



# Parish Life

## ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 425-483-9400

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## Important Announcements:

- ***There will be No morning Mass on Saturday, August 5.***
- ***Next Garden Work Party—Saturday, August 19!***
- ***Save the Date: Parish Picnic—September 10 !***



## ST. BRENDAN PARISH

### Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-noon; 1:00-4:30 pm

Phone: (425) 483-9400

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Bothell, WA 98011-2931

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Phone: (425) 483-8300

Fax: (425) 483-2839

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Bothell, WA 98011-2931



## Funeral Masses and Burial Rites

To arrange for a funeral Mass or memorial service, 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.

## Misas para Funerales y Ritos del Entierro

*Para hacer arreglos para Misa para funeral o servicio conmemorativo, 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



## Week of July 30, 2017

### Sunday, July 30

8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass  
12:00 pm Spanish Mass

### Monday, July 31

8:30 am Mass

### Tuesday, August 1

10:30 am Liturgy  
@ Chateau

### Wednesday, August 2

8:30 am Mass

### Thursday, August 3

8:30 am Mass  
6:00 pm Spanish Mass

### Friday, August 4

8:30 am Mass

### Saturday, August 5

#### No AM Mass

3:00 pm Penance  
5:00 pm Vigil Mass

### Sunday, August 6

8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass  
12:00 pm Spanish Mass

## Readings I

17TH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME  
Kgs 3:5, 7-12  
Rom 8:28-30  
Mt 13:44-52

17 OT  
Ex 32:15-24, 30-34  
Mt 13:31-35

17 OT  
Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28  
Mt 13:36-43

17 OT  
Ex 34:29-35  
Mt 13:44-46

17 OT  
Ex 40:16-21, 34-38  
Mt 13:47-53

St. John Vianney  
Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27,  
34b-37  
Mt 13:54-58

Dedication of Basilica of  
St. Mary Major  
Lv 25:1, 8-17  
Mt 14:1-12

TRANSFIGURATION OF  
THE LORD  
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14  
Pt 1:16-19  
Mt 17:1-9

## SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM

Our spiritually  
adopted babies are  
now 6 months old.  
During this month, the  
baby responds to  
sound.

Quiz of the month:  
What covers and pro-  
tects the baby's  
delicate skin from the  
surrounding amniotic  
fluid and from  
scratches as he twists  
and turns? The  
answer to this ques-  
tion can be found in  
the kiosk, where there  
is a beautiful picture  
of a six-month old ba-  
by in the womb.

Please stop and  
check out the kiosk to  
see how I have grown.



## Please pray for the sick:

Judy Atkinson  
Patricia Baumann  
Sandy Ferreri  
Marion Gendron  
Marilyn Hein  
Serena Herrick  
Bob LaRiviere  
Mayela Martinez  
Steve Nettekoven  
Fr. Roger O'Brien  
Butch Otter  
Bill Paulson  
Martin Ragland  
Susan Runyon  
Greg Savitsky  
Jamie Schevers  
Dave Syson



## And for those who have died:

Inocencio Becerra  
Dee Glueck  
David Nuñez  
David Root  
Carol Stipek

## NAMALAKA NEWS

It is a cool and sunny morning in Malawi. We are experiencing long nights and short days. I want to acknowledge the receipt of the copy of the mail you sent our Bishop. I feel strengthened and encouraged by your words that show St. Brendan is touched about the Father's house. I am optimistic that with your prayers and effort of us, the house will be finished in due time. I also thank the Bishop for his efforts and good work he is doing for us. May I humbly ask our brother and sisters to join us in prayer as we are praying for Mr. Mbewe our brother in faith, who is sick. May the Good Lord strengthen him in faith and bring him the gift of healing. We have finished collecting "masika" that is one tenth of ones harvest. We will apply pesticides soon and we will know how many bags we have collected. It is a year of blessing from the fields. Greet Fr. Wichert for me. I personally wish him all the best in his new parish of St. Brendan and St. Joseph. I look forward to sharing experiences of priesthood and culture with him. *Fr. Chris*

***Our delegation Brigitte Blair and Malia Swager leave on July 31st. Prayers for travel mercies!***



## **Derechos y Responsabilidades/Rights and Responsibilities of the Laity (all of us)**

The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that all the Faithful of the Church have responsibilities and rights. Rights and Responsibilities are two sides of one coin that build the Kingdom of God.

- ♦ *Participar en la Misa*/Participate in the Mass
- ♦ *Ofrecer opiniones con respeto*/Offer opinions respectfully
- ♦ *Compartir la fe en "su mundo"*/Share the faith in "your world"

### **Joseph Meets Pharaoh (Gen 41:1-16)**



Poor Joseph, in prison for a long time! But he was able to help two prisoners who were important in

the palace.

*Tenía un don espiritual de la interpretación de sueños. El faraón tenía un sueño con mucha importancia para el país de Egipto.*

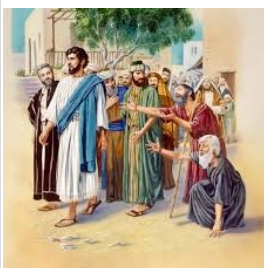
Joseph must have been nervous when he met Pharaoh for the first time.

*Eso fue el sueño*—seven skinny stalks of wheat ate up seven fat stalks.

*Y siete vacas feas comieron siete vacas sanas.*

What did the dream mean?

### **Jesus Visits Nazareth (Matthew 13: 54-58)**



Everybody in Nazareth had known Jesus all his life. His foster dad was a Carpenter.

His mom was

wonderful Mary who helped everyone and listened to their troubles.

Salió de Nazaret a la edad de 30 y empezó su ministerio de compartir el evangelio del reino de Dios.

When Jesus visited Nazareth as an adult he could not do many miracles because the "hometown" people didn't believe in him

### **Announcements:**

**Registration Sunday** is August 12 and 13. We will begin registering for fall programs., including Children's Liturgy, Disciples Club, Little Disciples, and Sacramental Preparation.

**What to teach? Want to help plan?** Watch for announcements about two planning meetings for fall programs.

### **Anuncios**

Domingo de Registro es el 12 y 13 de Agosto. Empezamos el registro para programas que empiezan en octubre, incluyendo Liturgia de la Palabra, Club de Discípulos, y la Preparación Sacramental.

**Quieres compartir tu fe con los niños?** Dile a Marco Herrera o a Andrea King que quieres ser catequista.

### **Alphabet Soup for**

#### **Students:**

**Babel** is the name of the city where people tried to build a tower right up to Heaven. Many think that **Babylon**, the capital of the Assyrian empire, got its name from Babel.

**Bartholemew** was one of the 12 disciples of Jesus. **Beelzebub** was a Hebrew name for Satan, thought to be a wicked demon of Canaan.

**Benedict** was a saint who believed in work and prayer, or "ora et labora."



# Youth & Young Adult Ministry

**Youth Minister Contact**  
**425-483-9400**  
**Jeannette Mitchell-Green**  
**Joe DiAte**

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Facebook***

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**Young Adults:**  
***Eastside Disciples***  
***Catholic Young Adults.***

## **High School Youth Groups—Soldiers of Christ!**

### **HS Youth/Young Adult:**

- All Young Adults 18-40 are invited to the next Holy Hour, Happy Hour event on August 11, at 7:00 pm at Sacred Heart in Bellevue. We'll begin with an hour of prayer and then head out to the "Islander" for food and fellowship.

### **Middle School**

- See you in the Fall!



## Adult Faith

### **ST. BRENDAN WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB**

If you listen to EWTN Catholic Radio you're familiar with Mother Angelica. The story of this amazing woman has been captured in many books so for the month of July we've decided to ask folks to read any of the many books by and/or about her and then share when **we gather on Monday, July 31st. We meet at 7:00 pm in Brendan House Dining Room at the Parish Office.** Questions? Call Berni at 425-485-4893 or Anneliese at 425-486-4225.



### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Garden Work Party Success!**

Almost 100 parishioners pitched in last Saturday, to clean up the gardens surrounding the church, school and parish offices. The Knights of Columbus was honored to provide home-made brownies, cinnamon rolls and water to this very hard-working crew. The July Knight of the Month award goes to Mike Gray and the Family of the Month award goes to the Greg & Kristen Van Hollebeke Family.

To join the Knights, call  
 Kevin Van Hollebeke, 206-240-0275

### **BECOMING CATHOLIC**

What do Catholics believe? Are they Christian? Do they worship Mary? These are some of the questions people who are not Catholic wonder about. Are you someone wondering about the answers to these questions? Would you like to explore the Catholic Faith or become Catholic yourself? Have you been baptized in the Catholic Faith but never went to formal classes or celebrated your First Communion or Confirmation? If you answered yes to any of these, please consider becoming part of the RCIA process. We will begin meeting on Monday nights in the Fall. For more information or to sign up for RCIA email Pat Ibach at [pati@saintbrendan.org](mailto:pati@saintbrendan.org) or call the office at 425-483-9400 ext.2643.





# Community Involvement & Outreach

## Cursillo Ultreya

Looking for spiritual growth?  
Meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at 8:00 pm in the library.

Contact:

Sam or Melinda Affronte  
(425) 481-5296

Ron Fernandes  
(425) 821-3599  
seattlecursillo.org

## Ultreya en Español

3<sup>er</sup> Sábado del mes de 2-3 pm  
en la Parróquia de San  
Brendan. Más información  
con el Sr. José Blakeley al  
(425) 868-3342.

## YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries  
request the following items:

### DIAPER BAG PROJECT

Diapers (nb or sm),  
disposable wipes

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

toilet paper, shampoo, jam,  
cereal, spaghetti sauce w/meat,  
canned chicken, tomato sauce,  
ranch dressing

### SOS

Large Cans of Coffee

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## PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE EXPECTANT MOTHERS:

Angela Dorsett  
Tessa Hain  
Rachel Mullins

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

## FLOWER DONATIONS ACCEPTED!

We love fresh flowers for our weekend Masses. If you would like to donate pretty flowers from your garden or your favorite store, please bring them to the Sacristy and leave them on the counter by the flower sink. The best time to bring them in is either late Friday or early Saturday morning (before 10:00 am) so that the folks who work on the flowers will be sure they are used for the weekend.



## GREECE: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF PAUL THE APOSTLE

Pilgrimage April 4–14, 2018 w/Fr. Steve Sallis as the Spiritual Director  
The pilgrimage includes a 3-night Greek Islands and Turkey cruise. There will be information meeting on Monday, August 21, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall at Sacred Heart Church, Bellevue. More details are available at <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/810521>. Contact Jeanine Kasprick at 425-454-9536 or [jkasprick@sacredheart.org](mailto:jkasprick@sacredheart.org) with questions or for more information.

## ST. BRENDAN GARDEN WORK PARTY—BIG THANK YOU!

What a great “community-building” event the recent work party was! Fantastic to see so many parishioners working together to improve our church grounds. **Please join us at the next work party on Saturday, August 19, 7:30 am–1:00 pm.** Bring your work gloves and tools to finish up the areas right around the church building and to improve the “curbside appeal” of the church property. We still have a few tools that were left near Brendan House. Any questions, please call Anneliese at 425-770-2103.



## SAVE THE DATE! SEPTEMBER 10 ST. BRENDAN PARISH PICNIC



The next planning meeting for the picnic will be **Monday, July 31st at 7:00 pm in the SOS Room** next to the kitchen at the Church. If you can help, we would love to have you use your talents helping us plan the picnic.

Meeting will end by 8:00 pm. All are welcome! If you have any questions, you can contact Tom Gray at [gwtom@att.net](mailto:gwtom@att.net) or 206-799-0397.

## SAVE THE DATE! SUNDAY, AUGUST 13—APPRECIATION ICE CREAM SOCIAL FOR LINDA HAPTONSTALL

Let's celebrate Linda's 11 years of dedication at St. Brendan with an Ice Cream Social on **Sunday, August 13, from 2:00–4:00 pm in the Church Narthex.** We will provide the vanilla ice cream, chocolate sauce and caramel sauce. You bring a favorite topping! We will have a basket for cards to express appreciation of her hard work and dedication. Hope you can come!



Ice Cream Social



## **THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME**

Weekly Budget Goal \$23,077.00

### **Week of July 17–July 23**

Envelope Offerings \$11,684.68

Online Giving \$854.50

**Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$12,539.18**

**Over/Under Budget -\$10,537.82**

Stewardship of Time 84 hours

### **Year—to—Date July 1 - July 23rd**

YTD Budget Goal \$92,308.00

YTD Sacrificial Giving \$85,334.30

**Over/Under YTD Budget -\$6,973.70**

Stewardship of Time 518 hours

## **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

12 Noon Monday  
(Friday 4:30 pm when  
Monday is a Holiday)

## **ONLINE PARISHIONER REGISTRATION & 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 [www.saintbrendan.org](http://www.saintbrendan.org) and click on the link "Online Registration/New Parishioner" on lower left corner of website and to give online, click on the "Online Giving" link. 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.*

## **ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2017 RESULTS**

Our Annual Catholic Appeal goal: \$138,887.00

Amount of goal reached as of July 3rd \$153,228.00

# of households in parish: 1720

# of participating households 434

% participation 25

**Your gift to the Annual Catholic appeal is still needed!** We have reached our Archdiocesan goal, and we can begin working towards our goal of \$173,000 to restore our stained glass windows. Remember, anything over the Archdiocesan goal comes back to St. Brendan as a rebate. It is not too late to return your pledge envelope, so please fill out a pledge envelope today or go online to donate: [www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate](http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate)

**DID YOU KNOW your Annual Catholic Appeal gift could be doubled?** Many companies **MATCH** gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal! Check if your employer has a **Matching Gift Program** and help us maximize our **REBATE** for our parish project. Once your gift has been paid in full, you can apply for the match per your employer's instructions.

## **SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

"The law of Your mouth is to me more precious than thousands of gold and silver pieces," says the psalmist today. Does the amount of my offering suggest that I could honestly say the same?

