

# ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

10100 NE 192<sup>nd</sup> Street, Bothell, Washington

[www.saintbrendan.org](http://www.saintbrendan.org) / 425-483-9400

**Fr. Nicholas Wichert, Pastor**

**JANUARY 4/5, 2020**

**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**



## **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 respeto

*Todo esto para hacer visible el reino de Dios transformando nuestro mundo.*



# Parish Life

## ST. BRENDAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

### Pastor

Rev. Nicholas Wichert | ext. 2647  
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### Pastoral Assistant for Administration

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### Youth Ministry (Sr. High)

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### Junior High Coordinator

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### Facilities Supervisor

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### Pastoral Secretary/Receptionist

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### Office Assistant

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### School Principal

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### School Office Manager/ Development Director

Christen Lambert  
ChristenI@school.saintbrendan.org

### School Secretary

Karyn Murnane  
secretary@school.saintbrendan.org

**To submit a bulletin request, please  
email [bulletin@saintbrendan.org](mailto:bulletin@saintbrendan.org)**

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES:

### 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. For after hours emergency care you may also call the Eastside Deanery Pastoral Care Ministry at 425-655-3200.

#### 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 JANUARY 5, 2020

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 5 EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Is 60:1-6      Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-13  
Eph 3:2-3,5-6      Mt 2:1-12

Monday, January 6

Jn 3:22-4:6      Ps 2:7-8,10-12  
Mt 4:12-17,23-25

Tuesday, January 7

Jn 4:7-10      Ps 72:1-4,7-8  
Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday, January 8

Jn 4:11-18      Ps 72:1-2,10,12-13  
Mk 6:45-52

Thursday, January 9

Jn 4:19-5:4      Ps 72:1-2,14,15,17  
Lk 4:14-22

Friday, January 10

Jn 5:5-13      Ps 147:12-15,19-20  
Lk 5:12-16

Saturday, January 11

Jn 5:14-21      Ps 149:1-6,9  
Jn 3:22-30

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 12 BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Is 42:1-4,6-7      Ps 29:1-4,3,9-10  
Acts 10:34-38      Mt 3:13-17

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 5, 2020

Sunday, January 5

8:00 am Mass: (Vic & Joyce Palazzo-L.)  
10:00 am Mass: (+Mary Bolanger)  
12:00 pm Spanish Mass:  
(Community of St. Brendan)

Monday, January 6

8:30 am Mass: (+Deacon José Blakeley)

Tuesday, January 7

No Mass

Wednesday, January 8

8:30 am Mass: (Josiah Evans-Liv.)

Thursday, January 9

8:30 am Mass: (Connie Vetter-Liv.)  
6:00 pm Mass: (+Laura Diego Santiago)

Friday, January 10

8:30 am Mass: (+Hector Lopez)

Saturday, January 11

8:30 am Mass: (+Mary Vanderwal)  
5:00 pm Vigil Mass:  
(+Michael Gongliewski)

Key: +=deceased

## Please pray for the sick:

Pilar Alvarez  
Sharon Aune  
Betty Burrell  
Catherine Connelly  
Peggy Davis  
Rosemary Devlin  
Josiah Evans  
Marion Gendron  
Mikey Gonzalez  
Makenna Josephine Green  
Luanna Heidrich  
Omaira Lopez  
Maria Luisa Lopez  
Julia Matthewson  
Brian Mitchell  
Paris Molloy  
Vic Palazzo  
Jeff Stultz  
Cecelia Warneke  
David Weller  
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## and for those who have died:

Alice Bleuze  
Philip A. Flores  
(Brother of Teresita Eugenio)  
Harrell Johnston  
Rose Packan  
Mary Vielhaber

## MARCH FOR LIFE—Tuesday, January 21 Meet at 8:30 am for Mass at St. Brendan

Please join us in defending human life! We charter a bus to 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. A seat on the bus is \$20 per person. Please reserve your spot at the tables in the Narthex after Mass. The bus will depart at 9:30 am. 8th grade St. Brendan students will join us with chaperones. If you are unable to join us, please pray for us and take action to support laws which respect the value of all life. Questions? Email Colleen Danforth at rdhcoll@aol.com

## HOSPITAL MINISTRY IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS

We are in need of parishioners to bring and offer communion and prayer to the Catholic patients at Evergreen Hospital in Kirkland. We offer this ministry with volunteer parishioners from Holy Family, St. Teresa of Calcutta and St. Jude Parishes. Our days to visit are Saturdays and Sundays. Requirements include completing the volunteer process at Evergreen Hospital. If you feel the Lord is calling you to this ministry or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Christine Ito at 425-402-3487 or 206-909-1860 (cell). Please continue to pray for the sick and dying of our Parish. Thank you!



## 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.)**

January 6—Sacramental Preparation for 1st Reconciliation

January 8—Disciples Club

Saturday, February 1 is First Reconciliation at 10:00 am

May 16 & 17 we have First Communion at all Masses

### **Saints This Week**

(adapted from [Companion to the Calendar](#)  
by Mary Ellen Hynes)

**January 5—St. John Neumann  
(1811-1860)**

John Neumann was from a country that is now the Czech Republic. He came to America hoping to become a Catholic priest. There were already plenty of priests in his homeland, but America needed help. He arrived with only the clothes on his back and a suitcase full of books. His hat was stolen on the boat. By patience and hard work he helped many of America's immigrants. He became the Bishop of Philadelphia.

**January 6—The 12th day of  
Christmas**

25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. There they are, all twelve days. In some countries children open their presents on January 6, because that is the traditional day when the wise men went to meet the child Jesus.

### **New Testament**

#### **REMEMBER WHAT HE SAID TO YOU?**

**Luke 24: 1-12**

We read in the New Testament that many times Jesus told the disciples exactly what was going to happen to him—that he would be killed and would rise on the third day. But this news was so far outside anything they had ever imagined, that they didn't know what to make of his words until after the events had really happened.

Several women came to the tomb ready to anoint the body. The stone was rolled away and the body was gone! Two angels appeared. They wondered why the women were looking for the Living Lord among the dead. The women ran to tell the Apostles. Only Peter really believed them. He ran to the tomb, even went inside, and stooped down to see the grave clothes. Then he went away, amazed.

### **MY FAITH**

#### **Why do we have two Creeds?**

**The Apostles Creed came first. It was written down because people had questions about Jesus. Here are some questions they might have asked.**

**? Was Jesus really human**

**? Did Jesus have human parents**

**? Was Jesus really God**

**? Did Jesus really die**

**? Did Jesus really rise from the dead**

**? Will we every see Jesus again**

**The answers to all these questions are in the Apostles' Creed.**

**We say this creed for Baptism, and when we pray the Rosary.**

**A longer creed—the Nicene—is the creed we say in Mass. It answers even more**

**questions, especially whether Jesus is really divine (yes) and also really human (yes).**





# Youth & Young Adult Ministry

**Youth Minister Contact**  
**425-483-9400**  
[youthminister@saintbrendan.org](mailto:youthminister@saintbrendan.org)  
**Margaret Deleon**

**Junior High Coordinator**  
**425-483-9400**  
[marys@saintbrendan.org](mailto:marys@saintbrendan.org)  
**Mary Sims**

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## **CONFIRMATION/SENIOR HIGH/YOUNG ADULT**

- There is No Confirmation Class January 6.
- Make sure to get your paperwork and payment to Margaret!
  - **First Sponsor/Parent meeting is February 3rd.**
    - **Saint names are due February 10.**
- Best way to contact Margaret is via email [youthminister@saintbrendan.org](mailto:youthminister@saintbrendan.org).



# Adult Faith

## **ADULT SCRIPTURE STUDY**

Come join us for another Scripture Study session entitled:

Walking Toward Eternity—"making choices for today"  
 by Jeff & Emily Cavins

**There will be eight sessions beginning January 14 for eight consecutive Tuesdays in the Narthex from 7:00—9:00 pm**

Email John Hurley at [hurleyjd@comcast.net](mailto:hurleyjd@comcast.net) to register

**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 **miércoles 22 de enero a las 10:30 AM.**

Acompañenos a pedir por nuestros difuntos, que descansen en Paz.  
 Que Dios los Bendiga.  
 Gracias por su atención.

## **YOUNG AT HEART SENIORS GROUP**

Are you ready for a fun-filled time at the Church?

**Come join us at 10:00 am on Wednesday, January 22, in the Church Narthex.** Arlene Sullivan and Anne Chapman will teach us Bunco, fun game for both those who are playing for the first time as well as regular players. To make the morning even more fun, please bring a wrapped "white elephant" gift..to guarantee that everyone will go home with a prize! Please bring a dish for the potluck luncheon following the game. If you have any questions, please call Donna at 425-488-1373.

(Note: Upcoming events include a visit to the new Burke Museum on February 19 and a Presentation on Icons on March 25)



# 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

## YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our Parish Outreach  
Ministries request the  
following items:

### DIAPER BAG PROJECT

Onesies (Newborn,  
0-3 months)

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

toilet paper, breakfast cereal

### SOS

Large canned peaches,  
large canned pineapples &  
fruit cocktail

**Thank you for your  
generosity!**

## RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Join us! We meet the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Thursday of the month in the  
SOS Room at 7:00 pm.

We respect life from concep-  
tion 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 inter-  
ested, please contact Colleen  
Danforth at rdhcoll@aol.com

## KNIGHTS CORNER

- The Knights would like to wish everyone a faith-filled 2020 Happy New Year.
- As part of the Fr. Justin P. Garvey Council's Youth Program and its interest in promoting education opportunities for young Catholics, Council 6686 is awarding two scholarships for the 2020-21' academic school year. Each scholarship is for \$1,000.00 and will be awarded to a graduating high school senior and a current college student. Scholarship must be postmarked by March 23, 2020 and recipients are announced on May 6, 2020. You can pick up an application in the Narthex or Parish Office. Must be a registered member of St. Brendan Parish or have a father or grandfather that is a current or deceased member of the Knights of Columbus Council 6686. For more information, contact Del Treichel at 206-948-9151 or the phone numbers listed below.
- Want to become a Knight? Contact the number below or give Tom Gray Grand Knight a call at 206-799-0397.
- New direct line to contact Knights: 425-273-7119.



## PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS

**Thursday, January 23, 6:30—9:30 pm**

All volunteers who have unsupervised, ongoing access to minors or vulnerable adults are required to attend. You'll learn very specific actions you can take to protect our children, the children of our parish and the children of the community. Please register at [virtusonline.org](http://virtusonline.org). If you need assistance with your registration or have any questions, contact the Parish Office at 425-483-9400.



## RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

**Please pray for these expectant mothers:** Amber, Kim Anderson, Kymberlee Bogart, Lauryn Boxx, Stephanie Caulkins, Beth Ford, Kristina Gervais, Cassie Mish, Rhonda Thompson, Karissa Vandenberg & Beth Zimmerman. We pray that you have a healthy pregnancy and a safe delivery for your baby. **Congratulations to these new parents:** Jasmina & Kirk Bagger, baby girl Ella; Sarah & Michel Descollines, baby girl Chiara; Nikka & Joe Green, baby girl, McKenna. 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, please call Mary Hradec at 425-275-1896.



# Parish Administration & Stewardship

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

Weekly Budget Goal \$23,769.00

### **Week of December 16th–December 22nd**

Envelope Offerings \$13,896.19

Online Giving \$5,507.50

**Total Weekly Sacrificial Giving \$19,403.69**

**Over/Under Budget \$4,365.31**

Stewardship of Time 76 hours

### **Year—to—Date July 1st - December 22nd**

YTD Budget Goal \$594,237.00

YTD Sacrificial Giving \$546,492.55

**Over/Under YTD Budget \$47,744.45**

Stewardship of Time 2479 hours

## **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

12 Noon Thursday

(A week prior to  
bulletin weekend)

[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.*

## **CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES APPEAL FOR THE POOR**

This weekend we will have a guest speak about how Catholic Community Services and Catholic Housing Services provide care for our poorest and most vulnerable neighbors. Thank you to those who have already so generously made donations to CCS. Your gifts are used locally to provide essential services and programs for people desperately in need. As good stewards of your gifts, 92 cents of every dollar CCS spends goes directly to serve those in need. Please visit their website at [www.ccsww.org](http://www.ccsww.org) for more information or if you have not yet made a gift of support. Please visit the CCS website at [www.ccsww.org](http://www.ccsww.org) to donate online.



CCS APPEAL FOR THE POOR  
OUR MISSION IS MERCY

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES  
CATHOLIC HOUSING SERVICES  
OF SEATTLE/PACIFIC NORTHWEST

## **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 bring—our time, service, and some share of what we earn for the work we do—are equally precious in His sight.

