

TOP 5 BRUNCH SPOTS IN BROOKLYN, NY



...for the classic American breakfast at lunch time...

Spending any amount of time in NYC will let you in on a New Yorker's open-air secret: a long and boozy brunch is an essential part of any weekend. Hop over to Brooklyn and its reputation for delicious eateries and ingredients, and you'll happily while away the Saturday afternoon slugging back Bloody Marys and digging into french toast, pancakes and more.

by Concierge99.com

1 BUTTERMILK CHANNEL

This Carroll Gardens eatery with comfort food selections is a great stop on your tour of Brooklyn restaurants. So many dishes to try but see if you can fit in: syrupy pancakes, their raved-about pecan French toast or as many scones (biscuits for you Americans) and jam as you can manage. For the more savoury taste, the short-rib hash, eggs done how you like 'em and grilled cheese. It's a busy spot so make sure to leave your afternoon free for all the waiting and subsequent eating.

2 COLONIE

For a seasonal menu filled with locally-sourced ingredients and fresh, well-prepared dishes, Colonie is a firm Brooklyn Heights' neighbourhood favourite. We recommend coming hungry and trying the popular duck hash for main. For dessert, get your group to leave a bit of room for the doughnut assortment, or try the bread pudding for yourself with crème fraîche ice cream. Settle in and enjoy the warm atmosphere, cool décor and friendly staff.



3 COURT STREET GROCERS

Carroll Gardens has another spot on offer in the beloved Court Street Grocers (told ya CG was great for restaurants and eateries). Here you'll get your fill of amazing sandwiches made a variety of ways to achieve taste sensation perfection. Don't miss the Monte Cristo sandwich actually made with French toast, or the Balthazar ciabatta loaded with scrambled eggs, cheddar cheese and arugula for a bit of a kick. If you find yourself low on time, stop by for takeaway sandwiches and bagels and enjoy!



4 FIVE LEAVES

Ricotta pancakes, pumpkin butter, grass fed burgers (well, the cows are grass fed anyway) and brûléed grapefruit paired with outdoor seating and you've got yourself a creatively tasty and airy brunch spot. Breakfast is served all week long so take advantage of your free and easy holiday status and pop in here during the week to avoid the weekend crowds. The service isn't going to be the best as per previous reviews but the food really is worth the wait and the occasional rude waiter :/



5 DIZZY'S

We had to include an American staple in this list for you visitors. For Dizzy's, take your standard greasy spoon diner and add a classy twist on the old originals: seven variations of eggs Benedict (for example, one with chorizo and ancho-lime hollandaise sauce, yum!), kale+sweet potato mash and mini muffins free of charge to stave off the hunger while you wait.

