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## Children and Youth Ministries (CYM)



- **Sunday, October 27: 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, are invited to wear saint or Halloween costumes (please, no pretend weapons or symbols depicting violence). More information about the service will follow.
- **Looking ahead:** The next two Children's Worship Services will be held on:  
**Sunday, November 24**  
**Sunday, December 22** (this is the date for the annual children's Christmas pageant).
- **Volunteers needed for the nursery!** If you enjoy interacting with the youngest members of St. Brendan's, please consider obtaining your clearances required for working with children and volunteering in the nursery. Thanks so much as always to my current volunteers and teen helpers! The following Sundays need filled: December 8, 15, 22 & 29. If interested, please contact Liz MacDonald via text at 412-865-6486 or [Liz702988@gmail.com](mailto:Liz702988@gmail.com).

## Announcements



**Halloween Game Night** - Join us TONIGHT, October 25 at 6:30 for a Halloween Game Night. Drinks and games will be provided. Bring snacks to share and your favorite game. Costumes not required, but welcome! Contact Kate Heston [kmheston71@gmail.com](mailto:kmheston71@gmail.com) with any questions.

**On Sunday, November 3**, following the 10 am service, **Dr. Elizabeth Struthers Malbon, New Testament scholar and Professor Emerita from Virginia Tech**, will speak on the topic "Distinctly Luke: Structure and Themes," as an introduction to Luke's Gospel for Lectionary Year C. She will overview the distinctive temporal schema and geographical schema of Luke (and the two-volume work Luke-Acts), and, with the help of some volunteer readers, introduce a number of Luke's distinctive theological themes. At the close, she will raise two complications of reading this first-century Gospel in the twenty-first century. Lectionary Year C begins on the first Sunday of Advent, which this year is December 1.



**All Saint's Day is Friday, November 1.** We will be celebrating **All Saints on Sunday, November 3.** For St. Brendan's that means our tradition of reciting the Necrology. We read out loud all those who have been part of our prayers that have died in the last 12 months. All of our former members are automatically included in the reciting. Contact [Katie@stbrendans.org](mailto:Katie@stbrendans.org) if you have name/s of people you would like to have remembered.

### St. Brendan's Youth Group

St. Brendan's Youth Group reset and began a new season of learning, praying, and serving. The group consists of young Brendanites from grades 6 through 12 -- who had some great insight and ideas for the group! The facilitators, John Appeldorn and Allison Kline, will be utilizing some lessons from the J 2 A program, but the youth will be taking the lead in planning service and social activities. Below are the activities for this fall planned by the youth.

DATE	THEME	PROJECT/EVENT
November 17	God's Harvest	Thanksgiving Cards Angel Tree Planning
December 15	Wise people still follow the Star	Angel Tree Social Outing – Bowling



**The Pittsburgh Steelers** have had an eight-day turnaround this week and will face the Giants at home on Monday Night Football. This means that those who want to get in on the fun of our Football Pool must buy their squares by noon (or so) this Sunday, October 27. **We do still have plenty of squares available for purchase.** The charge for each square for a **single game** remains at \$10, but now that three home games are behind us, we are offering the **remaining five games as a package** for just \$44 per square. **What! A! Bargain!**



We celebrate the **November birthdays** of...

2 James Aldridge	5 Debbie Jennings	13 Kathleen Ganster	15 Steve Horton
17 Janet Fesq	18 Kristen Bailey	23 Jonathan Bigelow Roche	
24 Bob Grotevant	24 Dan Moore	29 Bill Spoonhoward	



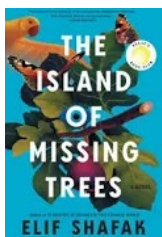
We celebrate the **November wedding anniversaries** of...

7 Mary & Dale Bertucci	24 Judy & Mark McKarnin	29 Linda & Alan Schneider
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**Food Bank - Food Bank- For the last week of October** we are doing something different.

In honor of St. Francis, we will be collecting pet food in cans or bags. These will be distributed to both Animal Friends and the North Hills Food Bank, which requests pet food to give to their clients who need help feeding their pets.



**St. Brendan's Book Club** will meet Monday, **Nov. 4 at 1 pm** in the library to discuss The Island of Missing Trees by Elif Shafak. All are welcome! Upcoming titles:

Dec. 2: Tom Lake by Ann Patchett  
 Jan. 6: The Women by Kristen Hannah  
 Feb. 3: The Beauty of Dusk by Frank Bruni  
 Mar. 3: The Great Stewardess Rebellion by Nell McShane Wulfhart

Please contact Anne Semmler [annegsemmler@gmail.com](mailto:annegsemmler@gmail.com) with any questions.



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

The next meeting is **Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>** at 6 pm. The following will be **Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup>**. Please join us - everyone is welcome, regardless of experience level. We hope to see you there!

Please contact Sherri at [sherri.angeletti@gmail.com](mailto:sherri.angeletti@gmail.com), or text 412-689-0737 to be added to the email list for the most up-to-date information, or if you have questions.



### **SIGN UP NOW TO HELP WITH HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS ON NOVEMBER 23**

There are many ways to help the day before and day of the event. Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex. Please review them and sign up where you can. We can't make this event successful without your help!

*Weekly update on "Happenings":*

Over 800 dozen cookies have been promised and some have already been made and brought to church. We need just 200 more dozen! Can you help?

Raffle tickets for the gift card baskets are available after each service or by emailing Kathy Miller at [komiller747781@yahoo.com](mailto:komiller747781@yahoo.com). Look for our beautiful gift card baskets in the Narthex this Sunday.

There are almost 300 quarts of soup made, frozen and ready to sell.

All of our vendors are busy with their crafts and waiting to arrive on November 23!

Holiday Happenings flyers are available in the Narthex for anyone who is able to take several and post them in various businesses.

*Many thanks to everyone who has helped already!*

Contact Donna Aiello at [donna.aiello@forecastdirect.com](mailto:donna.aiello@forecastdirect.com) with questions.



**"Brendan's Boutique"** is our church's annual sale table in the Holiday Happenings craft vendor room. We are looking for donations of all kinds of handmade crafts, including knitting, crochet, and other textile work, as well as jams and jellies, pottery and other small items. If you are interested in contributing, contact Pat Carl at 412-427-3442 or [pkarrcarl@gmail.com](mailto:pkarrcarl@gmail.com). Handmade is the best!

## **Prayer Requests**

**For our beloved members of St. Brendan's, especially;** Joan Beatrous, Charlotte Pierce, Alice Butterworth, Rosie Wood, Matthew, Jim Gray, Thaddeus Popovich, Janie Cindric, Derek Wimmer, Dave Miller, Margie Davies, Larry Tarrant, Nancy Snyder, Ruth Haider, Bill Spoonhoward.

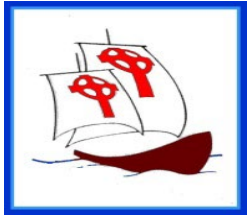
**For our parents, especially;** Margaret Nagel, Lenora, Ken McCormack, Debbie Adrian.

**For our family members, especially;** Tom Payne, Neil Amor, Carol Schmitz, Daniela, Carol and Guy Estes, Bee Ward, Joann, Pat Schulze, Karl Haider, Marie Hazelton, Ann & Ben Kirkpatrick, Frank Nagy, Paula Watson, Margaret and Lawrence Czerpak, Rich, Jay & A., John, Nathan Schlumpf, Rosalie & Geoff Wood, Steve Getty, Sue Burchill, Christian, Robert Donato.

**For our friends, especially;** Patty Herrington, Patty Walker, Terri Hockenberry, Mike Colavita, Jordon Medlin, Connie Geiger, Josh, Mark Hubert, Heidi Sherwin, Susan N., Laurie, Cindy & Bob Getty, Nancy Baker, Debbie and Dale Kline, The Silveira family, Cindy, Phil & Bernice Bollman.

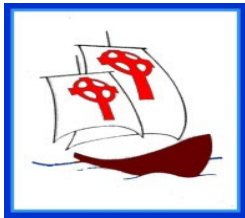
**We pray for all who have died especially;** Chuck Popovich.

**If you know someone who would like a visit from Mtr. Robin,** please email her at [robin@stbrendans.org](mailto:robin@stbrendans.org).



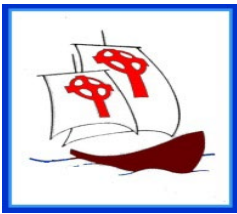
# October Ministry Calendar 2024

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October 27 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 George Snyder 1 <sup>st</sup> Children 2 <sup>nd</sup> Children P Children LEV Sylvia Affleck Lay Eucharistic Visitor	Children's Worship No Sunday School	Liz MacDonald Susan Shields	Ellen Groves Phoebe Juel	Kate Heston Dean Peters	Donna Aiello John Appledorn	Norm Erb-White Deb Erb-White	Richard Munch	Kate Heston



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November 10 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Sylvia Affleck 1 <sup>st</sup> Paul Quinn 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ellen Groves P Marilyn Mulvihill LEV Tim Austin Lay Eucharistic Visitor	Lambs: Kayla Tweedle Fish: Janice Moore Doorkeeper: Susan Shields	Liz MacDonald Dawn Day-Quinn	Sylvia Affleck Anelisa Tarrant	Kathy & Dave Miller	Richard Munch Donna Aiello	Allyson Baierl Dan Moore	Frances Harpst	Kathy & Dave Miller
November 17 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Joan Beatrous 1 <sup>st</sup> Kate Heston 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tony Turo P Tim Austin LEV Sylvia Affleck Lay Eucharistic Visitor	Lambs: Dawn Day-Quinn Fish: TBD Doorkeeper: Ellen Groves	Liz MacDonald Evie Mathie	Dottie Antonucci Janice Moore	Annmarie Malbone John Appledorn	Paul Quinn	Mike and Julia Wick	Kate Heston	No Hospitality – Setup for Holiday Happenings
November 24 Sunday 8 & 10:00 am	8 Johanna Rengers 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday School 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday School P Sunday School LEV Malanie Popovich Lay Eucharistic Visitor	Children's Worship Service No Sunday School	Liz MacDonald Susan Shields	Joan Klinefelter Kathy Miller	Dean Peters Kate Heston	John Appeldorn	Kate Heston Linda Limberis	Sandy Nagy	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  
Communication/Technology: Sandy Nagy  
Children & Youth: John Appeldorn  
Finance: Frances Harpst  
Fundraising: Frances Harpst  
Inreach & Hospitality: Kate Heston  
Membership: Melanie Popovich  
Pastoral Care: Melanie Popovich  
Outreach: Richard Munsch  
Secretary/Clerk: Kate Heston  
Worship: Neil Galone  
Treasurer: Kevin Boyd

### 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: Mary Bertucci  
Book Club: Anne Semmler  
Brendan's Boots: Tom Waseleski  
Bulletin Coordinators: Pat Carl~Carol Meese~Barb Fure  
Dinner Group: Janice Moore  
Facebook: Annemarie Malbon  
Fiber Crafting Club: Sherri Angeletti  
Finance Chair: TBD  
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](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>  
9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:30 pm  
10:00 am Modern Episcopalian, via zoom

**Tuesday:** 9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:30 pm  
11:00 am Bible Study, via zoom <https://zoom.us/j/4575423762>

**Wednesday:** 9:00 am Katie office hours till 12:30 pm  
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  
Katie's office hours from home

**Friday:** 9:00 am Katie office hours from home till noon they in office after 1:00

## ST. BRENDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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

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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Deacon, Rev. Darrell Johnson ~ [darrell@stbrendans.org](mailto:darrell@stbrendans.org)

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

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

Vestry ~ [Vestry@stbrendans.org](mailto:Vestry@stbrendans.org)