



August 28, 2022



A BFF donation was given in celebration of the life of Shari Tarrant from Rosie and Rodge Wood.

Need a gift for someone who has everything? Would you like a way to acknowledge a special family event like a baptism or a birthday? 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 Thank you for making a difference at St. Brendan's by becoming a BFF donor!

# The Vestry met on Monday, August 8, via Teams.



- We reviewed and approved the 2022 Audit Committee's report, discussed the creation of a committee to facilitate our Fall stewardship campaign, and received updates on the roofing project and various upcoming fundraisers.
- Lauren Ramakrishna and I will be serving as the vestry representatives on the Stewardship Committee, but we will be looking for 2-3 non-vestry parishioners to join us and assist with the planning. If you are interested in being a part of this committee, please email me at <a href="mailto:grosh.cameron@gmail.com">grosh.cameron@gmail.com</a> or at <a href="mailto:seniorwarden@stbrendans.org">seniorwarden@stbrendans.org</a>.
- The Roof Committee will be Ruth Horton, Roger Botti, and Mike Wick. This committee will be focused on overseeing the raising of funds and the eventual replacement of St. Brendan's roof. We will provide regular updates as appropriate.
- We have several fundraisers coming in the next few months, including a spaghetti dinner, winter fruit sales, football pools, and the annual Holiday Happening. Keep an eye out for future announcements in the Log, on Sunday Mornings, and in parish emails.



Brendan's Boots. The parish hiking group will take to the shade-filled streets of Sewickley on Saturday, Aug. 27. The trek will wind through the village, past a few houses of local celebrities and along the farmer's market. Lunch will follow at the Nauti Taco. Everyone welcome; feel free to bring a friend. Participants will meet in the church parking lot at 9 a.m. For more info, please contact Tom Waseleski, <a href="mailto:twaseleski@comcast.net">twaseleski@comcast.net</a>.



Book Club News! The St. Brendan's Book Club will resume on Thursday, September 8th 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.

#### Introducing The Navigator's Log!

A ship's log is a vital record of the ship's important events, management, operation, and navigation and serves as an essential tool for the successful navigation of a ship's voyage.

For over two decades, the Little Log has served as St. Brendan's log of announcements and events. In fact, it has been used for so long that many Brendanites may not even know that the "Little" Log was a weekly supplement to a larger, monthly publication, simply called The Log, which has long since been retired.

As The Log no longer exists, the idea behind the name "Little" Log is unfortunately lost on most readers. After much careful discussion, it has been decided to give the Little Log its well-earned retirement and to introduce the parish to the Navigator's Log!

The Navigator's Log will provide the same weekly announcements and events updates that we have all come to know and rely on and, 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":

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. The first Navigator's Log will be sent to the parish on Thursday, September 8.



The Little Red Wagon will be ending at the end of August. Help us fill it before or after Sunday services. If you have some loose change at home that you would like to donate, just drop it in. Every penny in our little Red Wagon helps St. Brendan's. We will announce the count in early September. The person who guesses the closest (without going over) will be treated to lunch with Mother Robin. Send your guess to <a href="mailto:Katie@stbrendans.org">Katie@stbrendans.org</a>.



**Calling All Ministry Leaders!** A Fall Ministry Fair is in the works and 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.



We celebrate the Wedding Anniversaries in September . . .

8 Linda & Jason Konley 8 Tamara & Bill Spoonhoward

14 Linda & Tom Limberis 30 Michele & Michael Long



We celebrate the Birthdays in September . . .

1 Ethan Burdette 1 Tony Turo 3 Luke Cerra 8 Griffin Wick 11 Phoebe Juel 12 AJ McKenna 13 Sylvia Affleck 13 Bobby Cerra 13 Jason Konley 15 George Latta 16 Wes Sands 17 Ellery Fine

17 Ida LaQuatra 18 Rory Sands 18 Anelisa Tarrant 21 Zara Fine 21 Evelyn Gray 22 Melinda Bell 23 Michael Donadee 23 Libby Sweeney

26 Lauren Chappo

# Prayer Requests September 2022





We ask your prayers for our beloved members of St. Brendan's; AJ McKenna, Rodge Wood, Sandy Nagy, Jim Harpst, Mark 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 Bill Nagel.





# **August Ministry Calendar 2022**

| Date  | Lectors  | Altar Guild                         | Greeters                       | Ushers                            | Vestry         | Stewards       | Nursery                      | Hospitality      |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| August 7<br>Sunday 8 & 10:00 am                                       | 8 Tammy Spoonhoward  1st Donna Aiello  2nd Tony Turo  P Alan Schneider                                 | Ellen Groves Janice Moore           | Kathy Miller<br>Dave Miller    | Eric Helmsen<br>Allyson Baierl    | Cameron Grosh  | John Appledorn | Volunteer needed             | Volunteer needed |
| August 14<br>Sunday 8 & 10:00 am                                      | 8 Ellen Groves 1st Kate Heston 2nd Linda Limberis P John Appledorn                                     | Ellen Groves<br>Julia Wick          | Donna Aiello<br>Sharon Hlawati | John Appledorn<br>Kate Heston     | John Appledorn | Tim Austin     | Allison Kline<br>Avery Kline | Allison Kline    |
| August 21<br>Sunday 8 &10:00 am                                       | 8 Sylvia Affleck<br>1 <sup>st</sup> Marilyn Mulvihill<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ann Vinski<br>P Mary Bertucci | Dottie Antonucci<br>Anelisa Tarrant | Allison Kline<br>Wesley Bell   | Dale Bertucci<br>Anthony Bertucci | Ruth Horton    | Mike Wick      | Volunteer needed             | Volunteer needed |
| August 28<br>Sunday 8 &10:00 am<br>Children's Sunday, 4 <sup>th</sup> | 8 Joan Beatrous<br>1 <sup>st</sup> (children)<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> (children)<br>P (children)            | Tammy Spoonhoward<br>Kathy Miller   | Kate Heston<br>Susan Shields   | Tim Austin<br>Donna Aiello        | Donna Aiello   | Dave Miller    | 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

#### **OUTREACH MINISTRY LEADERS**

Adopt-A-Highway: Tom Waseleski **CRIES Advocacy: Ellen Groves** 

**ESL: Tim Austin** 

Jovce 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

# **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 Bovd

**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

# **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/UCkCY2BEJXIgMoVc nXXG7ew

7:45 a.m. Daily Morning Prayer, via zoom, Monday thru Saturday Monday:

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/i/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 11: 00 am till 3:00 p.m.

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

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

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