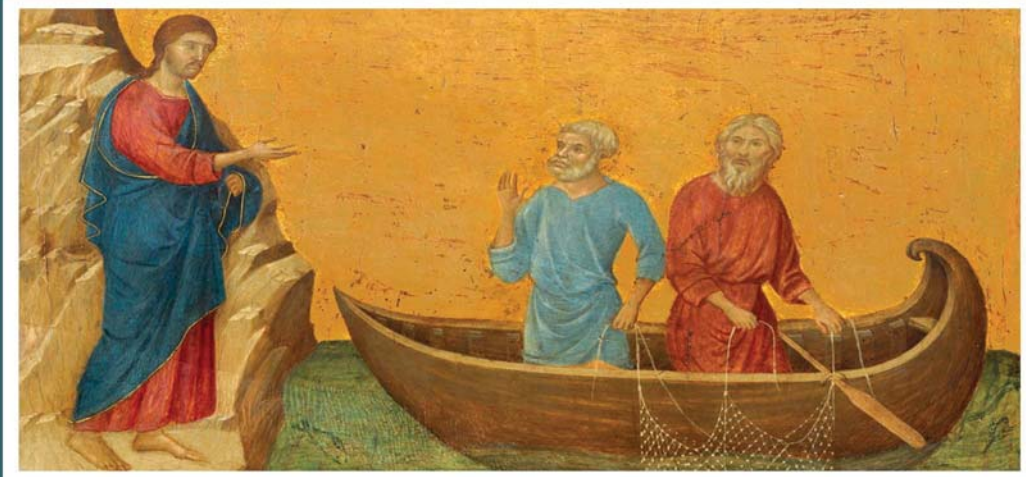


St. Columbkille Parish

January 25, 2026



3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed Him.
Mt 4:19-20

III DOMINGO ORDINARIO

Jesús les dijo: "Sígueme y los haré pescadores de hombres". Ellos inmediatamente dejaron las redes y lo siguieron. Mt 4, 19-20

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. Mr. Daniel Mascarenhas, S.J., Transitional Deacon

Staff

Patricia McShane, Parish Secretary

Andrew Scanlon, Coordinator of Liturgical Music

Roberto Mendez, Director of Faith Formation

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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 1/18/2026
Offertory: \$5,389
Online Offertory: \$770
(Amount needed to meet expenses: \$7,000.00)

Grand Annual: \$1,000
Online GA: \$0

Jan. Monthly Maintenance (to date): \$3,091

SVDP: \$120
SVDP On Line: \$10

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Second Collections
Jan. 24/25 Latin America
Feb. 1 Winter Expenses

Mass Intentions

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| Sat, 1/24 | 4pm David Van Boxlaere, Mem. |
| Sun, 1/25 | 8am Edith A. Mantilla, 5th Ann. |
| | 10am <i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – Special Intention for Mike & Nancy; Helen “Honey” McLaughlin, 20 th Ann., David LaMachia, 17 th Ann. & Thomas LaMachia, 5 th Ann. |
| | 12pm <i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – |
| | 5pm <i>Missa pro Populo</i> |
| Mon, 1/26 | 7am Timothy & Mary McCarthy, Mem. |
| Tue, 1/27 | 7am Special Intention for Bobby |
| Wed, 1/28 | 7am Souls in Purgatory |
| Thurs, 1/29 | 7am Special Intention for Michael |
| Fri, 1/30 | 7am Eileen Kennedy Ziomek, 2nd Ann. |
| | 7pm |
| Sat, 1/31 | 7am Mary Theresa Honan, 1st Ann. |
| | 4pm The McShane & Hennessey Families, Mem. |
| Sun, 2/1 | 8am Francis Davin, 10th Ann. & Jeanne DiBiasie, 6th Ann., Mem. |
| | 10am <i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – Sandra Yip, 2 nd Ann.; Winifred (Una) Hopkins, 18 th Ann. |
| | 12pm <i>Pro Multis Intentionibus</i> – |
| | 5pm <i>Missa pro Populo</i> |

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.

New Parish Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00am - 3:00pm; **Office Closed:** Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Holidays.

Donations were made in the month of January for the
 Hosts in loving memory of Francis Davin by His Loving Family
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 Candles in loving memory of Hugh & Agnes McShane & Family by Their Children

Please remember these people in your prayers.

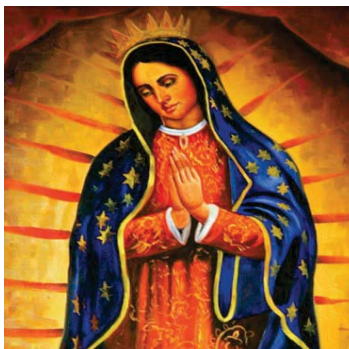
Message from the Pastor... By now, most of you should have received a letter in the mail relative to our Grand Annual Collection which is held each year at this time. For those who are not on our mailing list, copies of the letter are on the racks at the entrance of the church. Offerings for the collection may be put in the collection basket at **any** weekend Mass, mailed to the rectory or dropped off at the rectory office. You may also contribute online at our website www.brightoncatholic.org. The Grand Annual Collection is our largest single source of revenue each year and requires the participation of **all** parishioners. Your prayerful and financial support of this collection is appreciated and needed.

Grand Annual Total: \$89,830 toward a goal of \$100,000.00

St. Vincent de Paul Society meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month in the rectory. The next meeting will be **Tuesday, January 27th at 7:00 pm** in the rectory. New members are always welcome.

Catholic Schools Week begins this Sunday at the 10:00 Mass. We are very proud of the teachers and administrators who have kept St. Columbkille School such a vibrant place of learning. We are also most proud of all the students who have and are passing through the halls of our beloved school. Please keep them all in your prayers as we celebrate the importance of a solid Catholic Education.

Tax Letters are available upon request. Call 617-782-5774 ext. 3 or email office @brightoncatholic.org



PRAYER FOR SOLIDARITY

Merciful and loving God, through the intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe, we ask you to help us grow in unity and solidarity with the faithful around the world, especially those in Latin America and the Caribbean. Grant us the grace to give generously of our time, treasure, and talent to those in need. May we learn from the example of St. Junipero Serra, St. Rose of Lima, St. Oscar Romero, and all the saints from the Americas, and share our faith with humility and love. We ask this through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.

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 souls of Antonio Brienza and 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>

Young Adult Commission Gatherings

Save the Date: February Happenings

First Friday Adoration & Social - February 2nd at 6 PM Come worship Our Lord from 6:00 PM to 6:45 PM in the Lower Church. We'll get something to eat as a group after Adoration!

Super Bowl Sunday at the Assumptionists (330 Market St., Brighton) The Assumptionists Community are generously hosting young adults for a Super Bowl watch party on Sunday, February 8th. Board games & appetizers start at 6 PM and the game starts at 6:30 PM. Feel free to join us for any part of the evening!

**Located across the street from St. Columbkille's on Market St.*

Weekly Bible Study & Social - Sundays at 6 PM

We'll have weekly Bible Study in the rectory after the 5 PM Mass. Join for discussion and fellowship!
If you'd like to lead the discussion, please reach out to Greg or Bridget or email youngadultcommissionst.columb@gmail.com.

Vocational Discernment Retreat with the Daughters of Saint Paul February 12–16, 2026 at our motherhouse in Jamaica Plain for single Catholic women ages 18–30 for more info and to register, go to: connect.pauline.org/vocation-events Retreat includes attending a First Profession Mass, Daily Mass, community prayer, Eucharistic Adoration, talks by the sisters, experiences of Pauline mission, silent retreat time, community recreation, and more!

St. Declan's Way Pilgrimage: This May join the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart as we walk in the footsteps of St Declan. This 5 day pilgrimage starts at the Rock of Cashel, Tipperary and ends at the Round Tower in Ardmore, Waterford, Ireland. Join us as we pray, reflect and form new friendships in Ireland's ancient East. Spiritual Director: Fr Tony Horgan MSC. For more details regarding this fundraising pilgrimage please email mary.morrish@msscmissions.ie

The Second Collection for the weekend of January 31 and February 1 is for Winter Expenses. This collection helps to pay for the heating and plowing for the winter. The heating bill alone can be several thousand a month. Please be as generous as you can be.

The Second Collection January 24/25 is for the Church in Latin America. This fund supports catechetical and lay leadership programs, youth ministry, evangelization programs and formation programs for religious, priests and deacons in Latin America and the Caribbean. Please be as generous as your means will allow.

Project Rachel Post-Abortion Healing Retreats (February 28, April 11, May 16)



Are you – or someone you know – seeking peace after an abortion? The Project Rachel ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women experiencing regret from a past abortion to attend a *Come to the Waters of Healing* one-day retreat. Upcoming dates are Saturday, February 28 (Greater Boston), Saturday, April 11 (Merrimack Valley), and Saturday, May 16 (Boston/South). Locations are confidential. More information is available at projectrachelboston.com/retreats. To register, contact Project Rachel at 508.651.3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com

As a nonprofit partner in the Stop & Shop Bloomin' 4 Good Program, St. Columbkille Parish Society of St. Vincent de Paul will receive a \$1 donation for every specially marked \$11.99 Bloomin' 4 Good bouquet sold during January 2026 at Stop & Shop, 305 Guest Street, Allston MA



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¿Está buscando una escuela para su hijo? Tenemos cupos disponibles y ofrecemos ayuda financiera. Venga a conocer nuestra escuela. Envíe un correo electrónico o llame a Rachel Rumely, nuestra Directora de Admisiones, para programar una visita: rrumely@stcps.org o 617-254-3110 ext 127.
¡Esperamos verles pronto!



St. Col's Junior Youth Group Gatherings:

Every Third Sunday of the Month

Sunday, February 15th — Domingo 15 de Febrero



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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

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| 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: **\$434,073.00. Meta: \$450,000.00**

La Gran Colecta Anual - Cada año ésta es la colecta más grande e importante. Pueden donar por medio del código QR. Hemos recogido **\$89,830.00. Meta: \$100,000.00**

Oración de Comunión Espiritual: Jesús mío, creo que estás realmente presente en el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo ardientemente recibirte en mi alma. Pero, como ahora no puedo recibirte sacramentalmente, por lo menos, ven espiritualmente a mi corazón. Te abrazo como si ya estuvieras allí y me uno completamente a Ti. Nunca permitas que me separe de Ti. Amén.

El domingo 25 de enero, celebramos la fiesta de la Virgen de

Altagracia — “La Virgen de la Altagracia, también conocida como “Tatica, la de Higüey”, es una pintura que muestra a la Virgen María contemplando con dulzura al Niño Jesús, mientras este descansa apaciblemente sobre el pesebre. Alrededor de ellos aparecen, además, otros elementos que contribuyen a contemplar el misterio de Cristo.” <https://www.aciprensa.com/noticias/58600/cada-21-de-enero-es-la-fiesta-de-nuestra-senora-de-la-altagracia-patrona-de-republica-dominicana>

Pregnancy Help (Ayuda Durante el Embarazo) es un ministerio patrocinado por La Oficina Pro Vida de la Arquidiócesis de Boston para ayudar a toda clase de mujer que esté experimentando dificultades inesperadas presentadas durante el embarazo. Todos los servicios son gratuitos y confidenciales.

Teléfono: 617-782-5151.

Texto: 617-903-7960.

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 o Noemy Méndez: 857- 636-8755.**

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: 781-779-5011 o por correo electrónico: 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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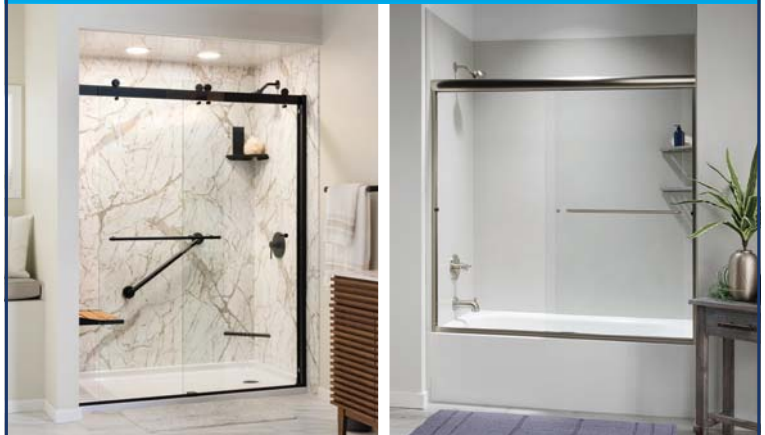
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