

2024 ADVENT CALENDAR St. Brendan Catholic Church



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
December 1 1 st SUNDAY OF ADVENT 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Misa en Español	2 8:30 am Mass	3 No Mass	4 8:30 am Mass 6:00 pm Adult Education for Disciples Club parents & OCIA	5 8:30 am Mass	6 8:30 am Mass followed by 24-Hour Adoration	7 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
December 8 2 nd SUNDAY OF ADVENT 8:00 am /10:00 am Mass- <i>Rite of Welcome</i> 12:00 pm Misa en Español 1:30 pm Adult Education Spanish	9 1 Advent The Immaculate Conception *Holy Day of Obligation* 9:00 am Mass with school 7:00 pm Mass Bilingual	10 1 Advent No Mass	11 1 Advent 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm-6:00 pm Confessions 6:00 pm Adult Education	12 1 Advent 8:30 am Mass * Feast of our Lady of Guadalupe 6:30 pm Rosary 7:00 pm Mass Spanish 8:00 pm Mananitas/reception	13 1 Advent 8:30 am Mass	14 1 Advent 8:30 am Mass 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
December 15 3 rd SUNDAY OF ADVENT 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Misa en Español	16 2 Advent No Mass	17 2 Advent No Mass	18 2 Advent 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm-6:00 pm Confessions 6:00 pm Adult Education	19 2 Advent 8:30 am Mass	20 2 Advent 8:30 am Mass 6:00 pm Posadas/Pastorela	21 2 Advent 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Mass *Simbang Gabi
December 22 4 th SUNDAY OF ADVENT 8:00 am /10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Misa en Espanol	23 3 Advent 8:30 am Mass Parent Great Escape /altar server rehearsal. Beginning at 8:15 am, see back for details.	December 24 CHRISTMAS EVE 5:00 pm Mass 8:00 pm Mass Midnight Mass Parish Office Closed	December 25 CHRISTMAS DAY 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass Spanish Parish Office Closed	26 Christmas 8:30 am Mass Parish Office Closed	27 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	28 Christmas 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
December 29 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Misa en Español	30 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	31 Christmas 7:00 pm Vigil Spanish 8:30 pm – Midnight Adoration	January 1 Solemnity of Mary *Holy Day of Obligation* 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm Mass Parish Office Closed	2 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	3 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	4 Christmas 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
January 5 The Epiphany of the Lord 8:00 am / 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Misa en Español	6 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	7 Christmas No Mass	8 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	9 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	10 Christmas 8:30 am Mass	11 Christmas 8:30 am Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Mass

*Please see the back of this calendar for details of these events.

Get ready for Christmas!

Advent Season

Advent is a time of expectant waiting and spiritual preparation for Christmas. Our readings lead us to prepare for our Savior's second coming even as we prepare for his first coming as the infant Jesus. We have many activities to help you prepare spiritually and be together as family during this "waiting" season.

Reconciliation

Mon, Wed, Thur., Fri.: 7:45-8:15 am Saturdays: 7:45-8:15 am & 2:30-4:00 pm

In addition to the regular confession times, this Advent Father will be hearing Confessions at the following times:

Saturday, November 30th | 6:30 pm-9:00 pm | two priests Wednesday, December 11th | 5:00 pm-6:00 pm Saturday, December 14th | 6:30 pm-9:00 pm Wednesday, December 18th | 5:00pm-6:00pm

English Adult Faith Formation

- December 4th | 6:00 pm for Disciples Club parents and OCIA
- December 11th | 6:00 pm Narthex
- December 18^{th} | 6:00 pm Narthex

Spanish Adult Faith Formation

• December 8th | 1:30 pm Narthex

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

(Holy Day of Obligation)

• December 9th | 9:00 am Mass with School | 7:00 pm Mass Bilingual

Novena for the Celebration of our Lady of Guadalupe

Begins Wednesday, December $4^{\mathrm{th}}\text{-}11^{\mathrm{th}}$ at 7:00pm in the Chapel followed by a reception

Our Lady of Guadalupe December 12th

Our Lady of Guadalupe is patroness of the Americas and the Unborn. Her feast day is December 12th. This year's celebration will be Monday, December 11th starting at 6:30pm with the Rosary, 7:00pm Mass and 8:00pm Mananitas/Danza/Reception.

Simbang Gabi Mass

December 21st, 5pm

Traditionally, Christmas Day in the Philippines is ushered in by the nine-day dawn Masses, popularly known as Simbang Gabi that starts Dec. 16th. At St. Brendan, like many parishes in the Archdiocese, the adaptation is to have the Mass at a Saturday Vigil Mass before Christmas.

Parent Great Escape/Altar Server Rehearsal

Attention Parents of kids 3rd grade or older! St. Brendan is offering you time to finished buying gifts or food, wrap presents, or just rest before Christmas. December 23rd from 8:15am until 3:00pm. Your kids can begin with altar server rehearsal at the 8:30am Mass and then stay and hangout with other kids until 3:00pm. Kids are welcome for the entire time or for an hour or two. Games, food, and activities will be part of the day. Please watch the bulletin and the website for more information.

December 24th Christmas Eve

Christmas Carols will begin 30 mins before Mass.

- 5:00 pm Mass
- 8:00 pm Mass
- Midnight Mass

December 25th Christmas Day

- 9:00 am Mass
- 11:30 am Mass (Spanish)



December 31st-New Year's Eve

- 7:00 pm Vigil Mass Spanish
- 8:30 pm Midnight Adoration

January 1st—Solemnity of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

- 9:00 am Mass
- 7:00 pm Mass