# SAINT BRIGID AND OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH



set the earth on fire.

Luke 12:49

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774-276-8915

# WEEKEND 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**

At St Brigid Church in July & August Monday through Friday at 9:00AM

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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# PARISH STAFF

## **CLERGY**

Rev. Daniel R. Mulcahy, Jr. Pastor

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# PASTORAL ASSOCIATES

Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.

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Children's Faith Formation Community Life and Outreach

Claudette Belair
Music Ministry

# **SACRAMENTS**

#### **Baptism**

For Baptism questions and information, please call the parish office 508-865-6624, Monday-Thursday, 8:30AM-3:00PM.

## 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.

# ses & Services

Aug. 16

4:00PM Jeryl Anderson By: Eileen Ethier

Sun. Aug. 17

7:00AM Justin "J.J." Horton, **Birthday Remembrance** By: Greg Bernard

9:00AM Justyna & Albert Koziara By: The Ducharme Family

11:00AM Matthew Hartline, 12th Anniversary By: the family

Mon. Aug. 18

**NO MASS** 

Tues. Aug. 19

9:00AM COMMUNION SERVICE

Wed. Aug. 20

**NO MASS** 

Thur. Aug 21

9:00AM COMMUNION SERVICE

Fri. Aug. 22

9:00AM **NO MASS** 

Sat. Aug. 23

4:00PM Simone R. Gemma, 6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary By: the family

Sun. Aug. 24

7:00AM **Beatrice Corey** 

By: the family

9:00AM Deceased members of the Gorman &

**Brogan Families** 

By: Jim & Andrea Gorman

11:00AM John Silveri, Birthday Remembrance

By: Claire & family

## MASS TIME CHANGE

On Saturday, September 6th

Mass will be at 5:00PM instead of 4:00PM.

The normal Mass schedule will resume the following weekend.

#### ALL ARE WELCOME!

All are welcome at St Brigid and Our Lady of the Assumption Parish.

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 our parish.

PLEASE COME & JOIN US TODAY!

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, Aug. 23, 4:00PM at St Brigid

AS: T Yaz, R Prue L: L Gaboriault EM: T & F Jakubiak

Sunday, Aug. 24, 7:00AM at St Brigid

AS: J Mazeika L: J Mazeika EM: N Tabor, T Mattus

Sunday, Aug. 24, 9:00AM at Assumption

AS: D Ryll, D Riedle L: L Flagg, M Lisenby EM: Sr. Teresa, Sr. Mary

Sunday, Aug. 24, 11:00AM at St. Brigid

AS: T & F Jakubiak L: B & E Nkrumah EM:O Dean

#### **FACILITY SCHEDULE**

SUNDAY~ AUG.17

SVDP MEETING @SBH 10:00AM TOGETHER FOR CONNOR @ SBH 1:00PM

SLAA @ SBH 7:30PM

MONDAY ~ AUG.18

AA @ SBH 7:00PM GA @ OLAH 7:00PM

TUESDAY~ AUG.19

NO EVENTS

WEDNESDAY~ AUG.20

NO EVENTS

THURSDAY~ AUG. 21

ROSARY @ CPO 6:00PM

FRIDAY~ AUG.22

NO EVENTS

SATURDAY~ AUG.23

NO EVENTS

SUNDAY~ AUG.24

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

#### MASSES & CANDLES AVAILABLE!



Call 508-865-6624 or



stop by the parish office to schedule your

2025/2026 Mass intentions & candles!

Mon.-Thurs., 8:30AM-2:30PM.

# CANDLES FOR AUGUST 16-22 ST Brigid Church

**SANCTUARY CANDLES** 

In Loving Memory

Matthew Hartline, 12th Anniversary

Requested by: the family

# **BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CANDLE**



Requested by: Anonymous



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



# Barbara Buduo



who has gone home to God.

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

## **ROSARY MAKERS NEEDED!**

Mary's rosary ministry meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 5:00PM at the CPO (rectory) at St Brigid.

We teach corded rosary making and supply material to make the rosaries. We supply the rosaries to churches in the Worcester Diocese and to Holy Cross Family Ministries in North Easton, MA for worldwide distribution. The ministry is a non-profit with support of donations. Rosaries are freely given in response to Our Lady of Fatima's request to promote the rosary throughout the world.

Our next Meeting is:

#### Wednesday, September 10th

We hope to see you there!

#### PRAY THE ROSARY

Every Thursday evening at 6:00pm at the parish office led by Deacon Ron.

**ALL ARE WELCOME!** 

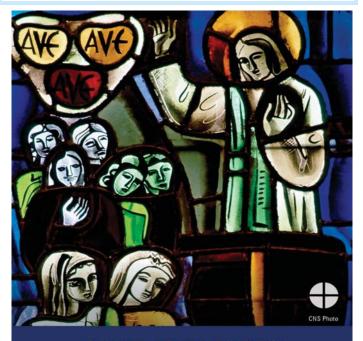




## MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer Line: 508-865-6853

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call the confidential prayer line noted above.



# SAINT JOHN EUDES AUGUST 19

For 20 years, this Oratorian priest preached the basics of the faith to unschooled Catholics across northern France, distinguishing himself especially by serving the sick during epidemics of the plague. John, devout from childhood, helped spread devotion to the Sacred Heart and was the first to call for an official feast day.

Saint John Eudes, Pray for Us!



# In Loving Memory



Robert Alexander John & Julia Anger Oscar & Marcy Anger Lee Aubin Matthew Austin Harry & Angela Bailey Leverett & Mabel Bailey Imre Barlay & Gregory Barlay Albina Bartkus Edward Bartkus Claire Belsito Amy Bifano James Booth Sr. George Bott Sylvio E. Bourdeau Armando & Ellen Bresciano Casey Bulger Tony & Maria Capobianco Joseph & Rose Cataldo Megan & Kristofer Clawson Joseph Coggans Albert & Helen Collette Donna "Gain" Cournoyer William J. Cotter Roland O. Couture Arthur "Archie" Cronin Gerald & Peggy Croteau Edward Crowley George A. D'Auteuil, Jr. George A. D'Auteuil, Sr. Walter DeAdder, Jr. Raymond DeRouin Armand & Doris Desorcy

George DeWolfe, Jr. Diane Dion David " Mike" Ducharme Steven J. & Joseph W. Duso Catherine T. Eckland Timothy P. Eckland Christina Erickson Madeleine J. Erickson Armand J. Favreau Donald & Jonathan Favreau Louis & Philamena Felice William Felice Arsene & Gabrielle Gaboriault Joe & Jean Gagliardi Rita D Gain & William Gain Jr. William Gain III Reggie Gauthier Stephen W. Gedman Rev. John F. Gee Richard "Dick" Gendron Edward & Frances Genis James E. Giro Conrad Hagstrom Betty & Thomas Hamilton Derek & Sheri Hamilton Robert J. Hamilton Matthew Hartline Everett & Pauline Hennessey David Hennessey John & Shirley Huchowski Paul J. & Ann V. Jandron Joanne Juskavitch

Richard Kroll Michael P. Krumsiek Helen R. LaCrosse Robert P. LaCrosse, Sr. Lillian Langevin Roland & Robert Langevin Richard & Jeffrey Langway Adriana Lanzarini The Lanzarini Family James LaPrad Tan Le Noe R. LeBeau, Sr. Alice Leduc Edward L. Lemoine Kevin Lemoine Rita Lemoine Mark Lizotte William & Irene Louis Sergio Lucindo Gail A. Mathews Frank & Ida Mazzeo Michael A. Mazzone Mary Metelica Kenneth Michalak Pauline Montigny Lorraine Mooney Thomas Morganti Walter Moquin Mary B. Mrozinski Ann & Dan Mulcahy Evelyn & Joseph Noonan Ellen & Rosemary Norton John P. & Bridget O'Malley Michael E. & Joseph M. Kozlowski Harold & Irene Ostrowski

Maria A. Perry Kiem Pham Gail Rawinski Virginia Richnick Arlene Riedle John I. Riedle John F. Roberts Felicien & Anna Routhier Chester & Elaine Roy Darlene Russell Dorothy Russell Marshall Russell William Russell Albert & June Russo Francis & Maria Sabourin Bob & Rita Shea David F. Sicard Brian Silver Gino Silveri & John Silveri John Silveri Lucien Sirard Maureen L. Stacy James Tabor Connor Tronerud Chester & Stephen J. Urban Robert & Nancy Vaillancourt Lucille Vecchione

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Joseph V. Kane



Donald Desorcy

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a \$50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).



William & Michael Walsh

Robert R. Watkins

Margaret Wendt

**Dolores White** 

Mary Wood

Frank & Ann Marie Yaz

Vinny C. Zigmont



Registration for our 2025-2026 Faith Formation Program will take place in August for all grades.

Complete registration details can be found in the bulletin and website in mid-July.

2025-26 Fees: Early Bird rate \$160 per child and \$225 family max by August 31. Regular rate of \$175/\$250 beginning September 1.

Kindergarten Program - We are pleased to be adding a class for children in Kindergarten. This class will meet every other week and will take place after the 9am Family Mass. So we can plan for books and materials, if you want your child to join this class, please email Deborah at deborah.riedle@sbolaparish.org.

# CSAW 2025

Another amazing week focused on God's call to serve! It was possibly the hottest CSAW week on record and you wouldn't know it! Our 21 youth and their adult leaders persevered through the conditions and helped change the world! See the next page for more photos!

God is Good! All the Time!







SUNDAY, SEPT. 21<sup>ST</sup> 12:00-2:30PM ASSUMPTION HALL



LAST YEAR'S "KICK-OFF" BBQ WAS GREAT SO LET'S DO IT AGAIN!!

TO MAKE IT EVEN BETTER, WE WILL NEED YOU! SETUP AND CLEANUP CREWS NEEDED.

TO HELP US PUT THIS TOGETHER, PLEASE CONTACT:

DEBORAH RIEDLE deborah.riedle@sbolaparish.org

GREG BERNARD greg.bernard@sbolaparish.org

MENU: BBQ RIBS, PULLED PORK, BRISKET, CHICKEN & SAUSAGE, BAKED BEANS, POTATO SALAD, COLE SLAW. KIDS MENU: BURGERS & HOT DOGS.

ACTIVITIES: FIRST HALF OF THE PATS VS STEELERS GAME.

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# **CSAW 2025**







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.

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Council 12710

Email: Council12710.KofC@gmail.com Website: KoC12710.org

Monthly Meetings
Business -members only. First Wed.
7pm at St. Mark's Church Hall.
Social (all invited) Third Wednesday
7pm at St. Brigid Church Hall.
We welcome new members, and now you can join online by visiting: KofC.org/joinus

#### **Upcoming Events**

On September 7th, we will host our Scholarship Golf Tournament at Shining Rock GC, Northbridge. Visit our website KoC12710.org for registration forms as well as sponsorship information.

On Sunday, September 21st, we will host our 3rd Annual 5K Road Race, 10am at The Wheelock Inn, Millbury. For information with registration and sponsorship visit our website KoC12710.org

In response to the Jubilee Year of Hope, Bishop McManus has designated 10 Churches around our diocese as special places of prayer for the Holy Year pilgrims who are unable to travel to Rome. Deacon Walter Doyle will be leading a pilgrimage to all 10 churches for a 3 month period starting on September 14th at noon, as well as October 12th and November 9th. Please watch for more detailed information coming soon.

The Augustinians' core values are often described as unity, community and friendship – themes that Blessed Michael McGivney also infused into the Knights of Columbus.

May we, the Knights of Columbus, walk together with Pope Leo and our fellow members of the Body of Christ in the bonds of charity, unity and fraternity – so that we might all follow Christ more closely through lives of humble service.

May God's Love and Mercy be with you and your family,

The Knights of Bishop Flanagan Council 12710

# SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Catholic Parishes of Millbury



# **INTERESTED IN HELPING?**

# **Our Food Pantry**

You can donate food and other household grocery items by placing them in our large blue collection bins when you come to Mass. The bins are located in the main entrance of both church locations during Mass times the first weekend of each month.

# **Next Collection: September 7, 2025**

We appreciate all food donations\*, but the pantry is in most need of the following items:

- Breakfast Cereals, Jelly & Jams
- Pasta, Canned Meats & related products
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
- Toothpaste & Toothbrushes
- Napkins & Paper Towels
- Toilet paper & Facial Tissue
- Soap Bars & Shampoo

# **Your Time, Talent and Treasure**

Are you interested in becoming a Member or an Associate (volunteer)? We welcome all who want to give of their time and talent. You can contact us through email or phone below for more info.

If you would like to make a financial contribution\* to support our mission and organization, checks can be made out to: Society of St. Vincent DePaul-Millbury and mailed to our address below.

\* 100% of donations are spent directly on our consumers

Society of St. Vincent DePaul c/o Catholic Parishes of Millbury 59 N Main St., Millbury, MA 01527

Phone: 774-276-8915

Email: stvdp.saintbrigid.millbury@gmail.com

\*\*\* For more info and events visit us at:

Web: https://www.stvdp-millbury.org



https://facebook.com/stvdp.saintbrigid.millbury

<sup>\*</sup> Please No Perishables, Pet Food, or Expired Items

# WEEKLY FINANCIALS

St. Brigid & Our Lady of the Assumption Income		
August 2 & 3, 2025		
Mail-In Stewardship	\$ 246.00	
Regular Weekly Collection	\$6,580.00	
Ordinary Collection Monthly	\$550.00	
Total Regular Weekly Collection	\$7,376.00	
Other Parish Income:		
Special Ministries	\$ 109.00	
Capital Improvement	\$ 908.00	
Utilities	\$ 132.00	
Mass Stipends/Candles/Funeral/In Rememb.	\$ 440.00	
Hall Rental	\$75.00	
Misc.	\$46.00	
Total Other Income Total Income	\$1,710.00 \$9,086.00	

St. Brigid & Our Lady	of the Assumption Collection
August	t 2 & 3, 2025
4:00PM	\$1,877.00
7:00AM	\$1,931.00
9:00AM	\$1,509.00
11:00AM	\$1,263.00
TOTAL	\$6,580.00 thank you!
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# Monthly Cash Flow

## Saint Brigid and Our Lady of the Assumption

Cash Flow - July 2025

UTILITIES	\$6,940.97
BUILDING/GROUNDS/MAINT.	\$1062.53
PAYROLL/STIPENDS/INS	\$34,853.39
FAITH FORMATION	\$598.20
LITURGICAL	\$470.94
OFFICE/ADMINISTRATIVE	\$ 1,009.43
DIOCESAN BILLS	\$10,041.00
DONATION	\$ 320.00
REIM.	\$108.00
Total monies paid	\$55,404.46

# **ENVELOPES & ONLINE GIVING**

**July 2025** 

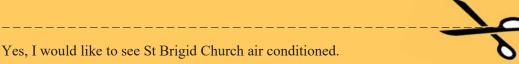
\$33,109.00 (ENVELOPES)

\$ 8,399.00 (On Line Giving)

**TOTAL**: \$41,508.00

We have been approached by some parishioners about

the possibility of Air Conditioning St. Brigid Church. We are told there are people willing to contribute to fully fund this project. We have received bids for this project, and the cost to have it done would be just under One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000). This price would cover any complications we might encounter. Our Finance Committee has agreed that all of this money must be in the bank before we start the project.



I understand that it will cost approximately \$100,000. I would be willing to contribute:

\$100 \$250 \$500 \$1000 OTHER\$

Name: Phone # Email:



**THANK YOU!** 





# Together for Connor

The Tronerud Family is excited to announce Together for Connor, a nonprofit organization founded in loving memory of Connor Tronerud, a life-long parishioner at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish.

Connor was a kind, witty, and intelligent child, who still had a lot to offer this world. After struggling with his own mental health challenges and bullying, Connor tragically took his own life at the age of 15 years old. He was a gift to all of us who continue to mourn his tragic loss.

Together for Connor aims to encourage others to find their own inner strength and heroism in facing mental health challenges, suicide or thoughts of suicide, and bullying that affects so many of today's youth and young adults. We plan to use our resources to provide education, support, and awareness to our youth, schools, families, and the community at large in the hopes that no one else suffers as Connor did and those who have survived such a tragic loss.





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( info@togetherforconnor.com

Interested in getting involved? Please join us for a kickoff and informational meeting in the St. Brigid Parish Hall on Sunday, August 17 at 1:00 pm.



Scan the QR code or visit us at togetherforconnor.com

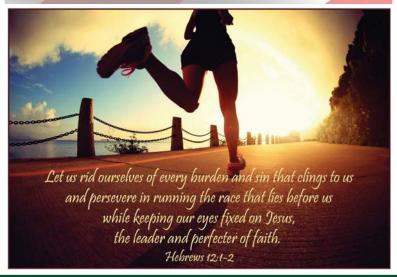


\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Remember in Prayer this WeekThose Who Serve in our Military:

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VINCENT DIDOMENICA KATELYN GASCO CODY GONYEA IAN GONYEA AYDEN GRENIER ANDREW HAFFERTY Nathan Kozlowski GIANNA OKULICZKI DENZEL PARKER PATRICK WEEKS MARC WINCHESTER

To add names to the Prayer List, call the Parish Office at 508-865-6624.



#### **Helpful Resources**

Children at Risk Hotline: 800-792-5200 Drug Abuse or Alcholism: 855-786-7378 National Hope Line (Suicide): 988 **Domestic Violence Resources: 800-799-7233 Diocese Office for Prevention & Healing** (Abuse within the Church): 508-929-4363 Health & Human Services: 211

#### 71st Annual Labor Day Breakfast **Sutton Center on the Common**

Rain or Shine Monday Sept. 1, 20257:00AM-10:30AM

**Breakfast Ticket Donations** 

Adults--\$14.00, Age 5-10 --\$8.00, Age 4 and under--FREE

Eggs, ham, sausage, pancakes, home fries, cornbread, juice,& coffee

Please bring a donation of non-perishables to benefit the Sutton Food Pantry.

Sponsored by the First Congregational Church, Sutton, MA

## Friends of Millbury Seniors, Inc. Day Trip!

Sept. 23, 2025 - Meredith & Lincoln, NH - \$120.00

Hobo Railroad, Lunch on the Train (Hart's Turkey Farm) and Bus

#### ADULT ART TIME CLASS!!!

Please join us on: Wednesday 8/27, from 6:00-7:30PM at St. Brigid Hall for our adult ART TIME class.

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