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St. Bridget's
New Mass & Confession Times

Saturday
No Confessions 6:00 pm Mass
Sunday
Confession 8 – 8:50 am
9:00 am Mass

Monday: NO MASS
Tuesday: 12:00 pm Mass - (Confessions 11:25-11:55 am)
Wednesday: 9:00 am Mass - (Confessions 8:25-8:55 am)
Thursday: 9:00 am Mass - (Confessions 8:25 – 8:55 am)
Friday: NO MASS

Monday – Thursday
No Mass

Friday
Adoration 11:00 am
Mass: Noon

Saturday
Confessions 3:20 – 3: 50 pm
Mass: 4:00 pm

Sunday
Mass 11:00 am
**Liturgical Roles & Services**

**July 7 & 8**

**LECTORS:**
- 6:00 pm: Guy Einhoff, Steve Hunnelberg
- 9:00 am: Lori Merrigan, Lorraine Hamilton

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY EUCHARIST:**
- 6:00 pm: Marnier Devaldier
- 9:00 am: Dick Danjo, Cathy Vogel, Chris Porter

**Homebound:** Cathy Vogel

**SERVERS:**
- 6:00 pm: Tommy Puffett, Kennedy Thornberry
- 9:00 am: Adam, Seth, & Ella Greenwald

**ROSARY LEADERS:**
- 9:00 a.m.: Pat & Trudy Gurry

**SACRISTAN:**
- 6:00 pm: Maurice & Pat Devolder
- 9:00 am: Don & Cathy Vogel

**USHERS:**
- 6:00 pm: TBA
- 9:00 am: Vogel, Thornberry, Sheehan, Ruth

**MONEY COUNTERS:**
- July 7 & 8: Elsie’s Team

**CHURCH CLEANERS:**
- July 14: Cathy’s Team

**CANTORS:**
- 6:00 pm: Rick & Marry Puffett w/Laura Worms
- 9:00 am: Adam, Seth, Ella Greenwald, 2nd Sunday Choir w/Judy Wolf

**Mowing & Trimming July 6:** Steve Greufe, Bill Heinzelman & Paul Canaan

**Liturgical Roles & Services**

**July 14 & 15**

**LECTORS:**
- 6:00 pm: Rita Joanis, Katy Crabtree
- 9:00 am: Rick Bouchard, DJ Breitbach

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY EUCHARIST:**
- 6:00 pm: Ross Dale
- 9:00 am: Chris Porter, Linda Ochs, Mary Adams

**Homebound:** Manjo O’Malley

**SERVERS:**
- 6:00 pm: Need 1-2
- 9:00 am: Caitlin O’Hanlon, Owen Thornsberry

**ROSARY LEADERS:**
- 9:00 a.m.: Pat & Trudy Gurry

**SACRISTAN:**
- 6:00 pm: Ross & Charleen Dale
- 9:00 am: Ed Mellock & Rita Pilcher

**USHERS:**
- 6:00 pm: TBA
- 9:00 am: O’Connell, Kelch, Heinzelman, Saubers

**MONEY COUNTERS:**
- July 14 & 15: Rita’s Team

**CHURCH CLEANERS:**
- July 21: Joyce Anderson’s Team

**CANTORS:**
- 6:00 pm: Kaitlin Long w/Laura Worms
- 9:00 am: Rick Worms

**Mowing & Trimming July 13:** John Eisenmenger & Chris Kohler

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**St. Bridget Parish Leadership**

**St. Bridget Finance Council**
Chairman: Ross Dale, charleenrd@comcast.net
Gary Crabtree, garycrabtree@comcast.net
Greg Dustman, grd21@hotmail.com
Joe Fiedler, jacomove@comcast.net
Robert Radmacher, rradmacher@aol.com

**St. Bridget Parish Council**
Chairman: Rick Kitchell, rickkitchell@gmail.com
Secretary: Rita Pilcher, ritapilcher@gmail.com

**Members:**
- Bill Ruth, pandbruth@yahoo.com
- Melissa Thornberry, erick.grrl797@yahoo.com
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**SUNDAY COLLECTIONS WEEKEND**

**June 30 & July 1**

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Please remember our Dream Campaign
July Dream Fund MTD: $2,477.50

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**WHAT’S GOING ON AT ST. BRIDGET! Continued**

**VBS (Vacation Bible School) is set for Sunday, July 8th – Wednesday, July 11th.** We will begin with dinner being served at 5:30 pm in Ledwidge Hall followed by VBS at 6:00 pm.
FROM MSGR MURPHY

Dear Friends in Christ,

This Gospel Reading for this weekend’s Mass is the one that many priest friends have “lovingly” reminded me of since I took over my home parish at good ole’ St. Bridget in the place I love to remember as my old and original St. Bridget church in downtown P. Hill. What I found truly amazing was when you all, without my asking or even giving a hint of bringing it up, started calling me “Fr. Vogel” soon afterwards. For me, it was a humbling realization of the super strong Faith life that my home parish has, and the respect that they lovingly show to their priest, even if he is a homeboy. There’s a great saying amongst parish priests, “It’s always great to see how much holier your parishioners are than yourself.” You all demonstrated that to me from the get-go. It has helped to ease the natural tension one has as a priest when they first come in to a new parish. Thank you all so much for your respect and compassion you have shown me, a natural hick from P. Hill, in giving me your honor as your priest. My only prayer is that I may do precisely what God wants me to do at what is all of our beloved home parish at St. Bridget Catholic Church.

Godspeed,
Fr. Vogel

For more information visit: www.fertilitycarekc.com

Dear Friends in Christ,

This Gospel Reading for this weekend’s Mass is the one that many priest friends have “lovingly” reminded me of since I took over my home parish at good ole’ St. Bridget in the place I love to remember as my hometown of Nazareth, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, “Where did this man get all this?”

Mark 6:2

Sometimes we stifle our stewardship impulses lest we draw attention to ourselves, especially among our own family and circle of friends. Perhaps this story will encourage us to take a leadership role like Jesus did.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time B

Ezekiel 2:2-5

Speaking When No One Listens

Whenever you have something to say, not everyone is going to listen. Some people will roll their eyes. Others will wait until you’re done and then change the subject. You don’t always get the admiring audience you want.

For some reason, this never stops God from putting passion into the human heart. Our faith becomes a part of us. We link our identity to it. When we see someone challenging something we believe in, we cannot keep quiet. We have to speak up.

It feels good to say what we think. It feels good to let the strongest beliefs inside us have voice and air. It feels good to have other people know what matters the most to us.

But some people don’t listen. They do not heed the word we speak. They patronize us with kind looks or light applause.

But God keeps putting the word into the human heart.

When Ezekiel spoke God’s word to people who were hard of face and obstinate of heart, God knew the word might not change them. But some good would come. “They shall know that a prophet has been among them.”

Even if people do not listen to our words, they know that a prophet was there.

What is the biblical evidence for the eutharist?

“The Lamb of God,” “The Bread of Life,” “The Body and the Blood of Christ” … these are phrases we know from the Mass. But do we understand what they mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching?

Discover firsthand how Christ’s Body and Blood are an integral and wondrous part of God’s plan for our salvation in Lent: Eucharist, an Augustine Institute Original production. Acclaimed author and teacher Dr. Brant Pitre explores the biblical roots of the Eucharist, through its foreshadowing in the miraculous events of the Old Testament, the Gospels, and the Apostolic teaching.

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PARISH NEWS FOR ALL

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY GARAGE SALE NEWS:
If you have items that you would like to donate for our upcoming garage sale, we ask that you contact the parish office at 540-4563 during their business hours before dropping off any items. Please be sure to check under “Garage Sale News” located on the next page of the bulletin for items that we cannot accept.

NO COFFEE & DONUTS: During the months of July & August, we will not have Coffee & Donut Sundays. However, it will return the first Sunday of September.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS are needed to help unload and carry garage sale items and also to help set up for the Altar and Rosary Garage Sale on Monday night, July 23, and Tuesday night, July 24, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in Ledwidge Hall. Please sign up on the sheets in the vestibule. Thank you!

ST. BRIDGET AUTUMN FEST: The date for this year’s Autumn Fest is set for Sunday, September 23. This is one of our biggest events and many volunteers are needed to help make it a success from the planning stage to working during the event. If you would like to help, please contact Katy Crabtree or Tim Long as soon as possible.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:
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Meals on Wheels is in need of drivers. Please call Sue Hess at 816-914-2507 if interested.

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

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Saturday, July 28 after the 4pm Mass (5-7PM).
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K OF C NEWS

ST. PATRICK’S IN HOLDEN MUSICIAN POSITION OPEN
St. Patrick’s Catholic Church in Holden, MO is looking for a musician to play at their Sunday 10:30am Mass. If one is hired, they may start as early as July 1, 2018. Time spent per week is roughly 6 hours. If anyone is interested or knows someone who may be interested, for more information and the qualifications needed, please contact St. Patrick’s in Holden at: stpatsholden@embarqmail.com or (816)-895-2359.

MUSICIAN NEEDED

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