ST. BRENDAN Catholic Parish

10100 NE 192nd Street Bothell, Washington www.saintbrendan.org

Rev. James Northrop, Pastor

December 31st 2016 & January 1st 2017

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 Saturday 3:00 pm or by appointment

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

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ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 425-483-9400

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Important Announcements:

ST. BRENDAN PARISH Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-noon; 1:00-4:30 pm Phone: (425) 483-9400 Fax: (425) 486-9735 Address: 10051 NE 195th Street Bothell, WA 98011-2931

School Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:00-4:00 pm 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 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.

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Worship & Spiritual Life



Week of January 8, 2017	Readings I	
Sunday, January 8 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Spanish Mass	EPIPHANY OF THE LORD Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a Mt 2:1-12	Please pray for the sick: Judy Atkinson Barbara Bell Lillian Blanks
Monday, January 9 8:30 am Mass	Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Mt 3:13-17	Lou & Estelle Christenson Jose & Reny Degama Erika Ferreri
Tuesday, January 10 10:30 am Liturgy of Word @ Chateau	1 OT Heb 2:5-12 Mk 1:21-28	Louise Ford Kathleen Foudray Serena Herrick
Wednesday, January 11 8:30 am Mass	1 OT Heb 2:14-18 Mk 1:29-39	Marilyn Hein Joyce Kostelecky Bob Martinson
Thursday, January 12 8:30 am Mass 6:00 pm Spanish Mass	1 OT Heb 7-14 Mk 1:40-45	Jerry Mitchell Bill Paulson Greg Savitsky
Friday, January 13 8:30 am Mass	1 OT Heb 4:1-5, 11 Mk 2:1-12	Dave Syson Mary Winter Doug Woods
Saturday, January 14 8:30 am Mass 3:00 pm Penance 5:00 pm Vigil Mass	1 OT Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17	**************************************
Sunday, January 15 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Spanish Mass	2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Is 49:3, 5-6 Cor 1:1-3 Jn 1:29-34	Casandra Castillo Laura Diego Margarita Elias Don Strange Jae Choon Yoon

REPORT FROM FR. PAUL NKOLOMBIDZO, One of our friends in Blantyre, Malawi, 6 hours from Sister Parish Namalaka. "On Christmas, I went back to my home village to be with relatives. What I noticed was that this year's Christmas celebrations in the village were a rare sight. Usually the whole village celebrates with a communal meal, songs, drums and traditional dances. The hunger situation in the country has left little to celebrate. The figure the government has released is that 6.7 million are in need of food aid. Malawi is facing food shortages because the harvest of the previous two growing seasons were very poor due to devastating floods of 2015 and drought of 2016. I worked with three village heads to identify the ultra poor. Initially, I budgeted to reach out to 50 people with each one getting a 50kg bag of corn which can feed a family of 5 people for one month. However, on the actual day of distributing the food, the number doubled. Some elderly people and orphans just turned up although they were not registered. It was difficult to turn them away. So I began giving out 25kg of corn that benefited 100 people. I just wish you saw how grateful they were. There was dancing, singing and clapping of hands." (This story is about a village similar to Namalaka. The situation is much the same at our sister parish.) We have sent \$1800. from the giving tree to the school at St. Joseph, Namalaka to help feed the children who number more than 2,000. It costs about \$200. a day. *mhedden40@hotmail.com*



Children & Family Ministry Ministerio de Niños y Familias

LIFETIME OF LEARNING & BELONGING

Happy Epiphany

January 6 is the traditional date for Celebrating when the three kings Came with gifts to visit Baby Jesus. Here is where you Can find the story in the Bible.

VISIT of the MAGI Matthew 2: 1-15

What kind of trick did King Herod try to play on the Magi from the east? How did they know not to see him again?

THE FALL Genesis 3: 1-24

Adam and Eve had to leave the Garden of Eden because they disobeyed God. What might they have done differently? What would you have done in the same situation? As you read this story, remember that we cannot be GOOD without God's help.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

The Liturgy of the Hours is based on the Psalms. People who worship together on a daily basis often pray together at Certain times of day.

The Liturgy of the Hours is also called the Divine Office. If you go to this website you can learn more about this ancient prayer.

http://divineoffice.org/



St. Brendan Catholic Church

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This Week January 8—14:

Disciples Club and

Sacramental Preparation

Disciples Club in the Narthex. Sacramental Preparation in the Nave 6:00-7:30 pm

Jn Sacramental

Preparation We will be preparing for First Reconciliation which occurs on January 28

Announcements:

Vacation Bible Camp 2017

Will be MIGHTY FOR-TRESS. We begin our planning in January. Save the dates: July 10-14.

Requests for Help:

Children's Liturgy needs new assistants & leaders, especially for 3rd Sunday at 10:00 am

Questions:

Does the Bible tell us the number of Wise Men? What else are Wise Men called?

Youth & Young Adult Ministry

***************************** Youth Minister Contact 425-483-9400 High School Youth Groups—Soldiers of Christ! Jeannette Mitchell-Green HS Youth -- We meet tonight (Sunday), January 8th in Lower Brendan Joe DiAte $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$ House at 7:00 pm. Donations for new or gently used furniture would be greatly appreciated as we update Lower Brendan House. Contact Joe. Follow us on ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ Confirmation meets this Monday, January 9th. Confirmation retreat Facebook in the St. Brendan School Gym Jan. 13-14th. This will not be an overnight stay. For those who haven't turned in their baptism certificate or sponsor /Saintbrendanlifeteen info., please get that to Joe ASAP. Middle Schoolers: Young Adults: Our December Service projects were a big success! We make dozens of Eastside Disciples cards for local senior citizens and delivered 10 handmade blankets to ****** Catholic Young Adults. Children's Hospital in Seattle! Youth Group will meet next Wednesday, January 11th at 6:00 pm. • Mark your calendars and get excited - the Archdiocese of Seattle Junior • High Rally is March 11th at Forest Ridge School in Bellevue! More details and registration coming soon! So. Much. Fun.



Adult Faith

ST. BRENDAN WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Happy New Year! This month's book was gifted to each family who attended Christmas Masses at St. Brendan. Entitled **Resisting Happiness** by Matthew Kelley. It is a true story about how we can overcome fears to become our true selves..which is what God wants us to be...Happy! Come join us as we discuss this short, dynamic



book. We will meet Monday, January 30, at 7:00 pm in Brendan House Dining Room. Questions? Call Berni at 425-485-4893 or

Anneliese at 425-486-4225.

Knights Corner

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If Russell Wilson showed up at practice only once a week, played catch, watched a couple minutes of game film, talked with Coach Carroll and then headed home 60 minutes later (70 minutes if Coach Carroll's talk ran long), you wouldn't expect much improvement in his quality of play. Your faith journey is sort of like football; you must put in the practice time. If you are ready to take that next step in your faith journey, join the 180 men of St. Brendan Parish, who are members of the Knights of Columbus. We get a lot done and have a good time doing it.

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

MEN'S SILENT LENTEN RETREAT Led by Fr. Jim Northrop March 24–26, 2017 The Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at the Palisades \$205 per person/Private room & bath Register today: http://palisadesretreatcenter.org/retreat-details

Community Involvement & Outreach

Cursillo Ultreya

Looking for spiritual growth? Meet the 2nd 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^{er} Sábado del mes de 2-3 pm en la Parróquia de San Brendan.M ás 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

ground coffee, mayo, mustard, shampoo

SOS

Canned fruit (gallon & quart size) zip-lock Freezer bags

ST. BRENDAN LIGHT OF CHRIST PRAYER GROUP

Meets every Wednesday, 7:30– 9:00 pm in Church

 Healing Ministry every Third Wednesday of the month Questions/Contacts: msmeby18@gmail.com

MARCH FOR LIFE! Monday, January 23, 2017

Please join us in defending human life! We will have a bus take us to Olympia for this annual event. It is a powerful, positive, prayerful public witness honoring the value of human life from conception to natural death. We listen to speakers and express our support of laws defending LIFE to our legislators. The bus is \$20 per person. We depart from St. Brendan after the 8:30 morning Mass, and we return around 3:00 pm. Bring a sack lunch. We hope you can join us! Questions? Contact <u>patricia.ullman@frontier.com</u>.



Rachel's Corner Hope and Healing After Abortion Come on a Rachel's Vineyard[™] Retreat March 10-12, 2017 Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

2017 PUBLIC PROFESSION OF THE VOW OF NONVIOLENCE St. Joseph Catholic Church, Seattle Saturday, January 14, 5:00 pm Mass

In his 2017 World Day of Peace message, Pope Francis reminds us that "to be true followers of Jesus today includes embracing his teaching about nonviolence." In this light, Pax Christi Central Seattle invites all to participate in a public profession of the Vow of Nonviolence. You are encouraged to either renew your vow or take it for the first time. St. Joseph Pastor, Fr. John Whitney and Bishop Eusebio Elizondo will preside and receive our vows. Background information on the vow can be found at www.paxchristiusa.org. For more details on the upcoming vow, please contact Rodney at rodney.brunelle@gmail.com or call 425-485-7030 or Deacon Denny Duffell at duffelldennis@gmail.com

ST. BRENDAN SCHOOL NEWS

St. Brendan School–50th Anniversary Celebration

St. Brendan School is excited to celebrate our 50th anniversary this year! Save the dates:

- Friday, March 10, 7–9pm Wine & Cheese Social/Gym
- Saturday, March 11, 2–4:45pm Open House/Gym (view of photos and memorabilia/tour of the school)

St. Brendan Alumni—we are looking for memorabilia and photos to share at our 50th Anniversary Celebration. If you have items that you can lend to the school for this event, please contact Christen Lambert at christenl@school.saintbrendan.org

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Parish Administration & Stewardship



THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME BULLETIN DEADLINE \$69.231.00 3 Week Budget Goal 3 Weeks of December 12–January 1 **Envelope Offerings** \$46,206.00 Christmas \$9,090.58 Electronic Funds Transfers (December) \$15.338.11 **Online Giving** \$11,832.98 **Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving** \$82,467.67 Over/Under 3 Week Budget \$13,236.67 Stewardship of Time 296 hours Year-to-Date July 1 - January 1 give. Please visit YTD Budget Goal \$623.079.00 **YTD Sacrificial Giving** \$606,572.33 and click on the Over/Under YTD Budget -\$16,506.67 Stewardship of Time 2890.5 hours venient, and easy.

EPIPHANY

Today we remember the three wise men from the East who came to pay homage to the infant Jesus, bringing Him rich gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. The gifts we bringour time, service and some share of what we earn for the work we do-are equally precious in His sight.



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

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is offered as an additional way to www.saintbrendan.org "Online Giving" link. It's quick, secure, con-Your support during the summer helps sustain our parish.



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