EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY EUCHARIST:

9:00 am  Marijo O’Malley
5:00 pm  Stephanie Dustman
8:00 am  Marijo O’Malley, Pat & Trudy Garry
Homebound:  Marijo O’Malley

LECTORS:
9:00 am  Katy Crabtree, Chris Porter
5:00 pm  Lori Merrigan, Greg Dustman
8:00 am  Mary Grahl, Shirley Baldwin

LENTEN:
Next Sunday, December 16th

ST. BRIDGET’S HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

NEW MASS TIMES BEGIN ON NOVEMBER 3 & 4

SATURDAY:
Mass – 5:00 pm

SUNDAY:
7:30am – 7:50am Reconciliation
Rosary – 7:30 am
Mass – 8:00 am

CHRISTMAS EVE (DECEMBER 24, 2018)
Mass – 4:00 pm
(Office Closed Christmas Eve)

CHRISTMAS DAY (DECEMBER 25, 2018)
Mass – 8:00 am
(Holy Day of Obligation)
(Office Closed)

MARY MOTHER OF GOD (JANUARY 1, 2019 Holy Day of Obligation)
Mass – 9:00 am
(Office Closed)

ASH WEDNESDAY (MARCH 6, 2019)
There is no cost for this event and all parishioners are welcomed. All we ask is that you bring a side dish & dessert to share (large enough to feed a family of four to six).

All Penance Services are at 7:00 pm

Help is needed with clean up following our Christmas Potluck. A sign-up sheet is located on the small white table in the vestibule.

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If you are wanting to donate money specifically for the Chapel to our Mother Mary or to help in placing our Tabernacle in the middle of our church, please write your checks to “St. Bridget Catholic Church,” and write the word “Chapel” on the front of the envelope so that we can credit your tithe for your taxes at the end of the year. These can be put into the collection basket or turned in to the parish office.

FROM FR. VOGEL

Understanding Why Mass is Done The Way It Is In the Catholic Church and Other Catechetical Notes on the Catholic Faith:

Since we believe that God the Holy Spirit guided Vatican II, we as Catholics are called to believe what Vatican II sets forth as being delivered by God the Holy Spirit. Did some changes occur from Vatican II that are different from before Vatican II? Absolutely. Has everything been implemented like it was intended from Vatican II? Sadly, the answer is no.

St. John Paul II, a tremendous pope that many of us remember, was a very young cleric at the time when he attended Vatican II. He became our pope in 1978 and passed away in 2005. Having attended Vatican II and being the reigning pope for our Faith in the recent decades, he himself corrected the entire Catholic Church because Vatican II was not implemented correctly for many years. We see this in his document Redemptor Hominis. Furthermore, published in 2001 was Liturgiam Authenticam by St. John Paul II. The purpose of this document was for the right implementation of the Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy of the Second Vatican Council (and this document is called Sacrosanctum Concilium).

Since all of this is affecting the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, how we worship God according to His instructions, this is a very serious matter that we must as God's People take very much to heart. (To be continued) ...
WELCOME!

If you are new to our parish, please take a moment to introduce yourselves and register with us. Forms are available in the vestibule, parish office or online at www.stbridgetcatholicchurch.org.

If you are just visiting, we pray that you have a wonderful visit and a safe return journey home.

Food Pantry

The Pleasant Hill Food Pantry is in need of the following items: Soups, Peanut Butter, Pasta & Spaghetti & Sauce.

Thank you for your generous support of the Food Pantry.

Angel Tree News:

Thank you very much for your participation in the Angel Tree Project. Your generosity is overwhelming and wonderful. A few more gift tags have been placed on the tree. If you would like to help Santa purchase a gift for a local child sponsored by St. Bridget, Please place packages (wrapped or unwrapped) with the Ornament tag in the Christmas Box by the Angel Tree as soon as possible. Again, thank you so much for your continued generosity.

Christmas Memorial Flowers

Remember your loved ones by purchasing memorial poinsettias that will help decorate our church during the Christmas Season. The price is $15 each. Please complete the form and return to the parish office or place in the weekly collection basket by Sunday, December 16th.

St. Bridget’s Youth News

EDGE meets the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month. If you would like to join or have any questions you may contact Bill Kennedy for more information.

High School Youth Group: HSYG meets on the 1st & 2nd Sunday of the month. If you would like to join or have any questions, please contact Ryan O’Hanlon at rmohanlan@gmail.com or (816) 726-2746

SOR Schedule:

December

12 – Class
16 – St. Bridget Christmas Program & Potluck Dinner with a visit from Santa
19-26 Christmas Break

SOR Weather Cancellation Procedure

The St. Bridget SOR cancellation procedure will follow the Pleasant Hill School District for cancellation of classes due to bad weather. If Pleasant Hill Schools have been dismissed early or cancelled completely due to bad weather, St. Bridget’s SOR program will be cancelled that evening as well.

Christmas Choir Practice

The next Christmas Choir Practice for the 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass is next Sunday, December 16th from 9:30 am Following Mass.

Last practice date & time is Sunday, Dec 23rd at 9:30 am. All Choir Members asked to please attend.

Welcome to the Parish of St. Bridget, Pleasant Hill, Missouri!