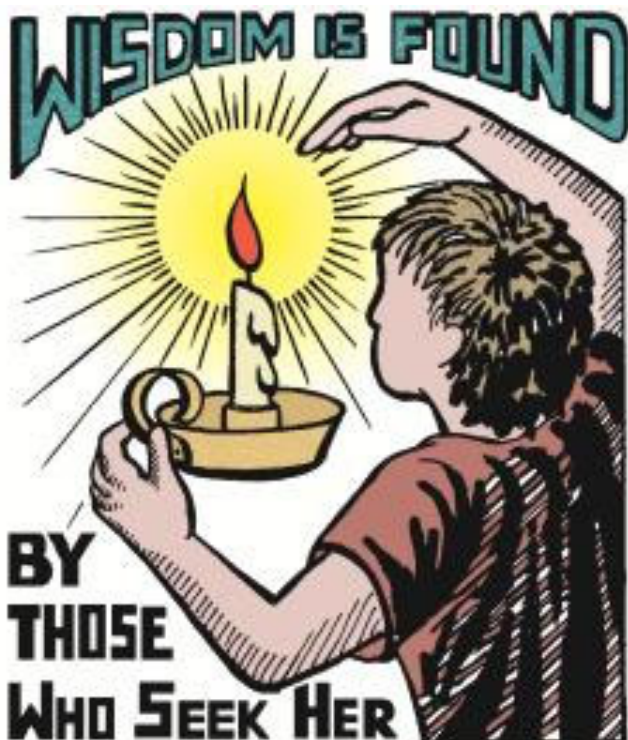


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November 8, 2020
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Mass intentions for the week:

Monday, November 9—Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
8:15 am Alice Asturia (D)
Tuesday, November 10—St. Leo the Great
8:15 am Moises P Canda (D)
Wednesday, November 11—St. Martin of Tours
8:15 am Maureen Laval (D)
Thursday, November 12—St. Josaphat
8:15 am Claire Paolini (D)
Friday, November 13—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini
8:15 am Remy Militar (L)(Birthday)
Saturday, November 14—Blessed Virgin Mary
8:15 am Frank Schwab (D) and the Deceased Members of the Schwab Family
5:00 pm Mr. & Mrs. Ka Wing So (D)
Sunday, November 15—33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am People of St. Brendan
9:30 am Joseph Chow (D)(Death Anniversary)
11:30 am Anna Matteucci (D)

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4 pm

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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 pm

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

Holy Days of Obligation

8:15 am (School Mass), 6 pm

Confessions

Saturday 3:45 pm - 4:30 pm

By appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 7-8 pm

Saturday 4-4:45 pm

Adoration Chapel open Monday-Friday 9am-4pm

Baptisms

Contact Sr. Angela: srangela@stbrendanparish.org

Weddings

Call Fr. Mike at least six months before the desired wedding date at frmike@stbrendanparish.org

Anointing of the sick

Please contact the office 415-681-4225.

MINISTRY INFORMATION

Parish Leadership

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Music Ministry
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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

FAITH FORMATION

Congratulations to our First Communicants!

Please pray for our five, very patient Children's Faith Formation students who received First Holy Communion on November 7! These students, along with the current 3rd grade from St. Brendan school, were to have received the sacrament last May. Congratulations and welcome to the Body of Christ: Liam, Zell, Lex, Brooke and Christopher!

Voyagers (ages 3-Kinder)

Sign up to receive a weekly email with fun, age-appropriate and faith-filled activities centered around the Gospel. **Email Mrs. Stanko to add your family's name to the list:** stephanie@stbrendanparish.org



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PRAYER CORNER

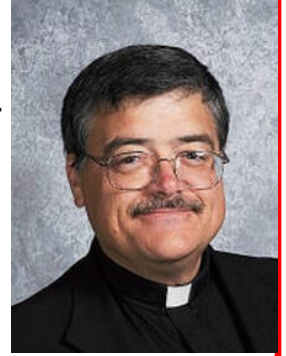
We would like to ask prayers for members of our community here at St. Brendan. Please let us know of anyone you want to add to our lists.

All Souls Day Remembrance:

Joseph Chow, Esther & Gus Bruneman, Nick O'Brien, Bill & Fei Jew, BM & MH Wong, CK & SY Yip, Joanne Ryan, Philip Lee Sr, Philip Lee Jr, Kiyoko Hayashi, S. Lee, Mr. & Mrs. L. Loo, Marta Lee, SW Lee, EM Lee, E & A Lee, T Wong, N & C Loo-Tam, P Asen-Loo, Mr & Mrs. Lee, Mr. & Mrs. J Asen, Jesus Echanis, Silvestra Echanis, Mercedes Vargas, Eduardo Vargas, Echanis Family, Singson Family, Walt Farrell, Jim Sullivan, William Figari, Robert Curto, Roland Pomerleau, Myrna Vinas, Leticia Hamilton, Bernard Zulaybar, Thomas Quinn, James Pagano, Frank Pagano, Msgr. Thomas Merson, John Fernandez, Angelina Nieve, Peter Kennedy, Janet Kennedy, David Alvers, Banuet Family, Gerald Greenfield, Pamela Anderer, Lagarda Family, Callejas Family, Leo & Stella DeLucchi, Anthony & Sophie Capone, Frances Scheppelman, Leo T. DeLucchi, Al & Josephine Nocentini, Harold & Angela DeLucchi, Julio & Ann DeLucchi, Hanratty Family, D'Angelo family, Pratt Family, Cortopassi Family, John G. Perez, Joseph Sangenito, Lena Sangenito, Hipolito Puno, Belen Cayas, Marianne O'Reilly, Phil & Maeve O'Reilly, Kathleen Galvin, Tim Galvin, Lena Zucca, Andrew G. Moore, Gustavo Dominguez, Louise Dominguez, Erwin P. Wollak, Ellen J. Wollak, Irene Romios, Claire Paolini, James Sante, Agnes Kolling, Jason Cortez, Thomas Espinosa, Mary Bowen, Edward O'Reilly, Paul Connolly, Peter Schwab, Susan Manick, Christine McDowell Stachnik, Monica Driscoll, Elisa Barbagelata Swenson, Terry Labagh Batmale, Eugene Burbank, Francis Clark, Jill Cunningham, Mary De La Mora, Terry Di Sciuillo, Nancy Elbing, Susan Entringer, Barbara Firpo, Alice James, Eldon Jesse, Adrian Kelly, Charlotte (Susie) Kelly, Steve Kittlesby, Patricia Lawson, Eugene & Jeanne Lynch, Lorraine Markey, Patricia McKeown, Ed McGrath, Dan McHugh, Jaime Mendiola, Judith Opatz, Bill Parenti, Liz Pinelli, Ed Proehl, Norman Rossman, Carol Blair Taheny, Jack & Sally McNamara, Ana Maria Ibarra, Carmen Gonzalez, Rolande Bazile, Raul Lee, Antonio Lee-Murgas, Bill Criss, Nicolas Cortes, Josephine Espina, Ken Ellis, German Morelos, Richard and Adelina Wolfert, Catalina Ceballos, Maureen Laval, Msgr. Edward McTaggart, Teresa Brady, William Haynes, Marco Acevedo, Peter Antonini, Ebe Cavagnaro, Tom McGrath, Frank Schwab, Reynaldo Adraneda, May & Thomas Kilkelly, Patrick & Tom Kilkelly, Bridie & Ann Kilkelly, Margaret Armshaw, Kenneth & Thomas Oliver Fahey, Della Bowler, Sr. Mary Stephen Moylan & John Moylan, Bea Ryan, Joseph Chow, Brian Olcemendy, Clara C. Mossi Morrissey, James O'Mahoney, Robert Ratto, Marlene Theresa Callejas, Cristian Solis Escudero, Fred Robino, Elizabeth Ann Selig, Graciela Hilton, Florentino Gatpandan, Julie Jalbuena, Barbara & Joe Lara

PASTOR'S CORNER

Our gospel message identifies the element of time and the wise use of it to prepare for eternity. I had this inspirational poem which I saved to illustrate the positive use of our time on earth. It is timely as we prepare to celebrate Veterans' Day where others lives were risked, and some sacrificed to enjoy the freedoms we sometimes take for granted. Another perspective is a better appreciation of the life of Jesus sacrificed for us. This poem was written by a young girl who lost her battle with cancer, but in the end appreciated every moment of her life...



"Don't dance so fast. Time is short. The music won't last. Do you run through each day on the fly? When you ask how are you do you hear the reply?

When the day is done do you lie in your bed with the next hundred chores running through your head? You'd better slow down don't dance so fast. Time is short. The music won't last.

Ever told your child, we'll do it tomorrow? And in your haste, not see his sorrow? Ever lost touch, let a good friendship die cause you never had time to call and say "Hi"? You'd better slow down. Don't dance so fast. Time is short. The music won't last.

When you run so fast to get somewhere you miss half the fun of getting there. When you worry and hurry through your day, it is like an unopened gift.... thrown away. Life is not a race. Do take it slower. Hear the music before the song is over."''

Fr. Mike

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Sunday Collection for week of: October 19-25, 2020

Sunday Collection Goal:	\$9,500
Sunday Collection Received:	\$10,201
Over by:	\$701

Archbishops Annual Appeal (AAA) 2020

AAA Goal	\$126,320
AAA amount received/pledged	\$77,295
AAA still needed	\$49,025

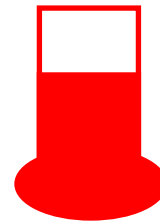
Second Collection next week: **Priest's Retirement Fund**

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NEWS AND UPDATES



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St. Brendan School Update:

Dear St. Brendan Parish Families,

We are so excited to have our students slowly making their way back on campus! Because of space limitations, each class (other than kindergarten) has been divided into two "cohorts", each of which will come two days a week. On Fridays everyone will return to distance learning. Ever so slowly, we are working our way back to normal.

On November 2nd we welcomed back our kindergarten, first, and second graders. In two weeks, assuming the city doesn't issue any new restrictions, we will see our third, fourth, and fifth graders. By the end of November, when sixth, seventh and eighth graders arrive, we should have our entire student body back with us, at least for a few days a week. We can't wait!

We have everything in place to assure that our students can resume in-person learning in safety: temperature checks; hand-sanitizing stations; social distancing of all desks; desk shields for both students and teachers; striping on the playground to remind students to stay in their "cohort" areas; and signs everywhere indicating the recommended six-foot distancing.

It was quite a job getting all these precautions in place, but we know how important it is to keep our students, their families, and our staff as safe as possible.

Thank you so much to all those parishioners who have been so generous in supporting the school's Annual Fund, which will certainly help with these added expenses. We would love to have you join us, at whatever level you can.

You can drop a check in the school's mailbox outside our front door, call the school office (415-731-2665) to request a donation envelope, or donate securely on-line through the school's website: www.stbrendansf.com. Just click "Supporting the School" at the top of the page, then choose "Annual Fund / Donate Now".

Thank you!

God Bless you all,
Ms. Dianne Lakatta, proud principal

A NEW Faith Sharing Group

All are welcome to join some of our recent RCIA participants in forming our newest St. Brendan faith sharing group, "**Lead by the Spirit.**" Meeting by Zoom on the **second Wednesday of each month from 6:00 - 7:00 pm**. The group will explore **The Acts of the Apostles**. The first meeting is November 11, 2020.

For more information or to sign up for "Lead by the Spirit," contact Sister Angela FdCC at srangel@stbrendanparish.org. Sister Angela can also assist you in exploring what other St. Brendan faith sharing groups, currently meeting, you might find enticing.

The next PRE-BAPTISM CLASS for PARENTS and GODPARENTS will take place on the second Saturday of the month, **November 14, 2020 from 10:00 to 11:00 am**, at the Rectory. Please, contact the Parish Office to sign up in advance, or email Sr. Angela srangel@stbrendanparish.org. Come with your mask; social distancing and other precautions will be observed.

Prayer of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, Come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

St. Brendan School Kindergarten Applications

Due to COVID restrictions, we will not be able to offer school tours this year. Anyone wishing to apply for the 2021-2022 school year should visit the school's website for admission procedures and to download an application:

<https://www.stbrendansf.com>

Please call the school office at 415-731-2665 between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM for more information.

