Saints Aedan and Brendan Parish
112 Fountain Street, New Haven, CT 06515

September 11, 2022

**WEEKEND MASSES**
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

**DAILY MASSES**
Monday - Thursday  7:30 a.m.

**CONFESSION**
Saturday 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

**MARRIAGES AND BAPTISMS**
Please contact the parish priest.

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**
Mon, Tues, Thurs., Friday 8:00 am - Noon
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**PARISH STAFF**
Rev. Robert Morgewicz, Pastor
Margie Mongillo
Parish Office Administrator
James Morcaldi
Director of Music

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**SAINTS AEDAN AND BRENDAN PRESCHOOL**
351 McKinley Avenue
Phone: 203-387-0041

Dr. James Acabbo,
Director of Readiness Program

Open For Children
Age Three and Four
MASS INTENTIONS

Welcome to Saints Aedan & Brendan Parish

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration forms have been mailed out to all students from last year. If you were not enrolled in the program last year, registration forms can be picked up at the doors of the Church.

Registration deadline is Sunday, September 18, 2022, and first class is on Tuesday, September 27, 2022. Class dates are attached to the registration applications.

It is important to remember that weekly Mass attendance is a requirement for participation in the Religious Education Program.

Adult parishioners are welcome to volunteer to help instruct on the faith. Please see Fr. Morgewicz for more information.

Eucharistic Adoration:

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for adoration on Wednesday mornings whenever morning Mass is celebrated.

Exposition will begin immediately after the 7:30 Mass and conclude at 9:00 a.m.

Weekly Financial Summary:

8/29/22 — 9/4/22

Financial Information Not Available Due to the Early Printing of This Bulletin

Next week’s Second Collection is for the HOPES Collection (Helping Our Parish Elementary Schools)

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY KEEPSAKES FOR SALE

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The Prayer of Pope Benedict XVI when he visited the United States and made a special visit to "Ground Zero." The words of that beautiful prayer are as stirring today as they were on April 20, 2008.

In memory of all those who died, those who still suffer, those who still grieve their loss and for a Nation which today reflects on the event and what it means for the future, we offer the Pope’s Prayer:

O God of love, compassion, and healing, look on us, people of many different faiths and traditions, who gather today at this site, the scene of incredible violence and pain.

We ask you in your goodness to give eternal light and peace to all who died here-- the heroic first responders: our fire fighters, police officers, emergency service workers, and Port Authority personnel, along with all the innocent men and women who were victims of this tragedy simply because their work or service brought them here on September 11, 2001.

We ask you, in your compassion to bring healing to those who, because of their presence here that day, suffer from injuries and illness. Heal, too, the pain of still-grieving families and all who lost loved ones in this tragedy.

Give them strength to continue their lives with courage and hope. We are mindful as well of those who suffered death, injury, and loss on the same day at the Pentagon and in Shanksville, Pennsylvania. Our hearts are one with theirs as our prayer embraces their pain and suffering.

God of peace, bring your peace to our violent world: peace in the hearts of all men and women and peace among the nations of the earth. Turn to your way of love those whose hearts and minds are consumed with hatred.

God of understanding, overwhelmed by the magnitude of this tragedy, we seek your light and guidance as we confront such terrible events. Grant that those whose lives were spared may live so that the lives lost here may not have been lost in vain.

Comfort and console us, strengthen us in hope, and give us the wisdom and courage to work tirelessly for a world where true peace and love reign among nations and in the hearts of all.

Pope Benedict XI–Prayer at Ground Zero
New York, 20 April 2008

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT WEEKENDS FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION
If you are suffering from an abortion, experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat weekend October 21 - 23, 2022 in Farmington, CT. The weekend healing process includes discussions, Living Scriptures with meditations, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, a Memorial Service and Mass of Entrustment. Participation is totally confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God’s love, forgiveness and compassion. Both women and men have participated in past retreats and have ranged in age from teens to mid-eighties. The fee for the weekend is $175.00 for meals, private room and all retreat materials. Scholarships are available for financial assistance. For more information contact Marie at 203-631-9030, email her at mlaffin@prolifeministry.org, or visit our website at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

2022 Marriage Anniversary Celebration:
On Sunday, October 16, 2022, at 2:00 PM, the annual Archdiocesan Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph in Hartford for married couples who are observing 25th, 50th, 60th, and other special wedding anniversaries in 2022.

The liturgy will include a renewal of Marriage vows followed by an opportunity for couples to have a photograph taken with Archbishop Blair. Registration, both for couples who would like to participate in the event and for priests who would like to concelebrate, will be done online at archdioceseofhartford.org/mariagemass. Couples are asked to register themselves for the event or contact the Rectory office.

2022 HOPES Collection: Help Our Parish Elementary Schools
The HOPES Collection benefits the Catholic elementary schools of our Archdiocese by providing them with individual HOPES Grants. Last year these grants funded technology upgrades, safety and security measures, robotics, athletics, the marketing of Catholic schools and much more.

Please help us in providing a culture of faith and academic excellence for our elementary school students by giving to the 2022 HOPES Collection on the weekend of September 24-25, 2022.