

St. Brigid's R.C. Church



1ST SUNDAY OF LENT
I DOMINGO DE CUARSEMA

14 February 2024



Our Catholic School



Join us for an Elegant Evening with Monsignor James C. Vlaun

REAL FOOD LIVE

Saturday, March 9, 2024 at 7:00 pm

at St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School in Monsignor Code Auditorium

101 Maple Avenue, Westbury, NY 11590

\$125.00 per ticket



To purchase tickets, sponsorships, journal ads or raffle tickets ONLINE, SCAN THIS QR CODE. To register via phone, contact 516-334-0021

**Deadline for reservations and journal ads is
Sunday, February 25, 2024.
Seats are filling up fast!**



LENT @ St. Brigid's



**Come join fellow St. Brigid's
parishioners and others...**

**...for a unique Lenten experience
Saturday March 16, 2024,
buses leave at 7 am, show at 3 pm**



**A Sight and Sound Production
Lancaster, PA**



- **Limited Seating- 2 Buses**
- **Call front desk at 516-334-0021
to reserve early with payment
\$170/Adult + \$100/Child
*includes show, transportation,
light breakfast on bus and lunch***



Liturgy and Lent



How we pray changes a bit during Lent so we may better enter more deeply into this season of conversion and transformation.

- The *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* reminds us, "In Lent the playing of the organ and musical instruments is allowed only in order to support the singing. Exceptions, however, are Laetare Sunday (Fourth Sunday of Lent), Solemnities, and Feasts." Therefore, you may hear a little less of the organ and piano and other instruments throughout this season.

The bells on the Church will not ring again until Easter Sunday.

We will have silence during the time of the Preparation of the Altar and the Presentation of the Gifts, except on the 4th Sunday of Lent.

- The Gloria (Glory to God) is not said or sung during Lent, except on the Solemnity of St. Joseph (celebrated this year on Tuesday, March 19th. We will sing the Gloria again at the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper and then again at the Easter Vigil.

- The Alleluia is omitted from all hymns and as the Gospel Acclamation during Masses. We will chant a different verse during the season of Lent until the Easter Vigil.

- We will use the Apostles' Creed instead of the Nicene Creed. The Roman Missal (#19) clearly encourages the use of the Apostles' Creed during the seasons of Lent and Easter. The text can also be found in *Unidos en Cristo/United in Christ* and in the *Sanctus* and *Sunday Word* books.

La forma de rezar cambia un poco durante la Cuaresma para que podamos entrar más profundamente en este tiempo de conversión y transformación.

- *La Instrucción General del Misal Romano* nos recuerda: "En Cuaresma se permite tocar el órgano y los instrumentos musicales sólo para apoyar el canto. Las excepciones, sin embargo, son el Domingo Laetare (Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma), las Solemnidades y las Fiestas". Por lo tanto, es posible que oigáis un poco menos el órgano y el piano y otros instrumentos a lo largo de este tiempo.

Las campanas de la Iglesia no volverán a sonar hasta el Domingo de Resurrección.

Tendremos silencio durante el tiempo de la Preparación del Altar y la Presentación de las Ofrendas, excepto el 4º Domingo de Cuaresma.

- El Gloria (Gloria a Dios) no se dice ni se canta durante la Cuaresma, excepto en la Solemnidad de San José (que este año se celebra el martes 19 de marzo). Volveremos a cantar el Gloria en la Misa vespertina de la Cena del Señor y después en la Vigilia Pascual.

- El Aleluya se omite en todos los himnos y como Aclamación del Evangelio durante las Misas. Cantaremos un versículo diferente durante el tiempo de Cuaresma hasta la Vigilia Pascual.

- Usaremos el Credo de los Apóstoles en lugar del Credo Niceno. El Misal Romano (#19) anima claramente al uso del Credo de los Apóstoles durante los tiempos de Cuaresma y Pascua. El texto también se puede encontrar en *Unidos en Cristo/United in Christ* y en los libros *Sanctus* y *Sunday Word*.



LENT @ St. Brigid's

Lenten Bag Challenge



During Lent, we are called to the spiritual practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Rest assured, you can do all of those things here at St. Brigid's!

Please take two reusable shopping bags.

We ask you to keep one for yourself and return the other with the requested items throughout the weeks of Lent.

(Yes, of course, you can return both and even take more than two!)



Durante la Cuaresma, estamos llamados a las prácticas espirituales de oración, ayuno y limosna.

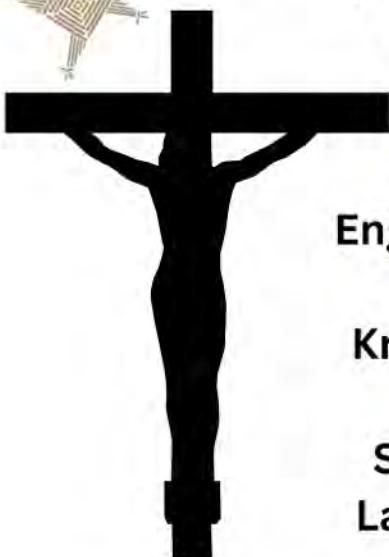
¡Tenga la seguridad de que puede hacer todas esas cosas aquí en Santa Brígida!

Por favor, lleve dos bolsas de compras reusables.

Le pedimos que se quede con una y devuelva la otra con los artículos que hemos pedido durante las semanas de Cuaresma.

(Sí, Claro, ¡pueden devolver las dos e incluso llevarse más de dos!)

Stations of the Cross



**Fridays of Lent +
Los Viernes de
Cuaresma**

3:00 p.m.

English - Church

6:15 p.m.

Kreyol - Church

7:00 p.m.

**Spanish - Our
Lady's Chapel-
School**

"He himself bore our sins" in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; "by his wounds you have been healed."



Join our **Adult Choir** for Lent

**REHEARSALS EACH WEDNESDAY @ 6:30 PM
IN ST. ANTHONY HALL - 85 POST AVENUE**

**WE SING ON SUNDAY MORNINGS
@ 10:00 IN THE CHURCH AND WE HAVE GREAT
PLANS FOR HOLY WEEK!**

**CONTACT: SUSAN PORTEUS
MUSIC@SAINTBRIGID.NET
OR CALL 516-334-0021 EXT. 311**



LENT @ St. Brigid's

THE PASCHAL CANDLE + EL CIRIO PASCUAL

El Cirio Pascual es un recuerdo increíble de la luz que brilla en la oscuridad. En la Vigilia Pascual de cada año, prepararemos un nuevo Cirio Pascual. Debido a nuestros espacios de culto en la Capilla de Nuestra Señora y la Iglesia, compramos dos velas para el uso de la parroquia.

Ambos cirios arderán durante el tiempo de Pascua y en todos los bautizos y funerales durante el resto del año. Es un signo de la "Luz de Cristo" que rompe la oscuridad de nuestro mundo.

Nuestros nuevos cirios están hechos a mano con cera de abeja y serán un hermoso signo de la luz y la esperanza pascuales. Como son de cera de abeja y están hechos a mano, son caros. Una bonita tradición en mi antigua parroquia consistía en que los miembros de la parroquia que habían perdido a algún familiar en el último año hacían una ofrenda en memoria de su ser querido para ayudar a sufragar los gastos relacionados con los cirios. **Si usted y/o su familia quisieran hacer eso, estaríamos muy agradecidos y apreciados. Puede enviar un donativo a la Oficina Parroquial. Por favor, indique claramente que es para los nuevos cirios pascuales e indique el nombre de la persona a la que desea recordar. Se hará un aviso en el boletín.**

The Paschal Candle serves as an incredible reminder of the light that shines through the darkness. At the Easter Vigil each year, we will prepare a new Paschal Candle. Because of our worship spaces in Our Lady's Chapel and the Church, we purchase two candles for the parish's use.

Both candles will burn throughout the Easter season and for all baptisms and funerals throughout the remainder of the year. It is a sign of the "Light of Christ" that shatters the darkness of our world.

Our new candles are handmade from beeswax and will be a beautiful sign of Easter light and hope. Because it is beeswax and handmade, it is expensive. A nice tradition in my former parish took place as members of the parish who had lost family members in the past year made an offering in memory of their loved one to assist with the costs related to the candles. **If you and/or your family would like to do that, we would be most grateful and appreciative. You can send a donation to the Parish Office. Please note clearly that it is for the new Paschal Candles and list the name of whom you wish to remember. A notice will be made in the bulletin.**

LENT @ St. Brigid's



Lent FASTING & ABSTINENCE

- Todos los católicos que hayan cumplido los catorce (14) años están obligados a abstenerse por completo de comer carne todos los viernes de Cuaresma.
- Todos los católicos entre las edades de dieciocho (18) y cincuenta y nueve (59) años inclusive están obligados a observar la ley del ayuno el Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo. Esto significa limitarse a una sola comida completa y evitar los alimentos entre comidas. Se pueden tomar otras dos comidas ligeras, que juntas no equivalen a una comida completa, durante el día.
- Aquellos cuyo trabajo o salud se verían perjudicados están exentos del ayuno y la abstinencia. La conciencia individual debe decidir la causa apropiada para la excusa. Se requiere una razón más seria para excusarse del ayuno y la abstinencia del Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo.

- All Catholics who have reached their fourteenth (14th) year are bound to abstain entirely from meat on all the Fridays of Lent.
- All Catholics between the ages of eighteen (18) and fifty-nine (59) inclusive are also bound to observe the law of fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This means limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Two other light meals, which together do not equal a full meal, may be taken during the day.
- Those whose work or health would be impaired are excused from fast and abstinence. Individual conscience should decide proper cause for excuse. A more serious reason is required to excuse oneself from the Ash Wednesday and Good Friday fast and abstinence.



GETTING READY FOR Lent

Thank you to the students from St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional Catholic, our candidates for Confirmation, our Art and Environment Ministry and many others who helped us prepare well for this Lenten journey!



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

 WE NEED YOU!

**ALTAR SERVERS
NEEDED!/
¡SE NECESITAN
MONAGUILLOS!**

**CLASSES FOR TRAINING
CLASES DE FORMACIÓN**

El miércoles/Wednesday, February 28

5:00 p.m. - Church (Post Avenue)

El jueves/Thursday, February 29

5:00 p.m. - Our Lady's Chapel (Maple Avenue)

El miércoles/Wednesday, March 6

5:00 p.m. - Church (Post Avenue)

El jueves/Thursday, March 7

5:00 p.m. - Our Lady's Chapel (Maple Avenue)

El miércoles/Wednesday, March 13

5:00 p.m. - Church (Post Avenue)

El jueves/Thursday, March 14

5:00 p.m. - Our Lady's Chapel (Maple Avenue)



Email Fr. John at
fatherjohn
@saintbrigid.net, call
516.334.0021, scan
the QR code to
below!



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

CATHOLICS OF AFRICAN ANCESTRY

National Black Catholic
History Month



JULIA GREELEY

Black Catholic History Month is over, but there is still more to learn To celebrate Black History Month, we present Servant of God, Julia Greeley.

Julia Greeley's Road to sainthood is an inspiring journey. Born into slavery in Missouri around 1833 (or later), she faced numerous challenges throughout her life. She lost an eye as a child when hit by her slave master's whip. After slavery, she continued a life of service to make a living. She worked for families in Missouri, Wyoming, New Mexico and eventually Denver.

Despite facing poverty and hardship, Julia dedicated her life to helping others. She became known for her acts of charity, often collecting food, clothing, and other necessities for those in need. She became known as Denver's Angel of Charity. In 1880 she became Catholic at the Sacred Heart Parish in Denver. Julia had a deep devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and joined the Secular Franciscan Third Order in 1901. Every month she would travel on foot to all the firehouses in Denver to distribute pamphlets from the Sacred Heart League to every fireman. She remained active until her death in 1918.

In 2016, the Archdiocese of Denver officially opened Julia Greeley's cause for canonization, recognizing her exemplary life and virtues. The process involves investigating her life, virtues, and the impact of her intercession in people's lives. If Julia is declared venerable, the next steps would be beatification and then canonization, requiring the confirmation of miracles attributed to her intercession.

Julia Greeley's journey toward sainthood serves as a testament to her selfless dedication to others and her strong faith. The Church recognizes individuals like her to inspire and guide us in our own spiritual journeys.

Email CAA@saintbrigid.net for the link
or use the QR code to see our online page.



ST. BRIGID'S LOVES FAMILIES



VIDA FAMILIAR FAMILY LIFE



9:30am Family Mass Opportunities to Serve

Music

Sing with our Adult Multicultural Choir any Sunday in Lent!
Rehearsal on Sundays at 8:30am in the school music room.



Liturgy

Young people in grades 5 and up are invited to participate in our Good Friday presentation.
Rehearsal in St. Brigid's Church on March 26 at 4pm.

Help Those in Need

Take a red shopping bag and donate the food indicated on the list inside the bag. Bring the bag to Mass for Parish Outreach.



Coffee Fellowship

Hospitality

Come together weekly after Mass in Code Auditorium.
Help serve coffee, juice, and snacks and make new friends!

Palm Sunday and Easter

Children, youth, and adults are invited to join our INTERGENERATIONAL CHOIR for Palm Sunday and Easter!
Rehearsal on March 20 at 5:30pm in the School Chapel.



Scan our QR code for questions or more information!



Family

FAITH FORMATION



ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES CLASES DE CONFIRMACION PARA ADULTOS

The Adult Confirmation process is an opportunity for Catholics who have not had the opportunity to receive the sacrament of Confirmation to complete their full initiation into the Catholic Church. This process emphasizes the basics of Catholic teaching respecting the adult audience's many concerns, questions and responsibilities. Some of the topics include the Trinity, sacraments, prayer, and morality. We are taking information for people who would like to sign up for our 2024 sessions. Sessions will begin on Wednesday, February 28, 2024.

To express your interest in Adult Confirmation please complete and [submit the Adult Confirmation Interview Form](#).



Requirements for Adult Confirmation Preparation

- A Roman Catholic adult who has received first Eucharist.
- A copy of Baptismal Certificate
- One must select a sponsor to accompany them in the preparation process.

For additional questions, email faithformation@saintbrigid.net.

El proceso de Confirmación de Adultos es una oportunidad para los católicos que no han tenido la oportunidad de recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación para completar su plena iniciación en la Iglesia Católica. Este proceso enfatiza los fundamentos de la enseñanza católica respetando las muchas preocupaciones, preguntas y responsabilidades del público adulto. Algunos de los temas incluyen la Trinidad, los sacramentos, la oración y la moral. Estamos recibiendo información para las personas que deseen inscribirse en nuestras sesiones de 2024. Las sesiones comenzarán el miércoles 28 de febrero de 2024.

Para expresar su interés en la Confirmación de Adultos por favor complete y envíe el Formulario de Entrevista de Confirmación de Adultos.

Requisitos para la Preparación de la Confirmación de Adultos

- Un adulto Católico Romano que haya recibido la primera Eucaristía.
- Una copia del Certificado de Bautismo
- Uno debe seleccionar un padrino que lo acompañe en el proceso de preparación.

Para preguntas adicionales, envíe un correo electrónico a faithformation@saintbrigid.net.



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Catholics for African Ancestry



- Black History Month continues, and we have not had an event. A series of member illnesses and lack of available space have caused us to postpone any large event we have on the burner. Watch this space. We are still looking at a Black History Trivia Night on the 24th or the afternoon of the 25th. Watch this space for further developments.
- There are changes to the application process. We haven't published any because they are not final. What you can do is make sure you have your documented volunteer activity. There will be a new essay focused on your faith and ethnicity. If you are a student, you can prepare by thinking about what they mean to you and how they are related. The due date for the application is May 31.
- Students, there are many volunteer activities for the Ash Wednesday Services. Call the office to see if there is something that fits your schedule. Also sign up for one of the in-home Lenten retreats.

For more information about our ministry, contact Thea Callender at caa@saintbrigid.net or leave a message at 516.334.0021.

Can you serve as an *Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion?*

As part of the Eucharistic Revival, we will work to offer the precious Blood (from the cup) during the Easter season.

To accomplish this goal, we need more men and women to come forward.

Diocesan and parish training will take place this Spring.



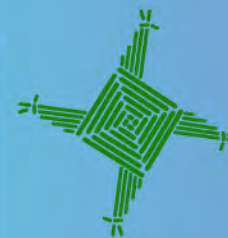
For more information, please call or email Fr. John at 516.3340021 or email to fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net.



LIFE @ ST. BRIGID

Triduum of Our Lady of Lourdes

Last week, the Haitian community at St. Brigid's led our parish in three days of prayer for the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, the World Day of the Sick. We welcomed Fr. Cine, SMM, who served at St. Brigid's to lead parts of the Triduum. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for us!



St. Brigid's Morning Retreat

February 27, 2024

Come gather at St. Brigid's to explore with other faith-filled people, what God's desire is for you and ways you can discern His movement in your daily routine. Through a combination of themed discussion, self-reflection and sacred sharing, we will discover different ways to recognize God's presence in our lives.

Next Meeting:
Tuesday, February 27th
from 10:30am to 12 noon
in the Parish Center at St. Anthony Hall

MONTHLY MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST



**MEN OF ALL AGES
ARE INVITED TO JOIN
US ON THE LAST
SATURDAY OF EVERY
MONTH FROM
8:30AM-10AM FOR
PRAYER AND
FELLOWSHIP.
A CONTINENTAL
BREAKFAST IS
SERVED**

**PLEASE JOIN US ON:
SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 24, 2024
@ ST. ANTHONY HALL**

*For more information, email
spirituality@saintbrigid.net (att: Vince)*



PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

We are here to serve and care for you!

If you're struggling with something and not sure where to turn, please turn to St. Brigid's. We may not be able to address all concerns but will do our best to help and/or refer you for additional support. Our Parish provides confidential support and assistance. Immigration concerns, food insecurity, serious illness, economic problems, mental health concerns and many others are issues we may all face at different times in our lives.

Si tiene problemas con algo y no está seguro de a dónde acudir, diríjase a St. Brigid's. Es posible que no podamos abordar todas las inquietudes, pero haremos todo lo posible para ayudarlo y/o recomendarlo para obtener asistencia adicional. La oficina de ayuda provee apoyo y ayuda confidencialmente. Las preocupaciones de inmigración, la inseguridad alimentaria, las enfermedades graves, los problemas económicos, los problemas de salud mental y muchos otros son problemas que todos podemos enfrentar en diferentes momentos de nuestras vidas.

Our Parish Outreach program, located in the Father Schaefer Outreach Building, provides a range of social services for people of the local community.

Address:

*75 Post Avenue,
Westbury NY 11590
516.334.0021*

***DIRECTOR OF
OUTREACH
& COORDINATOR OF
CASA MARY JOHANNA,***

*St. Brigid's Immigration
Outreach Ministry
Yanira Chacon
516.334.0021 x. 362
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THE WELL

*Barbara Powell
516.334.0021 x. 361
barbarap@saintbrigid.net*

FOOD PANTRY:

*Ximena Aravena
516.334.0021 x. 327
ximena@saintbrigid.net*

Hours of operation:

Monday 4:30p - 7p
Tue. & Wed. 10:30a - 12p
1p - 3p
Thursday 10:30a - 12p
4:30p - 7p
Friday 10:30a - 12p

WE NEED NURSES

Parish Social Ministry is looking for nurses from our community to assist with a new ministry that will work to provide limited health care and awareness to those in need! For more information, please contact Yanira Chacón at yanira@saintbrigid.net or call at 516.334.0021.

PANTRY SHOPPING LIST

These are the items our pantry is in particular need of this week. You can drop them off at the Schaefer Center or leave them at the doors of the Church or Chapel.

- Cereal (any size)
- Boxes & Bottles of Juice
- Oatmeal
- Canned Mixed Vegetables
- Cookies
- Refried Beans

If donating food to the pantry via delivery, the address is 75 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

We are here to serve and care for you!



St. Brigid of Westbury embraces a wide diversity of God's children, including the welcoming of the Special Needs families. We are looking to form a ministry that offers the gift what families need in friendship, understanding, support, and fun. We need to form a "working group" to form, develop, and carry out this ministry in our parish. There are many ideas for us to consider and many ways to come together to support one another!

SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY

If you are the parent or a guardian of a special needs child or are interested in helping a child, please contact Tamara (20 years experience as a special needs mom to Mary Faith) at frontdesk@saintbrigid.net or call 516.334.0021

Santa Brígida de Westbury abraza una amplia diversidad de los niños de Dios, incluyendo la acogida de las familias con necesidades especiales. Estamos buscando formar un ministerio que ofrezca el regalo que las familias necesitan en amistad, comprensión, apoyo y diversión. Necesitamos formar un "grupo de trabajo" para formar, desarrollar y llevar a cabo este ministerio en nuestra parroquia. ¡Hay muchas ideas que podemos considerar y muchas maneras de unirnos para apoyarnos unos a otros!

Si usted es el padre o tutor de un niño con necesidades especiales o está interesado en ayudar a un niño, por favor póngase en contacto con Tamara (20 años de experiencia como madre de Mary Faith con necesidades especiales) en frontdesk@saintbrigid.net o llame al 516.334.0021

CFN ANNUAL TELETHON

Saturday February 25 - Sunday, February 26, 2024

Support our own Msgr. Jim!



The Catholic Faith Network (CFN) will continue our immense Telethon tradition this year! This exciting event will commence on Saturday, February 25th from 2 - 10 PM and continue through Sunday, February 26th from 12 - 10 PM. Guaranteed to be the most engaging telethon to date, the entertainment will continue with many surprise guests along with our on-air family that you have come to know.

Please join the excitement and consider pledging! The process is easy, you can pledge securely online by visiting www.CFNtv.org or by scanning the QR Code below, using a smartphone or any smart device. We know we can continue to count on you, as we always have! CFN is available throughout the Tri-State Area on Optimum, channel 29/137; Verizon FiOS TV channel 296; Spectrum, channel 162/471. Additionally, you can tune in nationwide on the following streaming services - Amazon Fire TV, Samsung Smart TV, Roku, Android TV, and Apple TV.

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WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO ST. BRIGID PARISH

*Darwin Vasquez
Ms. Lidia Martinez
Vidal Robledo Martinez
Elias Robledo Rubillos
Jaya Romero Family
Rosa E. Romero
Luis Benjamin Romero*



We Welcome the Newly Baptized

Isabella Arias
Anthony Roberto Flores Arias
Alainna Lemus Hernandez
Jeffrey Antonio Morales
Alex Marino Peña Hernandez
Diana Elizabeth Rivas
Aalaya Esmeralda Romero Alas

FOR THE WEEK
BEGINNING FEBRUARY 18TH

BREAD AND WINE IN MEMORY OF
ELEAZAR PICHARDO

TABERNACLE LAMP IN MEMORY OF
LAXMI NAIK (ANNIVERSARY)

ST. ANTHONY CANDLE IN MEMORY OF
ANTONIO BUFFOLINO

Church Decorating/Art and Environment

WE NEED A LOT OF HELP FOR
LENT AND EASTER!

NEXT MEETING
MONDAY, February 19, 2024
7 p.m. Outreach Center
75 Post Avenue, Westbury

Get involved! Call the
Parish Office at
516.334.0021 or
email frontdesk
@saintbrigid.net to
be connected to our
ministry.

All are welcome!

Do you have an "eye" for design?
Can you think of some beautiful ways to
decorate our Church for Christmas?
Lent? Advent? Easter?
Are you open to something new?

This group works to:

- Plan and organize the decoration of our Church for the liturgical seasons
- Prepare materials for each season
- Keep liturgical decorations in good order



WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

ORAMOS POR LOS QUE ESTAN ENFERMOS

Ramon Romero	Alan Demascus	Jeannette Murphy	Joshua Bourassa
Chris Agnastol	John & Rose	Liam S.	Michael Bustillo
Jerry Pastoria	O'Dougherty	Miguel Henriquez	Bezerly Morton
Scott Nachman	Melissa Anzano	Rudy Capece	Scott Comunale
Kebira	Rosemary Fisher	Mario Constain, Jr.	Gordon Shaw
Tara Wegauer	Jeff McBride	Michael Pereira	Vincent Ciantro
Debbie Perrino	Ashley	Catherine Dillon	Raymond Thormne
Janet Gonzalez Campos	Lauretta Henning	Tony Perfetti	Ed Nolan
Augustine	Baby Joshua Love	Debra Dibella	Kenneth Dudkewic
Richard Abbate	Steve Caputo	José López	Michael Genzale
Gavin Turner	Alex	Baby Marisol Guadalupe	Elizabeth Pennisi
Fabini Camargo	Gloria Godwin	Acevedo	Grace Bivona
Alicia Gonzalez	Ashley Johnson	Rudimar Pegoraro	Christine Clancy
Neusa Benatti	Joel Wax	Kebira Begum	Bernice Campbell
Luca Gucciardo	Ana Divinia Siegel	Rita McDougall	Carley Barten
			Gavin L. Turner

REZAMOS POR LOS QUE HAN MUERTO.....

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED...

Adelaide Mack, Gene Spitzer, Gregory J. Mahon, Nancy Kelly, Lilly Oster, Jennifer Strada Iannotti, Merlene M. Parris

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY...

ORAMOS POR AQUELLOS QUE SIRVEN EN LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS...

Vladimir Julien - Naval Chief in Okinawa Japan
John Gaeta - Lnc. Corporal USMC Northern Europe
Cameron Crosby - Corporal Marines
Patrick Simons, Lieutenant, US Navy
Daniel Tilghman
John M. Pereira

We have refreshed our Military Prayer List

If you wish to place someone on the military prayer or sick list, please go to parish website and click on "Forms" and "Prayer Requests", or call the parish office.

<https://saintbrigid.net> - 516.334.0021 ext. 300



THE MASS

FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING FEBRUARY 19

MONDAY/LUNES FEBRUARY 19

7:00am - The DaCosta Family (Living)
12:10pm - Eleazar Pichardo

TUESDAY/MARTES FEBRUARY 20

7:00am - Eleazar Pichardo
12:10pm - Ellen Palmer

WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES FEBRUARY 21

7:00am - Loretta Riley
12:10pm - Michelle Mattheu (In Thanksgiving)
7:30pm - Eleazar Pichardo

THURSDAY/JUEVES FEBRUARY 22

7:00am - Rev. Varghese Mavelil
12:10pm - Alfred Livoti

FRIDAY/VIERNES FEBRUARY 23

7:00am - Mary Sargent
12:10pm - Joseph G. Micca

SATURDAY/SABADO FEBRUARY 24

8:00am - Novena Mass
5:00pm - Mary Lagnese
7:00pm - Eleazar Pichardo

SUNDAY/DOMINGO FEBRUARY 25

7:00am (Church/English) - Rita Sylvain
8:00am (Our Lady's Chapel/Spanish) -
8:30am (Church/Italian) - Pasqua Cosmo Cataldo, For all the Saints, Enzo Barison, Jennie Quagliano, James Cunningham
9:30am (Our Lady's Chapel/English) - Cecilia Medina Bermudez
10:00am (Church/English) - Domenick & jennie Pinto, For all the people of the Parish, George & Joan Dick (Anniversary), Josephine Regina, Bob Schlaich & Agnes Kane, In Memory of Isabell Gatto
10:45am (Our Lady's Chapel/Spanish)- David Mungia Gonzalez, Carlos Antonio Coello (Birthday), Benny Maraj, Jorge Alberto Barrera
11:30am (Church/English) - Biagio Vigliotti
*12:15pm (Our Lady's Chapel/Spanish) - Eugenia Marciano (Anniversary)
2:30pm (Church/Kreyol) Mr. & Mrs. Denis & Family (In Thanksgiving), Myrha A.S. Mensah (Birthday), Tatiana Desanges (Birthday)
*6:00pm (Our Lady's Chapel/English) - Karen Balbi

Our Lady's Chapel is located in our school building at 101 Maple Avenue.

Looking Ahead... *Second Sunday of Lent*

Pray with next Sunday's readings and consider these questions. You can access the readings at www.usccb.org or making use of the Sunday's Word or Sanctus books.

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God tested Abraham, asking him to sacrifice his only son Isaac. Seeing Abraham's obedience, God relented. Because of Abraham's faith, God blessed him greatly.

- How can we show God our faith?

Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34

We have received the ultimate proof of God's love: Christ Jesus, given up to death for the sake of us all. "If God is for us, who can be against us?"

- Can anyone keep us from God?
- What separates us from God's love?

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Jesus went up a mountain with his disciples and was transfigured before their eyes. Awe filled them. A voice from a cloud proclaimed, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.

- What obstacles keep us from seeing, with eyes of faith, the glorified and transparent life we are called to?