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VERY REV. NICHOLAS WICHERT, PASTOR

AUGUST 19 - 20, 2023

20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Brothers and Sisters:

I am speaking to you Gentiles.
Inasmuch as I am the apostle to the Gentiles,
I glory in my ministry in order to make my race jealous
and thus save some of them. For if their rejection is the
reconciliation of the world, what will their acceptance be
but life from the dead?

For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable.
Just as you once disobeyed God but have now received
mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now
disobeyed in order that, by virtue of the mercy shown to
you, they too may now receive mercy. For God delivered
all to disobedience, that he might have mercy upon all.

—Rom 11:13-15, 29-32

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 esta-
mos 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 transfor-
mando nuestro mundo.

SUNDAY EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

SATURDAY: 5 PM

SUNDAY : 8 AM | 10 AM  | 12 PM (MISA EN ESPAÑOL) 

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY—SATURDAY : 8:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY—SATURDAY : 7:45 AM to 8:15 AM

SATURDAY: 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM

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HIGHLIGHTS

- SHARE THE CROSS for SEMINARIANS—Donations accepted this weekend— Aug. 19/20—pg. 5.
- PICNIC VOLUNTEER MEETING—Aug. 21/Mon./6:30PM—Parish Library.
- EUCHARISTIC ADORATION—FOR FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN— Aug. 22/Tue./6PM—see next page.
- ANNUAL PARISH & SCHOOL PICNIC — Aug. 27/Sun./after the 10AM Mass.
- NO 8AM or 12PM MASS on Aug. 27/Sun. There will be a 10AM Mass.
- DISCIPLES CLUB—begins Sep. 20/Wed.—Register now.—pg. 4.
- HOLY HOUR—Sep. 22/Wed./7PM-8PM—see next page for more info.
- 11TH ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT—St. Brendan Parish School— Sep. 23/Sat.—see [school.saintbrendan.org /apps/news/article/1763782](http://school.saintbrendan.org/apps/news/article/1763782) for details.
- PANCAKE BREAKFAST—Sep. 24/Sun./After the 8AM/10AM Mass—pg. 5.
- YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS' GROUP—Sep. 27/Wed./Narthex—pg. 6.

OFFICE HOURS

Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 9:15am-noon; 12:30pm-4:00pm
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

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.

CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

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

The Disciples Club, the classes in faith formation for grades 1st through 5th, will begin on **Wednesday, September 20**. Registration forms are now available in the narthex and on the church website. Contact Priscilla Finch at 425-483-9400, ext. 2648 or childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org with any questions.

El Club de Discípulos, las clases de formación en la fe para los grados 1 a 5, comenzarán el **miércoles 20 de septiembre**. Los formularios de inscripción están disponibles en el atrio y en el sitio web de la iglesia. Comuníquese con Priscilla Finch al 425-483-9400, ext. 2648 o childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org cualquier pregunta.

EVANGELIZATION

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

Jon Leonetti's one-minute weekly video reflection:

- [The Paradox of Love - YouTube](#)
- [What Changes The World - YouTube](#)
- [God's Love is Demanding - YouTube](#)

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

- [Can the homeless keep you from Hell? w/ Blake Brouillette](#)
- [Flourishing as a Single Catholic w/ Chad Etzel](#)
- [Yoga, Spirituality & the Search for Meaning w/Alex Frank](#)

True Reformers

- [Saint Charles Borromeo: The Good Shepherd](#)
- [Saint Philip Neri: The Apostle of Joy](#)
- [Saint Thomas More: The Age of the Author](#)
- [Saint Ignatius of Loyola: Soldier for Christ](#)

The Seven Deadly Sins

[Introduction](#) | [The Seven Deadly Sins](#) | [Episode 1 - The Seven Deadly Sins](#)

SEEK Conference

- [7 Life-Changing Tips that will Transform Your Prayer w/ Sr. Mary Grace | SEEK23 - FORMED](#)
- [What's At Stake? Everything. w/ Curtis Martin | SEEK23 - FORMED](#)
- [The Heart of the Gospel w/ Dr. Edward Sri | SEEK23 - FORMED](#)
- [How to Become a Saint w/ Fr. Josh Johnson | SEEK23 - FORMED](#)

Stories of Courage for Kids

- [Perpetua and Felicity | The Faithful - The Faithful: Stories of Courage - FORMED](#)
- [Kingdom Bound | The Faithful - The Faithful: Stories of Courage - FORMED](#)
- [Temple of Love | The Faithful - The Faithful: Stories of Courage - FORMED](#)
- [Juan Diego | The Faithful - The Faithful: Stories of Courage - FORMED](#)
- [St. Thomas More | The Faithful - The Faithful: Stories of Courage - FORMED](#)

Access to FORMED: To access go to FORMED (formed.org). Click on *Sign Up* > type in *St. Brendan* > click on *St. Brendan 10051 NE 195th St Bothell WA* > register with your name and email. There is no payment since the parish has a subscription. Once you register you only need to go to FORMED and click *Sign In*.

ADULT & FAMILY FAITH

NEEDED: EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR EVERGREEN HOSPITAL

Dear Parishioners, we are asking you to prayerfully consider joining the Hospital Ministry Team.

We are Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the sick at Evergreen Hospital on Saturday and Sundays. Bringing communion and ourselves to fellow Catholics gives us the opportunity to share one of the most sacred and important reasons of our faith—Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. It allows those unable to come to our parish to be with us in Spirit and in community. Bringing Jesus to others allows us to pray with patients and assure them that they are in our prayers, they are not forgotten, and reminds patients that they are loved by God. Please join us in practicing this Corporal work of Mercy—visiting the sick. Please pray for our hospitalized parishioners. Contact Christine Ito with questions about becoming a Hospital Minister at zagmom.ito@gmail.com or call 206-909-1860.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (KofC) CORNER (join at www.kofc.org/join)

- Knights will be in the Narthex after masses **THIS WEEKEND** taking donations for our SHARING THE CROSS hike, which will benefit our sponsored seminarians and the remodel efforts for Blessed Fr. McGivney Hall at Bishop White Seminary in Spokane. Fr. Wichert will join a few of our brother knights on the hike, which will be in September.
- Our 2023 Coats for Kids program is ramping up soon, as we purchase and distribute over 200 coats to needy Northshore School district families with guidance from the district. This year we'll use auction Fund-a-Need receipts to support this important program.
- Our next PANCAKE BREAKFAST will be on **Sunday, September 24**. We're looking forward to getting back together with you all over a hearty breakfast!
- 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.

SCHOOL NEWS

<https://school.saintbrendan.org/> • 425.483.8300



JOB OPENINGS

Looking to join the St. Brendan Parish School community? We are hiring!

Visit applitrack.com/seattlearch/onlineapp/default.aspx > Vacancies > Locations Tab > St. Brendan, Bothell for description for the following four openings:

- Preschool Aide
- First Grade Instructional Aide
- Instructional Aide.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & OUTREACH

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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

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SOS

Cream of chicken • Pasta • Rice. Canned or Fresh fruit is always appreciated!

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



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Please Pray For These Expecting Mothers: April • Kim Anderson • Clarissa Gardinas • RobbiAnn Gray • Jan • Natalie Johnson

Spiritual Adoption Update- Seven Months - "I looked around today!" Beginning this month, the baby uses four senses. His eyelids open and close and the eyes look around. The baby can taste, touch, cough, yawn and hiccup. He now recognizes his own mother's voice, and he responds when her voice reaches his ears. His grip is even stronger now than it will be after his birth. The hair on his head is growing longer and the downy covering on the rest of his body is disappearing. During this time the baby will receive antibodies from his mother providing him immunity to a wide variety of diseases.

"Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us" Ephesians 3:20

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

PARISH SPOTLIGHT—YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS' GROUP

The Young at Heart Seniors group is a very flexible group of parishioners: no membership dues, no expectation to attend every event, no specific age requirements. Just parishioners who like to socialize and have new experiences.

We generally meet on one Wednesday morning per month, but occasionally need to meet on a different day. Our group activities consists of retreats, presentations, performances in the church narthex, but also take field trips (e.g., Seattle, Redmond, Fall City, Skagit Valley) using the church bus for transportation. Cost varies, depending on admission fee and price of lunch. Money from a fundraiser bake sale this fall will hopefully help pay fees for upcoming presentations.

If you have any questions about the group, please contact Donna at (425) 488-1373. Mark your calendar for our first meeting in the fall—**Wednesday, September 27** in the church narthex.



CHILDREN'S DONATIONS WANTED

KidVantage NW is now accepting donations for children so that they can grow, play, learn and thrive. Our Shoreline location distributes to families in need through school districts, health and human service agencies, early learning centers, food banks and more. Your donations of gently used clothing (NB-14 and maternity), diapers, toys, bedding, strollers, books, etc. can be dropped off at 17230 12th Ave NE. Please see our website for driving directions and for more information, donation times, and volunteer opportunities: KidVantageNW.org

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20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

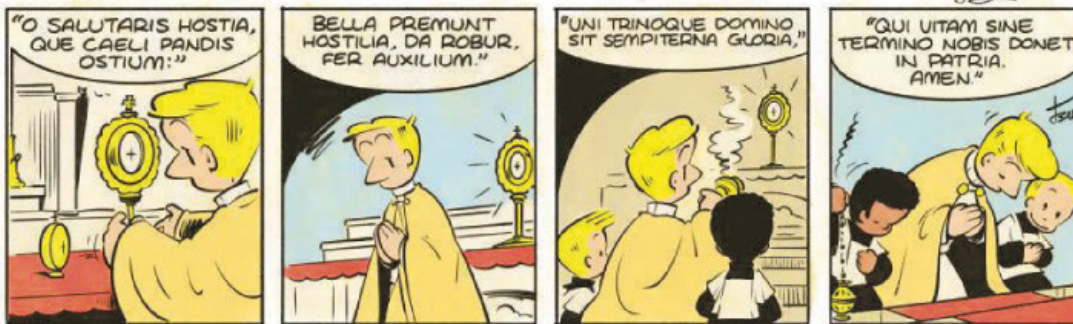
In today's second reading, St. Paul tells the Romans, "God's gifts and his call are irrevocable." To what is God calling me today? What gifts are mine to share? —See Romans 11:29

PARISH & SCHOOL PICNIC—PLANNING MEETINGS

The St. Brendan Parish & School Picnic is around the corner—August 27, 2023, after the 10AM Mass. This annual event would not be possible without the tremendous help of our volunteers. Meetings are on Mondays at 6:30PM at the parish library in the narthex. Hope to see you there this **Monday, August 21th**.

CATHOLIC CARTOON—by Joshua Masterson

THE CATHOLIC CARTOON by Joshua Masterson



PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL

Here is the link—<https://archseattle.org/partners/> (in English and Spanish)—to the videos that Fr. Wichert mentioned in Mass this weekend. The first video is one that we have already seen and is about 10 minutes long. The second video, about 23 minutes long, recently released and explains the reality of why Partners in the Gospel is necessary. Thank you for your continued prayers in this effort.

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:

Glenbeigh St. James' Church Transept Triple Window Saint Brendan; [Wikimedia.org](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Glenbeigh_St_James'_Church_Transept_Triple_Window_Saint_Brendan.jpg)



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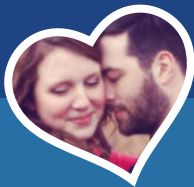


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