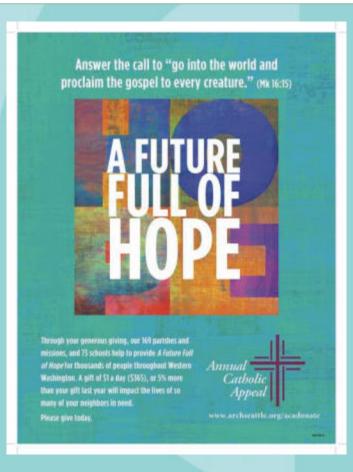
ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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FR. NICHOLAS WICHERT, PASTOR

MAY 1-2, 2021

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Jesus said to his disciples, "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower. He takes away every branch in me that does not bear fruit, and everyone that does he prunes so that it bears more fruit.

(Jn. 15:1-8).

Prayer: Lord, I pray that You prune away all my pride and selfishness. Purify me of my many sins so that I can turn to You in all things. And as I learn to rely upon You, may You begin to bear an abundance of good fruit in my life. Jesus, I trust in You. **Amen.** (catholicreadings.org)

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





Annual Catholic Appeal

*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

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Children & Family Ministry

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School Office Manager/ Development Director

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School Secretary

Karyn Murnane secretary@school.saintbrendan.org

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

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES

- 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.
- Adorers of the Lord needed see next page for new days/times.
- 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 MAY 2, 2021

SUNDAY, May 2, 2021 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Monday, May 3

Feast of Saints Philip and James, Apostles

1 Cor 15:1-8 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5

Jn 14:6-14

Tuesday, May 4

Acts 14:19-28 Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21

Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 5

Acts 15:1-6 Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5

Jn 15:1-8

Thursday, May 6

Acts 15:7-21 Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10

Jn 15:9-11

Friday, May 7

Jn 15:12-17

Saturday, May 8

Acts 16:1-10 Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5

Jn 15:18-21

SUNDAY, May 9, 2021 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 1

1 Jn 4:7-10 Jn 15:9-17

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 2, 2021

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

Sunday, May 2

8:00am (+Joaquin Paredes) 10:00am (+Anastacio Aguilar) 12:00pm (Community of St. Brendan)

Monday, May 3 8:30am (Vic Palazzo)

Tuesday, May 4

No Mass

Wednesday, May 5 8:30 am (Isaac Govea)

Thursday, May 6 8:30 am (Fr. Cal)

Friday, May 7 8:30 am (Fr. Cal)

Saturday, May 8

8:30 am (+Thelma Lee Sloan) 5:00 pm (Community of St. Brendan)

Key: +=deceased

Please pray for the sick:

Serafin Avila Huitron
Ashley Gutierrez
Gutiérrez Torres Family
Omaira López
Richard & Colleen Montemayor
Cecile Narag
Edgar Valdez García

. . . And for those who have died:

Armando Carrillo Santiago
Asuncion Cruz
Erick Frias Cerqueda
David Guerrero
Gloria Guillen
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:

- Tuesday 1-2 pm and 2-3 pm
- Wednesday 4-5pm
- Thursday 1-2 pm
- Friday. 4-5 pm

Call Christina 425-486-3376 more information

IRON SHARPENS IRON

Thank you to everyone who attended the Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Conference this past weekend. The conference was a big success! A huge thanks to Tom Gray and his core team for organizing the event. Special thanks to our speakers; Fr. Robert Spitzer S.J., Fr. Ed White, and Fr. Wichert. Thanks to all the priests who came throughout the weekend and heard confessions. Much gratitude to Bobby Buendia and his crew for fabulous boxed lunches. Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped throughout the weekend: the ladies who did adoration throughout the conference, Mary Sims for her singing and piano playing, everyone who helped set up, take down, emptied all the garbage, and kept everything running smoothly.





Children & Family Ministry

Rosa Connolly | 425-483-9400 ext. 2648 | childfamilyministry@saintbrendan.org

Dear Families of St. Brendan:

This Wednesday, May 5th, our Second 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 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 5 de Mayo, el Segundo 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.

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.



Evangelization

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

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 second episode is, "Encounter with Mercy" https://watch.formed.org/forgiven/season:1/videos/an-encounter-with-mercy

<u>Heroic Men</u> is a FREE Catholic streaming platform designed especially for men who want to discover (or re-discover) the truth, beauty, and goodness of the Catholic faith. Heroic Men brings you content rich in Catholic values that inspire others to seek a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and lead their families in the faith.

They've assembled over 100's movies, documentaries, and short films, each chosen to inspire Catholic men at every stage of their life. Their platform is tailored to be the focal point of your men's ministry. Men will discover meaningful, authentic content ranging from deep-dives into theology to short videos encouraging a life of daily heroism. The content on their platform can be used at home for personal use or for viewing in a community setting.

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 (\$15.00) in both English and Spanish. Please contact Brigette Blair if you still need a copy.

The St. Brendan Website now has an Evangelization page! Check it out at: https://parish.saintbrendan.org/faith-formation/evangelization/

Youth & Young Adult Ministry



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

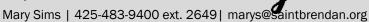
CONFIRMATION/SENIOR HIGH/YOUNG

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.



Adult & Family Faith





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. Please call Mary at 425-483-9400 for more information.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER— IMPORTANT FUND RAISER FOR THE KNIGHTS WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT:

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS Virtual Auction THIS SUNDAY May 2, 2021 from 6pm to 7pm

To attend the Virtual Auction, go to the link: https://event.auctria.com/1ca63ebd-4337-439f-971c-82b21a3d106d/

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

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 $6686 \, \text{NO}$ 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 kofc.org/join us and enter the code GPODANY to take advantage of this special offer. (THE CODE MUST BE IN UPPER CAPS)

~ 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

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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

MALAWI UPDATES

School is back in session again and the feeding program has resumed. First term will end on May 7th and the second term will begin on May 17th. Covid-19 has deeply impacted the education for over a year for the students in Malawi. On May 2nd, St. Joseph will celebrate their patron saint, St. Joseph. They will also have 20 Confirmation for 20 candidates on that same day. Thanks to everyone who continues to support our Malawi sister parish.

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

WE ARE THE BODY OF CHRIST

We are the body of Christ and each and everyone of us is placed here on earth for a reason. It does not matter what our age or what our race or our financial status. God has a special job and place for each and every person that He has created. That person God creates begins in the womb and does not end until our natural death.

Please Pray For These Expectant Mothers:

Kim Anderson, Kelly (Barlow) Dyer, Bridget Elliot, Jennifer Fischer, Tara Griyalva, Meagan (McCloskey) Krueger, Audrey (Smith) Robinson and Laura (Majewski) Yates. We pray you will have a healthy baby and a safe delivery for your baby.

Congratulations To These New Parents:

Lora & Ken Cook, baby boy, Boaz; Tara & Mitchel Shimabukuro, baby boy, Reef. We thank God for these little ones and ask Him to bless and give you much joy as you raise your little ones.

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

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

PREPARES FOR LIFE

Our parish is an active partner of <u>PREPARES</u> (preparesforlife.org), which helps provide resources for support, such as transportation and housing, and essential needs to new moms and their children. This week our local PREPARES would welcome donations of baby wipes. Please drop your gifts in the narthex. Thank you.

Parish Administration & Stewardship

THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

2 Weeks Budget Goal \$21,868.00

Weeks of April 19th-April 25th

Envelope Offerings \$10,414.00
Online Giving \$5,572.50

Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$15,986.50

Over/Under Budget \$5,881.50

Stewardship of Time 15 hours

Year-to-Date July 1st - April 25th

YTD Budget Goal \$940,308.00
YTD Sacrificial Giving \$943,319.01
Over/Under YTD Budget \$3,011.01
Stewardship of Time 702.5 hours

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

In today's Gospel, Jesus says that God is glorified when a disciple, grafted in Christ, produces abundantly and bears much fruit. The disciple must then be a good steward of that abundance.

A Future Full of Hope

A special note of appreciation to **Remberto De la Torre** who provided a personal witness as to how your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign supports over 60 ministries and services in the Archdiocese. If you have already made your gift to the Appeal, thank you! If not, please return your pledge envelope today or donate online. Thank you!

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 800-422-5417 for broker instructions.
- Donate through your IRA contact your IRA administrator and have your gift sent directly to the ACA Office, 710 9th Ave, 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.

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