



St. Brigid's R.C. Church

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

II Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

18 January 2026



THE PASTOR'S POST

CALLED to our Catholic School

Dear Parish Family:

This year, the Department of Education of the Diocese of Rockville Centre has asked each school to focus on the theme, "Called". It is a good theme for our school, particularly as we come from our work on the Jubilee of Hope last year. I cannot help but think of that theme when it comes to our Catholic School and this Sunday's readings. Not only are we **called to our Catholic school** in our support and presence, we are **called by our Catholic school** to become better disciples.

Let me explain. Consider today's reading with me as I think they speak of the same ideas - being called to God and in that nearness to walk together in bringing God's love to the world. Today in the Scriptures, Isaiah, the psalmist, Paul, and John the Baptist and so many others are called by God to go forth. This is the work of the disciple. This is your work and mine.

What better place for the awareness of that call to happen than in our Catholic school? While we are surrounded in this area by many good schools, we are blessed by the presence of St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Catholic School. For here, young people and their families are formed in body, mind, and spirit to recognize what God is asking of them. They are formed in the principles of our Catholic faith and given an incredible foundation for life. Coming from a diversity of backgrounds and perspectives, they work, and it is work, to discover what God is asking of them. By all measures - from academic testing to participation in various activities to a lived faith - they are responding to this incredible call.

I have been privileged to teach in the school this year. It is awesome to see it happening right before my eyes each day. I leave school, if I am honest, a little tired and a little overwhelmed by the grades that need to get entered. (We'll get there!) I am also challenged and uplifted. I am challenged to be a better person and a better teacher by these young people **who call me to more**. I am uplifted because I see the power of a loving community that educates, forms, and **calls them to be more**. Wow! What a gift!

The school has transformed our parish, too. The school is a vital part of our mission and calls for

our support. Yes! At the same time, the school is transforming our parish. We see the incredible engagement of students and families in our liturgies and services to the community. We have so many alumni, some now parents engaged in so many worlds and ministries here. We receive such generosity from the school in support of those in need. We have been invited to reflect and journey with our school as they have taught us about hope, grief, peace, gratitude, and justice...and that just in the last seven or eight months. They are calling us to respond to God's call!



Now, I pray we can mirror this call and response in our lives as disciples and in our work and support of the school. As much as our Catholic school needs our parish, our parish needs our Catholic school. So just as Isaiah is called, just as John the Baptist

sees, can we pray for that awareness, particularly when it comes to St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Catholic School. It is not the responsibility solely of the parents or the teachers or the staff. They are certainly part of this. Do they work hard? You bet! It is our responsibility too! We are growing as our enrollment is up. We are continuing to strengthen and enhance our school. We have great foundations to build upon going forward.

This week, can you consider how you might be called to the mission of one of our most important missions - our Catholic school.

- Do you feel called to help? Can you support us by sponsoring a student or family in need, even partially?
- Do you have experience in education and development? We need some new board members soon!
- Do you love to visit? Come to our Open House next Sunday!
- Do you love to talk? Can you invite others to learn more about our Catholic school?

So Isaiah said yes! Paul was called. John the Baptist testified. The psalmist said, "Here I am...".

What about you? What about me?

Please pray for me. I promise the same!

Featherman

EL POST DEL PARROCO

LLAMADOS a nuestra escuela católica

Estimada familia parroquial:

Este año, el Departamento de Educación de la Diócesis de Rockville Centre ha pedido a cada escuela que se centre en el tema «Llamados». Es un buen tema para nuestra escuela, sobre todo después del trabajo que realizamos el año pasado con motivo del Jubileo de la Esperanza. No puedo evitar pensar en ese tema cuando se trata de nuestra escuela católica y las lecturas de este domingo. No solo estamos llamados a nuestra escuela católica con nuestro apoyo y nuestra presencia, sino que nuestra escuela católica nos llama a ser mejores discípulos.

Déjenme explicarles. Consideren conmigo la lectura de hoy, ya que creo que habla de las mismas ideas: ser llamados por Dios y, en esa cercanía, caminar juntos para llevar el amor de Dios al mundo. Hoy, en las Escrituras, Isaías, el salmista, Pablo, Juan el Bautista y tantos otros son llamados por Dios para salir adelante. Esta es la labor del discípulo. Esta es su labor y la mía.

¿Qué mejor lugar para tomar conciencia de esa llamada que nuestra escuela católica? Aunque en esta zona estamos rodeados de muchas buenas escuelas, tenemos la suerte de contar con la presencia de la escuela católica St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope. Aquí, los jóvenes y sus familias se forman en cuerpo, mente y espíritu para reconocer lo que Dios les pide. Se les educa en los principios de nuestra fe católica y se les proporciona una base increíble para la vida. Provenientes de diversos orígenes y perspectivas, trabajan, y es un trabajo, para descubrir lo que Dios les pide. En todos los aspectos, desde las pruebas académicas hasta la participación en diversas actividades y la fe vivida, están respondiendo a esta increíble llamada.

He tenido el privilegio de dar clases en la escuela este año. Es increíble ver cómo sucede cada día ante mis ojos. Si soy sincero, salgo de la escuela un poco cansado y un poco abrumado por las calificaciones que tengo que introducir. (¡Ya lo conseguiremos!) También me siento desafiado y animado. Estos jóvenes me desafían a ser mejor persona y mejor maestro, ya que me impulsan a dar más de mí mismo. Me siento animado porque veo el poder de una comunidad amorosa que educa, forma y los impulsa a ser mejores. ¡Vaya! ¡Qué regalo!

La escuela también ha transformado a nuestra parroquia. La escuela es una parte vital de nuestra misión y requiere nuestro apoyo. ¡Sí! Al mismo

tiempo, la escuela está transformando nuestra parroquia. Vemos el increíble compromiso de los estudiantes y las familias en nuestras liturgias y servicios a la comunidad. Tenemos muchos ex alumnos, algunos de los cuales ahora son padres comprometidos en muchos ámbitos y ministerios aquí. Recibimos una gran generosidad de la escuela en apoyo a los necesitados. Se nos ha invitado a reflexionar y a acompañar a nuestra escuela, ya que nos han enseñado sobre la esperanza, el dolor, la paz, la gratitud y la justicia... y eso solo en los últimos siete u ocho meses. ¡Nos están llamando a responder al llamado de Dios!

Ahora, rezo para que podamos reflejar esta llamada y respuesta en nuestras vidas como discípulos y en nuestro trabajo y apoyo a la escuela. Tanto como nuestra parroquia necesita nuestra escuela católica, nuestra parroquia necesita nuestra escuela católica. Así que, al igual que Isaías es llamado, al igual que Juan el Bautista ve, ¿podemos rezar por esa conciencia, especialmente cuando se trata de la escuela católica St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope? No es responsabilidad exclusiva de los padres, los maestros o el personal. Sin duda, ellos forman parte de ello. ¿Trabajan duro? ¡Por supuesto! ¡También es nuestra responsabilidad! Estamos creciendo a medida que aumenta nuestra matrícula. Seguimos fortaleciendo y mejorando nuestra escuela. Tenemos una base sólida sobre la que construir en el futuro.

Esta semana, ¿podrías pensar en cómo podrías sentirte llamado a una de nuestras misiones más importantes: nuestra escuela católica?

- ¿Sientes el llamado a ayudar? ¿Puedes apoyarnos patrocinando a un estudiante o familia necesitada, aunque sea parcialmente?
- ¿Tienes experiencia en educación y desarrollo? ¡Necesitamos nuevos miembros para la junta directiva pronto!
- ¿Te encanta visitar lugares nuevos? ¡Ven a nuestra jornada de puertas abiertas el próximo domingo!
- ¿Te gusta hablar? ¿Puedes invitar a otras personas a conocer mejor nuestra escuela católica?

¡Así que Isaías dijo que sí! Pablo fue llamado. Juan el Bautista dio testimonio. El salmista dijo: «Aquí estoy...».

¿Y tú? ¿Y yo?

Por favor, recen por mí. ¡Yo prometo hacer lo mismo!

Featherman



SANTA BRÍGIDA NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA ESPERANZA ESCUELA CATÓLICA

ÚNETE A NUESTRA FAMILIA VEN A VISITARNOS

JORNADA DE PUERTAS ABIERTAS
DOMINGO 25 DE ENERO, DE 10:30 A 13:00.
ESCANEA EL CÓDIGO QR PARA REGISTRARTE.



NUESTROS ESTUDIANTES:

- **Sobresalen Académicamente**, una escuela de alto rendimiento en lectura y matemáticas. Tenemos un alto desempeño en comparación con el estado y la nación y de la Diócesis.
- **Saben que son valorados y amados**, porque fueron creados por Dios.
- **Encuentran seguridad, protección y éxito** en clases pequeñas que aceleran un enfoque de aprendizaje atento y personalizado.

PROGRAMAS

- EDUCACIÓN INFANTIL
Niños pequeños, Guardería, Pre-kínder y Kínder
- EDUCACIÓN ELEMENTAL
grados del 1-4
- EDUCACIÓN SECUNDARIA
grados del 5-8

Escanea el código QR para más información o para programar una cita.

Se ofrece ayuda para pagar la matrícula para niños de kínder a 8. Visite tomorrowshopefoundation.org para presentar su solicitud y obtener más información. Las solicitudes deben presentarse antes del 30 de Abril.



(516) 333-0580



stbolh.org



101 Maple Avenue
Westbury, NY 11590





**ST. BRIGID
OUR LADY OF HOPE
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

JOIN OUR FAMILY COME FOR A VISIT



OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25TH

**BETWEEN 10:30 AM AND 1:00 PM.
SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER.**



**AT ST. BRIGID/OUR LADY OF HOPE SCHOOL,
OUR STUDENTS:**

- **Excel academically** in a high-performing school in reading and math. We are high performing when compared to the Diocese, State, and Nation.
- **Know they are valued and loved** because they are created by God.
- **Find safety, security, and success** in smaller class sizes that foster an attentive, personalized approach to learning.

OUR PROGRAMS

- **EARLY CHILDHOOD**
(Toddlers, Nursery, Pre-K, and Kindergarten)
- **PRIMARY (GRADES 1-4)**
- **MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 5-8)**

Scan the QR code for more information or to schedule a visit.

Tuition Assistance is available for children in grades K-8.
Visit tomorrowshopefoundation.org to apply and learn more.
Applications must be filed by April 30.



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Sixth Grade Religion Class: **FORMING FUTURE SAINTS**



On our first day back from Christmas vacation, Father John's 6th grade religion class marked the doors of the Chapel for the New Year after praying the Epiphany House Blessing. Then, they began learning about their "Saint of the Month," Sister Elizabeth Ann Seton. They participated in a Google Meet with Sister Margaret Mary Bickar, a Sister of Charity of Halifax, who resides now in Massachusetts. She spoke about the life of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and encouraged the students to live and be open to all that God is calling them to in this life!



At St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope, we develop the whole child: mind, body and spirit! To learn more, please visit www.stbolh.org and learn about all that is happening in our Catholic School

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Feast of St. Brigid Dinner Dance

St. Brigid



Our Mission to the Margins 1 February 2026 + 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. *Verdi's of Westbury*

To celebrate the Feast of Saint Brigid in 2026, we will come together in celebration while also raising much needed funds for our community.

TICKETS: \$125.00 PER PERSON

Tickets can be purchased in person in St. Anthony Hall. A paper ticket is required. Tickets are limited so buy today!!



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Your support will allow us to continue our mission to serve those in need, as well as to undertake needed capital projects in our parish.

TITLE	Description
KILDARE – \$5000.00	Includes 4 tickets, 1 full page ad, 4 T-shirts, Event recognition
GAEL – \$3000.00	Includes 3 tickets, 1 full page ad, 3 T-shirts, Event recognition
CELTIC – \$1000.00	Includes 2 tickets, 1 full page ad, 2 T-shirts, Event recognition
CLOAK – \$500.00	Includes half page ad, 1 T-shirt, Event recognition

DONATIONS

In addition, we are aware some would like to attend this event who may not be able to afford it. If you would like to sponsor a ticket click on the qr code or email dinner@saintbrigid.net





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Verdi's of Westbury

COMMEMORATIVE JOURNAL

This is a great way for individuals, organizations, ministries and companies to support St. Brigid's.

Maybe a great way to mark a significant moment in your family's life, a word of gratitude for the gift of the parish, or maybe just a word of support.

GREAT IDEA FOR FAMILIES AND PARISHIONERS!!!

If you would like a letter and sponsorship packet to bring to a local organization, please contact Marcel Catafago at marcel.c@saintbrigid.net.

Inside Front Cover \$1500 + Inside Back Cover \$1500

Outside Back Cover \$2500

Full Page \$100 + Half Page \$50



Camera Ready Art Sizes

Full Page Ads - 8 ½ x 11

Half Pages ads - 8 ½ x 5.5



Please submit all ads in .pdf or .jpeg format
no later than January 18, 2026.

For any questions about the journal, please email to:
dinnerad@saintbrigid.net or call the Parish Office at 516.334.0021



Feast of St. Brigid Dinner Dance

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1 February 2026 + 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Verdi's of Westbury

ST. BRIGID'S T-SHIRTS!

As part of our Gala, we are producing T-shirts for sponsors and wanted to offer everyone in the parish a chance to make a donation to have a t-shirt of your own!



**Click the QR code or drop this form off to
St. Anthony Hall by Monday, January 26, 2026.**

Name _____

Phone # _____

Email _____

Size - XXL XL L M S

Short Sleeve OR Long Sleeve (please circle one)



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 for Immigration concerns, food insecurity, serious illness, economic problems, mental health concerns and many other 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.


DIRECTOR OF OUTREACH & COORDINATOR OF CASA MARY JOHANNA, St. Brigid's Immigration Outreach Ministry
Yanira Chacon
516.334.0021 x. 362
yanira@saintbrigid.net

THE WELL
Assistance includes helping you apply for social services, federal programs, utility relief, and to receive other help through the local community.
Barbara Powell
516.334.0021 x. 361
barbarap@saintbrigid.net

FOOD PANTRY
Ximena Aravena
516.334.0021 x. 327
ximena@saintbrigid.net

Food Pantry Assistant:
Carla Escobar
516-334-0021 x. 376

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



CASA MARY JOHANNA
516-334-0021 ext. 362
Yanira Chacon, Director

¿Necesita una carta de la iglesia para algún trámite legal? Llene el censo parroquial para obtener esta carta. Censo disponible en la oficina parroquial y en sitio web de la parroquia.

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.

- Canned Mixed Vegetables
- Crackers
- Cookies
- Snacks
- Bottles of Juice
- Juice Boxes
- 1 lb dry black beans
- 1 lb dry red beans
- Canned Sardines
- Canned Salmon

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

If you need a letter from the Church for any legal matter. Fill out our Church census to obtain the letter. Census is available in our offices and website of the Parish.

(saintbrigid.net)





OFF 5TH AVENUE THRIFT SHOP MINISTRY



IN OUTREACH CENTER + 75 POST AVENUE, OFF 5TH AVENUE



MON- LUNES & THURS-JUEVES
4:00 - 6:30
SAT-SABADO 10:00 - 12:30
CASH ONLY SOLAMENTE EFECTIVO



Coats

Can you
donate a
small
appliance?



Do you have
Kitchenware
to donate?
Pots & Pans?

Mon & Thurs
4:00-6:30
Sat. 10-12:30



All Clothing
must be in bags



when put in the green bin behind the
Outreach building
Houseware items
can be dropped off at the Thrift Shoppe
Mondays & Thursdays 3:30-5:00

Follow us
on Instagram



Art & Environment @ St. Brigid's

Do you like working with plants, garden flowers and are willing to be available for some hands on work, especially before Christmas & Easter? The result of this hard work is personal fulfillment seeing the enhancement of beauty & spirituality of our Sanctuary. Please join us, and share your talent and love of beauty in our church!

email:

frontdesk@saintbrigid.net
or call 15163340021





PALM COLLECTION + COLECTA DE PALMAS

GETTING READY FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

Lent is less than a month away! We will collect palm from previous years to burn for ashes to be distributed on Ash Wednesday, February 18th. Baskets will be placed at the doors of the Church and of Our Lady's Chapel for you to place your palm. Palms will be burned before Ash Wednesday and used at this year's Masses and services.

¡Falta menos de un mes para la Cuaresma! Recogeremos palmas de años anteriores para quemarlas en la ceniza que se distribuirá el Miércoles de Ceniza. Se colocarán canastas en las puertas de la Iglesia y de la Capilla de Nuestra Señora para que usted coloque su palma. Las palmas se quemarán antes del Miércoles de Ceniza y se utilizarán en las misas y servicios de este año.



WE NEED YOUR HELP

Ministry of Consolation



DO YOU HAVE AN HOUR TO SPARE?

The Ministry of Consolation is in need of **Greeters**, **Bakers**, and help with **producing worship aids** for funerals. An hour a week or every other week is all that is required, work on your own schedule. No prior experience necessary.

El Ministerio de Consolación está en necesidad de **saludadores**, **panaderos**, y ayuda con la producción de ayudas de los folletos para los funerales. Una hora a la semana o cada dos semanas es todo lo que se requiere, el trabajo en su propio horario. No se necesita experiencia previa.

This is a wonderful rewarding ministry and you will be working with a great team. You may even make some new friends! If you are interested please contact Judi.k@saintbrigid.net or the parish office on 516-334-0021

Este es un ministerio maravilloso y gratificante y trabajarás con un gran equipo, ¡incluso puede que hagas nuevos amigos! Si usted está interesado por favor póngase en contacto con Judi.k@saintbrigid.net o la oficina parroquial en 516-334-0021

LAUNDRY FOR JESUS!



We have a pretty awesome crew caring for our altar linens (the cloths we use at Mass)! Each week, volunteers take the altar linens, clean them and prepare them for Masses. We are in need of one or two more volunteers. Volunteers usually pick up one day per week and return another day.

For more information, leave a message from Yvonne at the front desk. Please sign up today!



Salve Regina Mater Misericordiae

The following have been enrolled in the Perpetual Mass in honor of Our Lady of Westbury offered each Saturday.

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| Guido Viti + | Mercedes N. Kerby Living | JPatricia Schwargnerl + |
| Chuck Azoon Living- Birthday | Danielle Et Reynold Alexis Living | Rosalina P. Robinson |
| Carroll Carris Living -Birthday | Chantale Dalencourt Living | Carida Cruz + |
| Denise R. Clarino + | Eddy Desir Living | Salvatore DiBartolo + |
| Margaret Baradrick- Living | Mireille Mathuring Living | Donna Petra |
| Margaret "Peggy" Hand- Living | Noelina Kernizant Living | Michael Kennedy + |
| Anette Kietly Living | Gabrielle Nacier Pierre Living | Susanne Fisk Living |
| Imelda & Bartie Hanley Living | Joelle Geneve Living | The Kelly Family Living Living |
| Neil & Tara Farell & Family Living | Estrella Simon + | Robert Fisk + |
| Peter Viall Living | Gregory Renaud + | Jame Kelly + |
| Triona Handly + | Karobert Et Eugnie Gilles + | Rose Marie Dotzler + |
| Myra Brennan Living | Saintil Damas + | Helen C. Mulligan + |
| Henry Glynn Living | Brunel Joseph + | Butch Siciliano + |
| Katherine Murry Living | Gabriel and Francois Family + | Jose Antonio Labrador + |
| Damian & Jerry Murry Living | Nacier and Pierre Family + | Lucy And Michael Romano |
| Vinny Amato Living | Father Desire Dercieux + | Living |
| Loretta Kusk Living | Patricia Rosendale + | Stephen Sherriff + |
| Eoin & Andrew Merrick Living | Gertrude Westphal + | Jackie McKena + |
| Michele Bekele + | Geraldine Moore Watson + | Terrie Bruder Living |
| Virginie K. Lucas Living | Maddalena Buffalino Minkoff Living | Mary Murphy Living |
| Myriam G. Duvalsaint Living | Nick & Annette Buffalino Living | Xavier & Beckles Family Living |
| Rose Laure Charles Living | Nancy Locascio + | Merrick Family Living |
| Marjorie E. Ladouceur Living | The Zavatone Family Living | Erin Regan Living |
| Edgar Paresi Living | Zavatone-Veth Family Living | Peter James Canale + |
| Marie Ludie Gomez Living | Walburger Zavatone Living | Sandy Henery+ |
| Angelet Lucien Living | The Zavatone Family Living | John Sheridan + |
| Nicole Edouarzin Living | The Murray Family Living | Al Befi + |
| Chantal M Isaac Living | Nicolas Fusco + | |





PROMISE
to Protect

Safe Environment



Pledge
to HEAL



Safe Environment Training

All volunteers and employees at St. Brigid's are required to participate in a VIRTUS training course and to go through a background check. You can sign up for the VIRTUS classes by visiting www.drvc.org or clicking here: <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm>? We offer a class or two each month at St. Brigid's. You may take the class anywhere it is offered.

Todos los voluntarios y empleados de St. Brigid's deben participar en un curso de formación VIRTUS y someterse a una verificación de antecedentes. Puede inscribirse en las clases de VIRTUS visitando www.drvc.org o haciendo clic aquí: <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm>? Ofrecemos una o dos clases cada mes en St. Brigid's. Usted puede tomar la clase en cualquier lugar que se ofrece.

UPCOMING CLASSES AT ST. BRIGID'S

Friday, January 23, 2026 (Spanish)

6:30 p.m. . + St. Anthony Hall
(2nd Floor)

Wednesday, January 28, 2026 (English)

4:00 p.m. + St. Anthony Hall

Monday, February 9, 2026 (English)

7:00 p.m. + Our Lady's Chapel

PRÓXIMAS CLASES EN ST. DE BRIGIDA

Viernes, 23 de enero de 2026 (español)

6:30 p. m. + St. Anthony Hall (2.º piso)

Miércoles, 28 de enero de 2026 (inglés)

4:00 p. m. + St. Anthony Hall

Lunes, 9 de febrero de 2026 (inglés)

7:00 p. m. + Our Lady's Chapel

If you need help registering for the class or filling out paperwork, WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU! Please contact the Parish Office - 516.334.0021 or email carla@saintbrigid.net or irma.c@saintbrigid.net. Appointments available during the day and at night.

Si necesita registrarse para la clase o llenar papeleo, ESTAMOS AQUI PARA AYUDARLE! Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial - 516.334.0021 o correo electrónico carla@saintbrigid.net o irma.c@saintbrigid.net. Citas disponibles durante el día y la noche.

REMINDERS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Please check your email regularly to complete monthly updates. (Be sure to check your "spam" or "Junk" folder.)

PASTORAL INTERVENTION TEAM The dedicated telephone line for reporting allegations of sexual abuse (516-694-9063) continues to be available. If the caller does not reach someone directly, messages can be left on an answering machine connected to the phone. Those messages will be retrieved by a member of the Intervention Team and returned as soon as possible. All appropriate steps will be taken to protect the reputation and privacy of those involved. For more information on the Charter for the Protection of Children / Young People, please visit drvc.org.

RECORDATORIOS PARA VOLUNTARIOS

Por favor, revise su correo electrónico con regularidad para completar las actualizaciones mensuales. (Asegúrese de revisar su carpeta de "spam" o "Junk").

EQUIPO DE INTERVENCIÓN PASTORAL

La línea telefónica dedicada para reportar acusaciones de abuso sexual (516-694-9063) sigue estando disponible. Si la persona que llama no consigue hablar directamente con alguien, puede dejar mensajes en un contestador automático conectado al teléfono. Esos mensajes serán recuperados por un miembro del Equipo de Intervención y devueltos lo antes posible. Se tomarán todas las medidas oportunas para proteger la reputación y la intimidad de los implicados. Para más información sobre la Carta de Protección de la Infancia y la Juventud, visite drvc.org.



Thank you to all our generous parishioners, who give of their time, talents and treasures!!! St. Brigid's could not be the parish it is without your support.

For those who wish to receive a contribution letter for the calendar year ending Dec. 31, 2025, please email bizmgr@saintbrigid.net along with your name and email address, or simply your envelope number, if you know it. In the subject heading, please indicate "2025 Giving Statement." We intend on responding to any requests by the end of January. Please be aware that if you give electronically, the acknowledgement email you receive when you donate is evidence of your donations. Likewise, cancelled checks are also acceptable as evidence of your generosity.



NOTICE

WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY OUR ENVELOPE COMPANY THAT, DUE TO A BREAKDOWN IN THEIR MACHINERY, THE WEEKLY ENVELOPES MAY BE TWO WEEKS LATE. WE APOLOGIZE FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE AND URGE YOU TO USE ON-LIN E-GIVING VIA VANCO. CALL THE BUSINESS OFFICE IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE SETTING UP AN ACCOUNT. THANK YOU.

† CONVOCATORIA VÍA CRUCIS JUVENIL †

Caminemos juntos el camino de Cristo

📅 Fecha: 20 de enero
🕒 Hora: 7:00 PM
📍 Lugar: St. Anthony's Hall, 85 Post Ave, Westbury

✦ Invitación especial:
Todos los jóvenes de 17 a 35 años

Para anotarse o obtener más información:

Cristo nos llama, ¿respondes tú?

comunicarse por correo electrónico
caminando@saintbrigid.net

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IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE SANTA BRIGIDA

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

FOR THE SICK -

POR LOS QUE ESTAN ENFERMOS

Dolores Traficante	Sally McCardell
Sal Lanzilotta	Elaine & Michael Pereira
Erica Bush	Michael & Andrew
Gene Heaney	Butthkosky
Lizbeth Maria Santiago	Raymond Henning
Jim Winship	Bernadeth Manetta
Sean Doherty	Frank Lofaro, Jr.
Bernice Campbell	Gordon Shaw
Rosemary Fischer	Diane Healy
Baby Maia Duryea	Carley Barten
Christine Clancy	Richard Hyppolite
Paul Homer	Nohora Barbini
Zoraida Garcia	Jeanette Murphy
Eileen Heaney	Stephanie M.
Susan Santilli	Joan Sommese
Manuel Giron	Noah Langan
Larine Esposito	Marta Gonzalez
Brian McGrath	Lliam Collins
Rose Richard	Chris Bagnasco
Angel Hernandez	Michael V.A.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED -

POR LOS QUE EN MUERTO

Brunilda Romano

FOR THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY - 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
MMN3 Juan Jose Velasco, Goose Creek, SC
Captain Sean K. Dowd, US Army serving in Japan
Ltjg. Anthony P. Suarez, US Navy (Stationed in Spain)
Ens. Andrew P. Suarez, US Navy (Stationed in Hawaii)

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.

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BAPTISMS

Lucia Joao Anes Cancelinha
Gio Domenico Costa
Rose Angelina Gomes
Adrian Sean Wheeler

WE WELCOME

The Strauber Family
Mr. & Mrs. Teresa & Jose Guerra Menjivar
Julieta Rojano
Mr. Marc Parodi
Blanca Henriquez & Mr. Keving Perez
Miss Shaed De Sheika Seraphin



PRAYER & WORSHIP

FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 19

MONDAY/LUNES JANUARY 19

7:00am - Marion Moran Nieto (Birthday)
12:10pm - Mario Moran

TUESDAY/MARTES JANUARY 20

7:00am - Mass of Thanksgiving-St. Brigid Intercession (In Thanksgiving)
12:10pm - Michael Squillace

WEDNESDAY/ MERCOLES JANUARY 21

7:00am - Pierre Malgras
12:10pm - Tomas Pattugalan
7:30pm - Ermina Rosa Lenes de Arroyo

THURSDAY/ JUEVES JANUARY 22

7:00am - Helen C. Mulligan
12:10pm - Rosemary Martin

FRIDAY/VIERNES JANUARY 23

7:00am - In Memory of Jennie Quagliano
12:10pm - Patsy Floro

SATURDAY/SABADO JANUARY 24

8:00am - Novena Mass -
5:00pm - Jimmy Piscitelli
7:00pm - (Spanish) Javier A. Ibanez Salinas

SUNDAY/DOMINGO JANUARY 25

7:30am - (Chapel/Spanish) Intention Available
8:00am - (Church/English/Italian) - For all Souls in Purgatory, Sebastiano Caruso, Antonia Mauro, Luigi Alfani
9:15am - (Chapel/English) - Susana Camacho
10:00am - (Church/English)- Diane Gentile (Anniversary), Mary Brennan, Frances Marie Randolph, Kenneth Nowak (Health), Samuel Zuffante (Health), Henry & Maria Korenko
11:00am - (Chapel/Spanish) - Intention Available
11:45am - (Church/English)- John Moynihan
12:45pm - (Chapel/Spanish)* - Maria Herminia Mejia - Siete Anos de Fallecida
2:30pm - (Church/Kreyol) - Mr. & Mrs. Denis & Family (In Thanksgiving), Euphanie "Mommy" Laroche, S. Green (In Thanksgiving)
6:00pm - (Church/English)- In Memory of Joan Smallman

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

Looking Ahead.. *Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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

First Reading: Isaiah 8:23 - 9:3

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light. Those who lie in the land of gloom now have joy, for the yoke that burdened them God has smashed.

- What does it mean to "walk in darkness" versus "see a great light?"

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

Paul wrote to the people of Corinth: let "there be no divisions among you...be united in mind and in the same purposes.:" I have heard "that there are rivalries among you...Is Christ divided?"

- What appeal does Paul make to the Corinthians?

- What did Paul want to see in the Corinthian church?

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

Jesus said to Simon Peter and Andrew, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." Immediately they followed him. Jesus began to proclaim this; "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." He cured many people.

- How do we learn from Jesus today?
- How does repentance fit in our lives today?

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Here is some basic information about our parish community. Visit www.saintbrigid.net for more detailed information or call the Parish Office at 516.334.0021 extension 300 - e-mail frontdesk@saintbrigid.net

PARISH LEADERSHIP

Fr. Nesly Jean Jacques, SMM

Associate Pastor

Fr. Rolando Ticllasuca

Associate Pastor

Fr. Jacob Onyumba

In Residence

Rev. Msgr. James Vlaun

In Residence

Deacon Jim Morris

Deacon Frank Pesce

Deacon Manuel Ramos

Ximena Aravena

St. Brigid's Food Pantry

Vince Buzzeo

Director of Confirmation

Preparation

Marcel Catafago

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Paul Clagnaz

Catholic School Principal

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Formation

Rosemary Moreno

Coordinator of Family Faith

Formation

Barbara Powell

St. Brigid's Well

Fr. John Sureau,

Pastor

fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net

We Celebrate the Eucharist (Mass)

Saturday Evening (Church - Post Avenue) 5:00 pm (English) - 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday (Church- Post Avenue) 8:00 am (English/Italian) - 10:00 am (English) - 11:45 am (English) - 2:30 pm (Kreyol) - 6:00 pm (English)

Sunday (Our Lady's Chapel in the School - 101 Maple Avenue) 7:30 am (Spanish) - 9:15 am (English) - 11:00 am (Spanish) 12:45 pm (Spanish)

Daily Mass (Monday - Friday): 7 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

Wednesday (Spanish): 7:30 p.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

Saturday Mornings: 8 a.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

We Welcome Sinners/

Damos la Bienvenida a Los Pecadores

Confessions are heard Monday - Friday after the 12:10 p.m. Mass, Wednesdays from 6:45- 7:15 p.m.

Saturdays from 4- 4:45 p.m. and 6:15-6:45 p.m.

Habr  confesiones de lunes a viernes despu  de la misa de las 12:10 p. m.

Mi rcoles de 6:45 pm a 7:15 p. m.

S bados de 4:00 pm a 4:45 p.m. y 6:15-6:45 p. m.

Celebramos el Bautismo/

We Celebrate Baptism

For more information about celebrating the baptism of your child, please contact the Parish Office at 516.334.0021 or email frontdesk@saintbrigid.net to set a baptism intake appointment.

For children above the age of 7 and adults who desire baptism or confirmation, please contact the Office of Faith Formation at 516.334.0021 or email faithformation@saintbrigid.net.

Para obtener m s informaci n sobre c mo celebrar el bautismo de su hijo, comun quese a la Oficina Parroquial al 516.334.0021 o env e un correo electr nico a frontdesk@saintbrigid.net para programar una cita inicial para el bautismo. . Para ni os mayores de 7 a os y adultos que deseen bautizarse o confirmarse, comun quese con la Oficina de Formaci n en la Fe al 516.334.0021 o env e un correo electr nico a Faithformation@saintbrigid.net.