



# Parish Life

## ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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email [bulletin@saintbrendan.org](mailto:bulletin@saintbrendan.org)**

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Blessing of Animals this Thursday October 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm and 9:15 am Saturday October 6<sup>th</sup> at grass outside the Church.
- *Barbecue, Beer and Brothers* this Thursday October 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the Narthex.
- Mass followed by 24 hour Adoration this Friday October 5<sup>th</sup>.
- **Namalaka Night-Sunday October 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus hall**

## ANUNCIOS IMPORTANTES:

- Bendición de Animales este jueves 4 de octubre a las 3:00 pm y el sábado 6 de octubre a las 9:15 am en el pasto afuera de la Iglesia.
- *Parrillada, Cerveza y Hermandad* para hombres mayores de 21 años este jueves 4 de octubre a las 6:30 pm en el nártex.
- 24 horas de Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento este viernes 5 de octubre después de misa de 8:30 am.
- **Noche Namalaka** el siguiente domingo 7 de octubre a las 4:00 pm en el salón de los Caballeros de Colón.

## ST. BRENDAN PARISH

### Parish Office

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

## 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 IV	Adoration Volunteers Needed	Please pray for the sick:
Sunday, September 30 8:00 am Mass ( <i>Dennis Vasquez-Dec.</i> ) 10:00 am Mass ( <i>Frank Rodriguez-Dec.</i> ) 12:00 pm Spanish Mass ( <i>Community of St. Brendan</i> )	26 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Nm 11:25-29 Jas 5:1-6 Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48	At every <b>First Friday Adoration (once a month)</b> , volunteers are needed to be with the Lord at the following hours:	Serena Herrick Fr. Roger O'Brien Ron Ryan Greg Savitsky Sam Mahre James Lockhart Betty Burrell Marilyn Hein Joseph Radermacher Roberta Henning David Weller Jack McGoorty Donna Schelling Marisela Prado Brad Hochanadel
Monday, October 1 8:30 am Mass ( <i>Crisanto Garcia-Dec.</i> )	26 OT Jb 1:6-22 Lk 9:46-50		
Tuesday, October 2 8:30 am NO Mass 10:30am Liturgy @ Chateau	26 OT Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Mt 18:1-5,10	<b>Friday</b> • 2pm - 3pm • 3pm - 4pm • 10pm - 11pm • 11pm - Midnight	
Wednesday, October 3 8:30 am Mass ( <i>Mozelle Epstein-Dec.</i> ) 10:00 am Mass @ <i>Bothell Health Care</i>	26 OT Jb 9:1-12, 14-16 Lk 9:57-62	<b>Saturday</b> • Midnight - 1am • 1am - 2am • 2am - 3am • 3am - 4am • 4am - 5am	
Thursday, October 4 8:30 am Mass ( <i>Michael Berta-Dec.</i> ) 6:00 pm Spanish Mass ( <i>Magdalena Ruelas-Dec.</i> )	26 OT Jb 19:21-27 Lk 10:1-12	For more information, call Christina @ 425.486.3376	<b>and for those who have died:</b> James Moran Carlos Coronado Duenas
Friday, October 5 8:30 am Mass ( <i>Stan Samson-Liv.</i> )	26 OT Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5 Lk 10:13-16		
Saturday, October 6 8:30 am Mass ( <i>Dorothy Hengtgen-Dec.</i> ) 3:00 pm Penance 5:00 pm Vigil Mass ( <i>Isabelle Regala-Dec.</i> )	26 OT Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17 Lk 10:17-24		
Sunday, October 7 8:00 am / 10:00am Mass 12:00 pm Spanish Mass	27 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 2:18-24 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16		

## BIGGEST SISTER PARISH FUN-RAISER OF 2018

**Namalaka Night-Sunday October 7<sup>th</sup> at 4pm at the Knights of Columbus hall**

Dinner and Auction. Malawi trip Slide show.  
Gourmet desserts after a simple supper of chicken and sides, Malawi style!  
Silent auction- Malawi art, collectables.  
Live Auction - Events: Wine tasting, Catered dinner with Fr. Wichert at the rectory, Cindy's Amazing Authentic Italian dinner al fresco, a Mexico vacation package and so much more!  
Tickets on sale after masses and at the door.  
Bring the whole family!!!  
Questions? Call Marie 206-948-5166.



You are also invited to hear the 2018 Malawi Trip report with Fr. Wichert and the delegation on **Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm in the Narthex.**



## Children & Family Ministry Ministerio de Niños y Familias

LIFETIME OF LEARNING & BELONGING

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS (Contact Andrea with questions or to help out.)

Congratulations to the **Baptism** families this week!

**RCIA** for Teens and Children has already started. Come and join us! Beginning this year, teens who do not have their first communion are in RCIA adapted for teens.

**Disciples Club** has started. Come and join the fun! Wednesdays at 6:00 in Narthex.

**Sacramental Preparation** begins in December. Your child **MUST** be in Disciples Club OR St. Brendan Catholic school last year and this year in order to participate.

#### Old Testament THE EARLY ADVENTURES OF ELIJAH

##### 1 Kings chapter 17 & 18

Elijah was a famous prophet in the history of Israel. Jewish people always save a chair for Elijah when they sit down to the Seder celebration. Jesus met with Moses and Elijah at the time of the Transfiguration.

Elijah received God's messages during the reign of the wicked king Ahab. Elijah said that there would be no rain for three years. During that time Elijah went to hide near a wadi, which is a dry ravine. At first there was a little brook but it soon went dry. God sent ravens to bring him food. Elijah moved to Zarephath where a poor widow shared water and bread with him, all that she had. By a miracle God provided food for her and her son. When the son died, Elijah raised him from the dead. For Elijah there were more adventures in store!

#### New Testament JESUS CURSES THE FIG TREE Mark 11: 12-14

Have you ever wondered why Jesus tried to eat a fig from a tree that had no figs? As he and his disciples were walking from Bethany to Jerusalem, Mark tells us that Jesus was hungry. He went over to a fig tree with plenty of leaves but no fruit. Then he cursed the fig tree, saying, "Never again shall anyone eat of your fruit!"

The prophets spoke of a fig tree with no figs to warn the people to return to the true worship of God. Jeremiah 1: 8 "No grapes on the vine, no figs on the fig trees." Ezekiel 18: 24 "All the trees of the field shall know that I the Lord wither up the green tree." Jesus knew all these prophecies. It was Jesus who "fulfilled" Old Testament prophecies during his time on earth.

#### MY FAITH: What Is INFALLIBILITY?

Have you heard of "Papal infallibility?" Does that mean the Pope never makes a mistake? Does it mean he will never forget to set his alarm or call his family members on their birthdays? Our Church passes on the TRUTH of God's word in more than one way. SCRIPTURE reveals God's truth. TRADITION teaches what we learn from Christian experience. INFALLIBILITY means that the Pope—shepherd of Christians—has declared a longstanding doctrine to be true. The Assumption of Mary (1854) and The Immaculate Conception (1950) are the two most famous examples.





# Youth & Young Adult Ministry

**Youth Minister Contact**  
**425-483-9400**  
**Joe DiAte**

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



**"If God can work through me, he can  
work through anyone."  
-St. Francis of Assisi**

**"Si Dios puede obrar a través de mí,  
Él puede obrar a través de  
cualquier persona."  
-San Francisco de Asís**



## Adult Faith

### Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



- Daily Mass readings
- Official NAB(re) version
- Easily bookmark readings to reread at a later time

**Readings**

Learn more or download our parish app at [myparishapp.com](http://myparishapp.com)

*\*Available on Apple and Android Phones.*

### **OCTOBER MONTH OF THE ROSARY**

The rosary will be recited before the Saturday 5:00 pm Mass and the 12:00 noon Mass at the main church; and after 8:00 am Mass at the chapel.

### **OCTUBRE MES DEL ROSARIO**

El rosario será recitado antes de misa de 5:00 pm el sábado y antes de misa de 12:00 el domingo en la iglesia y después de misa de 8:00 am en la capilla.

### **ROSARY CELEBRATION**

**Saturday October 13 AT 3:00 pm**

We are going to recite the rosary (15 decades) in different languages on Saturday October 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm. We are still looking for different languages to lead a decade of the rosary.

Call Christina 425-486-3376 if you want to lead a decade of the rosary in your own language or dialect.



"WE ARE A FRATERNITY UNITED IN CHARITY."



### **KNIGHTS CORNER**

#### **This Month's Challenge - September 2018**

"Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, 'If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.' (Gospel for Sept. 22, Mk. 9:35)

When I was in seminary, I had a roommate who was an early riser. Every morning his loud alarm went off at 5:15, at which point he'd say the same thing: "Gladly, Jesus, gladly!" My comments went in a different direction. Let's be honest. In a selfish, me-first world, it's just as hard to hear Jesus say "the first shall be last" as it was to hear my roommate at 5:15. And yet, my brothers, Jesus calls us to be servants of all; to step out of our comfort zone and say "gladly!" as we go to serve others in our lives. 'Gladly, Jesus, gladly!' Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month I challenge you to become even more like Jesus, the "servant of all," by making an act of charity for someone in your life from whom you have been distant, or whom you have wronged. Secondly, I challenge you to prayerfully reflect on these words from Scripture: "Beloved, if God so loved us, we also must love one another" (1 Jn. 4:11).

#### **OUR UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- Knights are looking at updating the Knights of Columbus announce board and the pictures of Active Military and Active Reserve outside the Father McGill Chapel.
  - o By Veteran's Day we would like to know if current pictures on the board are still serving our country and would like to collect NEW pictures of Current men and women that are protecting Our Great Country. Pictures can be placed in the basket near the board. PRAYER for all our Military
- **NEXT PANCAKE BREAKFAST: OCTOBER 21<sup>st</sup>**  
**BECOME A KNIGHT:** Contact Kevin Van Hollebeke 206-240-0275 for more information.



# Community Involvement & Outreach

## CURSILLO ULTREYA

Looking for spiritual growth?  
Meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at 7:30 pm in the library.

Contact:

Sam or Melinda Affronte  
(425) 481-5296

Ron Fernandes  
(425) 821-3599  
seattlecursillo.org

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## YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries request the following items:

### DIAPER BAG PROJECT

Receiving blankets, infant socks (newborn, 0-3 months)

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

St Vincent de Paul pantry is in need of: tuna, canned fruit, cold cereal, crackers, jelly/jam, chili.

Thank you for your generosity!

### SOS

Spaghetti noodles, Italian & ranch dressings, napkins, 6oz cups for hot beverages, heavy duty lunch plates and plates with 3 compartments (no styrofoam).

## LIFE CHAIN

Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing to pray the rosary, pray for our nation, and pray for an end to abortion.

We will meet near McMenamins next Sunday October 7<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm. We stand along Bothell Everett Hwy with pro life signs for 90 minutes. Please join us! We will provide the signs.



## YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS GROUP

Wednesday, October 10, is the date of our first excursion for this year: **a visit to the Outback Kangaroo Farm in Arlington**. We will be given a tour of the place & learn all about kangaroos, wallabies, & other resident animals. Afterwards, lunch will be at Nutty's Junkyard Grill. What to bring? Comfortable walking shoes, rainwear (if weather requires it), money (\$10 for tour, \$10-20 for lunch, \$\$ for gift shop...and additional \$\$\$\$ for a little joey, if you want one hopping around in your home!)

**Please contact Donna (425-488-1373) by Tues, Oct 9**, to reserve a seat on the church bus. These trips are open to both men & women – our bus driver would love to have some male company! **Meet in the narthex at 9:00 am on Wed., Oct 10.**

## SPIRITUAL ADOPTION BABY SHOWER

October is *Respect Life Month* & our parish Respect Life Committee is having a baby shower the entire month of October to celebrate the births of our spiritually adopted babies whom we have been praying for the past nine months. There will be a play n' pak in the Narthex marked **Spiritual Adoption** in which gifts can be placed. Please bring your unwrapped gifts marked **Spiritual Adoption Program**. All gifts will be donated to *Next Step Pregnancy Services* to help moms in need. Please check the bulletin for items needed or there will be a list on the play n' pak too. Thank you everyone for your prayers for these past nine months.

## ST. BRENDAN GARDENS

Our next all parish work party will be the morning of Saturday, Oct 13<sup>th</sup>. The goals are to finish cleanup of upper parking lot & area west of playground. Weeding & deadheading, as well as planting of bulbs are other opportunities for you to do gardening for God. Call Anneliese 425-770-2103 if you have any questions. Otherwise, just show up the morning of Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> with gloves, tools (leaf blowers, pruners, etc.), and trucks for some community-building and grounds-beautifying time with fellow parishioners! Lunch will be provided.

## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

**Save the date!** October 20<sup>th</sup>, after the 5:00 pm Mass

All new parishioners are invited to attend a welcoming social dinner after the 5:00 pm Mass on Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. We will be having an Oktoberfest meal with bratwursts, spaetzle and salads (Plus quesadillas!). Learn more about our vibrant parish and discover new ways to get involved! Also meet current parishioners, other newcomers and Fr. Wichert too. Letters have been sent, and calls will be made to the newly registered. Hope you can join us! RSVP to your caller or email Joyce Von Feldt at [jyvonfeldt@aol.com](mailto:jyvonfeldt@aol.com).



## COFFEE & DONUTS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

In order to keep the after Mass social continuing, volunteers are needed on the following times: 8:00 am Mass on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month & 10:00 am Mass on the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday. Interested? Contact Elena at 425-486-0451 or Arline at 206-948-4925.

## MISA POR LOS DIFUNTOS EN EL CEMENTERIO CATOLICO HOLYROOD

Venga y acompañenos usted y su Familia, a celebrar la Santa Misa en nuestros Cementerios Católicos. La Misa en Español será celebrada en el Cementerio de Holyrood el próximo Sábado 20 de octubre a las 10:30 am. Acompañenos a pedir por nuestros difuntos, que descansen en Paz. Que Dios los Bendiga.

## ATTENTION ST. BRENDAN PARISHIONERS

A parishioner is requesting a ride to attend 10:00 am Mass one Sunday a month. She lives in the Bothell area, if you are able to help, please call the parish office at 425-483-9400.



## THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

Weekly Budget Goal \$23,321.00

### Week of September 17th - September 23rd

Envelope Offerings \$17,139.00

Online Giving \$2,597.50

**Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$19,736.50**

**Over/Under Budget \$3,584.50**

Stewardship of Time 113.5 hours

### Year-to-Date July 1st - September 23rd

YTD Budget Goal \$303,173.00

YTD Sacrificial Giving \$279,786.63

**Over/Under YTD Budget -\$23,386.37**

Stewardship of Time 1228.5 hours

## **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

12 Noon Monday  
(Friday 4:30pm when  
Monday is a Holiday)  
[bulletin@saintbrendan.org](mailto:bulletin@saintbrendan.org)

## **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.

## 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal

### **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.



St. James warns in today's second reading that those who hoard their wealth and live only for themselves will be condemned. But in the Gospel, Jesus assures us that all who give of themselves for His sake will be rewarded.