

# NAVIGATOR'S LOG

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS  
& UPCOMING EVENTS



FRANKLIN PARK, PA  
**ST. BRENDAN'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

July 9, 2023



Please join us for the annual **Parish Picnic** this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in North Park at the Latham Pavilion (Lake Shore Drive). We will provide hamburgers, hot dogs and beverages. Please bring a dish to share.

After the picnic please plan to stay for activities, games, and prizes for kids and adults. All are welcome! The 8 service will be held at St. Brendan's as usual in the chapel.



**On Saturday, July 15**, we will once again be making lunches for the NRP (Neighborhood Resilience Project) on the Hill. Please sign up in the narthex or contact Annie, [reshiesmom@gmail.com](mailto:reshiesmom@gmail.com). We need 12 to 15 people to help. If you are able to join us at 7:30 am, we will be making 120 lunches (240 sandwiches). We would love to have you.



**First Aid, CPR and AED Training.** Several months ago, Saundy Waseleski suggested that we should look into arranging training in first aid for anyone who wanted it--and especially for our stewards, ushers, Sunday school teachers, etc. I have looked into what is available and found that organizations like the Red Cross offer group training sessions but only at considerable cost (around \$120 per person). I am therefore suggesting instead that those who would like to be trained or to refresh their skills consider attending one of the free classes offered by UPMC. The Web page to visit is <https://www.upmc.com/patients-visitors/classes-events>. Click on Visit the Classes and Events Page, then on Health Education Classes (in the left-hand margin), and finally on CPR & First Aid. I myself have signed up for the afternoon class at UPMC St. Margaret on Saturday, September 16 and it might be fun if some other Brendanites chose the same session. But there are many choices. Any questions, please contact Tim Austin.



### We celebrate the July Birthdays of:

4 Neil Galone	7 Anne Semmler	11 Alan Schneider	15 Liam O'Malley
16 Riley Shoemaker	17 Connor Costa	18 Ellen Groves	18 Emmalynne Waseleski
19 Chris Botti	23 Molly Kirk	28 Nancy Snyder	29 Allison Kline
30 Ainsley Ramakrishna	31 Michael Waseleski		

If you would like to have your birthday or wedding anniversary in the Navigator, just email Katie, [Katie@stbrendans.org](mailto:Katie@stbrendans.org).



These are high needs for the **North Hills food bank** this month.

- Cereal; particularly kid's cereal
- Crackers
- 14 oz. diced tomatoes (not puree or crushed)
- Salad dressing, especially Ranch, French, and Italian

Of course they will always accept non-perishable food items. **Note: The food banks do not accept anything in glass jars.**



Hot dogs, hamburgers, corn, potato salad!! Is your mouth watering yet? If so, you better head to the store to get your favorite summer picnic foods! **Did you know that St. Brendan's earns 5% for each grocery 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 grocery cards in the narthex each Sunday, buy a grocery card for Giant Eagle, then go shopping for those delicious summer picnic foods! Sales are lagging well behind our budget goal so your support is greatly needed and appreciated! Thank you!

**Guest speaker:** On **Sunday, July 30** during the social hour following the 10:00 service, Gary Landrio will be our guest speaker. He will discuss his recent mission to Kyiv, Ukraine and some related topics. Gary has been a 'friend of St. Brendan's' and a member of our Bible Study group for many years. He has been involved in some projects in his hometown of Warren, PA to find homes for Ukrainian immigrants. This engagement led him to visit Kyiv earlier this year. Mark your calendars for this social hour and come hear all about his experiences. It promises to be an educational and motivating hour!



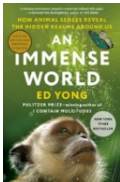
Don't Miss This Event! On **September 7th** St. Brendan's will hold "**A Blast from the Past,**" a live music concert featuring popular local vocal talent, Keely Singer. Come and hear her sing your favorite tunes from the 60s and 70s. Several church folks have heard her perform and can tell you that Keely puts on a show not to be missed! Price of admission is \$15 and includes light appetizers, refreshments, and a ticket for a basket raffle. BBQ platters and wine will also be for sale. Doors open at 6 pm and the show is from 7 – 8:30 pm. Tell your families and friends! Post it on your social media pages! Tickets will be for sale after church on Sundays. Vintage attire is optional, but you may just want to dust off those leisure suits and go-go boots for what is sure to be an evening of fun and nostalgia. See Chris Botti or Donna Aiello if you have any questions. See you there!



**Gift Basket Donations Needed!** Please sign up to donate a basket of goodies for the basket raffle that we will feature at the upcoming “Blast from the Past” concert event. Anything will do! Some theme ideas include a coffee/tea basket; bath and body; chocolate lovers; ice cream sundae fixings; lottery tickets; movie night; wine/cheese; gluten-free snacks; breakfast goodies; gardening; beach essentials etc. You can even put together one with a friend. Just let us know your theme using the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Baskets can be valued at around \$25. We have large cellophane bags if you need one and bows for the top! Please bring your basket donation to church anytime between now and Sunday, Sept 3rd. Baskets can be left in the first office down the hallway near Katie’s office. See Chris Botti or Donna Aiello if you have any questions. Thanks in advance for your help in making this raffle and concert a huge success!



**BFF = Building Needs.** Would you like a way to acknowledge a special occasion like a baptism or a birthday or to remember a departed loved one? A donation to the Brendan’s Family and Friend’s (BFF) fund is the perfect way to honor that special person or event. BFF funds are earmarked for unbudgeted building needs which might otherwise derail our budget. Air conditioning units, technology, kitchen and playground equipment, acoustic panels, security window film, exterior painting and much more have been made possible through your generous donations. Please pick up a BFF card in the narthex or donate online via [Tithe.ly](http://Tithe.ly). Thank you for making a difference at St. Brendan’s by becoming a BFF donor!]



**Book Club News** The next meeting of the St. Brendan’s Book Club will be held on Monday, **September 11<sup>th</sup>** at 3 p.m. in the church library. We will be discussing “An Immense World” by Pulitzer Prize winning science journalist, Ed Yong. It is described as an ingenious account of the radically different ways that living organisms perceive the world that will fill you with wonder and forever alter your perspective (The New York Times). Please put this most astounding book on your summer reading list and join us in September! For more information, please contact Anne Semmler at [annegsemmler@gmail.com](mailto:annegsemmler@gmail.com). See you then!

## Children and Youth



- **Nursery Volunteers** are still needed for the following weeks: **July 2, 16, and 30** and **August 6, 13, 20, and 27**. Thank you to all who have signed up to volunteer on various Sunday’s. Your help is greatly appreciated! Anyone who already has their necessary clearances and is willing and able to help out with our little ones during the 10am worship service, please reach out to me, Liz MacDonald via text/call at 412-865-6486 or email [Liz702988@gmail.com](mailto:Liz702988@gmail.com). If there is anyone interested in becoming a Nursery Volunteer, I would love to hear from you and give you the necessary information in obtaining the necessary clearances! Thank you, Liz.
- **Sunday School volunteers needed for the 2023-2024 school year:** We’ve begun planning for the next Sunday School year and need your help! Please consider volunteering your time as a teacher or doorkeeper. We’ll help you get clearances if you don’t have them, and we’ll provide you with materials and guide you through the curriculum. All that is needed is a little time on occasional Sunday mornings and a commitment to providing our children with a Christian foundation. Please consider helping us next year. The kids at St. B.’s are great, and you’ll enjoy working with them and watching them grow in their faith. Contact Saundy at [swaseleski@comcast.net](mailto:swaseleski@comcast.net) to learn more.

## Prayer Requests

**We pray for our beloved members of St. Brendan’s,** especially; Linda & Alan Schneider, Mark Shoemaker, Kate Heston, Ruth, Susan Shields, Bill Spoonhoward, Joyce Donadee, Jim Gray, Matthew, Margie Davies, Rosie Wood, Geoff Wood, Mark Kinley, Larry Tarrant, Nancy Snyder, Alice Butterworth.

**For our parents,** especially; Adele and Ken McCormack, Debbie Adrian, Diane Davis, Ray Miltzer, Lenora.

**For our family members,** especially; Eric Darde, Pat Schulze, Tom Groves, Chris Sensenich, Jay & A, Sue Burchill, Carol Schmitz, Frank Nagy, Nathan Schlumpf, David Pingree, Bob Kiehl, Marie Hazelton, Ray Maas, Robert Donato, Carman Lorcias & family, John, Rebecca Peters, Ann & Ben Kirkpatrick.

**And for our friends,** especially; Phil & Bernice Bollman, Barb & Wayne Seelhorst and family, Josh, Rena Feingold, Pat Reiner, Cindy & Bob Getty, Josh, Ron Neurohr, Vivian, Steve Parsons, Nancy Baker, Maggie Cervone.

**We pray for all who have died,** especially Chris Ivanisin and Jean Whitehouse.

# July Ministry Calendar 2023

Date	Lectors	Sunday School Leaders	Nursery	Altar Guild	Greeters	Ushers	Vestry	Stewards	Hospitality
July 2 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Ellen Groves 1 <sup>st</sup> Donna Aiello 2 <sup>nd</sup> John Appledorn P Mike Donadee	Summer Break	Liz MacDonald Volunteer needed	Anelisa Tarrant Ellen Groves	Donna Aiello Annie Koch	Allyson Baieri Mike Donadee	John Appledorn	Mike Wick	n/a
July 9 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am <b>Parish Picnic</b>	8 Joan Beatrous 1 <sup>st</sup> Marilyn Mulvihill 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cindy Koszarek P Tony Turo	Summer Break	n/a	Tammy Spoonhoward Janice Moore	n/a	n/a	Sandy Nagy	n/a	n/a
July 16 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Tammy Spoonhoward 1 <sup>st</sup> Paul Quinn 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ann Vinski P Michael Donadee	Summer Break	Liz MacDonald Volunteer needed	Joan Klinefelter Kathy Miller	Saundy Waseleski Tom Waseleski	Janice Moore Dan Moore	Ruth Horton	Dave Miller	Chris & Roger Botti
July 23 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 <sup>st</sup> John Appledorn 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tim Austin P Linda Limberis	Summer Break	Liz MacDonald Dawn Quinn	Sylvia Affleck Pheobe Juel	Allyson Baieri Wesley Bell	John Appledorn Tim Austin	Neil Galone	Mike Wick	The Kline/Mesko family
July 30 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 <sup>st</sup> Alan Schneider 2 <sup>nd</sup> AJ McKenna P Sandy Nagy	Summer Break	Liz MacDonald Volunteer needed	Dottie Antonucci Susan Shields	Sharon Hlawati Donna Aiello	Kate Heston Mike Donadee	Chris Botti	Tim Austin	Kate Heston



### 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: Dan Moore  
Adult Formation: John Appeldorn  
Audio-Visual Technology: Sandy Nagy  
Communication: Sandy Nagy  
Children & Youth: Ruth Horton  
Finance: Lauren Ramakrishna  
Fundraising: Chris Botti  
Inreach & Hospitality: Kate Heston  
Membership: Chris Botti  
Outreach: Ruth Horton  
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  
Greeter: Donna Aiello  
Lector: Ann Vinski  
Scheduler: Kelli Cerra  
Spirituality: Donna Aiello

#### PARISH LIFE MINISTRY LEADERS

Audit: Kevin Boyd  
Book Club: Chris Botti  
Brendan's Boots: Tom Waseleski  
Bulletin Coordinators: Pat Carl & Carol Meese  
Dinner Group: Janice Moore  
Fiber Crafting Club: Sherri Angeletti  
Finance Chair: Lauren Ramakrishna  
Green Thumb Gang: Dan Moore  
Historian: Ellen Groves  
Holiday Happenings/Cookie Walk: Donna Aiello  
Memorial Garden: John Appeldorn  
Merry Meal Makers (M&M's): Saundy Waseleski  
Reiki Ministry: Melanie Popovich  
Rental: Marilyn Mulvihill  
Scholarship: Allison Kline  
Ann Vinski  
Mike Wick  
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: Marilyn Mulvihill & Donna Aiello  
Miryam's: Julia Wick  
North Hills Food Banks: Ruth Horton

#### WEEKLY AT ST. BRENDAN'S

**Sunday:** 8:00 am Worship, in person  
10:00 am Worship, in person and via live streaming  
[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkCY2BEJXlqMoVc\\_nXXG7ew](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkCY2BEJXlqMoVc_nXXG7ew)

**Monday:** 8:00 am Daily Morning Prayer, via zoom, Monday thru Friday  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83591825912?pwd=a3BGcCswanE1OFFXaVBWbDBYRGM1UT09>  
10:00 am Modern Episcopalian, via zoom  
11:00 am Katie office hours till 3:00 pm

**Tuesday:** 11:00 am Katie office hours till 3:00 pm  
11:00 am Bible Study, via zoom <https://zoom.us/j/4575423762>  
11:00 am Katie office hours till 3:00 pm  
4:30 pm Book Club discussion, via zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81484853481>

**Wednesday:** 1:00 pm Mother Robin office hours till 5:00 pm  
6:00 pm Midweek Eucharist

**Thursday:** 11:00 am Mother Robin office hours till 4:00 pm  
11:00 am Katie office hours till 3:00 pm

**Friday:** 11:00 am Katie office hours till 3:00 pm

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

Online Parish Directory ~ <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1By4bzW6dJ2AwwZVImIqjCQ4WFAynP16D/view?usp=sharing> (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/>

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Parish Administrator, Katie Cervone ~ [Katie@stbrendans.org](mailto:Katie@stbrendans.org)

Music Director, Daniel May ~ [bluesub@verizon.net](mailto:bluesub@verizon.net)

Deacon, Rev. Darrell Johnson ~ [johnsdj31@verizon.net](mailto:johnsdj31@verizon.net)

Nursery Director, Liz MacDonald ~ [Liz702988@gmail.com](mailto:Liz702988@gmail.com)