

### To submit a bulletin request, please email bulletin@saintbrendan.org

#### **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES**

- Adorers of the Lord needed see next page for days/times.
- This year's Annual Catholic Appeal has us reflect upon A Future Full
  of Hope: Passion for our Faith, Promise for our Future, Care for our
  Community, and Love for our Family. Please prayerfully consider
  giving to the needs of our Archdiocese as we conduct the 2021
  Annual Catholic Appeal over the next four weeks. Some of you have
  already made your donation, and we thank you for your
  thoughtfulness! —page 7.
- Plant/Bake Sale/Fundraiser next weekend page 6.
- Parish job opening Pastoral Assistant for Child and Family Ministry—page 7.
- Confirmation Mass is on Saturday, May 8, 5PM with Auxiliary Bishop Mueggenborg—page 5.



#### **Parish Office**

Hours: Mon-Fri 9:15am-noon; 1:00-4:30pm Phone: (425) 483-9400 / Fax: (425) 486-9735

Address: 10051 NE 195th Street

Bothell, WA 98011-2931

#### **School Office**

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:00am-4:00pm

Phone: (425) 483-8300 / Fax: (425) 483-2839

Address: 10049 NE 195th Street

Bothell, WA 98011-2931

#### **Funeral Masses and Burial Rites**

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

#### 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.

#### 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.

#### 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.

# Worship & Spiritual Life



#### READINGS FOR WEEK OF APRIL 25, 2021

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 2021 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Monday, April 26

Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, April 27

Acts 11:19-26 Ps 87:1-3, 4-5, 6-7

Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, April 28

Jn 12:44-50

Thursday, April 29

Acts 13:13-25 Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27

Jn 13:16-20

Friday, April 30

Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, May 1

Acts 13:44-52 Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4

Jn 14:7-14

#### SUNDAY, May 2, 2021 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 25, 2021

Daily Masses can be viewed on St. Brendan Church's <u>Facebook page</u> and Weekend Masses on YouTube

#### Sunday, April 25

8:00am (Community of St. Brendan) 10:00am (+Tom Wilson)

12:00pm (+Graciela Hernandez Pena

Monday, April 26

8:30am (+Steven Espinal)

Tuesday, April 27

No Mass

Wednesday, April 28 8:30 am (Andrew Hay)

Thursday, April 29

8:30 am (Santhiago Machuca)

Friday, April 30

8:30 am (+Sebana Michael)

Saturday, May 1

8:30 am (+Luciano Sam) 5:00 pm (+Aura Galvez)

Key: +=deceased

#### Please pray for the sick:

Eutimio Cardenas
Josefina Gonzalez Sanchez
Ashley Gutierrez
Gutierrez Torres Family
Carol Hunt Gauthier
Richard Montemayor
Cecile Narag
Edgar Valdez Garcia

### . . . And for those who have died:

Dennis Ancheta Siazon
Armando Carrillo Santiago
Asuncion Cruz
Erick Frias Cerqueda
David Guerrero
Javier Frank Narag
John Phillips
Donna Pioli
Sara Sanchez Giles
Edgar Valdez
Thomas Wilson

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

We are looking for adorers of the Lord during the following times. Come and worship Him:

- Monday: Wednesday 3-4 pm
- Tuesday: 1-2 pm and 2-3 pm
- Wednesday: 4-5pm
- Thursday: 1-2 pm

Please call Christina 425-486-3376 more information

#### IRON SHARPENS IRON

Thank you to all the men who attended the Iron Sharpens Iron Conference! A HUGE thank you to all the parishioners who volunteered countless hours to make the conference happen. Thank you to our speakers, Fr. Robert Spitzer, Fr. Wichert and Fr. Ed White. Thank you to our tech team and all the volunteers who worked hard on Friday and Saturday! God Bless you all!



#### Dear Families of St. Brendan:

This Wednesday, April 28th, our First Year of Disciples club is scheduled to have an in-person class in St. Brendan School at 6pm, please arrive 5- 10 mins before to check in your child. We also have our First Communion Session for Parents (9) by Zoom at 6.15pm.

We kindly ask the Parents to check your emails for the information we are sending every week with the Zoom link for the virtual classes for your children, the virtual classes for parents and for the Family Guide files.

If you have any questions, please contact me to help you and guide you.

#### Oueridas Familias de St. Brendan:

Este Miércoles 28 de Abril, el Primer año del Club de Discípulos está invitado a venir a su clase en persona en el Colegio de St. Brendan a las 6pm, porfavor llegar con 5-10 mins de anticipación, para poder chequear a sus hijos. También tenemos nuestra Clase de Padres de Primera Comunión (9) a las 6.15pm por Zoom.

Padres de familia, les pedimos cordialmente que revisen sus emails, cada semana estamos mandando la información necesaria para que se conecten a las clases en línea de Padres, de sus hijos, y de las guías de la Guía de Familia.

Si Ud. tiene alguna pregunta, porfavor comuníquese conmigo y gustosamente le ayudaré.



#### THIS WEEK ON FORMED

FORMED has a series on several of the Sacraments. We are going to spend the next few weeks looking at "Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession.." The first episode is, "Where are You?" <a href="https://watch.formed.org/forgiven/season:1/videos/where-are-you">https://watch.formed.org/forgiven/season:1/videos/where-are-you</a>

We will begin to feature items from HeroicMen.com - <a href="https://watch.heroicmen.com/browse">https://watch.heroicmen.com/browse</a>. This is a national organization along with the Catholic Men's Leadership Alliance (CMLA) that develops resources for men. For our first feature we are going to look at a St. Joseph Virtue Series. <a href="https://watch.heroicmen.com/st-joseph-virtue-series">https://watch.heroicmen.com/st-joseph-virtue-series</a>. It is well done, and each video is about 6 minutes.

St. Brendan will have copies of the Matthew Kelly book "I heard God Laugh" after Masses beginning Easter weekend. We plan to read this book and begin discussions in May. Copies are available in English and Spanish. Please take a book and join us!

Do you know of parishioners who are wanting to return to Mass but are curious as to how the Nave is arranged, how we sanitize after Mass or have other questions? We now have a short video we are sharing with parishioners we talk to about returning to Mass. We also have a couple of short videos from parishioners who have recently returned to Mass. Please have people contact the parish office if they have questions.

We do have a few additional copies of the Consecration to St. Joseph Book- in both English and Spanish. Please contact Brigette lair if you still need a copy. Price is \$15.00

The St. Brendan Website now has an Evangelization page! <a href="https://parish.saintbrendan.org/faith-formation/evangelization/">https://parish.saintbrendan.org/faith-formation/evangelization/</a>

# Youth & Young Adult Ministry



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

#### CONFIRMATION/SENIOR HIGH/YOUNG ADULT

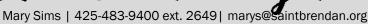
Follow us on // SaintBrendanYouthMinistry

- Confirmation Mass—Saturday, May 8, 5PM with Auxilliary Bishop Mueggenborg.
- Confirmation mass dress code: Wear red and/or white
  - o Guys button up shirt, tie, and slacks. No Jeans, hoodies, or casual attire.
  - Gals Cover up shoulders and chest, dresses/skirts should not be higher than 2 inches about the knee. No casual attire.

#### Gospel reflection

Today's gospel highlights the difference between a genuinely good shepherd and a hired shepherd. It made me think of the types of friends we can have in this life. Virtuous friendships and friendships of utility and pleasure. The hired man, is like those friendships in our lives that are formed because of utility and/or pleasure. These friends are our friends because we're in the same group projects, we like the same type of music, we're on the same basketball team, or we have similar humor – which is good. But they lack the consistency and diligence of a virtuous friendship. When you have a disagreement with these friends, or you are separated from them (i.e. the sports season is over, they move away, they have different classes from you in the next quarter); these friendships tend to be fleeting. That is why we must put the effort to form virtuous friendships. Virtuous friendships reflect the image of God: true, good, and beautiful. They overcome distance and disagreement. They don't flee at the first sign of trouble. They are, in fact, self giving and fulfilling just as God is all-giving and the all-fulfilling. Good friendships are experiences of heaven on Earth. Who among your friends is leading you to heaven?

### Adult & Family Faith





#### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

The First Saturdays Devotion, also called the Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is a Catholic devotion which, according to Sister Lúcia of Fátima, was requested by the Virgin Mary in an apparition at Pontevedra, Spain, in December 1925. This devotion has been approved by the Roman Catholic Church on the First Saturday during five consecutive months. The Devotion consists of:

- Going to Confession,
- Receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion.
- Saying five decades of the Rosary,
- Meditating for 15 minutes on the mysteries of the Rosary.

All this offered in REPARATION for the sins of blasphemy and ingratitude committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. **Join us on May 1, 7:30am** at the St. Brendan Chapel. Questions? Call Christina 425-486-3376

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER— IMPORTANT FUNDRAISER FOR THE KNIGHTS WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT:

- KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS Virtual Auction NEXT SUNDAY May 2, 2021 from 6pm to 7pm: To attend the Virtual Auction, go to the link: <a href="https://event.auctria.com/1ca63ebd-4337-439f-971c-82b21a3d106d/">https://event.auctria.com/1ca63ebd-4337-439f-971c-82b21a3d106d/</a>
- FREE Seminar on Long-Term Care to be held 7PM on May 17, 2021 More information to come
- Thank you to all the youth that submitted their application for the Knights of Columbus Scholarship the winners will be announced the first week of June 2021.

**NEW 3RD KNIGHTS: Congratulations** to the following parishioner who have taken their Exemplification and become 3rd degree Knights on Thu April 8th for Father Justin P Garvey 6686 Council:

Regan Corwin\*, Tim Mahar\*, Alejandro Regina Angulo\*, Thomas Rucker\*, Srininvs Kola (\*NEW MEMBER)

BECOME A KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOR FREE: In recognition of our beloved founder Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney will be beatified. New members are being offered FREE ONLINE MEMBERSHIP for their first year. Join Fr Justin P Garvey Council 6686 NO due until 12/31/2022. The Supreme Council will pay the first-year dues for every man who joins online until June 2021. Prospects simply need to visit <a href="https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html">https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html</a> and enter the code GPODANY (all caps) to take advantage of this special offer. Contact Fr. Justin P Garvey Council 6686 Direct Line at: 425 273-7119. Leave your name, number, and email so we can get back to you quickly. Or call Tom Gray at (206) 799-0397 for any inquiries or specific questions.



## Community Involvement & Outreach

#### **CURSILLO ULTREYA**

Looking for spiritual growth? Meet Saturday mornings from 7:00—8:30 am. Contact:

Sam or Melinda Affronte (425) 481-5296

Ron Fernandes (425) 821-3599 seattlecursillo.org

#### YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries request the following items:

#### PREPARES FOR LIFE

Diapers (sizes 3 and 6) Baby Wipes

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

bar soap, dish soap, shampoo, toothpaste, toilet paper

#### SOS

Italian dressing, spaghetti noodles/sauce, canned tuna, canned fruit cocktail.

### RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

We usually meet the 3rd 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

#### WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO OUR PARISH

Jose Cervantes & Jennifer Mejia, ,Jan D'Arcy & Tyler Eckel, Sergio Garcia & Gilberta Lazo, David Gonzalez, Guillermo Pinzon & Ana Velazco, Maria Rangel, Fernando Rubio de Anda, Patricia Torres Barboza & Ignacio Lopez Perez, Jeremy Williams & Angelica Escobar.

**ST BRENDAN GARDENS** - Please mark your calendar with the following dates: May 1 & 2: See info below. | May 22, Saturday, 9AM - 12PM: Next parish garden party.

#### **PLANT and BAKE SALE**

Saturday, May 1, and Sunday, May 2

Located outside main entrance. (By Belfry)

Your contributions will help support St. Brendan Church to care for the surrounding gardens with much needed mulch, fertilizer, pots, and plants.

Contact Anneliese (425-770-2103) or Katherine (425-481-7788) if you have any questions or if you would like to help.

#### List of Goodies for Sale

- \*Cookies \*Pies \*Cakes
- \* Muffins \* Cupcake
- \* Chocolate Sweets
- \* Variety of Potted Plants

#### Volunteer Crew & Help Needed

- \* Set-up & Clean-up
- \* Pricing & Operating Booth
- \*Donate Baked Goods (label description/packaging)
- \* Donate Plants (label name and care instructions)

#### **SERVING OUR SAVIOR (SOS)**

**SOS Thursday Meal** is beginning soon to prepare the meal in our kitchen again. Please consider donating the following dry foods:

- Spaghetti noodles and sauce
- Canned tuna
- Ranch & Italian dressing
- Canned fruit cocktail

Monetary donations are also very welcome and will help purchase meats and other fresh foods. Questions? Contact Larry Pomada at soslpomada@outlook.com

#### RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Spiritual Adoption Update: 3rd Month —"I CAN SUCK MY THUMB NOW!" - In January many of our parishioners spiritually adopted newly conceived babies, making a commitment to pray daily as they grow & develop. These babies are now twelve weeks old. Their feet are perfectly shaped. Eyelids, nails and fingerprints are already developed. Their entire body is sensitive to touch and they can feel pain. They will tightly grasp an object placed in the palm of their hand. They sleep and wake regularly. Vigorous activity shows distinct individuality. The babies can kick, turn their feet, make fists move their thumbs, bend their wrists, turn their heads, open their mouths and press their lips together. They "breathe" amniotic fluid to help develop their respiratory systems. They can now squint, swallow and move their tongue. In fact, early this month they begin to suck their thumb. All pretty amazing for only 12 weeks old! Please remember to pray daily for these little ones!

Truly you have formed my inmost being; you knit me in my mother's womb. I give you thanks

that I'm fearfully, wonderfully made: wonderful are your works. My soul also you knew full well nor was my frame unknown to you when I was made in secret, when I was fashioned in the depths of the earth. Your eyes have seen my actions; in your book they are written; my days were limited before one of them existed. Psalms 139: 13-16.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE EXPECTANT MOTHERS & NEW PARENTS: JenniferFischer

If you are expecting a baby and would like your parish family to pray for you, please call Mary Hradec at 425-275-1896.

# Parish Administration & Stewardship

#### THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

2 Weeks Budget Goal	\$43,736.00
Weeks of April 5th—April 18th Envelope Offerings March 11th Online Giving Envelope Offerings March 18th Online Giving Electronic Funds Transfer (April) Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving Over/Under Budget Stewardship of Time	\$12,451.00 \$5,327.50 \$10,536.00 \$7,053.00 <u>\$8,205.34</u> <b>\$43,572.84</b> <b>\$163.16</b> 29 hours

Year-to-Date July 1st - April 18th

YTD Budget Goal \$918,440.00
YTD Sacrificial Giving \$927,332.51
Over/Under YTD Budget \$8,892.51
Stewardship of Time 687.5 hours

#### **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

To be good stewards we must be good shepherds, willing to lay down our lives for those committed to our care, not mere hired hands who run off, "leaving the sheep to be snatched and scattered by the wolf."

See John 10:12

### A Future Full of Hope

#### WAYS TO GIVE TO THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

- Donate Online with credit/debit/direct bank withdrawal www.archseattle.org/acadonate
- **Pledge Only** –submit your pledge (through the pledge card, envelope, or online) and you will be sent monthly reminders.
- Cash or Check -make checks payable to Annual Catholic Appeal.
- **Donate Stock**-call 800-422-5417for broker instructions.
- **Donate through your IRA** contact your IRA administrator and have your gift sent directly to the ACA Office, 710 9thAve, Seattle WA 98104 –include your name, ACA ID#, and the parish you want the gift credit to go to.
- Payroll Deduction some employers offer this option check with yours.

Can your gift be doubled? Many companies MATCH gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal! Check if your employer has a Matching Gift program and help your parish maximize their Annual Catholic Appeal Rebate! Once your payment has been received OR pledge has been paid in full, you can apply for the match per your employer's instructions. (tax ID# 91-0778147)

#### PASTORAL ASSISTANT FOR CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

St. Brendan Church in Bothell, WA seeks a faith-filled and creative self-starter with strong interpersonal and organizational skills and a love for working with children to evangelize preschool and elementary aged students, inviting them into a relationship with Christ and the Church. Includes sacramental preparation for Baptism, First Reconciliation, and First Eucharist.

Excellent salary and benefits in accord with Archdiocesan guidelines. Starting salary depends on qualifications and experience. This is a full-time, year-round, exempt position. Includes evening and weekend work. E-mail or call Kerri Foust, kerrif@saintbrendan.org (425) 483-9400, for an application packet. Position open until filled.

#### **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.