

St. Columbkille Parish

April 26, 2026

SUNDAY
OF EASTER

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DOMINGO
DE PASCUA



“I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly.” John 10:10

“Yo he venido para que tengan vida y la tengan en abundancia”. Jn 10, 10

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

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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 4/19/2026

Offertory: \$5,334
Online Offertory: \$1,330
(Amount needed to meet expenses: \$7,000.00)

Clergy Trust (to date): \$12,369

April Monthly Maintenance:
(To Date): \$3,163

SVDP: \$50
SVDP On Line: \$1,105

Thank You for Your Generosity

Second Collections

5/10 Monthly Maintenance

Mass Intentions

- Sat, 4/25** 4pm David Van Boxlaere, Mem.
- Sun, 4/26** 8am Joaquin Gutierrez, 26th Ann.
 10am *Pro Multis Intentionibus* – John & Teresa O'Malley, Mem.; James Humphreys, Ann.; William "Buddy" Frawley, 10th Ann.; Pauline Farrell, 6th Ann.
 12pm *Pro Multis Intentionibus* –
 5pm *Missa pro Populo*
- Mon, 4/27** 7am In Thanksgiving
- Tue, 4/28** 7am Anthony J. Cedrone, Jr., 5th Ann.
- Wed, 4/29** 7am Efrain Fabrey, Mem.
- Thurs, 4/30** 7am
- Fri, 5/1** 7am Special Intention
 7pm
- Sat, 5/2** 7am
 4pm Fortunata Soave, Mem.
- Sun, 5/3** 8am Richard Mahoney, 6th Ann.
 10am *Pro Multis Intentionibus* – William "Buddy" Frawley, 10th Ann.; Antonino Rufo, 3rd Ann. & Vitaliana Rufo, 33rd Ann.
 12pm *Pro Multis Intentionibus* –
 5pm *Missa pro Populo*

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.

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 April for the
 Hosts in loving memory of Sanjeev Selvarajah by His Mom & Dad
 Wine in loving memory of Patrick Walsh by His Wife & Family
 Candles in loving memory of John & Teresa O'Malley by Their 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, April 28th at 7:00 pm** in the rectory. New members are always welcome.



We are pleased to share that our parish has raised \$49,944 which is 106% of our 2026 Catholic Appeal goal (\$49,000). Our heartfelt thanks to all who have helped make our campaign a success. If you have not had the opportunity to support the Catholic Appeal yet, we invite you to make your gift today. Pick up an envelope at the back of the church or make an on-line donation at www.bostoncatholicappeal.org. Your participation in our Catholic Appeal campaign is appreciated by our parish and all those who are served by the ministries funded by the Appeal which support all of our parishes, schools, and communities. On behalf of Archbishop Henning and all who benefit from your generosity, thank you. Remember, a portion of what is collected over the goal comes back to our parish.

Grand Annual Total: \$101,560 surpassing our goal of \$100,000.00. Thank you for your great generosity!



Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary, Weston, MA is offering the latest in its “First Friday Visits” program on May 1st, at 5:00 pm. Holy Hour and Evening Prayer. Option to attend in person or virtually. In person includes dinner with the seminarians and a tour. Virtual includes a Zoom visit following Holy Hour. Make a resolution to be courageous. Consider a priestly call. Contact: Msgr. William P. Fay at 781.899.5500 ext. 134 or at firstfriday@psjs.edu . www.psjs.edu

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), LANCE CPL Thomas Kelly (USMC); SGT John Murphy (USMC); SPC Brian M. Wu (USA); and for the souls of Giovanni Persechini 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.

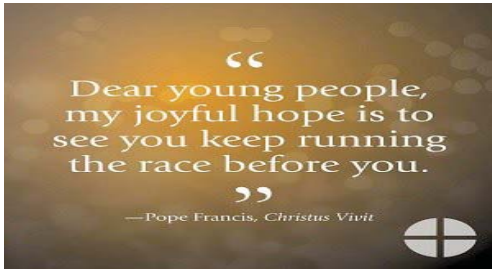
Young Adult Commission

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

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

Second Collection on Sunday, May 10th is for the Monthly Maintenance of the Parish Property. This fund is necessary to pay for the upkeep of the buildings and grounds of the Parish. Like paying for the elevator repairperson to come when someone pushes too many buttons on the elevator.



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Today we recognize the World Day of Prayer for Vocations! Join us in prayer for young people seeking the will of God in their lives!

In Pope Francis's recent Apostolic Exhortation, Christ is Alive!, he writes, "The word 'vocation' can be understood in a broad sense as a calling from God, including the call to life, the call to friendship with him, the call to holiness, and so forth. This is helpful, since it situates our whole life in relation to the God who loves us. It makes us realize that nothing is the result of pure chance but that everything in our lives can become a way of responding to the Lord, who has a wonderful plan for us." (Christus Vivit, no. 248)

Please Help: Lately we have had problems with toilets backing up because people are putting paper towels and diapers down them. **Please Do Not put these articles in the toilets.**

April is Child Protection Month

*Did You Know...*Children of abuse long to hear the message of hope. Throughout scripture there is evidence that we are ALL called to be ambassadors of hope and healing. Victims of crime, their family and loved ones need to know that their voices are heard. Organizations throughout the nation are striving to share the message that He has risen and there is hope. Each of us has a unique ability to support individuals who are hurting, to promote healthy relationships, and to build communities that are safe from those who may want to do harm. How has He called you to be an ambassador of hope and healing?

For particular help you may contact:

The Office of Pastoral Support & Child Protection
Pastoral Center of the Archdiocese of Boston
66 Brooks Drive, Braintree, Massachusetts 02184
Vivian Soper, Director: 617-746-5995
vsoper@rcab.org



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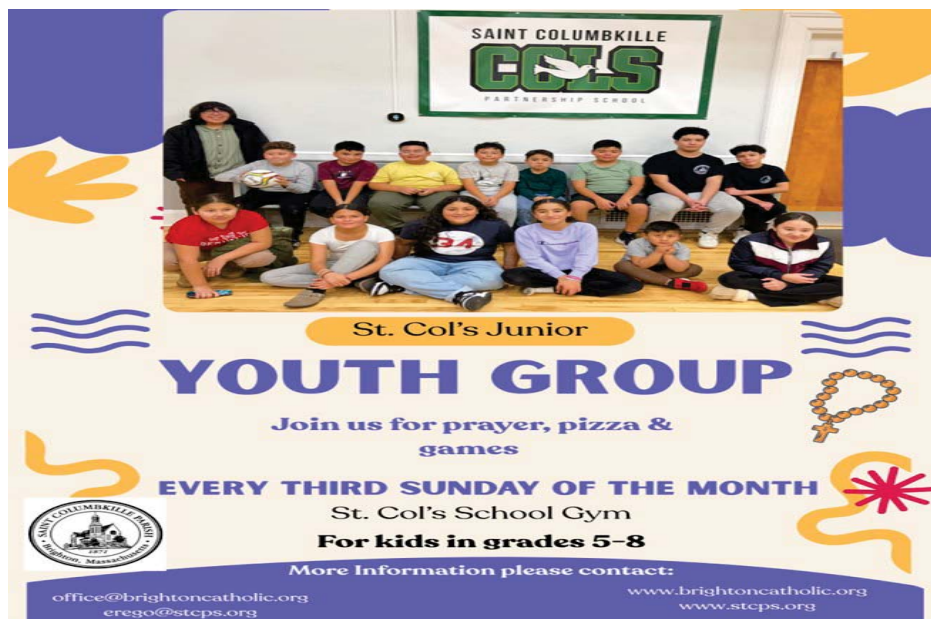


Are you looking for a school for your child? We are now enrolling and we offer financial aid. Email or call Rachel Rumely, our Director of Admissions, for a visit: rrumely@stcps.org or 617-254-3110 ext 127. We hope to see you soon!

¿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, May 17th — Domingo 17 de mayo



Eucharistic Miracles: Beginning on **Thursday, April 23rd at 7:00 PM in the Lower Church**, we will offer a series of six sessions on **Eucharistic Miracles and the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist**. During these sessions we will reflect on Scripture, learn about **Saint Carlo Acutis**, and explore Eucharistic miracles documented in his exhibition. No need to sign up. Just show up. **The sessions end on June 4th (no session on May 14th, Ascension Thursday)**. We will present the pic of miracles and will have confessions. Two days later **Sat Jun 6**) Father Steven will have 12 hour adoration. People can start signing up for over night adoration, here is the link to sign so Jesus is not alone.



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

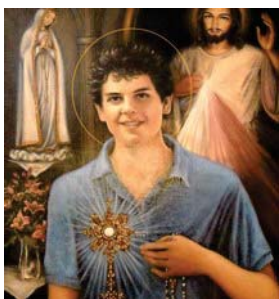


Lo que se ha recogido para el sistema de la calefacción y del aire acondicionado de la iglesia es: \$441,823.00. Meta: \$450,000.00

La Gran Colecta Anual - Cada año ésta es la colecta más grande e importante. Pueden donar por medio del código QR. Hemos recogido

\$101,560.00. 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.



Milagros Eucarísticos: Todos están cordialmente invitados a participar en un programa especial que estaremos ofreciendo aquí en St. Columbkille mientras nos preparamos para **Corpus Christi 2026**. A partir del **jueves 23 de abril a las 7:00 p.m. en la Iglesia de abajo**, tendremos una serie de **seis sesiones sobre los Milagros Eucarísticos y la Presencia Real de Jesús en la Eucaristía**. Durante el

programa reflexionaremos sobre la Sagrada Escritura, conoceremos la vida del **Santo Carlo Acutis**, y aprenderemos sobre los milagros eucarísticos documentados en su exposición. Inviten a sus familiares y amigos. Esta es una hermosa oportunidad para profundizar en nuestra fe. Para mas información, contactar a Yariela Brandao a su correo electrónico: ybrands.ehome@gmail.com. **¡Te esperamos!**

La segunda colecta de domingo 10 de Mayo se destina al mantenimiento mensual de las propiedades parroquiales. Este fondo es indispensable para cubrir los gastos de conservación de los edificios y terrenos de la parroquia; por ejemplo, para pagar al fontanero cuando los inodoros se desbordan.

Por favor, ayuden: Últimamente hemos tenido problemas con el atasco de los inodoros debido a que algunas personas arrojan toallas de papel y pañales en ellos. Por favor, no depositen estos artículos en los inodoros.

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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