SAINT BRIGID AND OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field.

Matthew 13:24

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MASS TIMES

St. Brigid Church

59 Main Street

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Assumption Church

10 Waters Street

Sunday: 9:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

All at St Brigid Church

Monday & Thursday 9:00AM

Tuesday & Wednesday 7:00AM

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated each month.
To prepare for your child's Baptism, parents will attend a preparational session. For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish office.

Penance and Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM or anytime upon request.

Marriage

Please call the parish office at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the office when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice.

Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

sses & Services

Sat. July 22

4:00PM Mary Metelica

Traditional Music By: Her Grandaughter, Patty

Sun. July 23

7:00AM Dennis, June, Dennise & Drew Leonard

Quiet Mass By: The Family

9:00AM Kevin Darling

Traditional Music By: Cathy Chausse-Weeks

11:00AM Marcy Anger,

Traditional Music Anniversary Remembrance

By: The Genis Family

Mon. July 24

9:00AM William Walsh, 6th Anniversary

By: The Family

Tues. July 25

7:00AM The People of the

Catholic Parishes of Millbury

Wed. July 26

7:00AM Members of Our Parish Family

Who Are Sick

Thur. July 27

9:00AM No Mass Intention

Sat. July 29

4:00PM In Thanksgiving to St. Jude for

Traditional Music: Prayers Answered

By: The Mathews Family

Sun. July 30

7:00AM Helmuth Arheit

Quiet Mass By: His Daughter, Jo-Ann Dunn

9:00AM Robert & Jesse Lange

Traditional Music By: The Family

11:00AM Barbara Mort

Traditional Music By: Aline Bourdeau

REVISED WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE ST BRIGID: July & August **ASSUMPTION: Sept. & October**



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 29, 4:00PM at St. Brigid

AS: C Kahl, J Stakus

L: K Levitre, K Pham

EM: P Michalak, K Anderson

Sunday, July 30, 7:00AM at St. Brigid

AS: J Mazeika

L: J Mazeika

EM: T Mattus, M Blunt

Sunday, July 30, 9:00AM at Assumption

AS: E Bernard

L: D Blicharz, E Schmehr

EMT Tronerud, M Sprino

Sunday, July 30, 11:00AM at St. Brigid

AS: J Piselli L: R Spain

EM: M Piselli

FACILITY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY ~ JULY 23 SLAA @ SBH 7:30PM MONDAY ~ JULY 24 AA @ SBH 7:00PM **GA @ OLAH 8:00PM** TUESDAY~ JULY 25 NO EVENTS WEDNESDAY ~ JULY 26 NO EVENTS THURSDAY ~ JULY 27 ROSARY @ CPO 6:00PM FRIDAY ~ JULY 28 NO EVENTS SATURDAY ~ JULY 29 **NO EVENTS** SUNDAY ~ JULY 30 SLAA @ SBH 7:30PM

SBC=St. Brigid Church SBH=St. Brigid Hall

OLAC=Assumption Church OLAH=Assumption Hall CPO=Catholic Parish Office OLAS=Assumption School

ALL ARE WELCOME!

All are welcome at St Brigid and Our Lady of the Assumption Parishes. Regardless of your experience of Church, regardless of your marital status, regardless of your personal history, background, or sexual orientation, please know that you are invited, accepted, and respected at both of our parishes.

PLEASE COME & JOIN US TODAY!



In Loving Memory



John & Julia Anger

Oscar & Marcy Anger

Lee Aubin

Larry F. Army

Gregory & Imre Barlay

Albina Bartkus Edward Bartkus

Ann Beesley
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Roland Langevin

James LaPrad

Tan Le

Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.

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Rita Lemoine

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Darlene Russell

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William Russell

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Nancy Vaillancourt

Lucille Vecchione

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Margaret Wendt

Camille White

Dolores White

Ronald Woodward

Frank & Ann Marie Yaz

Vincent C Zigmont



May they Rest in Peace





FAITH FORMATION



2023-24 FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENT PREP. REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION DATES AND LOCATIONS

Sunday, August 20th after 9:00AM Mass in Assumption Church Hall Sunday, August 20th after 11:00AM Mass in Saint Brigid Church Hall Tuesday, August 22nd, 6:00 - 7:00PM at Assumption Church Hall

- All Faith Formation & Sacrament Prep programs will begin mid-September -

CSAW JULY 24-28



CSAW is this week! Please pray for our 15 youth and the adult leaders as they put faith in action!







Our volleyball team played their 4th match Monday July 17th vs North American Martyrs, Auburn. It was a tough 2 sets to 1 loss, but our team continues to show improvement and have fun! Our record is 1-3 and will face St. Bernardette Monday, July 24th! Thanks to all our fans who come out in support of the team!







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In the charity of your prayers, please remember the souls of

Kathleen Rose Keeman Colleen A. Gibson

who have gone home to God.

May they rest in Christ's eternal light and peace.



PRAY THE ROSARY

Every Thursday evening at 6:00 PM at the parish offices.

Led by Deacon Ron



CANDLES



1ST CENTURY

FEAST DAY: JULY 26

JULY 22-28, 2023

ASSUMPTION CHURCH

SANCTUARY CANDLE

In Loving Memory of



Requested by: His Wife Carol & Children

Saints Joachim and Anne

ot mentioned in the Bible, Joachim and Anne are first named as the parents of Mary in the apocryphal Protoevangelium of James, which may date from the second century. In this story, they are old and childless, like the Old Testament Hannah, mother of Samuel, when angels deliver the news that Anne will conceive a child. Anne was an especially popular saint in medieval England, and her feast was celebrated in the West by 1350; Joachim's feast was authorized or suppressed by various popes, but was joined with Anne's in 1969. They are the patrons of married couples; Anne is also the patron of childless women, expectant mothers, and miners.



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"Mary grew up in the home of Joachim and Anne; she was surrounded by their love and faith: in their home she learned to listen to the Lord and to follow his will. Saints Joachim and Anne were part of a long chain of people who had transmitted their faith and love for God, expressed in the warmth and love of family life, down to Mary, who received the Son of God in her womb and who gave him to the world, to us. How precious is the family as the privileged place for transmitting the faith!"

—Pope Francis, Angelus, July 26, 2013



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Knights of Columbus
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Monthly Meetings

Business -members only. First Wed.7pm -St. Mark's Church Hall.

Social (all invited) Third Wednesday 7pm- St. Brigid Church Hall

We welcome new members, and now you can join online

by visiting: KofC.org/joinus

News & Updates

"O God, you are my God, for you I long! For my body yearns; for you my soul thirst, like a land parched, lifeless, and without water." Ps 63:2

Once again a reminder that the Silver Rose will be visiting our parishes. Let us join together and pray to Our Lady of Guadalupe for the preservation of life.

The Silver Rose will arrive on August 23rd, 7pm at St. Mark's and on August 24th, 6pm at St. Brigid.

We look forward to praying with you and your family.

May the Peace of the Lord be with you always, The Knights of Bishop Flanagan Council 12710



If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette at the

Office for Healing and Prevention, 508) 929-4363. A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Catholic Parishes of Millbury

Phone: 774-262-5506

Monthly Meetings Third Sunday 10:00 A

Third Sunday - 10:00 AM St. Brigid Hall **New Members Welcome!**



PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Monthly: **Next Collection, 12:30pm, August 6, 2023**Donations are brought to main entrance of the churches on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions.

NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

NEXT DISTRIBUTION IS AT 12:30PM, Aug. 6, 2023

Our NEEDS!

Food:

We are in need of jelly, cereal, canned pasta products, pancake mix and syrup. For the time being, the pantry is set with a good supply of other foods.

Much Needed Items:

Toothpaste, toothbrushes, paper towels, toilet paper, facial tissue, bars of soap, & shampoo.

Please No Perishable, No Expired Dates, & No Pet Food.

Remember in Prayer this Week
Those Who Serve in our Military:

KATELYN GASCO
ANDREW HAFFERTY
BRANDON MARC- AURELE
DENZEL PARKER
PATRICK WEEKS
MARC WINCHESTER

Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508–865–6624 with your request.



MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer Line: 508-865-6853 or 508-756-9854

If you or someone you know





THANKS TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE MADE THEIR GIFT TO THE

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St. Brigid is 109% towards the goal of 60,000 and Assumption is 104% towards the goal of \$20,400 as of 7/10/23



If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope located in back of both churches, OR, You can scan this QR Code with your phone (scroll down and click on "Donate Today"), OR visit www.partners-charity.net to do it online. Partners in Charity, formerly known as the Bishop's Fund, is the Annual Appeal for the Diocese of Worcester, serving 26 charitable, educational, and pastoral ministries. Through your generous support we are able to serve thousands of families and individuals

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to the crowds in parables.

He spoke to them only in parables, to fulfill what had been said through the prophet:

"I will open my mouth in parables, I will announce what has lain hidden from the foundation (of the world)."

Matthew 13:34-35

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NOW TAKING HYMNAL ORDERS!



This Fall will be changing from Breaking Bread to Gather IV, a permanent hardcover hymnal. The church follows a 3 year cycle and the new hymnal will contain all readings and responses for all 3 years, so we will not be replacing them annually.

If you are interested in purchasing a hymnal please fill out the attached form and return it to the office by July 31.

You may return your purchase order via the collection basket, or dropping it off or mailing it to the office.

Because Gather IV is a permanent hymnal the cost is \$27 each, however, this is a one time purchase.

If you have any question please don't hesitate to contact me either by phone at 508-865-9768 or by email at claudette.belair@charter.net.

Name	
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# of Missals	
Amount enclosed \$	_



WEEKLY FINANCIALS

<u>St. Brigid</u> <u>Income</u> July 8 & 9, 2023		Our Lady of the Assumption <u>Income</u> <u>July 8 & 9, 2023</u>	
Mail-In Stewardship Regular Weekly Collection Ordinary Collection Monthly Total Regular Weekly Collection Other Parish Income Capital Improvement Specialty Ministries	\$367.00 \$4,057.00 \$150.00 \$4,574.00 \$460.00 \$29.00	Mail-In Stewardship Regular Weekly Collection Ordinary Collection Monthly **Total Regular Weekly Collection** Other Parish Income: Capital Improvement	\$120.00 \$1,957.00 \$.00 \$2,077.00
Utilities Mass Stipends/Candles/Funerals/In Rem. Hall Rental	\$820.00 \$30.00 \$75.00	Specialty Ministry Utilities Mass Stipends/Candles/Funerals/In Rem. Hall Rental PACT rent	\$42.00 \$145.00 \$0.00 \$75.00 \$1,050.00
Total Other Income	\$1,414.00	Total Other Income	\$1,389.00
Total Income	\$5,988.00	Total Income	\$3,466.00

COLLECTION TOTALS BY MASS July 8 & 9, 2023

St Brigiu		Assum	Assumption	
7:00 AM	\$1,170.00 \$1,319.00 \$ 427.00 \$1,141.00	4:00 PM 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00AM	\$ 440.00 \$ 670.00 \$ 809.00 \$ 38.00	
	\$4,057.00		\$1,957.00	

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GRAND TOTAL: \$6,014.00



Saint Martha

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artha and her siblings, Mary and Lazarus, are Jesus' friends in Bethany. In Luke 10:38-42, while Mary sits at Jesus' feet, Martha is busy serving. When she complains to Jesus, he says: "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. ... Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her." Just before Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead (John 11:1-44), Martha confesses: "Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God." She is the patron of cooks and servers.



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1ST CENTURY FEAST DAY: JULY 29





SENIOR CENTER NEWS

TRANSPORTATION

Starting on Monday, July 3rd all appointments will be accepted by the WRTA for Millbury seniors, 60 years and older, & those with ADA services. Call 508-752-9283 in order to register with the WRTA in advance if transportation is needed.

Transportation Hours are Monday through Thursday from 8ÂM to 3:30PM & Fridays 8AM to 11:30AM. Rides have to be scheduled by 4:30PM the day before by calling 508-752-9283.

For more information on regards to transportation call the center at 508-865-9154

"MEMORY CAFÉ"

Please join us on Tuesday, July 25th at 2:00 - 3:30PM Refreshments will be served

A Memory Café is a monthly gathering for people with memory loss/challenges and their care partners. It's a time to socialize, make new friends, and have a good time.

Our Outreach worker, Julie Fitzgerald, is happy to answer any questions, call to RSVP 508-865-9154!

<u>UPCOMING SUMMER CONCERT</u> <u>AT THE SENIOR CENTER</u>

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