



St. Brigid's P.C. Church

4th Sunday of Lent

IV Domingo en Cuaresma

15 March 2026

LOVE WITHOUT LIMITS

CELEBRATION OF THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

Thursday,
March 19th

7:30pm - Multilingual Mass
Our Lady's Chapel

Refreshment immediately following in
Code Auditorium

Join us for bread, pasta e fagioli and
traditional St. Joseph zeppole.

CELEBRAZIONE DELLA FESTA DI SAN GIUSEPPE

Giovedì 19 Marzo 2024

7:30pm - Messa

Cappella di Nostra Signora + Scuola
Dopo la Messa ci riuniamo nel Msgr.

Code Auditorium

per celebrare con pasta e fagioli e le
zeppole di San Giuseppe

Blessed bread will be distributed at all
Masses on March 19th.

Si distribuirà pane benedetto a tutte
le Messe del 19 Marzo

Thank you to our Italian community
for making this offering!



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Lent 2026

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This Lent, we will offer four missions - in English, Spanish, Filipino, and Kreyol. Then we will gather together for a concluding Mass on Wednesday, March 25, 2026 in Our Lady's Chapel where all will gather and pray together.

ENGLISH - FINAL SESSION - THIS MONDAY

Monday, March 16th

7:00 p.m. + Church

Lectio Divina: Falling in Love with the Word



FILIPINO

Wednesday, March 18, 2026 + 7:00 p.m. + St. Anthony Hall

We welcome Deacon Ronald Lacsá from St. Martin's in Bethpage.

SPANISH

Sunday, March 22, 2026 + 2 p.m. + Our Lady's Chapel

Healing with the Love Without Limits

An afternoon of "Listening to the Holy Spirit" using synodal listening.

KREYOL

Celebrated March 5-7, 2026

CLOSING MASS

Wednesday, March 25, 2026 7:30 p.m. + Our Lady's Chapel

We come together - around the table of the Lord - after the journey of the various mission experiences to reflect on how we can continue to "Love Without Limits".

Nos reunimos, alrededor de la mesa del Señor, tras el viaje de las diversas experiencias misioneras, para reflexionar sobre cómo podemos seguir «amando sin límites».



Easter

Food Drive

This Easter we are providing an Easter meal for families in need. So we need the entire community of St. Brigid's to come together!

There are many ways to be involved!

Put it all together!

We need help on Saturday, March 28th from 10 -12 to put everything together with food sorting and packaging.

We need help on Sunday, March 29 from 12 to 4 to help distribute.

Necesitamos su ayuda el sábado 28 de Marzo de 10-12 pm para acomodar todo. Necesitamos su ayuda el domingo 29 de Marzo de 12-4pm para distribuir la comida.

Donate !

Leave Easter candy, \$25.00 gift cards for local supermarkets, and/or cookies at the doors of the Church, Our Lady's Chapel, the Schaefer Center or St. Anthony Hall. - Deja dulces de pascua, Tarjetas regalo de \$25 dólares para supermercados locales dulces para las familias en necesidad.

Puede dejar esto en la iglesia, la capilla o el Salón San Anthony.

Sign Up Today!!



Name/Nombre _____

Phone #Teléfono _____

E-mail _____

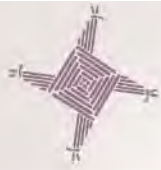
I can help on/Puedo ayudar

_____ Saturday, March 28 from 10-12/28 de Marzo de 10 a 12

_____ Sunday, Marzo 29 from 12-4/29 de Marzo de 12 a 4

_____ I cannot help with the above, but here is my financial donation!/No puedo ayudar con lo anterior, ¡pero aquí está mi donación económica!





Art and Environment Church Decorating



We will observe the custom of covering crosses and images throughout the church and Our Lady's Chapel, a practice permitted starting the Fifth Sunday of Lent. Crosses will remain covered until the end of the Celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday and statues remain covered until the beginning of the Easter Vigil. (see Roman Missal, 5th Sunday of Lent). This change in our environment should hopefully bring about a change within our own hearts and we prepare to enter Holy Week and the days of the Sacred Paschal Triduum. *Thanks to the members of our Art and Environment Ministry (Church Decorating) for taking the lead in the project.*



El próximo fin de semana, observaremos la costumbre de cubrir las cruces y las imágenes en toda la iglesia y en la capilla de Nuestra Señora, práctica permitida a partir del quinto domingo de Cuaresma. Las cruces permanecerán cubiertas hasta el final de la Celebración de la Pasión del Señor el Viernes Santo, y las estatuas hasta el comienzo de la Vigilia Pascual (ver Misal Romano, 5º Domingo de Cuaresma). Esperamos que este cambio en nuestro entorno debería traer un cambio dentro de nuestros propios corazones y nos preparamos para entrar en la Semana Santa y los días del Triduo Pascual Sagrado.

Gracias a los miembros de nuestro Ministerio de Arte y Medio Ambiente (Decoración de la Iglesia) por tomar la iniciativa en el proyecto.

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Stations of the Cross



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



3:00 p.m.
English - Church
6:30 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."

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CONFESSIONS/LAS CONFESIONES

Sinners wanted and welcome at St. Brigid's!

Confessions are celebrated at the following dates and times in St. Brigid's Church (Post Avenue):

Monday through Friday
after the 12:10 p.m. Mass
Wednesdays - 6:45 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
Saturdays - 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
Saturdays - 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.

HOLY WEEK DAY OF CONFESSION

Monday, March 30, 2026

7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m. - 9 p.m.

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Holy Week



Planning Ahead!

Parking. If you are going to Mass in the Auditorium or Our Lady's Chapel on Palm Sunday or Easter (101 Maple Avenue) please park behind the school using the Drexel Avenue Parking Lot.

Holy Thursday. We will have a procession of food at the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper – April 2, 2026. Please bring an item of food for our food pantry to that Mass.

Holy Thursday Procession. We will process to Post Avenue after the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on April 2, 2026 - rain or shine :). Please plan accordingly! Reposition will take place in St. Brigid's Church. The Mass itself takes place in Code Auditorium.

Easter Vigil. The Easter Vigil will begin at approximately 8:00 p.m. We have been given permission to have two Easter Vigils, though we will begin together. The Vigil in Spanish will take place in Code Auditorium. The Vigil in English and other languages will take place in Our Lady's Chapel so neither location is too crowded. **PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THE VIGIL. IT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT LITURGY OF THE YEAR!**


Estacionamiento. Si va a asistir a misa en el auditorio o en la capilla de Nuestra Señora el Domingo de Ramos o en Semana Santa (101 Maple Avenue), por favor estacione detrás de la escuela utilizando el estacionamiento de Drexel Avenue.

Jueves Santo. Tendremos una procesión de alimentos en la misa vespertina de la Última Cena, el 2 de abril de 2026. Por favor, traiga un alimento para nuestra despensa a esa misa.

Procesión del Jueves Santo. Procesaremos hasta Post Avenue después de la misa vespertina de la Última Cena, el 2 de abril de 2026, llueva o haga sol :). ¡Por favor, planifiquen en consecuencia! La reposición tendrá lugar en la iglesia de Santa Brígida. La misa se celebrará en el auditorio Code.

Vigilia de Pascua. La vigilia de Pascua comenzará aproximadamente a las 8:00 p. m. Se nos ha dado permiso para celebrar dos Vigilias de Pascua, aunque comenzaremos juntos. La Vigilia en español tendrá lugar en el Auditorio Code. La Vigilia en inglés y otros idiomas tendrá lugar en la Capilla de Nuestra Señora, para que ninguno de los dos lugares esté demasiado concurrido. **POR FAVOR, HAGAN TODO LO POSIBLE POR ASISTIR A LA VIGILIA. ¡ES LA LITURGIA MÁS IMPORTANTE DEL AÑO!**

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. We are seeking donations for the candle for Our Lady's Chapel.

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.**

Palm Sunday + El Domingo del Ramos

Special Procession to Commemorate the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem

SATURDAY, March 27, 2026

5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Masses + Post Avenue

- On Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, the Church recalls the entrance of Christ the Lord into Jerusalem to accomplish his Paschal Mystery! **ALL ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO BE PART OF THIS LITURGY IF YOU ARE ABLE.**
- At the Saturday evening Masses, we will celebrate Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion with a special Solemn Procession at Post Avenue.
- For **Saturday, March 27, 2026** please note:
 - **Confessions will be heard from 11:00 a.m. to 12 Noon ONLY.** Confessions will **not** be heard at 4 p.m. or at 6:15 p.m.
 - Masses will begin outside by the Sacred Heart Shrine in front of the Rectory. Parishioners will be asked to remain outside until the Mass begins.
 - Following the Blessing of Palms, we will process over to the Church remembering Jesus' triumphant journey into Jerusalem. (In case of inclement weather, we will begin in the Church.)
 - The Church will only be open for those who are unable to participate in the procession.

Even if you do not usually attend the 5:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. Masses on Saturday, consider attending as together we begin the celebration of Holy Week.

Procesión especial para conmemorar la Entrada del Señor en Jerusalén

SÁBADO, 27 de marzo 2026

Misas de 5:00PM y 7:00PM + Avenida de Post

- El Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor, la Iglesia recuerda la entrada de Cristo Señor en Jerusalén para realizar su Misterio Pascual. QUEREMOS TODOS A PARTICIPAR EN ESTA LITURGIA.
- En las misas vespertinas del sábado, celebraremos el Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor con una Procesión Solemne especial en Post Avenue.
- Para el sábado 27 de abril 2026 por favor tomen nota:
 - **Las confesiones serán escuchadas de 11 a.m. a 12 p.m. SOLAMENTE.** Las confesiones no serán escuchadas a las 4 p.m. o a las 6:15 p.m.
 - Las Misas comenzarán afuera del Santuario del Sagrado Corazón frente a la Rectoría. Se pedirá a los feligreses que permanezcan fuera hasta que comience la Misa.
 - Después de la bendición de las palmas, iremos en procesión a la iglesia recordando el viaje triunfal de Jesús a Jerusalén. (En caso de inclemencias del tiempo, comenzaremos en la Iglesia).
 - La Iglesia sólo estará abierta para aquellos que no puedan participar en la procesión. Además, tenemos una boda a las 14:30 el sábado por la tarde.

Aunque no asista habitualmente a las misas de las 17:00 o de las 19:00 del sábado, considere la posibilidad de asistir, ya que juntos comenzaremos la celebración de la Semana Santa.

Palm Sunday



Saturday, March 27, 2026



5:00 p.m. - English/Inglés - Church/La Iglesia

7:00 p.m. - Spanish/ Español -Church/ La Iglesia

Both liturgies will begin outside at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart in front of the Rectory.

Sunday, March 28, 2026

St. Brigid's Church/La Iglesia

(66 Post Avenue)

8 a.m. - English/Italian

10 a.m. - English/Inglés

12 p.m.- English/Inglés

2 p.m. - Kreyol

The Six - English/Inglés

Please know that we have limited seating in the Church due to floor construction. If attending Mass on Sunday morning, please consider attending at Holy Rood Chapel on Palm Sunday morning.

Code Auditorium/El Auditorio

(101 Maple Avenue)

10 a.m. - Spanish/Español

12 Noon - Spanish/Español

(Please make use of parking lot on Drexel Avenue - behind the school.)

Our Lady's Chapel/La Capilla

(101 Maple Avenue)

8 a.m. - Spanish/Español

10 a.m. - English/Inglés (Family Mass)

12 Noon - Spanish/Español

(Please make use of parking lot on Drexel Avenue - behind the school.)

Holy Rood Cemetery Chapel

(111 Old Country Road, Westbury)

9:30 a.m. -English/Inglés

11:30 p.m. - English/Inglés



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CHURCH FLOOR UPDATES

As you may have noticed, the church floor in the south transept (near Our Lady of Westbury) is falling into disrepair. We are in the process of repairing this area of the Church. We will have an engineer's report put together in the week ahead and an immediate plan of action to repair this area of the Church.

We have removed some pews and the chairs in that area so of this initial work can take place.

After this repair, we will need to examine the entire church floor for other areas of needed repair. Needless to say, this will be a project! As we learn more, I will share it with you!



SIGN UP TODAY!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED!



**IF YOU'RE INTERESTED, CONTACT FR. JOHN AT
FATHERJOHN@SAINTBRIGID.NET OR CALL 516.334.0021 TO
BE CONNECTED TO OUR MINISTRY LEADERS!**



**Training Dates Extraordinary Ministers
Tuesday April 21 - St. Elizabeth/Mellville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 7 pm- 10 pm**

**Monday April 27 - St. Agnes Cathedral/Rockville Centre-Msgr. Kelly Parish
Center: 7 pm - 10:00 pm; EMHC Part A & Lectors Workshop**



Holy Thursday/ El Jueves Santo

2 April 2026

Candlelight Procession 2026

On Holy Thursday night, we will process to the Church (via Post Avenue) from Code Auditorium with the Blessed Sacrament, rain or shine! This year, we invite all - if you wish - to purchase a glass candle to be part of the procession. The candle will be placed on the steps of the Sanctuary at St. Brigid's Church for the time of Exposition. You will be able to take your candle home or pick it up at St. Anthony Hall the week after Easter.

You may purchase your candle for \$10.00 this weekend and next - March 15th and 22nd. You will receive a ticket to bring with you to pick up your candle after Night Prayer on Holy Thursday or after Easter in St. Anthony Hall.

El Jueves Santo por la noche, saldremos en procesión hacia la Iglesia (por Post Avenue) desde el Auditorio Code con el Santísimo Sacramento. Este año, invitamos a todos - si lo desean - a comprar un cirio para formar parte de la procesión. El cirio se colocará en los escalones alrededor del altar de la Iglesia de Santa Brígida durante el tiempo de la Exposición. Usted se podrá llevar su cirio a casa o recogerlo en el Salón de San Antonio la semana después de Pascua.

Puedes comprar tu vela por 10,00 \$ durante los fines de semana del 15 y 22 de marzo. Recibirás una entrada para llevar contigo y recoger tu vela después de la Oración Nocturna el Jueves Santo o después de Pascua en el Salón de San Antonio.

Special Food Collection on Holy Thursday

All who attend the Holy Thursday Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper are asked to **bring an item for our Food Pantry** with your collection envelope that supports Parish Outreach. The Church encourages this in the Roman Missal where it states, "there may be a procession of the faithful in which gifts for the poor may be presented with the bread and wine" (14) PLEASE

DO NOT BRING UP YOUR DONATIONS AT THE BEGINNING OF MASS.

Se pide a todos los que asistan a la Misa del Jueves Santo por la noche, la Cena del Señor, que traigan un artículo para nuestra despensa de alimentos junto con su sobre de colecta que apoya la labor social de la parroquia. La Iglesia lo recomienda en el Misal Romano, donde se establece que «puede haber una procesión de los fieles en la que se presenten los donativos para los pobres junto con el pan y el vino» (14). POR FAVOR, NO TRAIGAN SUS DONATIVOS AL COMIENZO DE LA MISA. Invitaremos a todos a participar en la procesión durante el tiempo habitual de la «colecta».



VIDA FAMILIAR FAMILY LIFE



Holy Thursday and Good Friday: Young People Needed!



***Holy Thursday Prayer Service for Families:
Thursday, April 2; 4:30pm in Church, Post Avenue***

***Good Friday Prayer Service for Families:
Friday, April 3; 10:00am in Church, Post Avenue***



***Auditions and Rehearsals
for Young People in Grades 3 and Up
to Reenact the Gospels!***

Auditions:

Sunday, March 22 at 10:30am

Music Room 140, St. B/OLH School

Rehearsal:

Tuesday, March 24th: 5:30 - 7:30pm in the Chapel

Come be a part of it!

email stephanie.c@saintbrigid.net for more information



The Parish of St. Brigid



Grade Level Liturgy at 9:15am Mass!
Liturgia de nivel de grado en la Misa de 9:15am

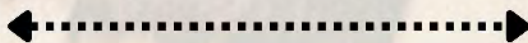
You're Invited! *¡Están Invitados!*

MARCH 22: ALL WHO ARE PREPARING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

All students in BREAD levels 1 and 2 from our Family Faith Formation Program, all students in grades 1 and 2 who attend St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope School, and all preparing for First Communion should attend!

WHEN: 9:15am Mass on March 22, 2026

WHERE: Our Lady's Chapel at the SCHOOL



FAMILY MASS

Sunday - 9:15am
(English)
Our Lady's Chapel
in St. Brigid/OLH
School

OFFERTORY PROCESSION:

**Please bring any canned food
OR a Lent Food Bag
for the needy to
participate in our
offertory procession!**

COFFEE HOUR

After Mass
in Code Auditorium:
Bring a snack
to share!



BREAD / PAN

FIRE / FUEGO

For Level 1-6 Communion Prep
Para niveles 1-6 preparacion de la
Primera Comunion

For Level 7+ Confirmation Prep
Para niveles 7+ preparacion de la
Confirmacion

St Brigid Faith Formation

REGISTRATION OPENS ON MARCH 15, 2026

WATER / AGUA

BRIDGE / PUENTE

Water is for children preparing
for Baptism. El agua es
preparacion para el Bautismo

For Level 7+ who missed
some years of formation.
Para el nivel 7+ que se
perdió algunos años de
formación



WE ARE HERE: SUNDAYS 10:30-1:30+MONDAYS-WEDNESDAYS 1-7PM
THURSDAYS BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
CLOSED FRIDAY & SATURDAY
ESTAMOS AQUI: DOMINGO DE 10:30 A 1:30,
LUNES A MIÉRCOLES DE 1PM A 7PM,
JUEVES SOLO CON CITA PREVIA Y VIERNES Y SÁBADO.



SUNRISE MASS HELP!

Our Sunrise Mass on Easter Sunday is part of the fabric of our parish. It's an incredible experience that draws hundreds of people!

We are in need of some hands and hearts that will help us to continue this liturgy. Specifically, we need help with set up (yes, it's early) and take down as well some other details. Truthfully this is one of the most organized efforts you can be part of - so you'll have great guidance and direction.

For more more information, contact Fr. John at fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net or leave a message in the office - 516.334.0021

Bereavement Group

New Bereavement Group Starting Spring 2026

Have you experienced the loss of a loved one?

Sometimes coming together with others who have faced a difficult loss provides both support and an opportunity to offer support to others.

And, of course, our parish wants to accompany you as well!

We will begin a bereavement group here on April 6th.

To learn more - not necessarily to join - about this renewed outreach in our parish contact us at wesupport@saintbrigid.net or contact the office at

516-334-0021 and a team member will contact you.

HELP NEEDED!!!



Wedding Booklet Maker



We are looking to make booklets/worship aids for weddings at St. Brigid's. This would allow us to offer a nice gift to a couple getting married here while also providing the hymns, mass responses, and readings for the guests who come to pray with us.

We are looking for one to two people who are open to this task! You can work from home or the office and will usually receive all of the wedding information 2-3 weeks ahead of time giving time to prepare.

CONTACT FR. JOHN AT 516.334.0021 OR EMAIL TO FATHERJOHN@SAINTBRIGID.NET FOR MORE INFORMATION.

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope
Catholic School Parents' Association

Diamonds & Sparkles

26 MARCH 2026 | **@ 6:30PM**

Event Location
Westbury Manor

\$120 per ticket Includes Dinner and Fashion Show

\$300-1,000 Sponsorship Opportunities

Scan to purchase tickets or sponsor
or visit bit.ly/STBOLHFashionShow2026



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

JOIN OUR FAMILY COME FOR A VISIT



**SCAN THE QR CODE TO
SIGN UP FOR A VISIT
OR CALL (516) 333-0580**



**AT ST. BRIGID/OUR LADY OF HOPE CATHOLIC
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)**

Requests for Bus Transportation must be made by March 31.

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.

 **(516) 333-0580**  stbolh.org

 **101 Maple Avenue
Westbury, NY 11590**





**SANTA BRÍGIDA
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA
ESPERANZA
ESCUELA CATÓLICA**

**ÚNETE A NUESTRA FAMILIA
VEN A VISITARNOS**

**ESCANEE EL CÓDIGO QR PARA
PROGRAMAR UNA VISITA
O LLAME AL (516) 333-0580**



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

Las solicitudes de transporte en autobús deben realizarse antes del 31 de marzo.

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**



Celebrating Heritage and Achievement: **BLACK HISTORY MONTH**



February is Black History Month in the United States. Children in all grades and subjects learned about the achievements of Black Americans. The celebration is also a time for recognizing their central role in U.S. history. Since 1976, every U.S. president has officially designated the month of February as Black History Month.



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

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

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INTRODUCING THE ST. ZITA SOCIETY

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you like to dust? Enjoy sweeping and mopping? Want those windows to shine beautifully? Love things to be neat and in order?

WE NEED YOU - THURSDAYS 3:30 P.M.

Church + Post Avenue

¿Le gusta quitar el polvo? ¿Le gusta barrer y fregar? ¿Quiere que las ventanas brillen? ¿Te gusta que todo esté limpio y en orden?

¡TE NECESITAMOS! - LOS JUEVES - 3:30 P.M.

La Iglesia + Post Avenue

Did you know that Saint Zita is the patron saint of housecleaners and domestic workers?



CAN YOU HELP?

Off 5th Avenue, our parish thrift shop ministry, needs volunteers!

We need SORTERS!

Tuesday afternoons
Are your spines in alphabetical order?

Envelopes arranged in size order? Then this the role for you!



We need RETAIL!

Are you good with people? Unafraid to make a deal? Always wanted to work behind a cash register?

Mondays - 4-6:30

Thursdays - 4 -6:30

**Saturdays
10:30 -12**



FOR MORE INFORMATION....

call 516.334.0021 or email to off5thavenue@saintbrigid.net

ORDINATION OF DEACON NICK!

WE ARE GETTING READY!!!!

We are preparing for an incredible week of celebration on Saturday, June 20th and Sunday June 21st as we celebrate the Priesthood Ordination and First Mass of Deacon...soon to be Father Nick!

WE HAVE A CELEBRATION TO PLAN!

- We need help with tents, food, set up, clean up, cooking, cleaning, serving, smiling, and pulling all this together!
- We can even use some angel donors and some angel connections who can help us with some of these things - we are most imminently concerned about tents!



SIGN UP TODAY!


Contact the Parish Office at 516.334.0021 or email to fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net

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.



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.

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)

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.

- Easter Candies
- Cookies
- Rice A Roni
- Canned Potatoes
- Salt
- Jello
- Canned Peas & Carrots
- Snacks

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

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



New Life at Easter! ✨

Garden Ministry

THE GARDEN IS IN!
THE SEEDS ARE PLANTED!
SPRING IS COMING!

NOW WE NEED YOU!!!!

The ministry will grow fruits and vegetables to be distributed to those who seek assistance at Parish Outreach.

Do you have a "green thumb"....well, we need you!

We need volunteers to monitor, pick fruits and vegetables and help to maintain the space.

Special thanks to Timothy Smith and his Boy Scout Troop for fundraising, designing, and implementing our parish Giving Garden on Post Avenue!

What a gift to those in need!

For more information, contact Yanira Chacon at 516.334.0021 or e-mail to yanira@saintbrigid.net so we can get this important ministry off the ground this Spring!



The Heart of Giving ✨



We recently received a communication from our envelope company that collection envelopes went out late, yet again. They attribute this to a breakdown in their equipment and have apologized. However, that does not preclude the fact that parishioners may be receiving envelopes after the Sunday for which the envelopes are intended. Note, that the company handles several parishes and this has affected not only St. Brigid's

Many parishioners are understanding and have used temporary envelopes, some others have mailed checks in. But the ideal alternative is to use automated giving. At St. Brigid's, we use VANCO-- that accounts for about 21% of our collections. This is a much more efficient way for donating and there are multiple benefits-

Please consider moving to this type of giving, and when the ushers pass the basket before you, instead of an envelope, give them a good Christian smile!!!



February Collections

FOR THE YEARS	2026	2025
FEBRUARY COLLECTIONS AT MASS & MAIL-INS	\$71,963	\$82,328
ON-LINE (VANCO, PAYPAL)	\$19,153	\$17,153
TOTAL COLLECTED	\$91,116	\$99,481

PLEASE NOTE THE COLLECTION TOTALS FOR FEBRUARY 2026. IN THE MIDST OF A FEW WEEKENDS OF SNOW, THE GENEROSITY OF THE PEOPLE OF THIS PARISH IS INCREDIBLE. WE DO NEED YOUR HELP! THE COST OF SNOW REMOVAL HAS BEEN NEARLY \$130,000, DOUBLE OF WHAT IT HAS BEEN THE LAST FEW YEARS. IF THERE'S ANY WAY YOU CAN SUPPORT US IN MARCH AND APRIL, IT WILL BE A HUGE HELP! THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

FOR THE SICK -

POR LOS QUE ESTAN ENFERMOS

Baby Hanna Enders	Sean Doherty
Denise Pratesi	Bernice Campbell
Madeline D'Arienzo	Rosemary Fischer
Joe King	Baby Maia Duryea
Carley Barten	Christine Clancy
Vincent Manna	Paul Homer
Maria Manna	Zoraida Garcia
Linda Suebert	Eileen Heaney
Michael V.	Susan Santilli
Joseph Marrin	Manuel Giron
Joseph & Cynthia Giordano	Larine Esposito
Chris Bagnasco	Brian McGrath
Kevin Strafford	Rose Richard
Christopher Latty	Angel Hernandez
Milagro Luna	Sally McCardell
Willy Garcia	Elaine & Michael Pereira
Dolores Traficante	Michael & Andrew Butthkosky
Sal Lanzilotta	Raymond Henning
Erica Bush	Bernadeth Manetta
Gene Heaney	Frank Lofaro, Jr.
Lizbeth Maria Santiago	Gordon Shaw
Jim Winship	Carley Barten

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED -

POR LOS QUE EN MUERTO

*Salvatore Albert Lanzilotta, Sr., Agostino Abbatiello,
Irwin G. Elliott, William Dee, Wilfred Pat Vlaun,
Sheila Kohler, Ralph Vingo, Jr.*

FOR THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY - POR AQUELLOS QUE SIRVEN EN LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS

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, Yokusuka, Japan
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.

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



MARRIAGE BANNS

*For the FIRST Time Between
Melinda Seide
Chidiebere Mgbearurike*

*For the SECOND Time Between
Rosa M. Mejia Leon
Hector Y. Rodriguez*



BAPTISMS

*Ellie Dunleavy
Jeziah Edward Floyd
Christian Matteo Naqvi
Ediens Phillippe*



WE REMEMBER

*For the week of March 14th
Bread & Wine is donated
in Memory of
Ralph Sansone*

PRAYER & WORSHIP

FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING MARCH 16

MONDAY/LUNES MARCH 16

7:00am - S. Green (Living)
12:10pm - Grace & Carmine Parillo

TUESDAY/MARTES MARCH 17

7:00am - The Raehse Family (Health)
12:10pm - Robert Treston (Health)

WEDNESDAY/ MERCOLES MARCH 18

7:00am - In Honor of St. Joseph (In Thanksgiving)
12:10pm - John & Kevin Preiss
7:30pm - Para el Movimeinto Familiar Cristiano (In Thanksgiving)

THURSDAY/ JUEVES MARCH 19

7:00am - Happy Birthday Anna Fazzino (Living)
12:10pm - Joseph Garofalo

FRIDAY/VIERNES MARCH 20

7:00am - Lynn Pisciotta
12:10pm - John Ferolito

SATURDAY/SABADO MARCH 21

8:00am - Novena Mass -
5:00pm - Mario Casale
7:00pm - (Spanish) Eleazar Pichardo

SUNDAY/DOMINGO MARCH 22

7:30am - (Chapel/Spanish) Mia Izaguirre & Katya Carranza (Birthday/Living)
8:00am - (Church/English/Italian) - St. Anthony (In Thanksgiving), Michela Abbatiello, Kochuraani Thomas
9:15am - (Chapel/English) - In Thanksgiving
10:00am -(Church/English)- Thresiamma Thomas, Angela Zampini, Julie A. McLaughlin, Mary Malitzis, Rosaria Iadevaia, Constantino Iadevaia
11:00am - (Chapel/Spanish) - Movimiento Familiar Cristiano (In Thanksgiving), Por el eterno descanso de Juan Gilberto Crespo
11:45am -(Church/English)- Carl Merz
12:45pm - (Chapel/Spanish)* - Travis John Orellana (Birthday)
2:30pm- (Church/Kreyol) Mr. & Mrs. Denis & Family In Thanksgiving
6:00pm - (Church/English)- Marie Ange Denis

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

Looking Ahead.. *Fourth Sunday of Lent*

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: Ezekiel 37:12-14

The Lord God told the people that soon the graves of the dead would open and they would rise. "I will put my spirit in you that you may live...says the LORD"

- How should we celebrate our heavenly father each day?
- Why is the gospel the only means to spiritual life in our world?

Second Reading: Romans 8:8-11

"Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him." God, who raised Jesus from the dead, will raise also those in whom the Spirit dwells.

- When are you tempted to doubt the Spirit's presence in your life?

- List some "things of the flesh", list some "things of the spirit".

Gospel: John 11:1-45

Lazarus died, and Jesus raised him from death. Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."

- When did you have a plan for how things go but Jesus had a better plan?
- Even when we face physical death, why can we still have hope?
- Is there someone you can share the gospel with this week?

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. Jacob Onyumbo

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

Business Manager

Yanira Chacon-Lopez

Director of Outreach

Casa Mary Joanna

Paul Clagnaz

Catholic School Principal

Jacqueline DeLeon

Director of Family Faith

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.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

We Love Children and Families at St. Brigid's!

¡Nos encantan los niños y las familias en Santa Brígida!

For information about St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School, please call (516) 333-0580 (or scan this QR code). For information about our Faith Formation Program, for public school children in Grades 1-12, go to saintbrigid.net or call the Parish Office at (516) 334-0021, ext. 352

Para obtener información sobre la Escuela Regional St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope, llame al (516) 333-0580 (o escanee este código QR. Para obtener información sobre nuestro Programa de Formación en la Fe, para niños de escuelas públicas en los grados 1-12, visite saintbrigid.net o llame a la Oficina Parroquial al (516) 334-0021, extensión 352

¡Nos encantan las bodas! / We Love Weddings!

Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial o envíe un correo electrónico a frontdesk@saintbrigid.net para programar una cita inicial. Para aquellos que están casados por lo civil y desean que su matrimonio sea reconocido por la Iglesia, llamen a la Oficina Parroquial. Los planes deben hacerse por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada para la boda.

Please contact the Parish Office or email frontdesk@saintbrigid.net to schedule an initial intake. For those who are married civilly and desire to have their marriages recognized by the Church, please call the Parish Office. Plans should be made at least six months before your desired wedding date.

We Care for the Sick and the Homebound/

Nos preocupamos por los enfermos y los confinados en casa

Just because you may not be able to come to St. Brigid's does not mean you are any less a part of our parish family. If you or a loved one would like to receive communion at home or be anointed by a priest, please contact the Parish Office.

El hecho de que no pueda venir a Santa Brígida, no significa que no sea parte de nuestra familia parroquial. Si usted o un ser querido desea recibir la comunión en casa o ser ungido por un sacerdote, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial.

Oramos ante el Santísimo Sacramento/

We Pray Before the Blessed Sacrament

La exposición del Santísimo Sacramento se lleva a cabo en la Iglesia de lunes a viernes desde la 1 p.m. hasta las 5 p. m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in the Church Monday - Friday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

We Want to Help/Queremos Ayudar

Our parish offices are located at St. Anthony Hall - 85 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY. Office hours are Monday - Friday from 12 Noon to 8 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Please call us at (516) 334-0021 or e-mail to frontdesk@saintbrigid.net

Nuestras oficinas parroquiales están ubicadas en St. Anthony Hall - 85 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY. El horario de oficina es de lunes a viernes de 12:00pm a 8:00pm, sábado y domingo de 9 am-3:00 pm. Llámenos al (516) 334-0021 o envíe un correo electrónico a frontdesk@saintbrigid.net.

