

BAPTISM

Last year, we were blessed to baptize 76 young children and 5 adults. See some of the beautiful families and friends below.



What is Baptism?

Baptism is the first sacrament of initiation, the moment where we are adopted into God's family—the Body of Christ. It is the basis for our whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit, and the door that gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons and daughters of God; we become members of the Church and part of her mission.

Baptisms during Mass

The Rite of Baptism for Children strongly recommends that baptisms take place on Sundays, the day of the resurrection, at a communal celebration. We find at St. B's that it promotes the value of welcoming new members into the Church and includes active participation by all. Baptisms of older children and adults take place during the Easter Vigil Mass after these people have prepared themselves through the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults).

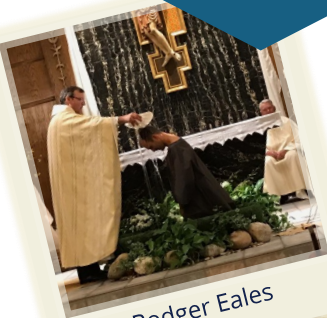
Our next infant baptism orientation dinner for new and expectant parents and godparents is Tuesday, April 2 from 6–8 pm in the Parish Hall. To register online, go to saintbrigidparish.org/baptism. Join us at the Easter Vigil Mass this year on Saturday, April 20 at 8 pm.



Butera Family



Combs Family



Rodger Eales



Weeman Family



Cunningham Family



Heyman Family and kids



Bial Family



Hilton Family



Baltov Family