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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOLY MASS*
SAT VIGIL 5:30 PM
SUNDAY 7:15, 8:45,
10:45 AM & 5:30 PM

DAILY MASS*
MON & WED
6:30 AM & 5:30 PM
TUES, THURS, FRI
6:30 AM, 8 AM
SAT 8 AM

RECONCILIATION*
WED 6-7 PM
(during Adoration)
SAT 9 AM

To schedule an appointment
for Confession with a priest,
please call the parish office.

**Regular Mass & Confession
times may change due to
special events, funerals or
Feast/Holy Days. Find this
week's calendar inside the
bulletin or on our website.*

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2/14 is Ash Wednesday

Ashes will be distributed to
everyone during Masses at:
7 AM, 12 PM & 5:30 PM



MASS INTENTIONS & FEAST DAYS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Feria II of the Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

6:30 AM Jill & Vin Johnson +
5:30 PM Ted Burnett +

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Feria III of the Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

6:30 AM Dora & Paul Carter +
8:00 AM Rick Zengler +

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Ash Wednesday

7:00 AM Jill & Vin Johnson +
12:00 PM Dora & Paul Carter +
5:30 PM Alice Breda +

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Thursday after Ash Wednesday

6:30 AM Intention of John Paul Davis
8:00 AM Elizabeth Cavallaro +

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Friday after Ash Wednesday

6:30 AM Intention of Logan Figuerado
8:00 AM Louis Vinh Do +

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Commemoration of the Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

8:00 AM Alice Breda +
5:30 PM Andrew Lombardi +

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

First Sunday of Lent

7:15 AM Intention of the Young Family
8:45 AM The People of St Brendan Parish
10:45 AM Norbert & Coletta Lause +
5:30 PM Tina Szmania-DeFluiten +

+ indicates intention for a person who is deceased.

INFORMATION CENTER

CHURCH HOURS

Weekdays, 6 AM-10 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays, 9 AM-12 PM, 1-4 PM
(closed 12-1 PM)

NEW MEMBERS – All are Welcome!

Call 614.876.1272, email receptionist@stbrendans.net or request a Welcome Packet at stbrendans.net/become-a-member

MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to marriage. Marriage preparation is required.

BAPTISMS

Celebrated at 12 PM most Sundays. Two baptismal prep classes are required. Request at stbrendans.net/baptism

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASSES

First Sunday most months, 12 PM (2 classes required). For questions, email baptism@stbrendans.net

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office.

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

Interested in becoming Catholic? Contact Fr Jacob Stinnett at frstinnett@stbrendans.net or 614.876.1272, ext 226

MINISTRY OF EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS – 614.876.1272

ST BRENDAN SCHOOL

614.876.6132, fax 614.529.8929

MARKETING/BULLETIN REQUEST

Request form and details at stbrendans.net/marketing or email marketing@stbrendans.net

MASS INTENTIONS

Mail in or drop off requests to the Parish Office with \$10 (due when the request made).

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS

Register at www.virtus.org

FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR

In remembrance of a loved one or special intention (cost is \$75). Donor/intentions are published in the bulletin.

MINISTRY OF CARE FOR OUR HOMEBOUND

To receive the Eucharist at home or in a facility, contact Jen Rice at 614.876.1272, ext 227 or jrice@stbrendans.net

POD NURSERY

Open most Sundays during 8:45 & 10:45 AM Masses for children ages 6 months to 4 years.

NAVIGATOR NEWS / PARISHSTAQ

To automatically begin receiving our parish e-newsletter, visit stbrendan.ccbchurch.com and create your ParishStaq account. This is also the url to log in to your ParishStaq account.

WEEKLY SUNDAY LITURGY AIDS

Worship materials sent to your email: tinyurl.com/LiturgyAids

LITURGICAL MINISTRY PORTAL

Altar Servers, Welcomers, Ushers, Lectors or EMHCs can log in to Ministry Scheduler Pro at: www.rotundasoftware.com/ministry/stbrendans
For scheduling questions, email ministryscheduler@stbrendans.net

SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook:
(Parish) [StBrendanofHilliard](https://www.facebook.com/StBrendanofHilliard)
Instagram:
(Parish) [@stbrendanhilliard](https://www.instagram.com/stbrendanhilliard)
(School) [@saintbrendanschool](https://www.instagram.com/saintbrendanschool)
(The Vine) [@stbvine](https://www.instagram.com/stbvine)
(The Roots) [@stb_theroots](https://www.instagram.com/stb_theroots)
(Young Adults) [@stbvia](https://www.instagram.com/stbvia)

LIVESTREAMED MASS

YouTube – [SaintBrendantheNavigatorHilliard](https://www.youtube.com/SaintBrendantheNavigatorHilliard)
Facebook – [facebook.com/StBrendanHilliardyoutubecom/](https://www.facebook.com/StBrendanHilliardyoutubecom/)
Sunday: 10:45 AM
Mon & Wed: 5:30 PM
Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat: 8 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

<https://stbrendan.weadorehim.com>

MONDAY ADORATION ADDED! (FEB 19-MARCH 25)

MON 6 PM – 10 PM (during Lent)

TUES 9 AM – 10 PM

WED 7 AM – 5 PM

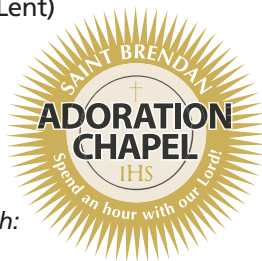
*Holy Hour: 6–7 PM,
Confessions available*

THUR 9 AM – 10 PM

FRI 9 AM – 10 PM

*1st Friday of each month:
9 AM–Saturday 1 PM*

SAT 9 AM – 1 PM



**ANCHORED
IN ADORATION**

Cancelled Feb 14 due to Ash Wednesday Masses

ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

Ashes distributed during February 14 Masses at
7 AM, 12 PM, 5:30 PM* (*livestreamed)

- Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting & abstinence
- No 6:30 AM Mass
- Adoration is 8 AM-5 PM
- No Anchored in Adoration or Confession

PARISH LENTEN FISH FRY

February 16 & 23, March 8, 15 & 22

For details visit www.stbrendans.net/fish-fry

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent, 7 PM in the Church

40 DAYS OF ADORATION

February 28, 7 AM-7 PM in the Church

MONDAY ADORATION

Mondays, 6-10 PM will be added to our current Adoration schedule (Feb 19-March 25). Sign up at <https://stbrendan.weadorehim.com>

PARISH LENTEN MISSION

Listen-Adore-Learn, March 4-6, 7 PM

March 4: Speaker Msgr Frank Lane

March 5: True Presence Night

March 6: Teaching Mass

PARISH PENANCE SERVICE

March 19, 7-9 PM

*Yet even now –
return to me with
your whole heart.*
– Joel 2:12

LENT 2024



LENT RESOURCES

RETURN TO HIM...

"Yet even now – return to me with your whole heart."

These words of the Lord through the prophet Joel are instructions to us with a twofold meaning this year. We will begin Lent this week with the spiritual goal of repentance, to clear away anything that is keeping us away from a relationship with our Lord, to grow stronger in prayer and in generosity to others. God is asking us to return to Him in this season – whether we are already with Him or have turned away, returning means re-turn. Do it again, with even more effort. Come into relationship with your whole heart.

How fitting that this verse also corresponds to where we are in the Eucharistic Revival. Jesus is asking each of us to return to Him by spending time in His presence at Mass, in Adoration, in prayer. He wants our whole heart's attention to believe in His true presence in the Eucharist. He knows what this will mean for not just our spiritual lives, but for all of our environments and all whom we encounter. More grace, less struggle – even in the suffering.

That is why, this Lent in particular, so many of our offerings are built around Jesus in the Eucharist so we may have an actionable way to re-turn to Him with our whole hearts. We will add Monday nights to our Adoration hours and will have more hours during Holy Week as we lead up to the Triduum. Our parish mission, March 4-6, *Listen-Adore-Learn*, are 3 very different nights of deepening our faith and understanding of Jesus. Msgr Frank Lane will be here first to speak to us about the *Eucharist as Thanksgiving*. On March 5, we welcome a nationally-known music and worship group for a *True Presence Night* with Adoration, witness and music. Then, on March 6, Father Bob and Father Jacob will provide a *Teaching Mass* – actual Mass with commentary on what is happening and how we respond. This will take your Mass participation to the next level!

We are also offering the program, *Jesus and the Eucharist*, provided by the *National Eucharistic Revival* in seven Tuesday morning or evening sessions. Videos and small group discussion offer great content and the opportunity to hear from bishops, Catholic speakers, and each other. All teens and adults are welcome to register and attend.

Our prayer for you this Lent is that you embrace this season not with dread, but with excitement about what is possible as you intentionally re-turn to our Lord. Check out our Lent page on the website for even more ideas you can do on your own. Jesus is waiting to welcome you into His presence, for His love and generosity knows no bounds. We just need to make that first move and turn.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR



CONGRATULATIONS ON THE BAPTISM OF

Harrison Patrick Cordle



To the families of
Edda Sintic and Frank Kreber

VALENTINE'S DAY

Despite Ash Wednesday and Valentine's Day falling on Feb 14 this year, Bishop Earl Fernandes has NOT authorized a dispensation from the requirement to fast on the first day of the Lenten observance. The Catholic Church's obligation to fast remains in place under ordinary conditions for those ages 18-59 and to abstain from meat for ages 14 & up.

The Catholic Times IT'S TIME TO RENEW!

Sign up/renew your subscription at catholictimescolumbus.org under the subscribe tab. Current subscribers also receive a paper statement in the mail that can be mailed in to renew, and new subscribers can also choose to mail their \$26 check in (with name and address for the new subscription) to: *The Catholic Times*, Diocese of Columbus, 197 E Gay Street, Columbus, OH 43215

INCENSE SCHEDULE

Incense will be utilized at Masses denoted via the thurible icon on the calendar to the right or below:

February 11 10:45 AM
February 18 5:30 PM
February 25 10:45 AM

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

6:30 AM	Daily Mass	Adoration Chapel
9:00 AM	Church Cleaning	Church & Adoration Chapel
5:30 PM	Daily Mass	Church
6:30 PM	Family Faith Formation Monday	Multiple Locations
6:30 PM	Seek & Root Family Faith Formation	Wellnitz, Meeting Rms 1 & 2

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

6:30 AM	Daily Mass	Adoration Chapel
6:30 AM	Men's Ministry: Faith Sharing	Davidson Rd Meeting Rm A
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	Church
9:00 AM-10:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	Adoration Chapel
1:00 PM	Seniors NOW: Winter Social	Wellnitz Mtg Rm 1 (w/Patio)
7:00 PM	RCIA	Chas McCurdy Learning Cntr

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Diocesan Collection: J.O.I.N. / Ash Wednesday

NO: 6:30 AM Daily Mass, Anchored in Adoration or Confessions

7:00 AM	Holy Day Mass, Ash Wednesday	Church
8:00 AM-5:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	Adoration Chapel
12:00 PM	Holy Day Mass, Ash Wednesday	Church
5:30 PM	Holy Day Mass, Ash Wednesday	Church
7:00 PM	Young Adult Men's Small Group	The Carter Center

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

School Early Dismissal 12 PM

6:30 AM	Daily Mass	Adoration Chapel
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	Church
9:00 AM-10:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	Adoration Chapel
1:00 PM	Grief Support Lunch	Off Site: La Chatelaine, Dublin
7:00 PM	SVdP Sandwich Making for the Homeless	Wellnitz Mtg Rm 1 (w/Patio)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

NO School

6:30 AM	Daily Mass	Adoration Chapel
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	Church
9:00 AM-10:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	Adoration Chapel
5:00 PM-7:00 PM	Lenten Fish Fry	School Gym (MPR)
7:00 PM	Stations of the Cross	Church

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Diocesan Collection: Black and Indian Missions

6:30 AM	Men's Ministry: Faith Sharing	Davidson Rd Meeting Rm A
8:00 AM	Columbus Catholic Women's Conference	Off Site: Ohio Expo Center (Kasich Hall)
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	Church
8:45 AM	Praying the Rosary	Church
9:00 AM	Confession	Confessional
9:00 AM-1:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	Adoration Chapel
5:30 PM	Vigil Mass	Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Diocesan Collection: Black and Indian Missions

5:30 PM

7:15, 8:45, 10:45 AM, 5:30 PM	Sunday Masses	Church
During 8:45 & 10:45 AM Mass	Children's Liturgy of the Word	Adoration Chapel
During 8:45 & 10:45 AM Mass	POD Nursery	Childcare Center
12:00 PM	Baptisms	Church
6:30 PM	VINE Night	School Gym (MPR)
6:45 PM	ASPEN	Cafeteria
6:45 PM	Family Faith Formation Sunday PM Small Groups	Multiple Locations





ST BRENDAN PRAYER LIST

If you would like us to pray for friends and family who are hospitalized, ill at home or for active duty military loved ones, email names to bulletin@stbrendans.net or use our online Prayer Wall for other prayer intentions not included in the bulletin at www.stbrendans.net/prayer-wall

If you or a loved one is hospitalized or ill at home and would like a pastoral visit, call 614.876.1272

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

THOSE HOSPITALIZED OR ILL

Heather Ayers	Doris Kopac
Richard Blaha	Frank Kreber
Bill Brake	Jill Markey
Chris Carrino	Joe Martin
Linda Clark	Luna Reilly McDonald
Patricia Crane	Kaden Morris
Tom Crane	Becky Moyer
Dick Crumley	Sheri Raitz
Dan DiCesare	Michelle Spencer
Ben Diepenbrock	Tom Speroni
Connie Feliks	Hattie Stewart
Timothy Patrick Finneran	Pamela Theado
Mary Jo Flickinger	Bernadette Thornton
Allie Ganger	Mitzie Toth
Lois Hanf	Kathy Urbano
Milena Hendrix	Marilyn Wiggins
Ora Johnson	Kevin Yarman
Kim Jadwin	

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY

Thomas Dye	Jackson Maassel
Aaron Grieshop	Alec Moyer
Aaron Huesman	Rick Shonkwiler
Sam Imwalle	Rob Shonkwiler
Christopher Keck	Luke Stumphauzer
Cody Longstreth	

... we continue to pray for all our men and women in service to our country, as well as all healthcare workers and first responders.

THOSE AWAY FROM THE CHURCH

For information about our Inviting Catholics Home Ministry, visit www.stbrendans.net/ich

POD NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

The Pod Nursery is open for 8:45 & 10:45 AM Masses and Faith Formation, but we could still use several more adult & teen volunteers (adults must be *Protecting God's Children* compliant). Please sign up via the QR code or contact Andrea at andrea.r.mcclymont@gmail.com



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SCHOOL AUCTION NEWS

The 2024 School Auction and Dinner, *An Evening Under the Stars*, is Sat, March 2.

DONATIONS – We are currently accepting personal or corporate donations and sponsorships. For details, please visit our auction webpage.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Help is needed in selling raffle tickets, setting up, working during the event and for cleanup. To find details and sign up links, please visit the auction webpage.

TICKETS ON SALE – *Lucky Stars Raffle* tickets for the School Auction and Dinner are available for our popular 50/50 raffle. No need to be present to win. Raffle tickets are \$20 ea. and event tickets are \$60. Both are available via the QR code or visit the auction webpage at tinyurl.com/school-auction



LEARN TO KNIT OR CROCHET

Interested in knit or crochet or looking for a new winter hobby? The Ladies of the Prayer Shawl Ministry are available to teach or refresh your skills in the Carter Center Wednesday, February 21, 1:30-3:30 PM. We have plenty of yarn, but please bring your own knitting needles or crochet hook. Contact Kathy at kendrizz@aol.com (call/text 614-440-3352) or Karen at kkessmith@yahoo.com to let us know you're coming!

GRIEF SUPPORT LUNCH

Looking for grief support from other parishioners? Our next Grief Support Lunch is Thursday, February 15 at 1 PM at La Chatelaine Restaurant in Dublin at 65 W Bridge Street. Questions? Contact Dennis at edmuch@me.com

Seniors **NOW**  *A social group for parishioners age 65+*
NAVIGATING OUR WAY

FEBRUARY 13, TUESDAY, 1 PM – Fat Tuesday, Winter Social Games and snacks in Wellnitz Hall. No RSVP needed.

FEBRUARY 19, MONDAY, 12 PM – Soup & Bread Luncheon in the Davidson Road Meeting Rooms. Speaker: Joel Wrobbel, Director of Ohio Living. Topic: "Successful Living as You Journey into Retirement" **RSVP** Larry Hanchin, VP: larryhanchin@yahoo.com, 614-264-6295

A NOTE ABOUT COFFEE & DONUTS...

You may have noticed we have not been offering Coffee & Donuts after Masses lately. Deacon Yglesias, who graciously led this ministry for the past few years, is now working on other new exciting opportunities for our parish.

The Inviting Catholics Home Ministry/Welcoming Ministries joined together a couple of years ago and will now begin overseeing the Coffee & Donuts ministry, and we will need your help!

Coffee & Donuts will start up again in April. Only 18 spots are available for Coffee and Donuts this year (first and third Sundays of the Month), so don't wait to pick your date! We will be looking for volunteers, school families or classes and other ministries to help out and to foster fellowship after Mass – whether that's someone to pick up the donuts, make coffee, set up/clean up the Davidson Road Meeting Rooms after the 8:45 & 10:45 AM Masses or just having a few of your group members available to talk to individuals about your ministries or clubs. Kids can help out too! Simply put, without your help, we will not have Coffee & Donuts. All of our larger parish groups and ministries are highly encouraged to sign up for one weekend each year. To make a commitment, please contact Janet Walsh at jlwalsh1@gmail.com

FEBRUARY 14 COLLECTION FOR J.O.I.N.



PLEASE SUPPORT THE JOINT ORGANIZATION FOR INNER-CITY NEEDS! JOIN is an agency of the Diocese's Catholic Charities Office. Sharing God's love with our neighbors and caring for our brothers and sisters as He told us to do are the blessings we impart daily. Through the generosity of people throughout our Diocese, JOIN is able to help our neighbors with their essential needs such as food, personal care, household items and diapers. We can also assist with intricate needs such as prescriptions, utilities, birth certificates and transportation. We recognize the necessity of family and that family love is a vocation. Attaining self-sufficiency is important, nurturing family love is a vital way of sustaining a family within its own household and building on that foundation.

St Brendan Parish has always been a great ally to JOIN in previous years through the **Ash Wednesday collection**. On behalf of everyone at JOIN, and from the neighbors we serve, thank you for all you do through your ministries that serve our brothers and sisters. Scan the QR code or visit <https://ppay.co/Ka0PJ-OtYKq> for secure online giving, or give in the baskets after the Ash Wednesday Masses. Questions about JOIN? Contact Lisa Keita at 614-241-2530 or lkeita@columbuscatholic.org



FEB 20 – JESUS & THE EUCHARIST

The National Eucharistic Revival has invited all parishes to participate in this study to immerse ourselves in the presence of Jesus: who He is, how He saved us, how He is with us, and the Bread He provided for the journey.

Each session contains a video of content, Scripture, and the chance to hear bishops, clergy and personal testimonies from Catholics across the country. Group discussion and prayer round out the sessions. The seven sessions take place on Tuesday mornings (9-10:30 AM) or evenings (7-8:30 PM) beginning February 20. There is no cost to you, thanks to the generosity of donors to the National Eucharistic Revival. Registration is open to all teens and adults at www.stbrendans.net/eucharistic-revival



Jesus and the Eucharist is one of the many opportunities we have to deepen our faith, preparing us for the Eucharistic Congress July 17-21 in Indianapolis, but also preparing us for our spiritual journey of a life here with Jesus and life forever with Him one day in Heaven. Join us! Questions? Contact Jen at jrice@stbrendans.net

MEN'S & WOMEN'S THE CHOSEN, SEASON 2

WOMEN'S THURSDAY AM/PM GROUP – Once we belong to Him, we are not only given a new identity, we are also ushered into a new reality that is powerful and life changing. Because of this, we have hope no matter our circumstances, we have assurances and resources, even in life's trials, and we are blessed in all things because we are chosen by Him. Join us for Season Two of *The Chosen: Blessed Are The Chosen*. This is an 8-week study of video, discussion and prayer with AM & PM sessions for women beginning February 22. Register at www.stbrendans.net/womens-groups Childcare available for the morning session. Join us for another great season of getting to know Jesus more in this Eucharistic Year!



MEN'S SATURDAY MORNING FAITH SHARING – Join us March 2 to explore Season Two of *The Chosen* from a Catholic perspective on Saturdays at 6:30 AM in the Davidson Road Meeting Rooms for fellowship (breakfast provided), video, small group discussion and prayer. Questions? Contact Grant at ricekris8813@att.net

THE TUESDAY MORNING MEN'S MINISTRY is starting a new Lenten series on February 13 called *I Thirst* from *Formed*. This seven-week study meets at 6:30-7:30 AM. All men of the parish are welcome!

MEN'S VIRTUAL ROSARY – FEB 17, 7:30 AM

Join us on Zoom to pray a Rosary for the success of the Women's Conference! Also, pray a virtual Rosary with other Columbus Catholic Men at 7 AM (1st Wednesday of each month): www.catholicmensministry.com

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY ON THE PASSION – FEB 19

All men and women are welcome to the *Catholic Way Bible Study's* series on *The Passion*, a 5-week journey walking with Jesus through His Passion with the Gospel of Luke. Meet in Wellnitz Hall on Mondays, 9-11 AM, February 19 through March 18. Includes a video and study questions/discussion to deepen our faith, knowledge, and love for the Lord. For more information about CWBS, check out their website at <https://cwbs.org/> To register for the study visit www.stbrendans.net/lent Questions? Contact Rhonda: hamrockr@gmail.com, or Patsy: dpbunnell@yahoo.com



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2024 Columbus Catholic Women's Conference

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FEB 17 8AM-5PM



Jen Rice
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HEATHER KHYM



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Register at www.columbuscatholicwomen.com

ST BRENDAN SCHOOL PRINCIPAL ANNOUNCEMENT



Families of St Brendan,

I am pleased to announce that St Brendan School has a new Principal for the next academic year!

The successful candidate is well-known to the school community but perhaps not as a school principal. Though his résumé includes school administration, **Michael DeMassimo** has been building a successful business outside of education for the past several years. As he steps into the role of Administrator at St Brendan, Mike will be taking steps for the day-to-day operations of his business to be handled by someone else. Mike is 100% committed to this opportunity in our school and is excited to begin.

Mike comes to us with an impressive background as a high school Principal in the Olentangy and Hilliard public school systems. He and his wife, Bethany, and their three children are parishioners of St Brendan. Mike himself attended Catholic school from grades K-12, and his own children have been educated at St Brendan. His daughter is currently enrolled in the school today. In becoming our Principal, Mike went through an exhaustive interview process with Partners In Mission, the Superintendent, myself, and the selection committee. We were impressed by his passion for the parish and school, his extensive experience in education, and the leadership that he brings to this position. Mike's collaborative approach and determination for our school to excel in faith and academics was evident to all of us.

Mike will become Principal on June 1st, 2024.

As always, my thanks goes to Kate Cavello for her excellent leadership of the school during a longer than expected transition period. My thanks also go to the parents, faculty, and school administration who were patient and very dedicated to this process. Without them, we would not have found the right candidate for us.

Join me in congratulating Mike DeMassimo and praying for the continued success of our school!

Sincerely in Christ,
Fr Bob

ST BRENDAN MINISTRY OF EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS



FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

CONTINUED GROWTH/SEEK & ROOT sessions will meet this Sunday at 9:45 AM and Monday at 6:30 PM. **There is no Sunday evening parent session or The Roots this month.** If you still need to pick up the *Witness* box resource, please contact us.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SMALL GROUPS are next week, February 18 and 19.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION FAMILY SESSIONS will meet again on February 26 at 6 PM.

CONFIRMATION – We have many more families signed up for the 4 PM Confirmation liturgy than the 7:30 PM. If you are able to switch to the later Mass time, please let us know. Thank you!

FIRST EUCHARIST – If you have not picked up a First Eucharist *Nourish* box yet, please contact Maggie (magra@stbrendans.net) to schedule a time to get your box from the church, or for St Brendan schoolchildren, have it sent home via backpack.

YOUNG CATHOLIC PROFESSIONALS

YCP is a professional community grounded in Catholic values for those in their 20s and 30s. Join other Young Catholic Professionals on Feb 21, 7 PM at St Brendan's to hear Ben Hartings's talk *Breaking Open Alabaster Jars of Oil – Matthew 26, Mark 14 and John 12*. Pizza, sides & drinks provided! Ben is a partner at Trinity Financial Advisors, responsible for cultivating client relationships, evaluating alternative strategies and investment analysis for clients. Ben has written two books on grief, suffering and joy, written from personal struggles with two forms of cancer and various other hardships. RSVP at https://ycp.glueup.com/.../executive-speaker-series-ben...

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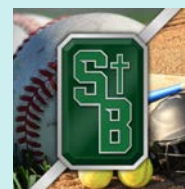
Congratulations to the following parishioners who are students at Bishop Ready High School and who have attained Honor Roll status for the second quarter of the current academic year:

Earning 1st Honors: Freshman Jenna Wolf; sophomore Katherine Sanders; junior Emma Rieder; and senior Samuel Carlino.

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COME & SEE WEEKEND FOR VOCATIONS

The Pontifical College Josephinum, in Columbus, has a "Come and See" Live-in weekend, March 7-10. The weekend has been set aside to allow young men (high school juniors, seniors, and college-aged students) to visit the seminary for a few days. Live-in participants will experience seminary prayer life, classes, communal worship, and interaction with current seminarians, faculty and staff and include introductory presentations on discernment, student life, and the college seminary formation program. Begins at 4 PM on Thursday, March 7 and ends at 12 PM on Sunday, March 10. All meals and recreation are included. No charge to participate. If interested, contact us at 614-221-5565 or vocations@columbuscatholic.org

SERRA CLUB OF COLUMBUS

Serra Club of North Columbus meetings include the Rosary, lunch, and a speaker at 11:30 AM on the 1st Tuesday of every month at the Jessing Center at the Josephinum. Downtown Serra Club meetings include lunch and a speaker at noon on the 2nd Friday of each month at the Cavello Center at St Charles Preparatory School. For details and events, visit SerraColumbus.org

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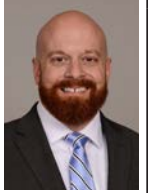
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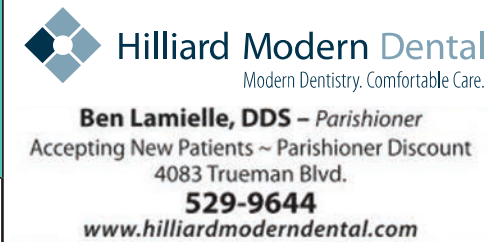
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