



This Week at St. Brendan's

Sunday (8-25)8:00 a.m. Worship in Outdoor Chapel 10:00 a.m. Worship Hospitality Hour 11:15 a.m. 11:30 a.m. Sunday School meeting 2:30 p.m. ESL Leader meeting Monday 11:00 a.m. Be a Modern Episcopalian (8-26)Tuesday 7:00 a.m. AA meeting (8-27)12:30 p.m. Tai Chi 7:00 p.m. Love ~ Teach~ Heal Wednesday (8-28) 7:00 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. Overeaters Anonymous 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal Sacristans Saturday 9:00 a.m. (8-31)

9:00 a.m.

Brendan's Boots

Serving Sunday, August 25, 2019

Celebrant: The Rev. Julie Smith

Lay Reader: 8:00 a.m. Ellen Groves

10:00 a.m. Sheila Bigelow

Acolyte: Acolyte team Prayers: Dean Peters

Chalice Bearers: Darrell Johnson & Dean Peters
Altar Guild: Chris Botti & Anelisa Tarrant

Sunday School: Summer Break

Nursery: Julia Wick & volunteer needed

Ushers: Mike Wick & Bob Smith
Vestry: Annemarie Malbon

LEM: Ruth Horton

The Priest's Corner

As the school year starts, and I work on my syllabi for my classes, my thoughts are turning to history and cold weather. I'd rather think about history and the company I keep than how cold it may be this winter. For one of my classes, I'm asking students to write biographies of various women in history to be acted out next semester in a local grade school by another group of students. But as Summer comes to an end and Fall inches closer, I also think about that famous question – What did you do on your summer vacation?

So, what I did on my summer vacation was revel in the joy of being a newly ordained priest. I spent time with the church, in the church, in the community, and learning the ways of a new congregation. I've spent the summer immersed in Episcopal theology – and what I mean by theology is how we talk about God; it is the study of the nature of God and religious beliefs.

Over the summer, special times and theology come together as I had the opportunity to attend various meetings, meet with individuals, and share meals, I lived more fully into the joy of life at St. Brendan's. Last summer I spent the summer completing my Clinical Pastoral Education requirement at the VA hospital in Oakland. It was an exhilarating and exhausting and a joyous time. But this summer, as I have found new types of joy in my life in God, I am also aware that this joy will not last forever. Which allows me to grow into an awareness of the admonition in the prayer, "Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for your love's sake. Amen."

I often pray those words. It's my favorite prayer from the Evening Prayer service in The Book of Common Prayer. When I first found this prayer, I wondered about that last request: "Shield the joyous." It seemed out of place among the others which ask for protection from what surely are causes of grief. But shield the joyous? Right now, I'm storing my joy, stretching it out as long and as deeply as I can so that when circumstances change to the first part of the prayer, I have the reserves of strength to carry through.

My reserves of strength started to be filled during Vacation Bible School when I served as a story teller two times. The first time I was a bit nervous, but thanks to God's grace, the young people in the class and to Lowe's for stir sticks, the experiment of breaking a ruler with a newspaper the class went well. The young people were engaged and they each told me stories about themselves, their pets, and their families. We got to know each other a bit more and they got to join their stories to the stories of the heroes of the Bible. We used the theology of storytelling to link our lives to biblical heroes.

Occasionally I met with the raucous Monday morning Being a Modern Episcopalian class. The conversations there are wide ranging and in meeting and talking about the church, I've also gotten to know the people in the group better as we discuss the readings and often interject our own stories into the story of the Episcopal Church. In these ways we flirt with practical theology while telling our stories about where we are in our faith journey. We have wonderful conversations about God, church, who we are, how we became Episcopalians, and link it all to the Bible and our understanding of being a modern Episcopalian. As we tell

our stories, we build our links to the broader Church and our understanding of Episcopal theology. By sharing our stories, we engaged being church together.

There is something about intentionally setting time apart from the other parts of work and life to come together, to pause and consider where am I in my faith walk. The book we use, The Episcopal Handbook, provides a brief (and I do mean brief) explanation of what do we mean when we talk about . . . Church Stuff, Everyday Stuff, or Bible Stuff. The brevity of the explanations provides a launching point for discussion. And through the discussion, revelations about ourselves, our understanding of the Bible and a place to start asking new and more questions about meanings.

This past week we discussed the chapter "The Top Ten Bible Miracles and What They Mean" – starting with Creation. We didn't ask for our personal lists, but I think you could make your own list and that list would probably be close to what was listed in the book. Over the summer, we also discussed the Bible – more how many Bibles do we own (11), how do we read the Bible (for me, not straight through from Genesis to Revelation), how did we start reading the Bible (with my Grandmother Maud, who gave me a book Children's Bible Stories that I still have at home).

For me, it is not the learning about the Episcopal Church, it's not learning (or relearning or clarifying) what we mean by theological terms or ideas, or clarifying how Episcopalians differ from Roman Catholics or Protestants, it is our setting time aside and intentionally committing to each other to learn about who we are as individuals and as a church. It is the group of us laughing and talking, and exploring the wonder of God with curiosity and joy. I missed VBS once I left for the day and I know I'm going to miss our Monday mornings.

So, as I think about the assignment I've given my students, I could write biographies of anyone from Vacation Bible School, or anyone in the group of Modern Episcopalians, or anyone who comes to St. Brendan's. As Episcopalians, we are in good company with each other. We share our lives, our faith, and our God with each other. At St. Brendan's over this summer, I have lived into the blessing that is the joy of ordained life.

Julie Smith

Announcements

Summer Pledge. Enjoy the summer, but don't forget to stay current with your financial pledge. St. Brendan's bills don't take a vacation and we're counting on you to maintain your support! Thank you.



An anonymous donation was given to the **Brendan's Family & Friends Fund** in thanksgiving for St. Brendan's congregation and staff. Thank you.



Ministry fair. Interested in what we have to offer at St. Brendan's and what we are involved in as a congregation? The Ministry Fair will help to explain some of the opportunities that our church has to offer. Meet the people who are heading these activities and ministries and what they are about on September 15 after the 10:00 a.m. service. Stop by and get acquainted during Hospitality Hour.

If you lead a ministry and would like to have a spot to place some information on a table for the fair, please contact Janice Moore at chicago@zoominternet.net.



Adult Formation Study -- Job and "The Mystery of Suffering: Spiritual Reflections" by Richard Rohr.

The book of Job is almost to difficult to understand. However, Job has a lot to teach us about his relationship with God and suffering. Join us for a nine-week study, facilitated by Ruth Getz, on the important themes woven throughout the Book of Job and a time of reflection on the mystery of suffering. This book is easy to read and understand! You may sign up for this study which is being offered Sundays from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. and

Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. This series will begin **Sunday, September 15**. Books may be purchased new or used from Amazon (<u>amazon.com</u>).



Quiet Evening Prayer (Wednesday, August 28). The next candlelight Evening Prayer service will be held at **7 p.m. on August 28**. Please add this date/time to your calendar. The service includes Taize music and silent prayer, reflection, or meditation – with Communion afterwards for those who wish to remain. This is a perfect way to recover from a busy, and perhaps stressful, day. Bring a friend and enjoy this guiet time with the Lord.



Conversation Friends. St. Brendan's ministry to those in the community who are looking for opportunities to improve their spoken English, is preparing to start up classes again after its usual summer hiatus. THIS SUNDAY, August 25th, we will be holding an orientation for anyone who has volunteered in the past or would like to know more about ways to help with the program. The session will begin at 2:30 p.m. in the Social Hall and should last between 60 and 90 minutes. The steering committee has put together a PowerPoint presentation about our

program which will guide us in our discussions. Please bring any questions that you may have to the workshop. You may invite friends who are interested in volunteering to come. You absolutely do not need to have had any previous experience in ESL tutoring to attend; we warmly welcome all who are interested.

Linda Schneider ~ Tim Austin ~ Joyce Donadee



Brendan's Boots (Saturday, August 31). The parish hiking group will head to Coraopolis and Mile 0.0 of the bicycle-friendly Montour Trail on Saturday, August 31, after meeting at the church at 9 a.m. Participants will enjoy lunch afterwards at Carmody's Grille on Neville Island. Everyone is welcome; feel free to invite a friend. For more info, contact Tom Waseleski, twaseleski@comcast.net.



A donation to the Brendan's Family & Friends fund is the perfect way to honor a special person or event. BFF funds are earmarked for unbudgeted building needs. Please pick up a BFF card in the narthex and make a donation today. Thank you for making a difference at St. Brendan's by becoming a BFF donor. Total donated to date for acoustic tiles to be installed in the Social Hall: \$8,004!

A volunteer is needed in the nursery during the 10:00 a.m. service this Sunday. Please notify Katie if you're available. stbrendans@comcast.net.

Sunday School Begins September 8

Sunday School both for LAMBS and FISH will begin the week after Labor Day on September 8. All classes are held during the 10:00 a.m. Sunday service. The children will be released to the classes from church after the opening song and greeting with a "commission" from Fr. Regis. They will return for communion.

All classes will use the WHIRL Lectionary curriculum – reading, reflecting on, and discussing the weekly Gospel reading. The children will meet together for a prayer and song. The children will then be broken into two groups: Pre-K to 2nd grade and 3rd to 5th graders. The younger students will follow the Godly Play method for the Bible story presentations.

The two groups will work together seasonally on a service project and will plan and participate in the Children's Liturgy, the 4th Sunday of the month. All children are welcome to participate in the Children's Liturgy by singing, reading the Scriptures, leading the Prayers of the People, serving as ushers, etc.

There will be a meeting on **Sunday, August 25, after the 10:00 a.m.** service for all interested in volunteering or learning about the program. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex for teachers/leaders and door persons. All volunteers must have the required clearances.

If you have questions, please email or see Julie Smith, ilsphone1@gmail.com, or Allison Kline, aakIrm@comcast.net.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Senior Choir: I am excited as I look out over all the new faces at St. Brendan's. You can feel the energy and excitement in the air. As we approach the beginning of the new program year I hope that some of you will consider joining our music ministry. Hold that thought – no, you don't have to read music or be musically trained. The only requirement is to love singing and the desire to help enrich our liturgy by enhancing our ways of hearing, praying and experiencing the message of our Lord.

Music has always been an important part of St. Brendan's, even in the early days when just a few people joined together to lead the hymns; now the effort has grown to our largest choir of 15 members. Over the last few years we have had multiple choir members move away and our numbers have dwindled. Having a larger choir takes the pressure off everyone; if someone is sick or wants to take time off to travel or be away, it is easier to carry on. Also, people feel more secure singing in a larger group, plus it truly is fun being a part of a large, active group.

We rehearse on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., learning and reviewing two to three pieces of music. Rehearsal tapes can be provided, if needed. We then meet on Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. to review the anthem and the hymns before the 10:00 o'clock service. Rehearsals will begin on Wednesday, Aug. 28.

I have begun to choose and work on the anthems we will be singing in September and October and I would love to be optimistic and pick pieces that require a larger group of singers. Please contact me if you are interested. I will be happy to talk with you about time commitments or any other questions you may have.

Chime Choir: The Chime Choir will begin rehearsing in September. This is a multigenerational group for both youth and adults to work together; you must be at least 10 years old to join. It is helpful to read music but not mandatory.

We will be rehearsing on Sundays after church from 11:30 a.m. (about 10 to 15 minutes after the service ends, so everyone can grab coffee and a cookie) until 12:45 p.m. We will rehearse for 45 minutes, with the ending time impacted by the actual start time. Please contact me and let me know if you are interested in joining the chime choir and if you are able to read music.

-Debbie Wunsche, 724-316-3505, dwunsche@yahoo.com.

Altar Flowers. Did you know you can honor someone (living or deceased) or mark a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, etc.) by donating the cost of altar flowers for a particular Sunday? We have some empty dates on our Altar Flower Calendar, which is on a sign-up sheet on the narthex table. Just sign the sheet if you would like to contribute \$40 to provide flowers. A commemorative message will then be put in the bulletin on the Sunday date of your donation. Flowers are delivered afterwards to a parishioner who is ill, recovering or in need of a friendly boost.



North Hills Food Pantry. For the month of August we are asking you to donate food items that can be used in school lunches. The North Hills Food Bank needs any kind of non-perishable food. Please remember, no glass jars. If you have any questions, contact Larry Toler, Idtoler@aol.com. Thank you for your support.



Used ink cartridges. St. Brendan's benefits from donations of used computer ink cartridges. Please bring them to church and place the cartridge in the box near Katie's office. Thank you.



Easy Funds for St. Brendan's! You may not know it, but St. Brendan's earns 5% for each gift card that we sell!

Basically, if you eat, you can raise funds for our church! It's easy! Just visit the vestry member who is selling gift cards in the narthex each Sunday after the 10 a.m. service, buy a gift card for Kuhn's and/or Giant Eagle, do your usual grocery shopping or gasoline pumping, then pay for it with the card purchased at St. Brendan's!

Thanks for your support of the easiest fundraiser in town!



Sticks & Strings will not gather in August. However, the group will resume its second Thursday of the month meeting schedule in September. The next date will be **September 12**th at 7 p.m. in the library and everyone is welcome.

CRIES Advocacy. Christian Response In Emergency Situations meets monthly on the third Sunday in the library after the 10 a.m. service to determine distribution of the parish's outreach tithe each month. Each person present has an equal voice and vote on where the money goes.

This week we are praying for the Salvation Army, which provides social services, thrift stores, disaster relief and worship centers in areas of need (www.wepasa.org). The next meeting will be **THIS Sunday, August.18.** All are welcome.



Book Club is on summer hiatus until **September 5**, but if you want to plan your beach reading, we'll be comparing two books, Jane Austen's classic "Pride and Prejudice" and "Eligible," a modern take on the story by Curtis Sittenfeld. Both are easy to borrow from the library in print or audio formats. (Feel free to cheat with the PBS series starring Colin Firth.) For more information, email Pat Carl at pkarrcarl@gmail.com. Happy reading!

Under One Roof Support Ministry is for adults who unexpectedly find themselves living under one roof with other adults — adult children, parents, other family members and friends. This ministry assists individuals in navigating the oftentimes complex pathways of these living situations and relationships. Contact Jim Evanochko for information and support, 609-577-6459 or Jme555@comcast.net.



Do you have a special prayer request? You can write one and leave it on the prayer plate by Regis' office. On Sunday those prayers are offered up to God during the 8:00 a.m. service. Each week they are collected by the Community of Hope and added to their daily prayers. You can also email prayer requests to stbrendans.coh@gmail.com. Community of Hope members will include those persons in daily prayers or send out a prayer via text or email to someone if requested. All prayers and requests are kept confidential.

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Recommend us on Nextdoor: https://nextdoor.com/pages/st-brendans-episcopal-church-sewickley-pa/recommend/

Trinity Cathedral Walk-In Ministry. Every five weeks Brendanites help to staff the Walk-In Ministry at Trinity Cathedral downtown, feeding and clothing 70 to 90 desperately needy people. You can help by donating children's diapers; new, white athletic socks and underwear for women and men; toothpaste, razors and travel size cans of shaving cream. Please leave donations in the wicker basket outside Regis's office. If you might be interested in volunteering at the cathedral in person, please see Linda Schneider, Meg Overby or Tim Austin.

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Presiding Bishop Michael Curry's Public Address (Saturday, October 5).

Would you be interested in going to Wheeling, W.Va., to hear and see Presiding Bishop Michael Curry? In celebration of the 200th anniversary of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Wheeling, the church will feature a special presentation by the presiding bishop at Wesbanco Arena at 3 p.m. on **Saturday, October 5**. Wheeling is about one hour and 30 minutes from St. Brendan's. Tickets are \$5. Click on the link to purchase yours:

https://www.etix.com/ticket/p/5841774/bishop-michael-curry-wheeling-wesbanco-arena. Contact Regis or Frances Kinley if you're interested or sign up in the narthex.

Run for Thy Neighbor 5K (Saturday, September 28).

Mark your calendars and spread the word! Christ Episcopal Church, North Hills, Run for Thy Neighbor 5K will be held Saturday, September 28, at 9:00 a.m. Participants will meet at the Harmar Shelter located near Pie Traynor Field and swimming pool in North Park. Come ready, rain or shine, to run, walk, cheer, sponsor and/or volunteer the day of the 5K!

This year's proceeds will benefit HEARTH, located in the North Hills. HEARTH provides transitional services and housing for families who are survivors of domestic violence or other trauma and experience homelessness. HEARTH helps participants become independent and economically self-sufficient by providing housing, basic needs, health services, transportation, and much more including a requirement to return to school for training. http://runforthyneighbor5k.org/.

Please scroll to the next few pages for the Hospitality Hour schedules and the August & September ministry calendars.

August 2019 Ministry calendar



Date	Lectors	Altar Guild	Sunday School	Nursery	Usher	Vestry	Hospitality
August 4 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Joan Beatrous L Debbie Wunsche P Anne Hunt C Debbie Wunsche C Richard Gordon LEV Stacey Coyle	Sylvia Affleck Betsy Smith	Summer Break	Stacy Connifey Pat Carl	Joyce & Michael Donadee	Larry Toler	Angela & Michael Schlumpf
August 7 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Ellen Groves	Ellen Groves	~	~	~	~	~
August 11 Sunday 8 & 0:00 am	8 Charlotte Pierce L Dean Peters P Alan Schneider C Dean Peters C Janice Moore LEV Joyce Donadee	Terry Dezort Brigid Christenson	Summer Break	Stacy Connifey Silvia Bertucci	Chris Fleissner Eric Helmsen	Janice Moore	Joan & Paul Klinefelter
August 14 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Alan Schneider	Linda Schneider	~	~	~	~	~
August 18 Sunday 8 &10:00 am	8 Ruth Horton L Annemarie Malbon P Michael Donadee C Joyce Donadee C Michael Donadee LEV Richard Gordon	Ellen Groves Janet Fesq	Summer Break	Stephanie Illsley Volunteer	Brad Thompson Larry Toler	Chris Botti	Allison & Phil Burdette
August 21 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Tammy Spoonhoward	Tammy Spoonhoward	~	~	~	~	~
August 25 Sunday 8 &10:00 am	8 Ellen Groves L Sheila Bigelow P Dean Peters C Darrell Johnson C Dean Peters LEV Ruth Horton	Chris Botti Anelisa Tarrant	Summer Break	Julia Wick Volunteer needed	Mike Wick Bob Smith	Annemarie Malbon	The Sunday School children
August 28 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Sylvia Affleck	Sylvia Affleck	~	~	~	~	~



September 2019 Ministry calendar

Date	Lectors	Altar Guild	Sunday School	Nursery	Usher	Vestry	Hospitality
September 1 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Ruth Gets L Alan Schneider P Darrell Johnson C Stacy Coyle C Tim Austin LEV Darrell Johnson	Joan Beatrous Shari Tarrant	Summer Break	Stacy Connifey Mary Haider	Joyce & Michael Donadee	Tim Austin	Darrell Johnson Isaac Mondelus
September 4 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Ellen Groves	Ellen Groves	~	~	~	~	~
September 8 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Charlotte Pierce L Nate Boyd P Dean Peters C Dean Peters C Janice Moore LEV Stacey Coyle	Terry Dezort Betsy Smith	TBD	Stacy Connifey Sarika Sethia	Chris Fleissner Eric Helmsen	Ruth Horton	Laureen & Todd Douds
September 11 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Alan Schneider	Linda Schneider	~	~	~	~	~
September 15 Sunday 8 &10:00 am	8 Ruth Horton L Michael Donadee P Susan Shoemaker C Joyce Donadee C Michael Donadee LEV Joyce Donadee	Sylvia Affleck Janice Moore	TBD	Stacy Connifey Annemarie Malbon	Brad Thompson Larry Toler	Dean Peters	The Aretz & Kinley families
September 18 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Tammy Spoonhoward	Tammy Spoonhoward	~	~	~	~	
September 22 Sunday 8 &10:00 am Children's Sunday	8 Joan Beatrous L Children P Children C Darrell Johnson C Stacy Coyle LEV Richard Gordon	Chris Botti Anelisa Tarrant	TBD	Stacy Connifey Libby Juel	Chris Fleissner Eric Helmsen	Tom Waseleski	Melanie Popovich Thaddeus Popovich
September 25 Wednesday 7:00 pm	Sylvia Affleck	Sylvia Affleck	~	~	~	~	~
September 29 Sunday 8 &10:00 am	8 Joan Beatrous L Richard Gordon P Sheila Bigelow C Janice Moore C Richard Gordon LEV Ruth Horton	Ellen Groves Brigid Christenson	TBD	Stacy Connifey Silvia Bertucci	Mike Wick Bob Smith	Kevin Boyd	Jean Pett-Ridge Marge Marine

Hospitality Hour Hosts/Hostesses

October 2018 September

October 2018

- 7 Nancy & George Snyder
- 14 Pat Carl & Joan Beatrous
- 21 Animal Blessing
- 28 Gail Gagnon & Karen Dennis

November 2018

- 4 Joyce & Michael Donadee
- 11 Darrell Johnson & Ruth Horton
- 18 Eric Helmsen & Joni Reis
- 25 Nancy & Wilder Bancroft

December 2018

- 2 Saundy & Tom Waseleski
- 9 Chris & Roger Botti
- 16 Anelisa Tarrant & Janet Fesq
- 23 Julia Wick & Ken Parsons
- 30 Rob & George Latta

January 2019

- 6 Kate & Keith Heston
- 13 Anne & Jno Hunt
- 20 Julia & Mike Wick
- 27 Mary & Jim Evanochko

February 2019

- 3 The Fleissner family
- 10 Janice & Dan Moore
- 17 Ken Parsons & Regis Smolko
- 24 Amy & Kevin Boyd

March 2019

- 3 Mary & Dale Bertucci
- 10 Brad Thompson & Larry Toler
- 17 Allison Kline & Linda Mesko
- 24 Michael Newton & Peter Sweet
- 31 Lauren Chappo & Becca Sands

April 2019

- 7 Karen & Dean Peters
- 14 Sharon Hlawati & Donna Aiello
- 21 Megan Overby & Tim Austin
- 28 Pot Luck

May 2019

- 5 Kelli Cerra & Ellen Groves
- 12 Mother's Day/Bishop's visit
- 19 Sharon & Ron Ladick
- 26 Tammy & Bill Spoonhoward

June 2019

- 2 Annemarie Malbon & Janet Fesq
- 9 Susan Shoemaker & Margie Davies
- 16 Linda & Alan Schneider
- 23 Parish Picnic
- 30 Celebration

July 2019

- 7 Rob & George Latta
- 14 Judy Flick & Marcy Little
- 21 Debbie Wunsche & Jim Gray
- 28 Betsy & Bob Smith

August 2019

- 4 Angela & Michael Schlumpf
- 11 Joan & Paul Klinefelter
- 18 Allison & Phil Burdette
- 25 The Sunday School Children

September 2019

- 1 Darrell Johnson & Isaac Mondelus
- 8 Laureen & Todd Douds
- 15 The Aretz & Kinley family
- 22 Melanie & Thaddeus Popovich
- 29 Jean Pett-Ridge & Marge Marine

Hospitality Hour Hosts/Hostesses

October 2019



September 2020

October 2019

- 6 LuAnn & James Aldridge
- 13 Dottie & Carl Antonucci
- 20 Frances Kinley & Melissa & William
- 27 Lauren Chappo & Becca Sands

November 2019

- 3 Brenna Conroy & Kristen Bailey
- 10 Melinda & Wesley Bell
- 17 Sheila Bigelow & Jim Roche
- 24 Hospitality Committee

December 2019

- 1 Kate & Mike Bunn
- 8 Julie Smith & Colette Satler
- 15 Brigid & Jim Christenson
- 22 Hospitality Committee
- 29 Stacey Coyle & Andrea Dickerson

January 2020

- 5 Terry Dezort & Karen Dennis
- 12 Connie & Richard Weichel
- 19 Joyce & Michael Donadee
- 26 Annual Meeting, Vestry

February 2020

- 2 Super Bowl
- 9 Trish & Neil Galone
- 16 Gail Gil & Richard Gordon
- 23 Maria Hoober & Cameron Grosh

March 2020

- 1 Clair & Bob Grotevant
- 8 Ellie & Kevin Harkins
- 15 Linda Limberis & Eric Helmsen
- 22 Kate & Keith Heston
- 29 Meghan & Robert Karn

April 2020

- 5 Cindy & Pete Larson
- 12 Hospitality Committee
- 19 Libby & Phoebe Juel
- 26 Stephanie Illsley & Justin Ziegler

May 2020

- 3 Cindy & Pete Larson
- 10 Parish Men
- 17 Laureen & Todd Douds
- 24 Sharon & Ron Ladick
- 31 Linda & Jason Konley

June 2020

- 7 Marian & AJ McKenna
- 14 Annemarie Malbon & Joe Macklin
- 21 Erica & Mark McClure
- 28 Parish Picnic

July 2020

- 5 Marilyn Mulliville & Tim Michael
- 12 Jean Pett-Ridge & Isaac Mondelus
- 19 Kate & John Riley
- 26 Joni Reis & Thaddeus Popovich

August 2020

- 2 Lauren & Ashwin Ramakrishna
- 9 Arlena & Bill Pugliese
- 16 Anne Semmler & Andrew Sprentz
- 23 Saundy & Tom Waseleski
- 30 AJ Turo & Ginny Volpini

September 2020

- 6 Nancy & George Snyder
- 13 Emmalynne & Michael Waseleski
- 20 Emily & Brad Zupancic
- 27 Gail Gagnon & Chris Fleissner



ST. BRENDAN'S MISSION

Jesus said, "I have come to give life – life in all its fullness." John 10:10. Our mission is the realization of fullness through: the worship of God: service to the world: active concern for each other: and education to expand mind and spirit.

VESTRY MEMBERS

Sr. Warden: Tom Waseleski Jr. Warden & Education: Ruth Horton Worship & Safety/Security: Tim Austin Fundraising & Clerk: Chris Botti Finance & Technology: Kevin Boyd

> Communication: Annemarie Malbon Inreach & Hospitality: Janice Moore

Newcomers: Dean Peters

Invite/Welcome/Connect & Outreach: Larry Toler

Treasurer: Ellen Groves

WORSHIP MINISTRY LEADERS

Acolytes: Anelisa Tarrant Altar Guild: Tammy Spoonhoward

Flower Ministry: Sylvia Affleck

Libby Juel

Community of Hope: Ruth Horton Scheduler: Kelli Cerra Ushers: Eric Helmsen

PARISH LIFE MINISTRY LEADERS

Audit: Kevin Boyd Book Club: Pat Carl

Brendan's Boots: Tom Waseleski Dinner Group: Janice Moore Finance Chair: Eric Helmsen Green Thumb Gang: Roger Botti

Historian: Ellen Groves

Holiday Arts & Crafts Sale: Anelisa Tarrant Invite Welcome Connect: Bradford Thompson

Memorial Garden: Dan Moore

Merry Meal Makers (M&M's): Saundy Waseleski

Nursery: Stacy Connifey Parish Profile: Kelli Cerra

Reiki Ministry: Melanie Popovich Rental: Mark Shoemaker

Scholarship: Tom Waseleski

Sticks & Strings: Joni Reis

Debbie Jennings

Web Site: Kelli Cerra

OUTREACH MINISTRY LEADERS

Adopt-A-Highway: Tom Waseleski CRIES Advocacy: Ellen Groves

English as a Second Language: Joyce Donadee Linda Schneider

Invite Welcome Connect: Bradford Thompson North Hills Food Bank Ministry: Ruth Horton

Garden of Hope: Tim Michael

Miryam's: Julia Wick

Rob & George Latta Janice & Dan Moore

Stacy Connifey

Under One Roof: Joyce Donadee

Jim Evanochko

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