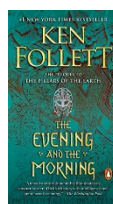




Pentecost

September 4, 2022



Book Club News! The St. Brendan's Book Club will resume **TONIGHT, September 1st at 7 pm**. Meetings are held in the church library on the first Thursday of each month. Our September selection is "The Evening and the Morning" by Ken Follett. Part of the popular Kingsbridge series, it is a prequel to the best seller, "Pillars of the Earth" beginning in 997 CE and covering a period in the late Dark Ages. It follows the converging lives of three main characters, a builder, a French noblewoman and an English monk under the backdrop of family subterfuge, Viking raids, and plots for power. Please join us as we discuss this exciting book. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Feel free to contact Chris Botti at shadypatch@msn.com if you have any questions.



Welcome to **"Back to Sunday School"** Sunday! Sunday school starts next week, **Sunday, September 11 at 10:00 am**. Please join us after Sunday school and service for a gathering of interested parents (and teachers) in the social hall with Mother Robin. Hope to see you there!

The Modern Episcopalians group will resume **Monday, September 12 at 10:00 am** and we will be discussing the book *Your Faith, Your Life; an invitation to the Episcopal Church* by Jenifer Gamber and Bill Lewellis. Copies of the book are available in the Narthex. For email invitation with the zoom link contact John Appeldorn at jj47@aol.com. Zoom link for Modern Episcopalians group is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83694833420?pwd=djhicnFKWHdJM1o0MIFvYzq3SzB5Zz09> passcode = 441571



Adopt-a-Highway. Parishioners who want to clear litter from St. Brendan's designated stretch of I-279 in Ohio Twp. are invited to gather in the church parking lot on **Saturday, Sept. 17 at 8:30 a.m.** This will be the parish's third roadside cleanup of the year. Volunteers, age 14 and up, will carpool from the church to the Camp Horne Rd. interchange. Orange vests, bottled water and a snack will be provided. The trash pickup will be completed by 10:45. For more info, please contact Tom Waseleski, twaseleski@comcast.net.

The Navigator's Log will be introduced next Friday, it's new scheduled day! It will provide the same weekly events updates and announcements that we have all come to know and rely on. Rather than a weekly round-up of multiple "corners", each Navigator's Log will include an update from one of the parish's "navigator's": It will be sent on Fridays going forward.

Week 1 – Priest's Log Week 2 – Vestry's Log Week 3 – Children & Youth Log Week 4 – Deacon's Log
Week 1 will follow the first Sunday of the month, and so on.



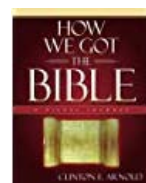
Calling All Ministry Leaders! A Fall Ministry Fair is in the works for **Sunday, October 9th**. More information will be available soon. We ask that all ministries are represented at the fair, either by their leader(s) or a member who can share information about the ministry and facilitate sign-ups.



Coming to St. Brendan's... **SPAGHETTI DINNER TO GO**

St. Brendan's will be holding a Spaghetti Dinner To Go fundraiser on **Friday, October 14**. More information coming soon on this No-Cook Friday!

If you're interested in the **church calendar** it can be found here. <https://www.stbrendans.org/calendar>



"How did the Bible come to be? How has it been passed down to us through the ages? Is it still trustworthy and relevant after all these years? Encompassing the fields of archaeology, biblical studies, and history, the story of how the Bible has come to us today is a fascinating one." Please join Mother Robin for a new "Zoom" class: "How We Got the Bible" beginning **Thursday, September 15 at 6:00 pm**. The link below will take you to Amazon's listing of the book where you can "look inside" to get a glimpse of the rich photos and text:

[https://www.amazon.com/How-Got-Bible-Zondervan-](https://www.amazon.com/How-Got-Bible-Zondervan-Reference/dp/0310253063/ref=sr_1_3?crd=2X6H6V69QFKLR&keywords=how+we+got+the+bible&qid=1661981740&srefix=how+we+got+the+bibl%2Caps%2C270&sr=8-3)

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If you are interested in this class, please email Mother Robin at robin@stbrendans.org by September 8 and include YOUR email. Books will be available in the Narthex at St. Brendan's.



The **Little Red Wagon** fundraiser has ended. Your guess of how much money has been collected needs to be sent to Katie katie@stbrendans.org. The winner will be announced in our First Navigator, next Friday. The person who guesses the closest (without going over) will be treated to lunch with Mother Robin.

Beginning next week, **September 8th & 9th** **Katie will have office hours** Thursdays & Fridays from 10:00-2:00.

Our T-Shirt Memorial is traveling.

It has been displayed at St. James Episcopal in Penn Hills for a few weeks and is now at Sewickley Methodist Church. On September 5, it will be headed to Eastminster Presbyterian Church in East Liberty. Many times T-Shirt Memorials have a prayer walk, which is a walk from one church to another, sometimes carrying T-shirts. We were not able to do this at St. Brendan's as we didn't have another church within walking distance. However, Eastminster is planning to have a prayer walk on September 10 at 10am. They will travel from Valleyview Presbyterian to Eastminster Presbyterian, then to East Liberty Presbyterian and end at Calvary Episcopal. Please join the entire walk or any part of it; it will be another amazing yet sobering experience.



Waterers needed for our Garden of Hope: We do need a few more folks to sign up for watering and possibly weeding our Garden of Hope in the September/October months. If you are able to help, please go to <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YZ7ggrfn1sE1PF3zLPRQ84MFHEzxLP20JH45by9dlgw/edit>, and you'll be right on the sign-up sheet. Or, go to www.stbrendans.org, click on "Connect", "Members", "Directory", then "Garden sign-up". We appreciate everyone who has helped so far with watering, weeding, harvesting and delivery to the Food Bank. Thanks to all of you, we have been able to bring quite a bit of fresh produce to the Food Bank this year!



St. Brendan's new and gently-used book, CD, DVD and audiobook sale will return on **Friday, February 17** and **Saturday, February 18, 2023!** Please help us by putting aside items to donate. Our previous sale in 2020 was very successful because of the excellent donations that we received from parishioners, family and friends.

Books, CDs, DVDs and audiobooks will be accepted for donation beginning **Sunday, February 5.** (Please do not bring them before February 5th because we don't have storage space for items.)

We will be happy to accept new and gently-used items for children and adults that:

- are clean and in good condition: no evidence of mold, stains, soil, spills, pet hair, odors like smoke or mildew, etc.
- have bindings and pages that are intact; no missing or browning of pages, no writing or coloring on pages, no rips or tears
- are not older than five years in genres of business, health/medicine, technology, science.

Unfortunately, we cannot accept and will not be selling encyclopedias, textbooks, magazines or journals, newspapers, catalogs, VHS tapes, or cassette tapes.

We are also hoping to use fewer plastic bags for customer purchases. We would gladly accept any clean, reusable tote bags that you may want to donate.

Mark your calendars and spread the word. Start clearing those shelves now! Watch here for more information to follow, and thank you for supporting our sale. Feel free to contact Chris Botti or Saundy Waseleski with questions.



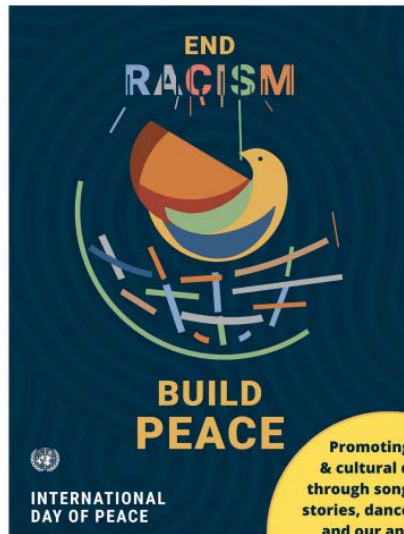
Brendanites: If you or someone you know might be interested in participating in our Holiday Happenings selling your art or crafts...

VENDORS WANTED FOR

"HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS" AT ST. BRENDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
IN NORTH HILLS OF PITTSBURGH
ARTS & CRAFT SHOW and COOKIE WALK, plus more...
Saturday, November 19 from 9am til 2 pm

FOR VENDOR INFORMATION, EMAIL events@stbrendans.org

Join us at the Annual
**North Hills International Day of Peace
Festival**



Sunday, September 18
2:00 - 4:00 pm
North Park @ Point Grove
on Lakeshore Dr.

Promoting peace
& cultural diversity
through song, personal
stories, dance, activities
and our annual flag
ceremony
Light snacks will be available
Email
diversity@laroche.edu
for more details

Prayer Requests



We ask your prayers for our beloved members of St. Brendan's; AJ McKenna, Rodge Wood, Sandy Nagy, Kinley, Larry Tarrant, Nancy Snyder, Matthew, Jim Gray, Mark Shoemaker and Alice Butterworth.

For our parents, especially; Kenneth and Adele McCormack, Debbie Adrian, Fred and Diane Davis, Ray Militzer and Lenora.

For our family members, especially; David Pingree, Carol Schmitz, Tom Groves, Marie Hazelton, Ann and Ben Kirkpatrick, Chris Sensenich, Sue Burchill, John Barie, James Riggs, Bob Kiehl, Nathan Schlumpf, John Sanborn and Robert Donato.

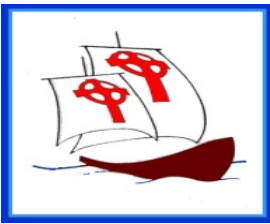
And for our friends, especially; Josie Kovacic, Steve Parsons, Sherri Hilbert, Nancy Baker, Louis Magnotti, Dennis Ranalli, The family of Bill Nagel, Heather and Dan Houle.

We pray for all who have died, especially Jim Harpst, Damon Neroni and Bill Nagel.



September Ministry Calendar 2022

Date	Lectors	Lay Eucharistic Visitors	Sunday School Leaders	Altar Guild	Greeters	Ushers	Vestry	Stewards	Nursery	Hospitality
September 4 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Tammy Spoonhoward 1 st AJ McKenna 2 nd Dean Peters P Marilyn Mulvihill	TBD	Summer break	Joan Klinefelter Anelisa Tarrant	Susan Shields Allison Baierl	Kate Heston John Appledorn	Neil Galone	Linda Limberis	Volunteer needed	Volunteer needed
September 11 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Ellen Groves 1 st Mary Bertucci 2 nd Linda Limberis P Tim Austin	TBD	TBD	Tammy Spoonhoward Janice Moore	Saundy Waseleski Tom Waseleski	Dale Bertucci Anthony Bertucci	Mary Bertucci	John Appledorn	Volunteer needed	Volunteer needed
September 18 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 st Kate Heston 2 nd Alan Schneider P Linda Limberis	TBD	TBD	Dottie Antonucci Phoebe Juel	Joyce Donadee John Appeldorn	Allyson Baierl Donna Aiello	Kate Heston	Tim Austin	Volunteer needed	Volunteer needed
September 25 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am Children's Sunday	8 Joan Beatrous 1 st (Children) 2 nd (Children) P (Children)	TBD	TBD	Ellen Groves Kathy Miller	Annemarie Malbon Wesley Bell	Kate Heston Linda Limberis	Cameron Grosh	Mike Wick	Volunteer needed	Volunteer needed



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: Cameron Grosh
Co-Jr. Wardens: Donna Aiello & Ruth Horton
Adult Formation: John Appledorn
Audio-Visual Technology: Sean Sweeney
Communication: Sean Sweeney
Finance: Mary Bertucci
Fundraising: Kate Heston & Lauren Ramakrishna
Inreach & Hospitality: Kate Heston
Newcomers: Kate Heston
Outreach: Donna Aiello
Secretary/Clerk: Lauren Ramakrishna
Worship: Neil Galone
Treasurer: Roger Botti
Assistant Treasurer: Ellen Groves

WORSHIP MINISTRY LEADERS

Acolyte: Anelisa Tarrant
Altar Guild: Anelisa Tarrant
Flower Ministry: Libby Juel
Sylvia Affleck
Scheduler: Kelli Cerra
Usher: Eric Helmsen

PARISH LIFE MINISTRY LEADERS

Audit: Kevin Boyd
Book Club: Chris Botti
Book Discussion Club: Julie Smith
Brendan's Boots: Tom Waseleski
Bulletin Coordinators: Pat Carl
Carol Meese
Kathy Miller
Dinner Group: Janice Moore
Finance Chair: Mary Bertucci
Green Thumb Gang: Dan Moore
Historian: Ellen Groves
Holiday Arts & Crafts & Cookie Walk: Donna Aiello
Memorial Garden: John Appledorn
Merry Meal Makers (M&M's): Saundy Waseleski
Reiki Ministry: Melanie Popovich
Rental: Marilyn Mulvihill
Scholarship: Allison Kline, Ann Vinski
Mike Wick
Sticks & Strings: Joni Reis
Debbie Jennings
Web Site: Kelli Cerra

OUTREACH MINISTRY LEADERS

Adopt-A-Highway: Tom Waseleski
CRIES Advocacy: Ellen Groves
ESL: Tim Austin
Joyce Donadee
Garden of Hope: Annemarie Malbon
Justice Ministry: Ann Koch
Miryam's: Julia Wick
North Hills Food Banks: Ruth Horton & Donna Aiello
Spirituality: Donna Aiello

WEEKLY AT ST. BRENDAN'S

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. Worship, in person
10:00 a.m. Worship, in person and via live streaming
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UckCY2BEJXlqMoVc_nXXG7ew
Monday: 7:45 a.m. Daily Morning Prayer, via zoom, Monday thru Saturday
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4796201105?pwd=bXM5OHJ2UEh4TXhQT1RkZnVrQWNVdz09>
Meeting ID: 479 620 1105 Passcode: 092720
Tuesday: 11:00 a.m. Bible Study, via zoom <https://zoom.us/j/4575423762>
4:30 p.m. Book Club discussion, via zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81484853481>
Wednesday: 11:00 a.m. Mother Robin office hours till 3:00 p.m.
Thursday: 10:00 a.m. Katie office hours till 2:00 p.m.
Friday: 10:00 a.m. Katie office hours till 2:00 p.m.

ST. BRENDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Web Site ~ <http://www.stbrendans.org>

Online Parish Calendar ~ <https://www.stbrendans.org/calendar>

Online Parish Directory ~ <https://www.stbrpit.com/> (authorization required for access--apply online)

Facebook ~ <https://www.facebook.com/StBrendansEpiscopalChurch/>

Nextdoor ~ <https://franklinparkpittsburgh.nextdoor.com/pages/st-brendans-episcopal-church-sewickley-pa/recommend/>

Priest-in-Charge, Mother Robin Jarrell ~ Robin@stbrendans.org

Youth Education Director, Mother Julie Smith ~ Julie@stbrendans.org

Parish Administrator, Katie Cervone ~ Katie@sbrendans.org

Deacon, Rev. Darrell Johnson ~ johnsdj31@verizon.net

Music Director, Daniel May ~ bluesub@verizon.net