

St. Columbkille Parish

August 17, 2025

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were already blazing!" Lk 12:49

SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

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Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: "He venido a traer fuego a la tierra,
¡y cuánto desearía que ya estuviera ardiendo!" Lc 12, 49



Mass Times & Information

Sunday Masses (Upper Church):

Saturday: 4pm

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 12pm (Spanish), & 5pm

Daily Masses (Lower Church):

Weekdays (Mon-Sat): 7am

Friday: 7pm (Spanish)

Confessions (in English)

Saturday: 8:00-8:45am (Lower Church)

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm (Rectory Front Porch)

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday: 6:00-6:45pm (Spanish, Lower Church)

Saturday: 7:45-8:45am (Lower Church)

Holy Day Masses: *(See Inside Bulletin)*

Parish Office Hours: *(See Inside Bulletin)*

Parish Staff & Contact

Clergy

Very Rev. Richard W. Fitzgerald, V.F., Pastor

Rev. Steven Restrepo, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Alexander Millar, Priest in Residence

Rev. Tuan (Matthew) Nguyen, Priest in Residence

Rev. William C. Manaker, S.J., Weekend Assistant

Staff

Patricia McShane, Parish Secretary

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"We are Saint Columbkille Parish, a community of faith celebrating Christ's presence in us through the Eucharist, the other sacraments and the preaching of the word of God. To be true to the Gospel we must live our faith every day, responding to our call to holiness by caring for, encouraging and strengthening each other."

If you are new to our parish, please introduce yourself to the priests after Mass. We would love to know you and serve you. To register in our parish online: Please visit brightoncatholic.org.

Parish Giving 8/10

Offertory: \$4,438
Online Offertory: \$1,145
(Amount needed to meet expenses: \$7,000.00)

August. Monthly Maintenance
(to date): \$2,491

HVAC (to date): \$429,213

SVDP: \$

SVDP On Line: \$75

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Mass Intentions

Sat, 8/16	4pm	Barbara & John Donohue, Ann.
Sun, 8/17	8am	Margaret A Reilly, Ann.
	10am	<i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – Zilda Pereira da Silva & Euripedes Dias da Silva, Mem.; Josephine Ydon, 8th Ann.
	12pm	<i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> –
	5pm	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Mon, 8/18	7am	
Tue, 8/19	7am	
Wed, 8/20	7am	Giovanni Tramontozzi & Family, Mem.
Thurs, 8/21	7am	Fr. Carney Gavin, 11th Ann.
Fri, 8/22	7am	Romeo Cardarelli, 3rd Ann.
	7pm	
Sat, 8/23	7am	
	4pm	Albert & Irene Welch, Mem. 79th wedding Ann.
Sun, 8/24	8am	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
	10am	<i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – Christopher Humphreys, Sr., Mem.; Seamus Feeney, 11 th Ann.
	12pm	<i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> –
	5pm	David Vanboxlaere, Mem.

The 10 am and 12 pm Masses on Sundays are *Pro Multis Intentionibus* (for many intentions). So, multiple intentions will be celebrated together. If you want to request a Mass intention, please email/call the office.



Thank you for your prayers and support! In order to contribute to the parish, use our parish website: www.brightoncatholic.org and then click "Support" Or you can scan the QR code here.

Temporary Office Hours: Our Secretary, Patricia McShane, will be out for awhile. The Parish Office will be open on Mondays 9-12pm, Tuesdays 9-12pm, Wednesdays 9-4pm, Thursdays 9-12:30pm and will be closed on Fridays.

Donations were made in the month of August for the
 Hosts in loving memory of Charlene Berrio by her loving parents.
 Wine in loving memory of Hugh & Agnes Gallagher by their loving children.
 Candles in loving memory of Jeremiah J. Sullivan JR. by his loving family.
 Please remember these people in your prayers.



St. Vincent de Paul Society meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month in the rectory. The next meeting will be **Tuesday, August 26th at 7:00 pm** in the rectory. New members are always welcome.

Another Priest in Residence at St. Columbkille Parish

We welcome to our parish Father Tuan “Matthew” Nguyen, a priest from Vietnam, who for the next two will be studying for an advanced theology degree at Boston College School of Theology and Ministry. During this time, he will be living in residence at our rectory. As has been in the past with other priests who have lived in residence, you may see Father Matthew from time to time celebrating Mass at the parish.

Blooming For Good: For the month of August, Stop & Shop in Allston will be supporting the St. Vincent De Paul Society by donating \$1 of every Blooming for Good bouquet sold in their florist department. Every dollar helps us feed the hungry.

Lower church fire alarm system... Sometime over the next month, the lower church will be closed for a week...

due to the need to replace portions of the fire alarm system. One component which must be replaced has a date on it going back to 1937! Obviously, we cannot put off this upgrade to the system and it shows the necessity for regular maintenance and update of our facilities. The cost will be between \$12,000 and \$15,000 depending upon contingencies. During the period of the closure of the lower church, all liturgical activities will be in the upper church.

Prayers are requested:

for those who are ill; for vocations to the Priesthood and to the Consecrated Life; for married couples and for families; for those serving in the military especially STAFF SGT. Aaron Souza (USAF), PFC Timothy C. Barry (USA), 2nd LT Megan Monteiro (USAF), Chaplain MAJ Jeffrey A. Ballou (USAF), Chaplain CAPT James W. Longe (USAF), L/CPL Gavin Sheehan (USMC), STAFF SGT Pedro Santana (USA), PVT Michael Stapleton (USA), PFC Mark Crowell (USMC), PFC Shawn Crowell (USMC), SEAMAN Gage Gunnels (USN); SR. MASTER SGT. Brian Bowler (USAF), LT Brendan Breen (USN PILOT), 2NDLT Will Kiley (USA); 2NDLT Tim Kiley (USA), CORPSMAN Cameron Broome (USN); and for the soul of Patrick Mullins. For the deceased members of our parish, our families and our benefactors.

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism of Infants/Children

First Sunday of the month is in English. Please email/call the office.

Baptism/First Communion/Confirmation

Adults and children 7 and older who would like to receive these sacraments or be received into the Church should email/call the office.

Marriage

Couples planning marriage should make arrangements at least **SIX MONTHS** prior to the wedding date.

Young Adult Commission

To stay informed about YAC events please see the links below:

YAC WHATSAPP GROUP QR CODE



To sign up for the newsletter or to email Young Adult Commission please visit: <https://www.brightoncatholic.org/young-adults>

Weekly Bible Study & Social Resumes - Sunday,

August 24th, 2025.

We will resume our weekly Bible Study and Social on Sunday, August 24th after the 5 PM Mass. Meet in the back of the church following Mass and join us for discussion and fellowship.

YAC First Friday Holy Hour & Social - Friday, September 5th at 6 PM

Come worship our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament from 6 PM to 6:45 PM in the lower chapel. (Confession also offered). We'll hang out as a group immediately following Adoration.

YAC End of Summer BBQ - Sunday, September 7th

Join us for a BBQ on St. Columbkille's patio after the 5 PM Mass on Sunday, September 7th.

Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors

Young adults are very welcome to join the Eucharistic Minister and lector groups! Interested members should contact Briget, Greg or Fr. Steven at youngadultcom-missionst.columb@gmail.com or frstrepo@brightoncatholic.org. We particularly need help at the 4:00 PM Mass on Saturdays and at the young adult focused 5:00 PM Sunday Mass.

YOUNG ADULT CHOIR

Welcome to students, young adults, or young professionals who may be new to our parish or to the city of Boston. We are glad you are here and invite any person who may have musical skill or a pleasant singing voice to be part of the YOUNG ADULT CHOIR which sings weekly at the Sunday 5:00 PM mass, with a rehearsal immediately before at 4:00 PM. For additional information, stop up to the choir loft or email Andrew Scanlon (music@brightoncatholic.org)

Archbishop Henning Visit to St. Columbkille Parish on September 14.

Archbishop Henning will be visiting our Parish to celebrate Mass at 10 am Mass and 12 pm Mass on September 14. After the Masses he will be staying with us during our Parish Festival which is being celebrated that day. We are honored to have Archbishop Henning with us to celebrate our Parish Festival.

El Arzobispo Richard Henning Visita nuestra Parroquia St. Columbkille el 14 de Septiembre.

El Arzobispo Richard Henning visitará nuestra Parroquia para celebrar la Misa de 10am y a las 12pm el 14 de Septiembre. Después de las Misas, se quedará con nosotros durante el Festival Parroquial que se celebra ese día. Nos honra de tener al Arzobispo Richard Henning con nosotros para celebrar Nuestro Festival Parroquial.



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St. Col's Junior Youth Group Gatherings:

Sunday, August 17th — Domingo 17 de Agosto

Sunday, September 21st — Domingo 21 de Septiembre

Sunday, October 19th — Domingo 19 de Octubre

St. Col's Junior Youth Group



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More Information please contact:
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¡Esperamos verles pronto!

Horario y Información

Bienvenido a la Parroquia San Columbkille

Si usted es nuevo en nuestra parroquia, preséntese a los sacerdotes después de la Misa. Nos encantaría conocerlo y servirle. Para registrarse en nuestra parroquia en línea: visite brightoncatholic.org. Luego, haga clic en "ABOUT" => "Parish Registration"

Misa Diaria

Lunes a Sábado (*inglés*): 7am

Viernes (*español*): 7pm

Misa Dominical

Sábado (vigilia): 4pm,

Domingo: 8am, 10am,

12pm (*español*), 5pm

Horario de Oficina

Lunes 9:00am - 2:00pm

Martes 9:00am - 2:00pm

Miércoles 9:00am - 4:00pm

Jueves 9:00am - 12:30pm

Viernes **Cerrado**

Intención para la Misa en español

Si usted quiere su intención en la Misa de español por favor comuníquese con: Blanca Ocampo al 617-620-5200. La donación sugerida para la iglesia es de \$10 por cada intención.

Puede comunicarse con el Padre

Steven Restrepo marcando su numero de oficina y dejando su mensaje de voz al: 781-779-5011 o por correo electrónico: frsteven@brightoncatholic.org





Adoración Eucarística

En la iglesia de abajo

Los Viernes 6:00-6:45pm

Los Sábados 7:45-8:45am

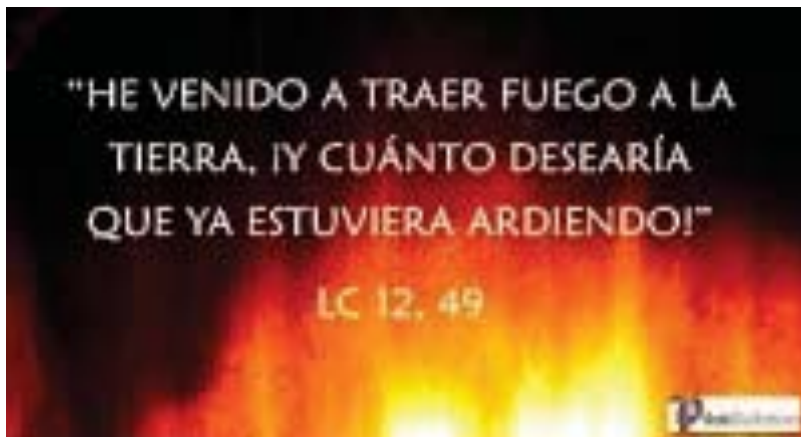
Confesiones (en español)

En la iglesia de abajo

Los Viernes 6:00-6:45pm



Lo que se ha recogido para el sistema de la calefacción y del aire acondicionado de la iglesia es: \$429,213.00



Información (Cont.)

Bautismo (menores de 7 años)

El primer domingo del mes, tenemos la clase de bautismo a las 10:30am en la casa cural. Tienen que asistir esta clase de preparación antes de bautizar a su hijo/a. El segundo domingo del mes después de la misa se hacen los bautismos. Para más información, favor de contactar a **Edvin Juárez** por WhatsApp al 617-416-3262.

Bautismo/Primera Comunión/Confirmación

Los adultos y los niños de 7 años en adelante que quieren recibir los sacramentos o quieren ser recibido en la iglesia católica, por favor de comunicarse con **Roberto Méndez**: josemendez187@yahoo.com

Matrimonio

Las parejas tienen que hablar con el Padre Steven Restrepo por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha anticipada para la boda. También para **Confesión y Unción de los enfermos**

Puede comunicarse con el Padre Steven Restrepo al: 617-782-5774 y **oprima * (asterisco)** para español o frsteven@brightoncatholic.org

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl (SVdP) sirve a personas necesitadas en Brighton/Allston. Si usted necesita ayuda o quiere colaborar con este acto de caridad, por favor, llame a nuestra línea de ayuda: 781-779-4543.

Grupo de Oración de la Renovación Carismática:

El grupo de oración se reúne en la iglesia de abajo.

Miércoles: 6:00pm

Sábados: 5:30pm

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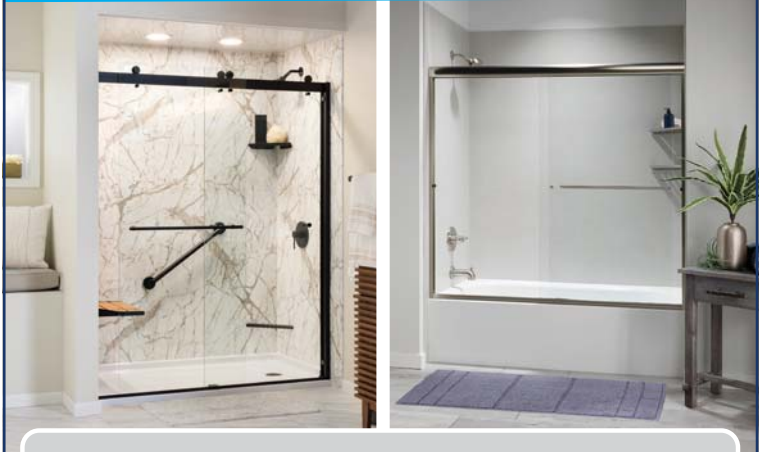
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