

ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

10100 NE 192nd Street, Bothell, Washington 98011

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FR. NICHOLAS WICHERT, PASTOR

DECEMBER 18-19, 2021

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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 (Saturday Vigil and Sundays only). Please visit our parish website for the link at parish.saintbrendan.org.

BROTHERS AND SISTERS:

WHEN CHRIST CAME INTO THE WORLD, HE SAID:

“SACRIFICE AND OFFERING YOU DID NOT DESIRE,
BUT A BODY YOU PREPARED FOR ME;

IN HOLOCAUSTS AND SIN OFFERINGS YOU TOOK NO DELIGHT.

THEN I SAID, ‘AS IS WRITTEN OF ME IN THE SCROLL,
BEHOLD, I COME TO DO YOUR WILL, O GOD.’”

FIRST HE SAYS, “SACRIFICES AND OFFERINGS,
HOLOCAUSTS AND SIN OFFERINGS,
YOU NEITHER DESIRED NOR DELIGHTED IN.”

THESE ARE OFFERED ACCORDING TO THE LAW.

THEN HE SAYS, :BEHOLD, I COME TO DO YOUR WILL.”

HE TAKES AWAY THE FIRST TO ESTABLISH THE SECOND.

BY THIS “WILL,” WE HAVE BEEN CONSECRATED

THROUGH THE OFFERING OF THE BODY OF JESUS CHRIST ONCE FOR ALL.

—HEB 10:5-10



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

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES

- FIAT 90 2022—info. this weekend in the narthex—begins Jan. 15/Sat.—page 3.
- HEART to HEART PACKETS available at the parish office.
- **XMAS EVE/DAY MASS TIMES:**
 - EVE/Fri.—5PM, 8PM, MIDNIGHT, NO morning Mass or Confessions
 - DAY/Sat.—9AM, 11:30AM (Spanish), NO Vigil Mass or Confessions
- PARISH OFFICE CLOSED—December 23, 24, 31.
- **NO MORNING MASS or CONFESSIONS:** Dec. 27, 28, 29.
- **SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED MOTHER:**
 - New Year's Eve/Fri.—7PM (Spanish Vigil Mass)
 - New Year's Day/Sat.—9AM
- **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** —New Year's Eve/Fri.—8:15PM to Midnight.
- IRON SHARPENS IRON —next planning meeting is on Jan. 5/Wed/7PM—page 3.
- YOUNG at HEART SENIORS' GROUP—Nordic Museum—Jan. 12/Wed—page 6.
- PARISH MISSION with JON LEONETTI —Video Replay—Jan. 12/26—page 4.
- ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL—OPEN HOUSE—Jan. 30/Sun.—page 6.
- SCHOOL JOB OPENING—Cafeteria Assistant—page 7
- CHOIR REHEARSALS — Thursdays/6:30PM.

Parish Office

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

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:00am-4:00pm
Phone: (425) 483-8300 / Fax: (425) 483-2839
Address: 10049 NE 195th Street
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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 DECEMBER 19, 2021

SUNDAY, December 19, 2021 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Mi 5:1-4a Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19
Heb 10:5-10 Lk 1:39-45

Monday, December 20

Is 7:10-14 Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6
Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday, December 21

Sg 2:8-14 Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21
Lk 1:39-45

Wednesday, December 22

1 Sm 1:24-28 Ps 1 Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd
Lk 1:46-56

Thursday, December 23

Mal 3:1-4, 23-24 Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 & 14
Lk 1:57-66

Friday, December 24

4TH FRIDAY OF ADVENT
2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29
Lk 1:67-79

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD –VIGIL

Is 62:1-5 Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29
Acts 13:16-17, 22-25 Mt 1:1-25

Saturday, December 25

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD –CHRISTMAS

Is 52:7-10 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6
Heb 1:1-6 Jn 1:1-18

SUNDAY, December 26, 2021 FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 Lk 2:41-52

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 2021

Weekend Masses can be viewed
on St. Brendan Church's
[Facebook/YouTube](#) pages.

Sunday, December 19

8:00am (+Bala Ananda Raju)
10:00am (Community of St. Brendan)
12:00pm (+Elidia Perales Avalos)

Monday, December 20

8:30am (+Marcos del Carmen)

Tuesday, December 21

No Mass

Wednesday, December 22

8:30am (+Ayla May Spencer)

Thursday, December 23

9:00am (Fr. Titus)

Friday, December 24

8:30am (+Deacon Jose Blakeley)

Saturday, December 25

8:30am (+Roberto Aquino)
5:00pm (+Carmen Cerrano Becerra)

Key: + = deceased

Please pray for the sick:

- Brigitte Blair
- Andrew Brito
- Billy Dee
- Alice Monahan
- Dayana Santiago Bautista
- Sherry Simms

And for those who have died:

- Guadalupe Aguilar
- Nancy Cady
- Agustim De Leon
- Jaime De Vera
- Fernando Gutierrez
- Jim Leach
- Bert London
- Jerry Mitchell
- Carlos Sanchez Molina
- Bernard Watkins

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Monday-Thursday | 1pm-6pm
1st Friday of the month
24-hour adoration begins after daily Mass.

All other Fridays of the
month, adoration begins
after morning Mass.
Contact Christina Plantilla
at 425-486-3376 for info.

FIAT 90 2022

Welcome to FIAT 90 2022! We will begin our 90-day journey to Easter on **January 15, 2022**. We will have information tables after Mass the weekends of December 18/19, and January 8/9. If you are interested in finding out more please stop by after Mass or contact the parish office.

JANUARY 1, FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION AND ADORATION

After the **7pm Mass, December 31st**, there will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament overnight. Starting **midnight January 1st** we will do the Angelus and recite the Rosary. First Saturday devotion starts 8am and finish with benediction. What a blessing to start a New Year! Sign up sheet will be in the narthex. Information call Christina Plantilla 425-486-3376

PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Last week to sign up in the narthex with only 5 dates available: Feb 13-26, Feb 27-March 12, June 5 -18, June 19-July 2, and July 2-16. "Family that prays together, stays together." Fr Peyton



Children & Family Ministry

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

Baptisms will start again next month. If you wish to have your child baptized, there is a **preparation class on Saturday, January 8**. Please contact Priscilla Finch at childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org or call at 425-483-2648 to sign up.

Los bautizos comenzarán de nuevo el próximo mes. Si desea bautizar a su hijo, habrá una **clase de preparación el, sábado, 8 de enero**. Contacte a Priscilla Finch al childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org o llame al 425-483-2648 para inscribirse.



It is no longer possible to register for the Disciples Class faith formation. There will be **NO classes in 2021 after Dec. 15, but we will start again on Jan. 5, 2022.**

Ya no estamos aceptando registraciones para las clases de formación de Discípulos. **NO habrá clases después del 15 de diciembre, pero comenzaremos de nuevo el 5 de enero de 2022.**



Evangelization

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

Here is the Jon Leonetti one minute video from 12/7. We will be featuring his videos every week in the bulletin. This week is called Full of Grace: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IQc8UwUEJhE>.

We will be replaying the St. Brendan Parish Mission with Jon Leonetti on Wednesday, January 12th (part 1) and 26th (part 2) in the Narthex from 6:30-8:00pm. We are not able to post or distribute the video. Hopefully some of you who missed can make it!

Chris Stefanick has a new live program on FORMED, which started on October 24th. It is at 7pm (ET) or 4pm (PT) and only 30 minutes! Here are the links for the last couple of shows:

- <https://watch.formed.org/stefanick/videos/the-chris-stefanick-show-12-06-21>.
- <https://watch.formed.org/videos/the-chris-stefanick-show-11-29-21>.

Chris Stefanik also has a series on Evangelization. We will be looking at this series over the next few months: <https://watch.formed.org/evangelization-with-chris-stefanick/videos/dan-rogers-chris-01-ch-07-web>.

The True Meaning of Christmas—Episodes 3 and 4.

- <https://watch.formed.org/the-true-meaning-of-christmas/videos/episode-3-the-birth-of-the-lord>.
- <https://watch.formed.org/the-true-meaning-of-christmas/videos/episode-4-o-come-o-come-emmanuel>.

A bible study on the Joyful Mysteries: Episode 5—Finding in the Temple: <https://watch.formed.org/a-bible-study-on-the-joyful-mysteries-5-part-series-1/videos/a-bible-study-on-the-joyful-mysteries-the-finding-in-the-temple>

FORMED also has a series on Sacred Art: The Nativity and the Blessed Virgin Mary: <https://watch.formed.org/formed-now-1/season:1/videos/sacred-art-the-nativity-of-the-blessed-virgin-mary>

Be sure to check out the St. Brendan Evangelization Page for more information: <https://parish.saintbrendan.org/faith-formation/evangelization/>

A message from Bishop Barron about returning to Mass: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ppdosk38EAU>

Youth & Young Adult Ministry

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



CONFIRMATION/SENIOR HIGH/YOUNG ADULT

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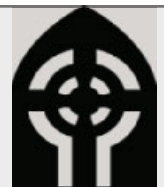
Please note these important dates:

- All PAPERWORK is due Monday, **February 7, 2022**
- Confirmation RETREAT is on Saturday-Sunday, **February 26-27, 2022**, time to be announced.
- Confirmation MASS is on Saturday, **June 4, 2022, 5:00PM**



Adult & Family Faith

Mary Sims | 425-483-9400 ext. 2649 | marys@saintbrendan.org



RCIA

If you would you like to explore the Catholic Faith, become Catholic or receive First Communion or Confirmation, please consider becoming part of the RCIA process. We meet on **Monday nights from 7PM - 9PM** in Lower Brendan House.

Si eres mayor de 18 años y te falta algún sacramento o quieres aprender mas de tu fe. Para más información llame a la oficina parroquial o contacte a Lucero Herrera.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER

The Bothell Knights joined Knights from Holy Family of Kirkland, St. Jude of Redmond, and Holy Innocents of Duval to deliver over 400 coats to the Military Youngsters at Joint Base Lewis-McCord. We worked directly with the Base Four Chaplains, who serve the entire JBLM Community.

January is a very special month to the Knights of Columbus. We will launch the Baby Bottle Campaign to raise donations for Next Step Pregnancy NW. Baby Bottles will be handed out **after the Masses starting in January** and hopefully loaded with donations as they are returned at our January Pancake Breakfast. Our 2022 goal is \$10,000. There is no question in our minds and hearts that EVERY LIFE IS VIABLE from the moment of conception.

Interested in becoming a Knight? Speak with any of the Knights to hear about the many tangible benefits available for Knights and their Families – we proudly wear a blue vest.

IRON SHARPENS IRON MEN'S CONFERENCE—PLANNING MEETING

January 5th, Wednesday at 7:00pm is the next planning meeting for the *Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Conference* at the end of March. We will be meeting in Lower Brendan House. Please prayerfully consider joining the core team as we work on this conference. If you have any questions, please contact Tom Gray or Brigitte Blair.



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 4, 5, 6, and
4t/5t) and Baby Wipes

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

UPDATED: Toothpaste, sham-
poo, dishwashing liquid.

SOS

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

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

ST BRENDAN'S YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS GROUP

In 2013, two papercutting artists (one from Scandinavia and the other from China) decided to collaborate on a project focusing on the dragon, important in each of their cultures. **The resulting exhibit, "Paper Dialogues: The Dragon and Our Stories," is now on display at the Nordic Museum in Ballard.** It includes a 30-foot long dragon by the Chinese artist and seven dragon eggs, telling stories and myths of Norwegian history. Join us to view this fantastic exhibit in January.

Please meet in the church narthex at 10am on January 12. Bring \$16 (half price with AAA card) for the exhibit and additional money for lunch in the museum cafe afterwards. **Please bring proof of vaccination or of a negative COVID test done 72 hours before. Masks are required.** Contact Donna (206-335-4469) before Jan 10 to reserve your seat on the church bus.

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Please Pray For These Expectant Mothers: Sarah Descollines, Kristina Gervais, Bertha Marca, Rubia Moran, Amanda Thompson, and Rhonda (Elliot) Thompson. We pray that you will have a healthy pregnancy and a safe delivery for your baby.

Congratulations To These New Parents: Tessa & Brian Hain, baby girl, Claire Elizabeth; Beatrice & Jonathan Lucas, baby boy, Jonathan "Jackie" Lucas.

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

HEART to HEART PACKETS

These care packets for the homeless, who you may encounter on street corners, are **now available in the parish office.** For a \$5 donation, EACH packet includes: a greeting card with a prayer for the recipient + McDonald \$5 gift card + St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store \$10 gift card + a voucher + phone number of resources. *May God bless you for sharing your heart with the homeless.*

ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

You're Invited to Our

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Sunday, January 30, 2022

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

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THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

Week Budget Goal	\$21,868.00
<u>Week of December 6th - December 12th</u>	
Envelope Offerings	\$17,208.21
Online Giving	<u>\$6,751.50</u>
Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving	\$23,959.71
Over/Under Budget	\$2,091.71
Stewardship of Time	8 hours
 <u>Year-to-Date July 1st - December 12th</u>	
YTD Budget Goal	\$524,832.00
YTD Sacrificial Giving	<u>\$551,111.26</u>
Over/Under YTD Budget	\$26,279.26
Stewardship of Time	475.5 hours

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Today's Gospel provides a blueprint for a good stewardship: "Let the man who has two coats give to him who has none. The man who has food should do the same."

See Luke 3:11

ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP—2022

If you give online and made changes to your pledge for 2022, please visit our Parish website now at www.saintbrendan.org to update your pledge account. Thank you!

PARISH SCHOOL

Job opening—St. Brendan Catholic School seeks a **part-time cafeteria assistant**. Please contact School Principal, Catherine Shumate at catherines@school.saintbrendan.org for more information. The application can be found at mycatholicsschool.org under the "careers and employment" tab.

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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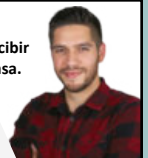
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