

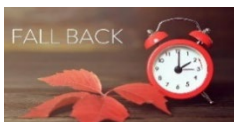
NAVIGATOR'S LOG

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS
& UPCOMING EVENTS



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

November 5, 2023



Daylight Savings time!!!

THIS Saturday after midnight, we turn the clocks back one hour for daylight savings time. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep!



Mask up! Don't forget that it will be Mask-Up Sunday at this week's 10 o'clock service. Please be considerate of those who want to worship with us in person but can't do so without the extra health protection that masking provides, Wear your mask!

Please support **Mark Shoemaker**. He is raising money for the **FSHD (Facioscapulohumeral Muscular Dystrophy) Drum & Roll Fundraiser** again this year. This is taking place **THIS Sunday, November 5th** at 1 p.m. at the Aviary's Garden Room. There will be food, drinks, the Drum presentation song and dance, and raffles. It was a blast last year.

If you would like to donate here is a link to my page: <https://give.fshdsociety.org/fundraiser/4893381>.



Book Club: The next meeting of the St. Brendan's Book Club will be **Monday, Nov. 6 at 1 pm** (note new time!) in the church library. We will discuss *Endurance: My Year in Space* by Scott Kelly. Bring your suggestions for books please so that we can choose titles for the rest of 2024. Contact Anne Semmler at annegsemmler@gmail.com with any questions. All are welcome!

Children and Youth



Upcoming dates for Sunday School:

- **November brings to mind** Thanksgiving, a time when we reflect on the many blessings that have been bestowed on us. Once again, the children are constructing a "Gratitude Tree" in the narthex. All children and adults of the parish are invited to write something for which they are thankful onto one of the tree's leaves. Leaves are available in the narthex near the Gratitude Tree bulletin board. Let's show how much we have to be grateful for!
- **Thank you to the Laura and Grant Shoemaker** for providing treat bags to our children on October 29. There will be bags available in the social hall after this Sunday's service for any child who didn't receive one.
- **Parents: please check the pink box on the narthex table** (same table as where name tags are placed on Sunday). There are many photos and projects belonging to the kids that are ready to be taken home.

Dates to keep in mind:

- **Sunday, November 26:** Children's Worship Service. There will be no Sunday School classes that day. Children will be involved in various ways in the service.
- **Saturday, December 16:** 10 am to 12 pm. Christmas pageant practice and costume fittings.
- **Sunday, December 17:** during the 10 am service: Christmas Pageant. We hope that all of our children and teens will be able to participate. More information to follow.



On **November 11** we will make 240 sandwiches/120 meals for the NRP (**Neighborhood Resilience Project**). There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. The dates for next year are on the sign-up sheet as well. Start time is 8:30. On November 11 at 8:30 am we will make 240 sandwiches/120 meals for the NRP (Neighborhood Resilience Project). There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. The dates for next year are on the sign-up sheet as well.



We celebrate the October wedding anniversaries of:

7 Mary & Dale Bertucci 15 Sharon & Gary Basehore 29 Linda & Alan Schneider



These are high needs for the **North Hills Food Bank** this month:

- Pasta – spaghetti, macaroni, ziti, penne
- Canned vegetables – corn, beets, carrots, green beans, peas
- Jelly and peanut butter (not in glass jars)

Of course they will always accept other non-perishable food items.

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS THAT ARE PAST THE EXPIRATION DATE – THEY CANNOT BE DONATED.



The Altar Guild team is looking for new members, especially people who would be able to serve at the 10:00 service. Please consider joining us in this ministry. If you have questions, feel free to contact Anelisa Tarrant, Ellen Groves, Tammy Spoonhoward or Sylvia Affleck.



Outdoor Space Enhancement Committee. We are so lucky at St. Brendan's to have a wonderful church building and such beautiful property surrounding it. With all of the ongoing projects to upgrade and improve the building it is time to turn our thoughts to the outside. A new committee, the Outdoor Space Enhancement Committee, is being formed to evaluate, discuss, and propose a plan to the vestry for the use and enhancement of the Outdoor Chapel and the area surrounding it. Anyone who is interested in participating or has thoughts or ideas on the space please contact Kate Heston at kmheston71@gmail.com.



Holiday Happenings: Saturday, November 18 from 9 am – 2 pm.

Countdown to Holiday Happenings is just 2 weeks!

We'll need plenty of help to make this fundraiser a big success. Here's some things you can do:

Sign-up Sheets: We still need people to help the day of the event with several different tasks. Please sign up on the sheets in the lobby.

Cookies: We appreciate and thank everyone who has signed up to bake cookies. If you have not yet signed up, please consider doing so. Many people have turned cookies in already. If you haven't turned yours in yet, just know we have plenty of freezer space so bring them once you've baked them. Questions? Contact Ruth Horton at rvhorton@gmail.com or Donna Aiello at donna.aiello@forecastdirect.com.

Gift Card Basket Raffle: You'll see the three beautiful gift card baskets in the lobby and ready to go. Take a look at them and the gift cards that are inside. You won't want to miss out on a chance to win one of these gift baskets! They contain quite a few gift cards for you and to use as holiday gifts. You can buy raffle tickets for the baskets at the end of each service on Sunday.

Soup: Thanks to our industrious soup team, we have approximately 350 quarts of soup, five different varieties ready to be sold at our event. Great job!

Brendan's Boutique: Brendan's Boutique is looking for donations of homemade crafts, including knitting, crocheting, pottery, jams and jellies, small quilts and other textiles, paintings, and more! If you are interested in donating, contact Pat Carl at pkarrcarl@gmail.com or 412-367-9246.

Help us advertise! Take a few flyers from the Lobby to post in your favorite shops or place one in the window of your car. Also, if you are on social media, remember to post a flyer on your Facebook or other social media pages.

Plus: Vendors, Live Entertainment and more!

All proceeds from Holiday Happenings will benefit our church.

Mark your calendars and tell your friends. You won't want to miss this fun event!



We celebrate the October birthdays of:

2 Jim Aldridge	3 Benjamin Bigelow Roche	5 Debbie Jennings	6 Avery Kline
13 Kathleen Ganster	15 Steve Horton	17 Janet Fesq	18 Kristin Bailey
23 Johathan Bigelow Roche	24 Bob Grotevant	24 Dan Moore	29 Bill Spoonhoward

The Spirituality Ministry is planning another **Tai Chi** event led by our very own Thaddeus Popovich, who is certified to teach a gentle, meditative version of Tai Chi. Please join him on **Friday, November 10 at 1:00 pm** right here at St. Brendan's.



Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention, designed by Australian family physician Paul Lam and a team of Tai Chi and medical experts, is based on the Sun style of Tai Chi. This modified style is easy to learn, effective, and safe. It increases flexibility, balance, muscle strength, and mental activity. It can also help increase heart/lung capacity, aligns posture, improves balance, relieves stress and integrates the mind and body. Plus it's fun and relaxing.

Everyone is welcome; no experience necessary. A donation of \$5 per class is voluntary. Thaddeus will give all donations to St. Brendan's as he is offering this class as a special gift to the St. Brendan's community.

If you would like to attend, please sign the sheet in the Lobby. We would love to have you join us!

Prayer Requests

We pray for our beloved members of St. Brendan's, especially; Kelli Cerra, Judy McKarnin, Larry Tarrant, Mark Shoemaker, Ken Parsons, Nancy Snyder, Mark Kinley, Alice Butterworth, Jim Gray, Matthew, Charlotte Pierce, Sherri Angeletti, Rosie Wood, Margie Davies, Nancy Bancroft, LuAnn Aldridge, Joyce Donadee.

For our parents, especially; Ken McCormack, Ray Militzer, Lenora, Diane Davis.

For our family members, especially; Pat Schulze, Tom Groves, Joann, Jay & A, Rosalie & Geoff Wood, Ann & Ben Kirkpatrick, Sue Burchill, Carol Schmitz, Marie Hazelton, David Pingree, Frank Nagy, Nathan Schlumpf, Bob Kiehl, John, Robert Donato.

And for our friends, especially; Mike Colavita, The Silveira family, Rena Feingold, Phil & Bernice Bollman, Ellen Kuntz, Josh, Cynthia Chapman, Jordon Medlin, Cindy & Bob Getty, Ron Neurohr, Barb & Wayne Seelhorst & family, Maggie Cervone, Vivian, Pat Reiner, Nancy Baker.

November Ministry Calendar 2023

Date	Lectors	Sunday School Leaders	Nursery	Altar Guild	Greeters	Ushers	Stewards	Vestry	Hospitality
November 5 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Joan Beatrous 1 st Cindy Koszarek 2 nd Paul Quinn P John Appledorn	Lambs Saundy Waseleski FISH Kayla Tweedle Door keeper Katie Costa	Liz MacDonald Susan Shields	Dottie Antonucci Anelisa Tarrant	Toni Passarello John Appledorn	Julia & Mike Wick	Tim Austin	Ruth Horton	TBD
November 12 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Tammy Spoonhoward 1 st Mary Bertucci 2 nd Ann Vinski P Linda Limberis	Lambs Saundy Waseleski FISH Kayla Tweedle Door keeper Dawn Day-Quinn	Liz MacDonald Lindsay Beel	Joan Klinefelter Kathy Miller	Saundy & Tom Waseleski	Kate Heston Tim Austin	Dave Miller	Lauren Ramakrishna	TBD
November 19 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Ellen Groves 1 st AJ McKenna 2 nd John Appledorn P Tim Austin	Lambs Dawn Day-Quinn FISH Allison Kline Door keeper Ellen Groves	Liz MacDonald Volunteer needed	Sylvia Affleck Janice Moore	Sharon Hlawati Donna Aiello	Allyson Baierl Donna Aiello	Julia & Mike Wick	Neil Galone	TBD
November 26 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am Children & Youth Sunday	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 st Children 2 nd Children P Children	Children's Worship	Liz MacDonald Pat Carl	Ellen Groves Kathy Miller	Susan Shields Kate Heston	Kate Heston	John Appledorn	Tom Waseleski	TBD



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: TBD
Inreach & Hospitality: Kate Heston
Membership: TBD
Outreach: Ruth Horton
Secretary/Clerk: Lauren Ramakrishna
Worship: Neil Galone
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: Anne Semmler
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 live streaming
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
9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:00 pm
Tuesday: 9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:00 pm
11:00 am Bible Study, via zoom <https://zoom.us/j/4575423762>
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
5:00 pm Midweek Eucharist
Thursday: 9:00 am Mother Robin office hours till 4:00 pm
11:00 am Katie office hours till 12:00 pm
Friday: 9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:00 pm

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Online Parish Directory ~ <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1By4bzW6dJ2AwwZVlmlqjCQ4WFAynP16D/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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