ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

10100 NE 192nd Street, Bothell, Washington www.saintbrendan.org / 425-483-9400 *Fr. Nicholas Wichert, Pastor*

SEP 21/22 2019 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Stained Glass Window St. James, Glenleigh Kerry, Ireland (CatholicSaiints.info)

Sunday Eucharist Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:00 and 10:00 am Domingo: 12:00 Noon Misa en Español

Weekday Schedule Mass

Mon, Wed, Thurs., Fri, Sat: 8:30 am Thursday: 6:00 pm Misa en Español

Sacrament of Reconciliation

7:45 am Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri. 7:45 am & 3:00 pm Saturday

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.



Parish Life

ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES:

 There will be <u>No</u> Morning Mass on Friday, September 27 and Saturday, September 28

 No tendremos misa en español el jueves 26 de septiembre a las 6:00 pm.

ST. BRENDAN PARISH 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.

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.

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Worship & Spiritual Life

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Am 8:4-7 Ps 113:1-2.4-8

Am 8:4-7 Tm 2:1-8 Ps 113:1-2,4-8 Lk 16:1-13

Monday, September 23 Ezr 1:1-6 Ps 126:1-6 Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 24 Ezr 6:7-8,12,14-20 Ps 122:1-5 Lk 78:19-21

Wednesday, September 25 Ezr 9:5-9 *Ps 13:2-4,7-8* Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 26 Hg 1:1-8 *Ps* 149:1-6,9 Lk 9:7-9

 Friday, September 27
 (St. Vincent de Paul)

 Hg 2:1-9
 Ps 43:1-4

 Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, September 28 Zec 2:5-9, 14-15 *Ps* 31:10-13 Lk 9:43-45

 SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

 Am 6:1,4-7
 Ps 146:7-10

 Tm 6:11-16
 Lk 16:19-31

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

Sunday, September 22 8:00 am Mass: (Community of St. B) 10:00 am Mass: (+Cleopatra Narag) 12:00 pm Spanish Mass: (Rosario Valdovinos-Liv.)

Monday, September 23 8:30 am Mass: (+Dennis Vasquez)

Tuesday, September 24 (No Mass)

Wednesday. September 25 8:30 am Mass: (+Nena Plantilla)

<u>Thursday, September 26</u> 8:30 am Mass: (*Glecy Quezon-Liv.*) **NO** Spanish Mass

Friday. September 27 No morning Mass

Saturday, September 28 <u>No</u> morning Mass 5:00 pm Mass: (+Tom Long)



Key: +=deceased

Please pray for the sick:

Pilar Alvarez Betty Burrell Wally Capps Catherine Connelly **Rosemary Devlin** Daniela Aimee Escobar Gonzalez Josiah Evans Mikey Gonzalez Mike Hanrahan Janet Lizop Julia Matthewson Paris Molloy Vic Palazzo Jeff Stultz Rosario Valdovinos David Weller

and for those who have died:

Padraic Hanrahan Thea Pavelka Lucas Rodriguez Lopez Ubaldo Romero Sierra Dennis Vasquez

MUSIC CORNER

"Currently, the choirs are singing the proper texts for the Entrance as a prelude, and Communion as a meditation. Here are the texts for this week:

<u>Entrance Antiphon</u>: Ps 37 I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. I will be their Lord for ever.

<u>Communion Antiphon</u>: Jn 20:14 I am the Good Shepherd, says the Lord, alleluia; I know my sheep, and mine know me, alleluia, alleluia."

CELEBRATE THE 102ND ANNIVERSARY MIRACLE AT FATIMA

Sunday, October 13, at 4:00 pm in the Church with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We will recite the four mysteries of the rosary in different languages. If you would like to volunteer to recite in your own dialect, contact Christina Plantilla at 425-486-3376. Please see insert.

Club de Lectura "San José"

Te invita a ser parte de este grupo, con el propósito de orar, compartir y estudiar el libro *de Vida Santa Teresa de Jesús*. Se llevará a cabo cada cuarto sábado de cada mes de 9:15 am a 12:30 pm en la biblioteca de la iglesia. La primera reunión será el día 28 de septiembre a la misma hora.



Children & Family Ministry Ministerio de Niños y Familias

LIFETIME OF LEARNING & BELONGING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Contact Andrea with questions or to help out.)

Children's Faith Formation—**DISCIPLES CLUB**—begins this Wednesday , September 25. <u>HELP NEEDED</u>: 2nd Sunday volunteer for **LITTLE DISCIPLES**.

HELP NEEDED: Teen & Adult volunteers for the NURSERY.

<u>HELP NEEDED</u>: 1 OR 2 people to cook lunch for monthly **BAPTISMAL PREPARATION**.

Old Testament

MORE STORIES FROM MACCABEES

2 Maccabees chapters 10-15

Time went on and the people of Jerusalem had many wars to fight. They wisely went to the Lord in prayer. sprinkling ashes on their foreheads and dressing themselves in the most uncomfortable clothing. Once there came out of the sky five men riding on horses with golden bridles. (2 Mac. 10: 29-30) They shielded Maccabeus with their own armor to keep him from being wounded. The enemies were blinded by the sight and they scattered here and there. The 2nd book of the Maccabees ends with the people having defeated their enemies and again being able to offer sacrifices in the Temple. The author of the book writes. "If it is well written and to the point, that is what I wanted. If poorly done, that is the best I could do...Let this, then, be the end."

New Testament

THE MUSTARD SEED, THE YEAST, AND THE NARROW DOOR

Luke 13: 18-30

Jesus had many ways of explaining the Kingdom of God. We think of the Kingdom of God not as a physical place here on earth. We think of God's Kingdom as the power of God's love active in our lives and in our world.

Jesus told us about a mustard seed, such a tiny seed that you can barely see it. But it grows into a great plant and the birds fly to it for shelter.

Or the Kingdom of God is like yeast which when mixed with flour will rise and grow.

Jesus urges us to go through the narrow door into the Kingdom. What do these parables mean? We hear these parables and we think of how small our faith is, but how grand and beautiful God can make the world out of the faith that we have.

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MY FAITH

Called to Holiness

We are all called to holiness. We are all called to be holy. St. Peter wrote, "But as he which has called you is holy, so you should also be holy in your conversation."

How can we be holy in our conversation?

- Being respectful
- Not saying bad
 words
- Not complaining when it's better to cooperate
- Saying good things about people
- Talking about good topics.

BIBLE BOOKS

ECCLESIASTES is a book by a man who studied life carefully. He found that many of the things we do have no meaning unless we use all our actions to love God and follow his commandments.



Youth & Young Adult Ministry

Youth Minister Contact 425–483-9400 youthminister@saintbrendan.org Margaret Deleon

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CONFIRMATION

• The first day of Confirmation will be on September 30th in the St. Brendan School Library. This is a **mandatory meeting for parents** so that Margaret can collect paperwork and answer any questions regarding this year's class.

 Don't forget to email Margaret with the name and age of your child that will be attending Confirmation this year. They need to be 13 years old by May, 2020 to be eligible.



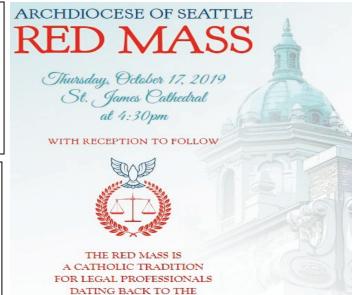
adult Faith

SIPPIN SOUL SISTERS

Are you a woman looking for fellowship with other Catholic women? Join the Sippin' Soul Sisters! **We will meet again after a summer hiatus on Saturday, September 28, following the 5:00 pm Mass.** All women age 21 and older are invited! Fr. Wichert will begin our session in prayer. See the bulletin insert for more details.

CORNERSTONE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE October 18 & 19 Greater Tacoma Convention

Inspiring speakers, helpful workshops and many opportunities to grow in fellowship with Catholics from across the state of Washington. All Catholics are encouraged to visit the WSCC website,
WACatholics.org to learn more about Cornerstone and to sign up to stay connected.
The Cornerstone Catholic Conference strives to inspire and inform Catholics and others to continue working together to protect human life:
the unborn, individuals who live in poverty or on the margins of society and people at the end of life.



Red Mass invokes God's blessing and guidance for lawyers, judges, and other members of the legal and legislative communities. If you are a legal professional, we invite you, your family, and your colleagues to join the Archdiocese of Seattle and distinguished guests in carrying on this beautiful tradition by participating in the 2019 Red Mass. People of all faiths are invited to RSVP by October 3 to www.seattlearchdiocese.org/redmass. For questions, email redmass@seattlearch.org

13TH CENTURY.

Community Involvement & Outreach

CURSILLO ULTREYA

Looking for spiritual growth? Meet the 2nd 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

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach Ministries request the following items:

DIAPER BAG PROJECT Onesies (Newborn, 0-3 months)

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

spaghetti sauce, alfredo sauce, ranch dressing, canned meat, peanut butter, saltine crackers, bar soap, detergent, shampoo

SOS

Large canned peaches, Large canned pineapples & fruit cocktail

Thank you for your generosity!

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Join us! We meet the 3rd Thursday of the month in the SOS Room at 7:00 pm. We are planning some exciting things and we would love to have you join us! 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

KNIGHTS CORNER

- Congratulations to David Castillo, Manuel Castillo and Wayne Gram for completing their 2nd and 3rd degree as a Knight last Saturday, Sept. 14.
- KofC Blood Drive is quickly approaching! Tuesday, October 15, 12:30– 6:30 pm in the Church Narthex. Bloodworks NW takes pride in keeping our blood local. We help support over 90 local hospitals and we continue to grow. We turn to you, our amazing donors to ensure the needs of all our hospitals and patients are met. To book an appointment, contact Glenn Podany at Glenn.Podany@KOFC.org or 206-276-8035. The goal is to have 50 donors at this event. Please help us in reaching this goal and saving lives! Each unit of blood collected has the potential to be transfused into 3 different patients.

Want to become a Knight? Your next opportunity will be September 25, at 7:00 pm. Contact Justin P. Garvey Council 6686 Direct Line at 425-273-7119.

The Eastside Deanery Pastoral Care Ministry has had a <u>new phone number</u> since August 1^{st} . The old number will be taken out of service on September 30^{th} . Old number – 206-748-1500 NEW NUMBER – 425-655-3200

• As a reminder, this Ministry is there to provide pastoral care for all Catholics living within the boundaries of the Eastside Deanery. When Anointing of the Sick (including when the Rites for the Dying are needed) or Reconciliation ("Confession") is needed, the on-call Priest will be sent. All other pastoral care needs will be handled by the on-call Lay Minister.

• For hospitals which do not maintain a 24/7 Chaplaincy response, we regret that, due to the limited number of people supporting this Ministry, we are not able to respond to requests for pastoral care for patients who are not Catholic.

• If requests for material assistance are received, the caller will be referred to either the Crisis Hotline or to the St. Vincent de Paul help line.

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Please pray for these expectant mothers: *Gemma Bywater, Beth Ford, Kristina Gervais, Hillary, Allie Mazur, Rachel Mullins, Kristina Pomada Farrell, & Beth Zimmerman.* We pray that you have a healthy pregnancy and a safe delivery of your baby. **Congratulations to these new parents**: Eric & *Rebecca Sather, baby girl, Violet; Rachel & Jeremy Johnson, baby girl, Ella* (Please keep Ella in your prayers); *Jeffrey & Tabitha Sierra, baby boy, Christian; Bridget & Joe Smith, baby girl, Mary.* We thank God for these little ones and ask God 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, call Mary Hradec at 425-275-1896.

ST. BRENDAN GARDENS

Please join us on the morning of Saturday, **September 28** for fall cleanup and prep for the upcoming holidays. Things that need to be done are weeding of gardens, gravel beds, parking lot, etc. cleanup of the east side of the building, pressure washing of the sidewalk on the east side, pruning, edging, etc. Bring your necessary tools. If any questions, call Anneliese at 425-770-2103.



Parish administration & Stewardship

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\$17,319.74

1004 hours

THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

\$23,321.

Week of September 9th–September 15th

Envelope Offerings	\$16,401.50
Electronic Funds Transfer (September)	\$8,238.34
Online Giving	<u>\$4,548.00</u>
Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving	\$29,187.84
Over/Under Budget	\$5,866.84
Stewardship of Time	138 hours

<u>Year-to-Date July 1st - September 15th</u>	
YTD Budget Goal	\$256,531.00
YTD Sacrificial Giving	\$239,211.26

Over/Under YTD Budget Stewardship of Time

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

CALLED TO SERVE AS CHRIST CAMPAIGN

Why are we making changes to the priest pension plan funding model?

Over the years the Archdiocese has taken many steps to improve the funded status of the priest pension plans:

- Increased the amount from the Annual Catholic Appeal to the plans to \$1.6 million per year
- Increased billings to the parish contribution of the plan \$600 per year • since 2008
- Raised the benefit eligibility age from 65 to 70 .
- Full benefit vesting age increased from 25 to 30 years, depending on date • of birth
- Eliminated 3% extended service benefit

Despite these efforts, it was not enough to provide a sustainable path for the future. Based on independent actuarial studies, we know if we continue the pay-as-you-go approach, amounts billed to our parishes will continue to increase for the foreseeable future. A much better approach is to properly fund the plans with adequate capital so present and future generations of priests will have a secure retirement plan and the burden on our parishes will be reduced.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

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



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