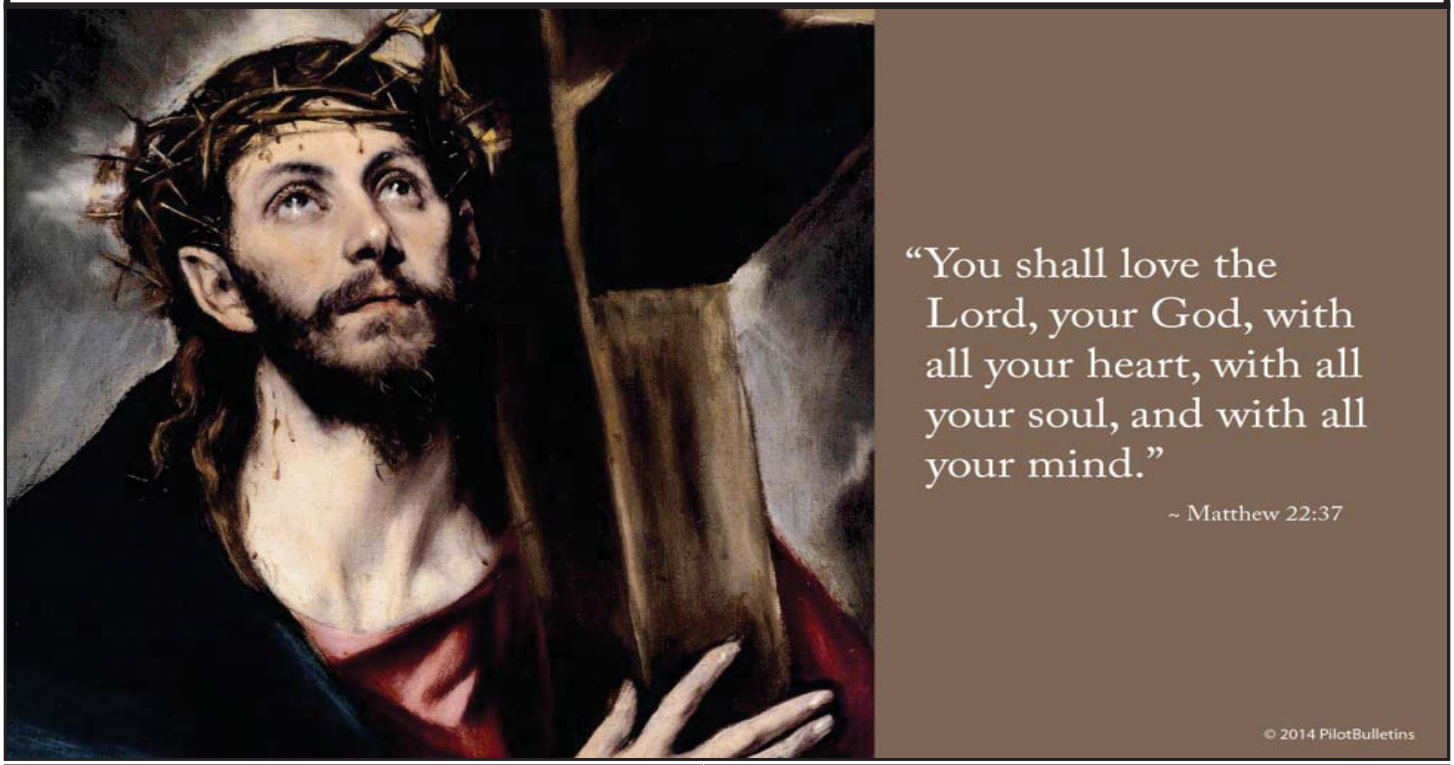
St. Columbkille Parish
October 25, 2026



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

Staff

Patricia McShane, Parish Secretary
Andrew Scanlon, Coordinator of Liturgical Music
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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
10/18/2026

Offertory: $6,019
Online Offertory: $1,655
(Amount needed to meet expenses: $7,000.00)

World Missions: $2,043

Clergy Benefits (to date): $5,163

Oct. Monthly Maintenance: (To Date): $4,224

SVDP: $70
SVDP On Line: $55

Thank You for Your Generosity

Second Collections

11/7-8 Monthly Maintenance

Mass Intentions

Sat, 10/24	4pm	David Van Boxlaere, Mem.
Sun, 10/25	8am	Antonio & Arcangela Soave, Mem.
	10am	*Pro Multis Intentionibus* – Sarah, Allan, Armand, Carl, Dennis, David, Al & Mary DiCicco, Mem.
	12pm	*Pro Multis Intentionibus* – Jesus Salazar, 7th Ann.
	5pm	*Missa pro Populo*
Mon, 10/26	7am	Christine Marie McShane Cornell, Mem.
Tue, 10/27	7am	Souls in Purgatory
Wed, 10/28	7am	Special Intention in Honor of Sr. Marian Batho's Golden Jubilee
Thurs, 10/29	7am	Special Intention– Michelle
Fri, 10/30	7am	
	7pm	
Sat, 10/31	7am	Pearl & Jimmy Kenny, Ann.
	4pm	Joseph & Josephine Zambello, Mem.
Sun, 11/1	8am	James Davin, 14th Ann.
	10am	*Pro Multis Intentionibus* – James "Jim" Tobin, Month's Mind
	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 October for the
Hosts & Wine in loving memory of James Davin by his Loving Family
Candles in loving memory of Sanjeev Selvarajah by his Mom & Dad

Please remember these people in your prayers.
If you would like to have your loved one remembered by making a donation toward the Hosts, Wine or Candles please call the rectory.

St. Vincent de Paul Society meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month in the rectory. The next meeting will be **Tuesday, October 27th at 7:00 pm** in the rectory. New members are always welcome**. Thank you to all who supported us in our Friends of the Poor Walk. We raised $2,205.00 through your generous donations.**

Message from the Pastor… By the end of this week, most of you will receive 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 will be on the racks at the entrance of the church starting next week. 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. 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.

Project Rachel Post-Abortion Healing Retreat (November 14)

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 fall retreat is Saturday, November 14. Locations are confidential. More information is available at projectrachelboston.com/retreats. To register, contact *Project Rachel* at help@projectrachelboston.com or 508.651.3100.

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), 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); LT COL Darby Owen Mee (USMC); and for the souls of Jacqueline "Jackie" Sullivan, James Christie, William "Billy" Tullos 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 email youngadultcommissionst.columb@gmail.com

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Registration for Religious Education (Grades 1-7) and Confirmation (Grades 8-12) Registration will be in the school before class.

All children who are enrolled in Public School in Grades 1-7 need to come to Religious Education. It is the parents' responsibility to make sure their children are raised in the knowledge of the Faith.
Classes are held on Sunday mornings after the 10:00 Mass, from 11:00 until 11:50 in the school.

The Sacrament of Confirmation is now celebrated with students in the 8th Grade and up. Classes are in the school from 6:15 - 7:45 PM. Confirmation is the final Sacrament of Initiation into the Church. Make sure your children are fully Catholic and have the Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit to prepare them for the difficulties in life.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) is offered here at St. Columbkille on Sunday morning at 8:45 in the rectory. If you have ever considered becoming a Catholic come and find out more. If you are a baptized Catholic but have not received First Holy Communion or Confirmation you can come and learn and prepare to be fully Catholic.

Registration for these classes can be done online at the Parish website www.brightoncatholic.org then hit Formation and follow the instructions. Payments can also be made on the website.

Daughters of St. Paul-Vocation Event

Prayer and Dinner with the Sisters

Join us for prayer, a meal, and a time of community fun and recreation!

1. Sunday, Oct 25: 11:00am Mass, lunch, and outdoor walk
2. Sunday, Nov 22: 5:00pm evening prayer, supper, and card-making

Where: Daughters of St Paul convent, 50 Saint Pauls Ave, Boston, MA 02130

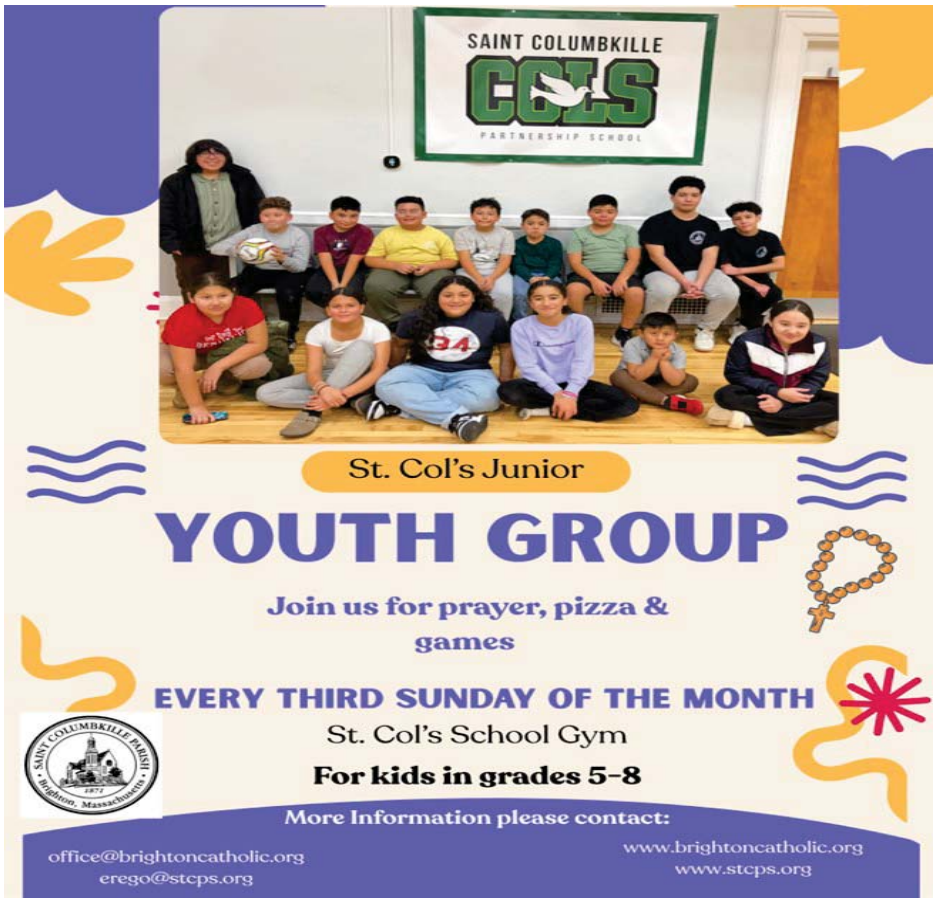
Who: Single Catholic women ages 18–35

RSVP Sr Maria Grace vocationsnewengland@paulinemedia.com

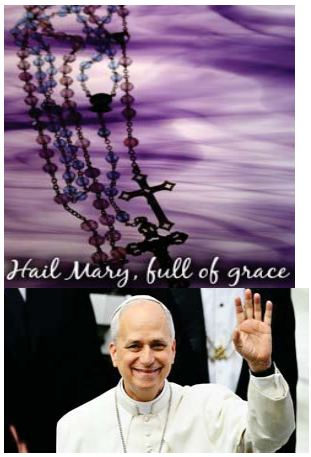
Prayer for Forgotten Souls

O merciful God,
take pity on those souls
who have no particular
friends and intercessors
to recommend them to Thee,
who, either through the negligence
of those who are alive,
or through length of time are forgotten
by their friends and by all.
Spare them, O Lord,
and remember Thine own mercy,
when others forget to appeal to it.
Let not the souls which Thou hast created
be parted from thee, their Creator. Amen.

St. Col's Junior Youth Group Gatherings:
Every Third Sunday of the Month
Sunday, November 15th — Domingo 15 de noviembre



Mensaje del párroco… Para finales de esta semana, la mayoría de ustedes recibirá una carta por correo referente a nuestra Gran Colecta Anual, que se lleva a cabo todos los años por estas fechas. Para aquellos que no figuran en nuestra lista de correo, habrá copias de la carta disponibles en los expositores de la entrada de la iglesia a partir de la próxima semana. Las donaciones para esta colecta pueden depositarse en el cestillo durante cualquier misa de fin de semana, enviarse por correo a la casa parroquial o entregarse directamente en la oficina parroquial. La Gran Colecta Anual es nuestra principal fuente de ingresos anual y requiere la participación de todos los feligreses. Agradecemos y necesitamos su apoyo, tanto en oración como económico, para esta colecta.



Pray the Rosary for Pope Leo In October
Recen el Rosario por la Papa Leo.

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: **$443,378.00. Meta: $450,000.00**

Religious Education

Las inscripciones para las clases de Educación Religiosa (grados 1.º a 7.º) y de Confirmación (grados 8.º a 12.º) se llevarán a cabo en la escuela, después de la misa de la 10:00 a. m.

Todos los niños que asisten a escuelas públicas y cursan entre el 1.er y el 7.º grado deben asistir a las clases de Educación Religiosa. Es responsabilidad de los padres asegurarse de que sus hijos crezcan en el conocimiento de la fe.

Las clases se impartirán en la escuela los domingos por la mañana 10:00 a. m. y hasta las 11:50 a. m.

El sacramento de la Confirmación se administra ahora a estudiantes de 8.º grado en adelante. Las clases se llevan a cabo en la escuela 6:15-7:45 p. m.

La Confirmación es el último sacramento de iniciación a la Iglesia. Asegúrese de que sus hijos vivan plenamente su fe católica y reciban los dones y frutos del Espíritu Santo para prepararlos ante las dificultades de la vida.

Santos Simón y Judas

DÍA DE FIESTA — 28 DE OCTUBRE

Nombrados entre los Doce Apóstoles en el Nuevo Testamento, Simón es "el cananeo" para Mateo y Marcos y "el zelote" para Lucas; Judas es "Tadeo" para Mateo y Marcos, "Judas de Santiago" para Lucas y "Judas, no el Iscariote" para Juan. Después de Pentecostés, ellos desaparecieron. Sin embargo, según cuenta la tradición oriental, Simón falleció pacíficamente en Edesa, mientras que la tradición occidental cuenta que él evangelizaba en Egipto y que luego se unió a Judas—quien había estado en Mesopotamia—para ir juntos en una misión a Persia en donde ambos fueron martirizados en un mismo día. Simón es el santo patrón de los curtidores y de los leñadores; Judas es el patrón de las causas desesperadas posiblemente porque los primeros cristianos le rezaban, con un nombre que evocaba a Judas Iscariote, solo cuando todo lo demás fallaba.

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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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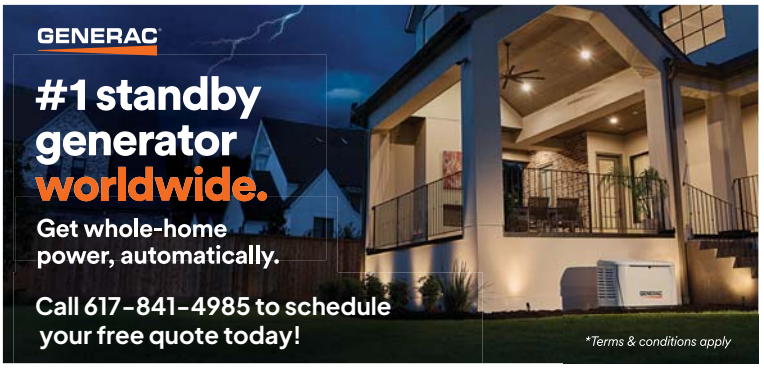

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