



Our Lady of the Rosary
345 Lake St
Wilson, NY 14172

St. Brendan on the Lake

Roman Catholic Parish

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 18 & 19, 2021

Mission Statement

To create a spiritual atmosphere,
with a prophetic vision, that educates, empowers and
challenges the community to build the Kingdom of
God.

We Celebrate the Sacraments:

Eucharist:

Saturday: 4:00pm-Wilson
5:30pm Newfane
Sunday: 8:30am-Newfane,
9:45am-Olcott (Memorial Day-Labor Day)
11:00am-Wilson

Tues & Thurs: 8:30am-Newfane
Mon., Wed & Fri: 8:30am-Wilson

Baptisms:

Infant: Parents are to call the office a few weeks
before the anticipated Baptism to make arrangements
and class.

Adult: To join the Catholic faith, please call the office

Reconciliation:

Sat. 3:30pm Wilson, Sun. 8:00am Newfane
or by arrangement

Anointing of the Sick:

Anytime day or night. Sacrament of Anointing of the
Sick is offered upon request.

Holy Matrimony:

Registered parishioners who are members of our faith
community are asked to notify the office at least six
months prior to the anticipated wedding date.
A marriage preparation course is required of all couples.

Ordination/Religious life:

If you hear God's calling to serve the church as a priest,
deacon, or to live a consecrated life, contact the Vocations
Office in the Diocese of Buffalo at 716-847-5535.

Parish and Faith Formation Office

3455 Ewings Road PO Box 87
Newfane, New York 14108-0087
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Office Hours - Monday - Thursday 9:00am-4:00pm



St. Bridget
3455 Ewings Rd
Newfane, NY 14108



St. Charles
Cemetery

Parish Staff

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New Parishioners:

New members are warmly welcomed to our parish. You may
register your family by calling the Parish Office at 778-9822.



LITURGICAL LIFE

ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, Sept 18 Vigil, 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm, Wilson – Joseph & Brenda Biamonte, req. Charles J Choppolla
5:30pm, Newfane - Karen Kovach, req. Bible Study Group

Sunday, Sept 19 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am, Newfane - Bob Lovewell, req. Mickie Kramp
11:00am, Wilson - Parishioners of St. Brendan, req. Fr. Andrew

Monday, Sept 20 St Andrew Kim

8:30am, Wilson - St. Brendan All Soul's Remembrance
4:00-7:00pm, Newfane - Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, Sept 21 St. Matthew, Apostle

8:30am, Newfane - Birthday Blessings Emily Szratter, req. Mom & Dad

Wednesday, Sept 22

8:30am, Wilson – St. Brendan's Father's Day Intention

Thursday, Sept 23 St. Pius of Pietrelcina

8:30am, Newfane –Bobby Mitalski, req. Drake Family
6:00pm, Olcott - Blessed Mother Mary Novena

Friday, Sept 24

8:30am, Wilson - Theresa Moley, req. Mary Moley Palacios

Saturday, Sept 25 Vigil, 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm, Wilson – Joseph A Choppolla, req. Charles J Choppolla
5:30pm, Newfane-John & Genivieve Pisarski, req. Jim & Melanie Hamner

Sunday, Sept 26 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am, Newfane - Charles & Alice Bass & Family, req. Mike & Jo Hogan
11:00am, Wilson - Special Intention, req. Your Sister Elaine

Rosary - 20 minutes before All Weekend Masses

Divine Mercy Chaplet - 10 minutes before daily Mass

Liturgy of Hours - Daily Masses celebrated with Morning Prayers

1st Friday Devotion - Prayers to the Sacred Heart and Divine

Mercy Adoration following morning Mass in Wilson.

Adoration - every Monday (4-7pm), Newfane

Blessed Mother Mary Novena - Every Thursday evening 6:00pm,
in Olcott (May to October)

Sick & Homebound - will continue after covid pandemic on the
1st Friday of the month.

PLEASE REMEMBER to pray for the sick especially Bette Chalmers, Lois Pepenhagen, Gene Pacia, Krista Carnegie, Rosemary Miller, Heather McCoy, Cecelia Fitzsimmons, Isabel Arrendondo, Anna Diermyer, Don Bielicki, Margaret Shellberry, Joseph Guido, Louise Doty, Jeffery Antoncich, and those who have died especially Bob Gominiak, and Roger Chenez.

Prayer Chain: The Prayer chain is a ministry dedicated to members who pray for the needs of others. Not to be confused with the Prayers of the Faithful at Sunday Liturgy listed above. Members pray daily for a week for each request. We are always ready and available to pray for your specific intention. Office 778-9822, or Melanie 434-7695,

St. Brendan is now Live Streaming our Mass on the weekend. Check our webpage at stbrendanonthelake.org for information on livestreaming. Remember that the general dispensation is discontinued, join us if you are able. Access depends on availability of broadcasters.

PARISH NEWS

A Word of Thanks: St. Brendan on the Lake sends sincere thanks to all who recently offered their time to assist with the cleaning of our Church grounds. With the many things on our schedules nowadays your dedication is appreciated.

Road to Renewal Recently, each parish was asked to designate two representative parishioners for the Renewal program. We thank Jim Cantella and Ela Orłowski for accepting this role. This weekend we will hear a brief presentation from them, and more specific details will be presented as decisions are made. Please pray that the outcome of this project will be most beneficial for all involved.

Contributions from Retirement Funds: You may recall seeing a message regarding a new means of supporting St. Brendan's with your surplus retirement funds. This was in planning, when it was discovered that the Diocese of Buffalo's decision to file Chapter XI bankruptcy would impact such an arrangement. This possibility is still being explored, and any new development will be announced.

Ushers at Mass: It is intended to resume the role of usher at weekend Masses. As we anticipate this, we welcome the interest of anyone who may wish to volunteer in this capacity. Please Call the rectory office if interested.

Second Collection for Haiti: The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops has requested us to take up a second collection to help those suffering from the earthquake in Haiti. The funds collected in this special appeal will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and /or Catholic Relief Services, the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic Church, as they and their local agencies respond to the immediate emergency needs as well as aid in long-term recovery. Baskets will be located in the back of the church next weekend. Please mark your check or envelope 'Earthquake in Haiti'. There will be another collection in the future to support the Hurricane Ida recovery. Information on that collection will be forthcoming.

Baby Sleepers: There is a flyer at the Newfane and Wilson sites concerning Baby Sleepers. They are looking for donations to help those in need. There are baskets at both sites for donations. Any Question, please contact Mary Dunning at 940-1586. Thank you.

Interested in Becoming Catholic? Do you know someone who is interested in joining the Catholic faith, or maybe fell behind in their sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation)? If so, this is a good time of year to begin inquiry and pursuit. All who are interested are encouraged to contact the rectory office. The sacramental journey may be different for everyone, but Fr. Andrew will be available to answer your questions and determine a suitable course for you. Please share this message with anyone who may be interested in beginning or advancing in their sacramental journey of faith.

FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE 2021-2022

****Every family is required to attend Weekend Mass****

- Sep. 18, - Teachers Can Get Room Ready
- Sep. 19, - Class 9:30-10:30am – Opening Session
- Sep. 26, - Class 9:30-10:30am

- Oct. 3, - 11th Grade FF Mass – 8:30 am Newfane
Class 9:30-10:30am
- Oct. 10, - **No Class** – Columbus Day
- Oct. 17, - Class 9:30-10:30am – Safety Environment

Scripture Readings
Numbers 11:25-29
James 5:1-6
Mark
9:38-43, 47-48

FAITH FORMATION

Dear Parents, It is my great delight to be accompanying you as we begin a new year of faith formation. Over the past year I have developed a great admiration for our faith formation program here at St. Brendan’s, and I appreciate how last year, despite numerous obstacles, we managed to have a full year of in-person learning. This was a sign of tremendous dedication shared by the director, teachers, parents, and students, and I am confident that this spirit of dedication will make for another very productive year. Although we never know exactly how public health matters may affect us, it is my hope that we can continue to administer faith formation as safely and effectively as possible.

Looking back over the past year, one unfortunate matter that impacted all Catholics was the difficulty in gathering as members of Christ’s body around the Eucharistic table. Of course, those with health risks always have a duty protect themselves, but it is important for all of us to understand and maintain the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives. This is especially important for our young people as they must develop their faith with the proper focus. Therefore,

I wish to emphasize how crucial it is for our young parishioners and their families to attend Sunday Mass and share in the family life of our parish. Faith formation in the classroom is meant to strengthen and guide what can only be obtained through participation in the sacramental life of the church. That being said, I implore all parents make their best efforts to make participation in Sunday Mass the priority that it ought to be. I understand that there can be host of reasons, either past or present, why some of us may find it difficult to maintain attendance in Mass. Please know that I am willing to speak with you and to help facilitate reconciliation or anything that might assist you in upholding this important commitment. Hopefully, we can become more closely acquainted through Sunday Mass as well.

I am very much looking forward to this year ahead, and I hope to get to know and work with our faith formation program more closely. Please join me in praying for another successful year—one that will bring all of us closer to God and to each other. Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Andrew Lauricella

COMMUNITY NEWS

Newfane Community Food Pantry: Dear Friends of the NCFP, Thank you for your wonderful donation of back packs to the students of Newfane. We were able to help 61 students happily start their school year with a new back pack. How good it was to see their smiling faces as they picked out their special bag. Nine backpacks were also donated to the ABCD Center in Wrights Corners. Thank you again. In God’s Hands Kathy Phillips

St. Andrew’s Consignment Shop, located at 111 Crocker Street in Sloan, is having a \$1.00 Sale on all Men’s, Women’s and Children’s Clothing, Shoes, Purses and Selected General Merchandise Items on Saturday, September 25th from 11am until 4pm. Stop in for some great deals! For more information, call 892-0425.

PRO-LIFE

Prayer for Peace in the Middle East

God of mercy and compassion, of grace and reconciliation, pour your power upon all your children in the Middle East: Jews, Muslims and Christians, Let hatred be turned into love, fear to trust, despair to hope, oppression to freedom, occupation to liberation, that violent encounters may be replaced by loving embraces, and peace and justice could be experienced by all. Amen.

COLLECTION

AUGUST 11 & 12, 2021

Weekly	\$3,325.00
Monthly.....	535.00
Catholic Education	120.00
other	<u>104.00</u>
Total	\$4,084.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Ministries

4:00pm-Wilson
Lector
Dottie Mitalski
Eucharistic Minister
Michael Chiappone
Altar Server
Ben VanderLinden

5:30pm-Newfane
Lector
Amy Hopkins
Eucharistic Minister
Abraham Platt
Greg Kerth
Altar Server
Oliva Hopkins

8:30am-Newfane
Lector
Kathryn Wood
Eucharistic Minister
Liz Secord-Smith
Elise Krencik
Altar Server
Matthew & Brianna
Kline
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11:00am-Wilson
Lector
Riley Doty
Eucharistic Minister
Sandy Walch
Altar Server
Colton Doty

Gift Bearers
There are no gift bearers at this time.

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