

Parish Life

ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES:

- Wednesday, March 27 Lent Class—Bishop Barron's: The Revelation of God become man
- Monday, March 25, Feast of Annunciation—those who are renewing or first time doing consecration according to St Louis de Montfort. After the 8:30 am Mass we will gather at the Our Lady of Guadalupe chapel and recite Our consecration and the Rosary.
 - Adoration Volunteers Needed (once a month) at the following hours: Friday, 3-4 pm & 11-12 pm Saturday, 1am-2am, 2am-3am

For more information, call Christina at 425-486-3376.

ST. BRENDAN PARISH Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 9:15am-noon; 1:00-4:30pm

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Address: 10051 NE 195th Street Bothell, WA 98011-2931

School Office

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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 FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 24, 2019

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Monday, March 25 (Annunciation of the Lord)

Tuesday, March 26

Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 27

Thursday, March 28

Jer 7:23-28 Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

Lk 11:14-23

Friday, March 29

Mk 12:28-34

Saturday, March 30

Hos 6:1-6 Ps 51:3-4, 18-21

Lk 18:9-14

SUNDAY, MARCH 31 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 24, 2019

Sunday, March 24

8:00 am Mass:

(Community of St. Brendan) 10:00 am Mass: (+Mariam Abraham)

12:00 pm Mass: (+Samuel)

Monday, March 25

8:30 am Mass:

(+Rafael Becerra Medina)

Tuesday, March 26

(No Mass)

Wednesday, March 27

8:30 am Mass: (Harry Mathewson)

Thursday, March 28

8:30 am Mass: (Alan Gutierrez Torres)

6:00 pm Mass: (+Renee Tovar)

Friday, March 29

8:30 am Mass: (+Stephen Jay Ames)

5:30 pm Soup/Stations

Saturday, March 30

8:30 am Mass: (Peggy Staley) 5:00 pm Mass: (+Peggy Ross)

Key: +=deceased

Please pray for the sick:

Pilar Alvarez

Bill & Barbara Bell

Betty Burrell

Abigail Cantrell

Joel Cantrell

April Frostad

Daniela Aimee Escobar Gonzelez

Roberta Henning

Serena Herrick

Sam Mahre

Etel Mena

Paris Molloy

Fr. Roger O'Brien

Vic Palazzo

Tony Partington

Irene Pritchett

Martha Romero

Ron Ryan

Greg Savitsky

areg carriery

David Weller

and for those who have died:

Diane Abraham

James Averweg

Ernie Babati

Arthur McIntyre

MUSIC CORNER

"During the Lent, the choirs will be singing the proper texts for the Entrance as the processional song, and Communion as a meditation. Here are the texts for this week:

Entrance Antiphon: Psalm 25:15-16 My eyes are always on the Lord.

<u>Communion Antiphon</u>: Psalm 84:5 Blessed are they who dwell in your house, forever singing your praise."

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION—SECOND MONTH

"I dancing!" The baby is making rapid progress developing all her external and internal organs. During the second month baby teeth form and her fingers and toes are developing. Ears, nose, lips and tongue can now be clearly seen. Even her brainwaves can now be recorded. The skeleton changes from cartilage to bone. The central nervous system is now functioning and so forty muscle sets begin their first exercises. By 8 weeks all body systems are present and the baby is called a "fetus" a Latin word meaning "little one" or "young one" Ultrasound reveals that this little one can now spring and jump her first dance steps. Please stop by the kiosk in the Narthex to see the beautiful picture of a two-month old developing baby.



Children & Family Ministry Ministerio de Niños y Familias

LIFETIME OF LEARNING & BELONGING

St. Brendan Catholic Church

10051 NE 195th St. Bothell, WA 98011 425.205.2648

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Contact Andrea with questions or to help out.)

First Communion Preparation for Children: March 25, April 1, 8, 29, May 6, 13

St. Brendan Festival of Flavors June 1 Can you help plan? Can you bring a dish?

Help us with laundry (launder baptismal robes & towels) after the Easter Vigil.

Old Testament

AZARIAH'S SECRET

Tobit chapters 12 & 13

After Tobiah and Sarah married, they were anxious to return to Tobiah's home in Ninevah where his parents had waited a long time with no word from their son or his traveling companion Azariah. Imagine how happy his mother felt when she saw them walking down the road toward home. She waked Tobit, saying, "Your son is here!" They were excited to find out also that the trip had been very successful. Tobiah had brought back plenty of riches and a beautiful wife. He gave the credit to Azariah, who had organized the trip and helped in every way. Tobit and his son wanted to reward Azariah with half the riches, but in refusing he told them the whole story, that he was the Archangel Raphael who had presented Tobit's prayers and good deeds before the throne of God. Raphael had been sent to bless the family.

New Testament

A LEPER AND A PARALYZED MAN

Luke 5: 12-26

Leprosy is a terrible disease that in the beginning attacks a person's skin. Many people suffered from leprosy during Bible times. A man came up to Jesus and bowed down with his face to the ground. He believed that Jesus could cure him. By stretching out his hand Jesus made the man well. The leprosy immediately left him. Another man was paralyzed, meaning that he couldn't walk. He spent his life lying on a mat. The man's friends knew that Jesus could help him. The trouble was, the crowds were so thick that they couldn't get through to Jesus. Cleverly, they walked up the stairs to the roof of the house, carrying their friend on a stretcher. Surprising everyone, they took some tiles from the roof and lowered the man down right in front of Jesus. Jesus forgave the man's sins and also healed him so that he could walk again.

MY FAITH

What is a prayer of THANKSGIVING?

Every day we are surrounded by God's blessings. Everything we have is a gift from God. Do you have a nice winter coat? Some people don't have one. Do you get three meals each day? Some people only get one. Do you go to a good school? Some people don't know how to read. **Thank God for every** blessing.

BIBLE BOOKS

The Second Book of Samuel is one of our main historical books. It starts with the death of Saul. Both Saul and Jonathan were killed in the same battle against the Philistines. David became the king. He fought many wars but kept the kingdom together. David struggled to be a good king.



Youth & Young Adult Ministry

Youth Minister Contact 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

Mondays, 6:30—8:00 pm in School Gym Confirmation Sponsors are required to attend April 1st



Adult Faith

ST. BRENDAN LENT CLASSES W/FR. WICHERT

March 27—Bishop Barron's: The Revelation of God Become Man

April 10—The Sacraments

All Classes are Wednesdays from 6:30 pm—8:00 pm in the Church Nave.

7TH ANNUAL CATHOLIC MENS CONFERENCE MARCH 30, 8:00 AM—4:00 PM ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR, RENTON

Theme: "Fight with Joy"

Want to be the man that God has always called you to be? Grow closer to God through several awesome speakers, engaging worship and inspiring fellowship with hundreds of your fellow Catholic Christians.

ST. BRENDAN WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

neliese at 425-486-4225.

What is the whole purpose to life? Peter Kreeft's book How to be Holy - First Steps in Becoming a Saint will be discussed Monday, March 25th, at 7:00 pm in the Dining Room in Brendan House. Join us as we ponder his insights along with our own thoughts on this central question to life. Questions? Call Berni at 425-485-4893 or An-

The St. Brendan Women's Book Club group along with anyone interested will be going to the **Wednesday, April 3rd, 3:50 pm** showing of <u>Unplanned</u>, the true Story of Abby Johnson, a former Planned Parenthood leader's eye-opening journey across the life line. We will be going to the Woodinville AMC theater. If you would like to join this group, please call Berni Bagger at 425-485-4893 for more details.

HOLY WEEK SILENT RETREAT FOR MEN AND WOMEN April 15—17 led by Fr. Caleb Insco, FSSP Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at the Palisades

It seems that everyone gets a vacation from work every year in order to give the body a rest. But we cannot forget to give our souls the rest we need, either. Annual retreats are not only recommended to religious men and women but for all the faithful in the Church. Holy Week is the holiest time of year, and we all ought to set aside extra time to pray and reflect on our eternal reward purchased for us by Christ 2,000 years ago. Note that this retreat will offer the Extraordinary Form of the Mass only. Masses will be in Latin, and booklets will be provided. Father will also hear confessions. See seattlearchdiocese.org and click on "Retreats" for more information.



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

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

Knights of Columbus Gala Auction and Dinner, Saturday, April 27. This is our largest fundraiser and is vital to our ongoing charitable mission. Price of tickets are \$30 each, dinner at 6:30 pm. Several vacation packages will be available. This is a fun-filled night for all! Want to become a Knight? Questions about the Auction: Contact Kevin Van Hollebeke at 206-240-0275.

YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS GROUP

Our next trip will be to La Conner on Wednesday, March 27. Bring a hearty appetite for the lunch at Anelia's a restaurant noted for its Polish cuisine as well as other comfort foods. After lunch, we will visit the Pacific Northwest Quilt & Fiber Arts Museum. The current quilt exhibit (Hartsfield Quilt Collection) contains quilts made by a quilting family, with two of the quilts having been made in the 1800's by Ms. Molly, a slave in Tennessee. Another exhibit is Paper & Ink: An Art Book Exhibit. Both of these (as well as other items on display) should be interesting to quilters and non-quilters alike. Please meet in the Church Narthex on Wednesday, March 27, at 9:15 am. Bring money for lunch and the museum entrance fee of \$7 and binoculars in case we see birds. Please call Donna at 425-488-1373 by Monday, March 25 to reserve your seat on the Church bus.

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Please pray for these expectant mothers: *Tabitha Carlton, Amy Davis, Hillary, Rachel Johnson, Allie Mazur* and *Rebecca Sather*. We pray as you carry your baby that you will have a healthy pregnancy and a safe delivery for your baby. Congratulations to Erin & 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.

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO OUR PARISH

Cynthia Alvarado, Barbara Amaral, Bogar Carbajal & Fabiola Robles, Santiago & Cecilia Contreras, Eric & Dena Fredrickson, Vincent & Terri Griego, Timothy Mahar, Sean & Angelina McGuire, Mary Ann Pefanco, Guadalupe Vargas and Janie & Benjamin Walzer.



St. Brendan School





Parish Administration & Stewardship

THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE & TIME

Weekly Budget Goal \$23,321.00

Week of March 11th - March 17th

Envelope Offerings \$16,819.00
Online Giving \$3,938.50
Electronic Funds Transfer (March) \$10,159,85
Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$30,917.35
Over/Under Budget \$7,596.35
Stewardship of Time \$107.5 hours

Year-to-Date July 1st - March 17th

YTD Budget Goal \$886,198.00
YTD Sacrificial Giving \$909,797.77
Over/Under YTD Budget \$23,599.77
Stewardship of Time 3562.5 hours

CRS RICE BOWL—ENCOUNTER DHATHCROOS FAMILY

The Dhathcroos family returned home, after fleeing violence in their country, to build a prosperous farm and become a vital contributor to their community. How can you assist refugees in your community to rebuild their lives? How can you support refugees worldwide who are fleeing violence in their country? Visit crsricebowl.org for more

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

Next week, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection and **help Jesus in disguise**. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



PRAYERS FOR MALAWI

Hit by recent torrential rains leading to floods followed by the tail end of a cyclone our Sister Parish in the village of Namalaka and the surrounding areas are in need of our most fervent prayers for assistance. We pray the proper help and relief arrives. Bish-



op Monfort was due to make a visit to St. Joseph's parish in Namalaka but the bridge has been washed out and the parish isolated for the time being. May God give them the grace and strength to persevere.



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.