



# Parish Life

## ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES:

### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION & MAY CROWNING

*Saturday, May 4, will be the start of the First Saturday Devotion led by Fr. Wichert. 7:40 am with Rosary and Meditation during the Adoration Hours before the 8:30 am Mass. After Mass, Mary's Crowning at the Garden. God Bless Us All!*

*\*There will be No 7:45 am Confession during the 1st Saturday Devotion.*

## ST. BRENDAN PARISH

### Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 9:15am-noon; 1:00-4:30pm  
Phone: (425) 483-9400  
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Bothell, WA 98011-2931

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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 Comunion en casa, por favor contacte la Oficina de la Parroquia.*



# Worship & Spiritual Life

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 28, 2019

### SUNDAY, APRIL 28 DIVINE MERCY

Acts 5:12-16 Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24  
Rv 1:9-11, 12-13 Jn 20:19-31

Monday, April 29

Acts 4:23-31 Ps 2:1-9  
Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday, April 30

Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1-2, 5  
Jn 3:7-15

Wednesday, May 1 (St. Joseph the Worker)

Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-9  
Jn 3:16-21

Thursday, May 2

Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20  
Jn 3:31-36

Friday, May 3 (St. Philip & James)

Cor 15:1-8 Ps 19:2-5  
Jn 14:6-14

Saturday, May 4

Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19  
Jn 6:16-21

### SUNDAY, MAY 5 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 5:27-32, 40-41 Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13  
Rv 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-19

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 28, 2019

Sunday, April 28—Divine Mercy

8:00 am Mass: (Community of St. B)  
10:00 am Mass: +*Mariam Abraham*)  
12:00 pm Misa en Español:  
(+*Sara Sanchez Giles*)

2:00 pm Confessions  
3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet  
3:20 pm Benediction

Monday, April 29

8:30 am Mass: (+*Tracy Kastner*)

Tuesday, April 30

(No Mass)

Wednesday, May 1

8:30 am Mass: (+*Anastacio Aguilar*)

Thursday, May 2

8:30 am Mass: (+*Myrna Locsin*)  
6:00 pm Mass: (*Rigoberto Aragón*)

Friday, May 3

8:30 am Mass:  
(+*Margaret & Joseph Harkins*)

Saturday, May 4

8:30 am Mass: (*Tony Partington*)  
5:00 pm Mass: (*Jesús Canpero*)

Key: +=deceased

## Please pray for the sick:

Pilar Alvarez  
Lucila Avila Bustos  
Naty Batista  
Bill & Barbara Bell  
Betty Burrell  
Alberta Paula Cazales Torres  
Jerry Cline  
Josiah Evans  
April Frostad  
Marion Gendron  
Daniela Aimee Escobar Gonzalez  
Norberto Guizar Sanchez  
Serena Herrick  
José Alonso Lopez Medina  
Francisco Lopez Marin  
Paris Molloy  
Patricia Morfin  
Fr. Roger O'Brien  
Vic Palazzo  
Ron Ryan  
Greg Savitsky  
Jeff Stultz  
David Weller

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## and for those who have died:

Bernie Ackerman  
Brian McDevitt  
Dennis Winters

## PRAYER FOR LIFE—SPIRITUAL ADOPTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN

The Spiritual Adoption of Unborn Children has three goals:

- 1) To encourage parishioners to pray daily over 9 months for unborn children and women facing a crisis pregnancy and considering an abortion.
- 2) To educate parishioners about the development of their "adopted" unborn child through announcements describing fetal development.
- 3) To celebrate the birth of the "adopted children" with a baby shower at the end of 9 months at which gifts will be collected and donated to mothers in our area in need.

This program was developed by the Pro-Life Office of the Diocese of Camden, NJ and included in the Respect Life Month materials produced by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops and U.S. Catholic Conference in 1990-91'. Our Respect Life Committee here at St. Brendan posts specific information on the fetal development of our "spiritual adopted children" in the kiosk in the Narthex. Please check out the beautiful picture each month. Thank you all who are praying each day for these precious little ones.



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**(Contact Andrea with questions or to help out.)**

**First Communion Preparation for Children:** April 29, May 6, 13

**Thanks** to all who helped with the Easter Vigil. **Congratulations** to our new Catholics!

Want to help with **decorations for Vacation Bible Camp?**—ATHENS—(Dates July 8-12)

### **Old Testament**

#### **JUDITH IS CAPTURED**

##### **Judith 9: 1–10: 17**

Judith did not want the people of Jerusalem to give up hope of rescuing the city from the army of Holofernes. Also, she did not want the leaders to give God a deadline. (They had said they would pray for 5 days more for a miracle and after that they would surrender.) Instead, Judith insisted that their God had a “strong arm” that would save them. Putting actions to her words, she prepared to go straight out to the enemy trusting in the power of God. But before she took any action she dressed herself in sack cloth, which is like burlap and very uncomfortable, and she prayed for God to save them. She then bathed and dressed. She began to carry out the plans that God had shown her in prayer. Judith ordered that the city gates should be opened. She and her maid went out in plain sight of the enemy. They were captured right away. She pretended that she was escaping to help the enemy.

### **New Testament**

#### **JESUS CHOOSES 12 DISCIPLES**

##### **Luke 6: 12-16**

Before Jesus chose his 12 disciples, who would one day be the apostles, he spent the night in prayer. Here are the disciples of Jesus as they are listed in the Gospel of Luke:

Simon (renamed Peter)

Andrew

James

John

Philip

Bartholomew

Matthew

Thomas

James son of Alphaeus

Simon the Zealot

Judas son of James

Judas Iscariot

12 very different people who changed the world.

## **MY FAITH**

### **What is a prayer of PRAISE?**

Has anyone praised you for something you do well? Singing? Swimming? Reading? Caring for family members? It feels really good to be praised. And it feels good to praise God. God never gets tired of our prayers. Our Father loves our prayers of praise for his:

Goodness, mercy, kindness, faithfulness, power, authority. God is creator, savior, friend, father, author of life.

## **BIBLE BOOKS**

**The First Book of Chronicles starts with Adam and Eve and other histories told in greater detail earlier in the Bible. This story of the Hebrew people takes us through the institution of kings and the death of King David.**



# Youth & Young Adult Ministry

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425-483-9400  
youthminister@saintbrendan.org  
Margaret Deleon

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## YOUTH GROUP

2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:00–8:00 pm in Lower Brendan House.

## CONFIRMATION

Confirmation Mass Rehearsal is May 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 pm.  
Please make sure your sponsors are present.



# Adult Faith

## RCIA—WELCOME TO THE NEWEST MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY OF ST. BRENDAN

The community of St. Brendan Church welcomes those who were received into full communion with the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil through the sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Communion. They are *Eve Featherston, Nora Gilotti, Octavian Hornoiu, Shannon Hornoiu, David Prince, Nancy Rickerson, Tom Rucker and Micah Tutt*. We also celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation with *Marianna Guitron, Luis Guitron, Danielle Teifke, Randy Flores, Marcos Bernal, Rosa Osorio and Andrea Simental*. Please keep all these new members in your prayers.

## RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Please pray for these expectant mothers: *Tabitha Carlton, Amy Davis, Hillary, Rachel Johnson, Allie Mazur, Rebecca Sather and Jamie Valliant*. We pray as you carry your baby that you will have a healthy pregnancy and a safe delivery for your baby. **Congratulations to Erin and Paul Dellino on the birth of their baby boy, Jacob.** We ask God to bless you and give you much joy as you raise your little one. If you are expecting a baby and would like your parish family to pray for you, please call Mary Hradec at 425-275-1896.

## ST. BRENDAN WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

At last A "Who-Dun-It! William Kent Krueger's Ordinary Grace is written through the eyes of a young Minnesota boy coming of age in 1961. Through the antics of him and his younger brother, Ordinary Grace is shown time and time again. This is sweetness, there is murder, there is family. I think we'll all enjoy this one. **Come discuss this page-turner on Monday, April 29 at 7:00 pm in the Brendan House Dining Room.** Questions? Call Berni at 425-485-4893 or Anneliese at 425-486-4225.

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

Are you a volunteer or would like to volunteer at our wonderful parish? You are invited to our next Safe Environment class that will take place on **Saturday, May 4, from 9:00 am–12:00 pm in the Narthex.** Please register at [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org) and call the Parish Office at 425-383-9400 if you have any questions.





# 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  
seattlekursillo.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

St Vincent de Paul pantry is in  
need of: canned fruit, canned  
chicken, mayonnaise,  
mustard, shampoo, tooth  
brushes, diapers sizes 2-5.

### SOS

Catalina dressing, lasagna  
noodles, jars of spaghetti  
sauce

Thank you for your  
generosity!

## KNIGHTS CORNER

- KofC Pancake Breakfast is this Sunday, April 28 after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am Masses in the St. Brendan School Gym.
- **KofC Blood Drive will be Tuesday, May 14, in St. Brendan Narthex from noon to 6:00 pm.** You will be able to sign up at the pancake breakfast. Be a hero—your donation can help save lives. For more information, contact Glenn Podany at Glenn.Podany@KOFc.org
- **KofC Gala Auction & Dinner Sunday, May 19.** Price of the tickets are \$30 each. Doors open at 4:00 pm with dinner at 5:30 pm. Purchase your tickets after all Masses. *Want to become a Knight? Questions about the Auction? Contact Kevin Van Hollebeke at 206-240-0275.*



## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS! SAVE THE DATE! SATURDAY, MAY 4 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, May 4. We will be having a Cuatro de Mayo dinner with sopes, salads and desserts (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. If you were invited in the past but couldn't come, know that you are always welcome. Hope you can join us. RSVP to your caller or email Joyce VonFeldt at jyvonfeldt@aol.com

## CINCO DE MAYO FOOD SALE

The Hispanic community will be selling food after the 10:00 am and 12:00 pm Masses on Sunday, May 5th. Come enjoy some delicious birria (a blend of chilies and spices simmered with beef stew meat) with rice, and beans. All proceeds go towards our Church.

## ST. BRENDAN FESTIVAL OF FLAVORS FOR PENTECOST Saturday, June 1st at 6:00 pm in the School Gym

All parishioners are invited to share our diverse cultures and backgrounds through a free fun evening of food and festivities! Questions or to contribute and serve your favorite dish call Marian Kinsey at 206-715-3168.

## Venga y acompañenos usted y su Familia, a celebrar la Santa Misa en nuestros Cementerios Catolicos.

La Misa en Espanol sera celebrada en el **Cementerio de Holyrood** el proximo **Sabado 18 de mayo a las 10.30 AM.**

## WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO OUR PARISH

Jose Duran & Estefany Calderon, Mark & Sarah Menig, Arlen Rojas & David Jimenez, Doris & David Svanevik



# Parish Administration & Stewardship

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

Weekly Budget Goal \$46,642.00

### **Week of April 8th – April 21st**

Envelope Offerings April 14th \$20,205.50

Online Giving \$3,612.50

Electronic Funds Transfer (April) \$10,098.18

Envelope Offerings – Easter Sunday \$22,265.00

Online Giving \$5,333.00

**Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$61,514.18**

**Over/Under Budget \$14,872.18**

Stewardship of Time 223 hours

### **Year-to-Date July 1st - April 21st**

YTD Budget Goal \$1,002,803.00

YTD Sacrificial Giving \$1,032,122.64

**Over/Under YTD Budget \$29,319.64**

Stewardship of Time 4049 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.*

## **ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2019**

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 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal over the next four weeks. Some of you have already made your donation, and we thank you!

## **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY)**

"Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed," Jesus says in today's Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then, in our time too, "men and women in great numbers" will be "added to the Lord."

## **MALAWI MOMENT**

"On behalf of St. Joseph, Namalaka Parish, allow me to wish you our dear friends at St. Brendan Parish a "Happy Easter" We are praying for you that the Risen Christ guides us in all our efforts and increase our faith, hope and love. We are having Easter Triduum liturgies in our 3 centers: Namalaka, Lugola and Lungwena. Two assisting priests are with us. We thank God for them. Thanking you always for your prayers. Happy Easter"

