

# ST. BRENDAN CHURCH

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April 12, 2021  
Divine Mercy Sunday



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## Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4 pm

## Staff

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## Mass Times During COVID-19

Daily Monday-Saturday: 8:15 am

Saturday Vigil Mass Live Streamed: 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass: 7:30am , 9:30am, 11:30am in the Church

## Regular Mass Times:

Monday-Saturday 8:15 am

First Friday during school year 8:15 am

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am

## Holy Days of Obligation

8:15 am (School Mass), 6:00 pm

## Confessions

Wednesday 5:00 pm-6:00 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

By appointment.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration Chapel: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-4:00 pm

## Baptisms

Contact Sr. Angela: [srangela@stbrendanparish.org](mailto:srangela@stbrendanparish.org)

## Weddings

Call Fr. Mike at least six months before the desired wedding date at [frmike@stbrendanparish.org](mailto:frmike@stbrendanparish.org)

## Anointing of the sick

Please contact the office 415-681-4225.

## Mass intentions for the week:

### Monday, April 12—

8:15 am Thomas Quinn (D)  
Lucy Lozano (D)

### Tuesday, April 13— St. Martin I

8:15 am Edward & Helen Flynn (D)  
Wendy Trabert (L) (Healing)  
Irene Clare Casserly (D)

### Wednesday, April 14—

8:15 am Ramon Mendoza (L) (Birthday)  
Art Papoff (L) (Healing)

### Thursday, April 15—

8:15 am Tom Espinosa (D)  
Hank McKenzie (D)

### Friday, April 16—

8:15 am Wendy Trabert (L) (Healing)  
William Hartley (D)

### Saturday, April 17—

8:15 am Neal Murphy (D)  
5:00 pm Marian Ritchie (D)  
Dixie White (D)

### Sunday, April 18—3rd Sunday of Easter

7:30 am Violeta Hernandez (D)  
9:30 am Michael Coyle (D)  
People of St. Brendan  
11:30 am Tom McGrath (D)

## MINISTRY INFORMATION

### Parish Leadership

Advisory Board  
Finance Committee

### Liturgical Ministries

Liturgy Committee  
Lectors  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Ushers  
Music Ministry  
Church Environmental Committee

### Parish Life

Welcome Committee  
Hospitality Committee  
Under 5's  
Mothers' Club  
Men's Club  
Respect Life  
Knitting Ministry  
Experienced Navigators  
Detention Ministry (San Dimas)  
St. Vincent de Paul Society  
Small Groups

## PRAYER CORNER

We would like to ask prayers for members of our community here at St. Brendan. Please let us know of anyone you want to add to our lists.

  
**Pray for** ...

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### Sick:

Victor Zele, Sandra Toti, Clare Thompson, Bob Matschullet, Lillian Nehasil, Corona Virus

Victims, Homebound Parishioners

### Newly Confirmed at the Easter Vigil:

Peter "Sebastian" Ardini, Riley "Francis" Bermudez, Patrick "Michael" Fitzgerald, Shane "Anthony" Molinari, Ryan "Peter" Moore

### Newly Baptized:

John Patrick Walsh, Finnegan Daniel Walsh

### Other Prayers:

Wildfire victims, Hurricane victims

### Deceased:

Michael Coyle, Maria Carson

We continue to pray for our parishioners who have lost loved ones this year.

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2. For parish, enter zip code 94127, and then select Saint Brendan.
3. Register with your name and email address.
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

Interested in being a New Parishioner at St. Brendan?

Please email us at [saintbrendanchurchsf@gmail.com](mailto:saintbrendanchurchsf@gmail.com) or call the rectory at 415-681-4225

We can't wait to see you at St. Brendan!

## FAITH FORMATION



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# PASTOR'S COLUMN

## Around the Parish...

Though this is Divine Mercy Sunday, where we focus upon God's mercy through the sacrifice of Christ, and Jesus glorious Resurrection, I wanted to share the huge love of Christ we experienced in our parish community this past Holy Week, through our members...

Through the generous dedication of our technology ministry and Guy De Primo's extra efforts, we had an enhanced video and slide presentation, for those who attended Holy Week Services.

Holy Thursday is celebrated as both the institution of the priesthood and the sacrament of the Eucharist. At his time of clergy shortage, it was so encouraging to be able to celebrate Mass with Frs. Paul Warren and Lordu Mammadi, SJ- the priests who serve the good people of St. Brendan's!

Our school kept the tradition of everyday Mass throughout Lent which is a St. Brendan's specialty. Our school children acting out the Way of the Cross for Good Friday in simple and eloquent word & action moved our very souls closer to understanding the Way of the Cross...

Our Safety ministry did "triple duty", in their efforts to keep us all safe during this period of necessary contact restrictions and in such an unobtrusive and gentle way...

Most of our office staff volunteered extra time to both respond to inquiries and to assist in our success in making this Holy Week, following a year of trial, so very special...

Our School faculty came through again and set up video screens to accommodate increased Easter attendance at Mass. They also complimented efforts to help our children understand why we hold this sacred time as so very special...

Thanks to all of the various members of all of our ministries, leadership, Finance, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, environment, Marian ministry (Holy Saturday was just wonderful as we reflected upon the 7 sorrows of Mary), small groups (who have been so vital this past year), and all of our ministries. Your perseverance and excellence at a time of testing is so great a gift!

Thanks to both School faculty, Mrs. Stephanie Stanko and our religious education volunteers, we are now all caught up in providing sacraments of initiation, (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation). We now look forward to the day our second graders receive First communion on May 1, 202, on time!...

A special word of thanks to Sister Angela, (who will reprimand me for publishing this), who tirelessly works in great and small ways to keep our parish family together, especially in visiting the sick and homebound... You are all signs of God's goodness and mercy!

*Fr. Mike*



## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

### Sunday Collection for week of:

**March 15-21, 2021**

Sunday Collection Goal: **\$9,500**  
Sunday Collection Received: **\$9,281**  
Under by: **\$219**

### Archbishops Annual Appeal (AAA) 2021

AAA Goal **\$120,735**  
AAA amount received/pledged **\$57,168**  
AAA still needed **\$63,567**

Second Collection next week: **None**

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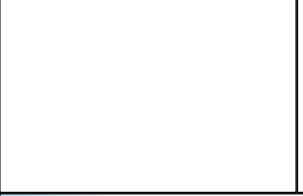
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# NEWS AND UPDATES

## School News

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### St. Brendan School Update:

Dear St. Brendan Parish Families,

The school is now on Easter break. We will have more news for you when we return to campus in a week.

Thank you,  
**Ms. Dianne Lakatta**, proud principal



### A Beautiful Easter Morning at St. Brendan



### Small Groups

Interested in joining, or starting, a small faith group? Call or email Sr. Angela at (415) 681-4225 or [srangela@stbrendanparish.org](mailto:srangela@stbrendanparish.org).

*"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them". Matthew 18:20*  
Pope Francis



### Marian Consecration

By: Gerdelie Wolfert

On the Solemnity of the Annunciation (March 25<sup>th</sup>), the **Marian and Divine Mercy** small group made their formal Marian Consecration. The act of consecrating oneself to Jesus through Mary brings forth a spiritual journey with four amazing saints: St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, St. Teresa of Calcutta and St. John Paul II. As these saints shared their deep love and devotion to our Mother Mary, we learn how to dedicate our lives to Jesus, through her. Who else understands the heart of Jesus most but our Mother? Our class met every week for 5 weeks to discuss what we pondered as we read the daily readings from, "33 Days to Morning Glory" written by Father Mike Gaitley. If you would like to consecrate yourself to Jesus through Mary or want to learn more about Our Lady, please join us in our next consecration class in February 2022.

