



Welcome back Fr. Regis Smolko, we are so happy to have you!



Football Pool Squares Still Available! It's been a nail-biting season for the Steelers so far. But our pool has been rolling along very smoothly. We still have \$10 single-game squares for sale and the cost of a square for all of the remaining home games is now under \$50. Please see Tim Austin on Sunday if you're interested, or contact him at taustin@gmail.com or 508-688-9554.



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.



Next Justice Ministry Meeting on October 26. The Justice Ministry will hold its next meeting this **Thursday, October 26** at 6:30 pm in St. Brendan's social hall. Everyone is welcome. If you have a concern about a social justice issue, or are simply interested in social justice, please attend. If you have questions, please contact Donna Aiello at donna.aiello@forecastdirect.com or Marilyn Mulvihill at mimi15143@yahoo.com.



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



We are **collecting gently used sweaters, sweatshirts, sweatpants, warm clothing** in any size from kids to adults). We're also collecting NEW warm socks (Like tube socks, etc.) for ALL ages. This also is for NRP. Last date for the collection will be **Sunday, November 2**.



Brendan's Boots. The parish walking group will sample the fall foliage — and a waterfall — with a trek through Fall Run Park in Shaler on **Monday, Oct. 30**. Participants will meet at the church at 9 a.m. and carpool to the park. Lunch will follow at Bonefish Grill in McCandless Crossing. Everyone is welcome; feel free to bring a friend! For more information, please contact Tom Waseleski at twaseleski@comcast.net.



All Saints Day is Friday, November 1. We will be celebrating All Saints Day on **Sunday, November 5**. Our tradition at St. Brendan's is to recite the Necrology by naming all who have been part of our prayers who have died in the last 12 months. All former members will automatically be included in the reading of the Necrology during the service. Contact Katie@stbrendans.org if you have name/s of people you would like to have remembered.

Please support **Mark Shoemaker**. He is raising money for the **FSHD (Facioscapulohumeral Muscular Dystrophy) Drum & Roll Fundraiser** again this year. This is taking place on **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>.



Racial Reconciliation. On October 1st, several parishioners from St. Brendan's attended worship at Destiny of Faith Church on the North Side of Pittsburgh, an African American church. Previously, Mother Robin and Marilyn Mulvihill had lunch with the pastor and founder, the Rev. Dr. Brenda J. Gregg to explore the possibility of some type of partnership or connection between the two congregations. Those who attended worship reported a real sense of joy there and were welcomed with open arms.

In the future, look for the Rev. Gregg to attend one of our services. The hope of the justice ministry is to form real relationships and do some projects together. Please pray as we look to see what God would have us to do. Watch for more opportunities.

Children and Youth



Upcoming dates for Sunday School:

- **Sunday, October 29: Children's Worship Service.** There will be no Sunday School classes that day. Children will be involved in various ways in the service. Children, with the exception of acolytes serving that day, are invited to wear saint or Halloween costumes. Please, no pretend weapons or symbols depicting violence.
- **Please note:** Because there are five Sundays in the month of October, we will have Sunday School classes on October 1, October 8, October 15, October 22.

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

Less than 4 weeks and our biggest fundraiser of the year will be here! We would appreciate any help you can give to help us make this a profitable and fun event. Here's some things you can do:

Cookies: WE NEED MORE COOKIES!! We appreciate and thank everyone who has already signed up to bake them. If you have not signed up yet, your help would be most welcome. **If you have signed up for 10 dozen and can find the time to make 10 dozen or even 5 dozen more, that would be most appreciated!** We have plenty of freezer space so just bring them once you've baked them. Contact Ruth Horton at rvhorton@gmail.com or Donna Aiello at donna.aiello@forecastdirect.com with questions.

Gift Card Basket Raffle: We will be raffling off three baskets of gift cards. Our goal is to gift cards donated by local businesses and parishioners. If you can, please help us **collect cards from businesses that you frequent. Or donate a gift card yourself.** Flyers are for you to give to businesses as you make your request.



get all **gift** available in the Narthex



Raffles tickets are now for sale at the end of each Sunday service. We like to sell them to your family, friends and neighbors. Please see Linda Donna Aiello with questions.



have packets of 10 available if you would Limeris at lindamurraypa@gmail.com or

Soup: As with everything else these days, the like to make a monetary donation to help offset envelope and mark it HH Soup. You can drop



cost to make soup is very expensive. If you'd the cost of ingredients, please put your check or cash in an it in the collection basket or leave it with Katie.

Brendan's Boutique: of all kinds of homemade textiles, paintings, and 9246.



Our Brendan's Boutique tale at our annual fundraiser is back. We are looking for donations crafts, including knitting, crocheting, pottery, jams and jellies, small quilts and other more! If you are interested donating, contact Pat Carl at pkarrcarl@gmail.com or 412-367-

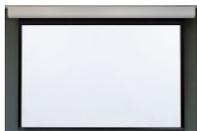


Flyers are in the lobby for your use. Please take a few to post in your favorite shops. Another great place to advertise Holiday Happenings is to place one in the window of your car.

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!



AV Crew. St Brendan's is seeking a few volunteers to be trained for helping with the audio-visual equipment in the social hall. A crew member is needed only occasionally by a church leader, guest speaker or renter who needs to show a video, use a microphone or have access to the projector for a presentation. Help like this would require very little time yet be very beneficial to St. Brendan's. If you'd like to be part of the crew, please contact Sandra Nagy at Shelbie1982@icloud.com.



"Calling all fiber crafters!" Do you knit, crochet, embroider, or do other hand-held fiber arts? Let's get together for fellowship, fun, and handcrafting! Fiber Crafting Club meetings are held on the first Friday and third Wednesday of each month, 6-8 p.m. in the St. Brendan's library.

Please join us - everyone is welcome, regardless of experience level!

If you would like more information, please contact Sherri at sherri.angeletti@gmail.com or text 412-689-0737.

Taize/Evening Prayer: This month's Taize/Evening Prayer service will be **Wednesday, October 25 at 5:00 PM in the chapel.** (Please note the time as this service used to be at 6:00 p.m.) Come join us for this quiet, candlelit service, followed by communion. It's the perfect antidote to a hectic week! Food for the soul!



Book Club: The next meeting of the St. Brendan's Book Club will be **Monday, Nov. 6 at 1 p.m.** (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!

Prayer Requests

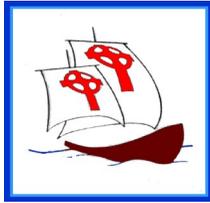
We pray for our beloved members of St. Brendan's, Libby Juel, Kelli Cerra, Nancy Bancroft, Charlotte Pierce, Alice Butterworth, Larry Tarrant, Nancy Snyder, Mark Shoemaker, Matthew, Jim Gray, Rosie Wood, Geoff Wood, LuAnn Aldridge, Joyce Donadee, Kate Heston, Judy McKarnin, Margie Davies, Mark Kinley.

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

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

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, Pat Reiner, Vivian, Nancy Baker.

We pray for all who have died, especially Chris Sensenich.



October Ministry Calendar 2023

Date	Lectors	Sunday School Leaders	Nursery	Altar Guild	Greeters	Ushers	Stewards	Vestry	Hospitality
October 22 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 st AJ McKenna 2 nd Cindy Koszarek P Marilyn Mulvihill	Lambs Saundy Waseleski FISH Michael Waseleski Door keeper Susan Shields	Liz MacDonald Pat Carl	Ellen Groves Phoebe Juel	Allyson Baierl Kate Heston	Mary Bertucci Dale Bertucci	John Appledorn	Sandy Nagy	The Bertucci family
October 29 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am Children & Youth Sunday	8 Joan Beatrous 1 st Children 2 nd Children P Children	Children's Worship	Liz MacDonald Dawn Quinn	Anelisa Tarrant Sylvia Affleck	Kathy Miller Dave Miller	Donna Aiello	Linda Limberis	Dan Moore	Donna Aiello Sharon Hlawati

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November 5 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Joan Beatrous 1 st Cindy Koszarek 2 nd Paul Quinn P John Appledorn	Lambs TBD FISH TBD Door keeper TBD	Liz MacDonald Susan Shields	Dottie Antonucci Kathy Miller	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 TBD FISH TBD Door keeper TBD	Liz MacDonald Lindsay Beel	Joan Klinefelter Anelisa Tarrant	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 TBD FISH TBD Door keeper TBD	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
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

ST. BRENDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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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

Music Director, Daniel May ~ bluesub@verizon.net

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

Nursery Director, Liz MacDonald ~ Liz702988@gmail.com