

# St. Patrick's Church

Collinsville, Connecticut

Dedicated 1852

*"It is here that through the strength of Heaven, we teach the Word, Jesus Christ, the Tradition of His Church and celebrate His Divine Mercy."*



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Serving the communities of Avon, Burlington, Canton, Collinsville and St. Thérèse, Lilavois, Haiti

## Parish Ministries

### **Altar Server Ministry**

Mr. Rob Dupre: (860) 299-3335

### **Choir Director**

Mr. Chris Casey: (860) 904-8138

### **Facilities Committee**

Call Rectory: (860) 693-8727

### **Haitian Ministry**

Mrs. Sharon Fuller: ((860) 916-7610

### **Human Needs Ministry**

Mrs. Terry St. Gelais: (860) 916-6163

### **Lectio Divina**

Mr. Rich Stoops: (860) 693-1913

### **Youth Ministry Program**

Chloe Ferraro

ym@spcolct.org

### **Liturgy Committee**

Call Rectory: (860) 693-8727

### **Men's Fraternity**

Mr. Rich Stoops: (860) 693-1913

### **Men's Retreat**

Mr. Moe Poirier: (860) 693-4692

### **Parish Council President**

Mr. Rob Dupre: (860) 299-3335

### **Imago Dei (Pro-Life) Ministry**

Mrs. Carline Thurston: (860) 693-4231

### **Rosary at Cherry Brook**

Mrs. Carline Thurston: (860) 693-4231

### **Social/Hospitality Ministry**

CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

### **SPYRIT 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Youth**

#### **Group**

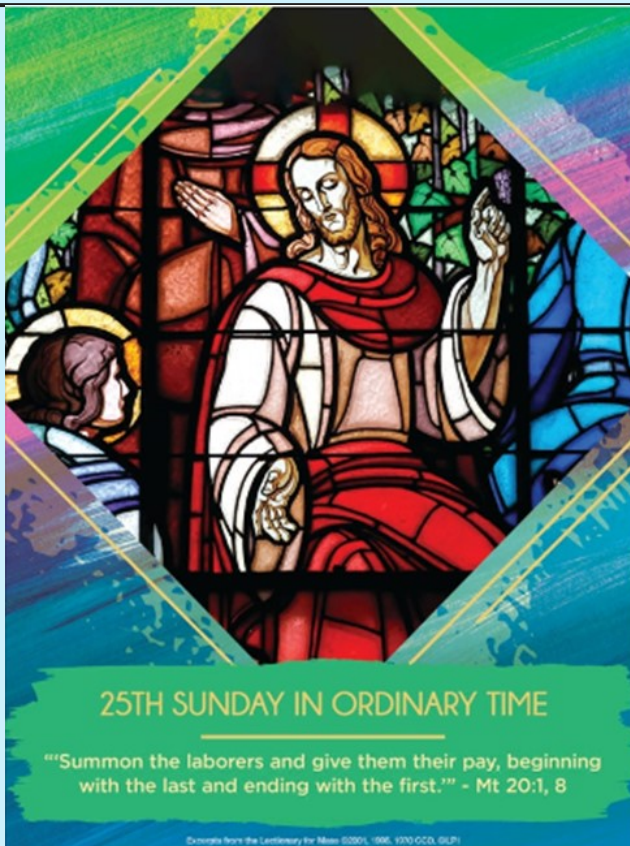
CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

### **Usher/Greeter Ministry**

Mr. Mike Sinacori: (860) 202-9802

### **Women of St. Patrick's**

860-693-8727



### **St Patrick's Cemeteries**

Our parish has two active cemeteries Calvary Cemetery in Collinsville and St Patrick's in Burlington . Call the Office for more details.

### **Handicapped Access**

Please enter through the rear entrance of the Church

### **Allergies**

Parishioners suffering from gluten should speak to the Pastor about their needs. We have low gluten options available.

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### **Chloe Ferraro**

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### **Chris Casey**

*Music Director*

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### **Rectory Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday

10:00am - 4:00pm

**Closed Friday**

### **Ordinary Mass Schedule**

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 8:00am & 10:00am

Mon, Tues, Wed 8:00am

### **Holy Day Mass Schedule**

Please see bulletin for times.

### **Holy Hour & Adoration**

Wednesday 7:00 - 8:00pm

### **Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30pm

### **Ministry to the Homebound**

If you wish to receive communion, please call the Rectory.

### **Baptism**

Please call the Rectory

### **Marriage**

Please make arrangements at least six months in advance.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH



**Saturday, September 23**  
 5:00 pm Mary Piendak as requested by the Collins Family  
**Sunday September 24**  
 8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's  
 10:00 am Zana Tauro as requested by a Friend  
**Monday, September 25**  
 8:00 am Agnes Fee as requested the Lamberty Family  
**Tuesday, September 26**  
 8:00 am Private Intention as requested by Irene Muhs  
**Wednesday September 27**  
 8:00 am Private Intention as requested by Irene Muhs  
**Thursday, September 28**  
 8:00 am No Mass  
**Friday, September 29**  
 800 am No Mass  
**Saturday, September 30**  
 5:00 pm Parishioners of St Patrick's  
**Sunday October 1**  
 8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's  
 10:00 am Tony Trouen—Trend as requested by a Friend

**Faith Formation Calendar**

<b>Sept 24</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> grades	In Person @8:55-9:55 am
<b>Sept 30</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> grade	Virtual @8 am
<b>Oct 1</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> grades	In Person @8:55-9:55 am
	YOUTH MASS	10 am
	Confirmation Kick-off	In Person @11 am
<b>Oct 2</b>	5 <sup>th</sup> grade First Holy Communion	In Person @6 pm

**October 7-9 COLUMBUS DAY WEEKEND—NO CLASSES**

*\*Class dates/times are subject to change.*



**OCTOBER YOUTH MASS**

Families—Please plan on joining us for our monthly “Youth Mass” being held on Sunday , **October 1st , at 10 am** . All young parishioners are invited to attend with their families. Children and young adults are welcome to sing during the mass. If you would like to sing, please arrive at 9:15 am to rehearse in the music loft.

**Parish Support**

**Week of 9/14/23 to 9/20/23**

Weekly Collections (Envelopes & Cash):	\$ 2,432.00
Weekly Collection (Online Giving):	\$ 1,251.00
<b>Weekly Collections Total (Env./Cash/Online):</b>	<b>\$3,683.00</b>
<b>Facilities</b>	\$ 65.00

**Monthly-N/A**

Monthly Collection (Envelopes & Cash)	\$ 0.00
Monthly Collection (Online Giving)	\$ 0.00
<b>Monthly Collection Total</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
<b>Grand Total:</b>	<b>\$ 3,748.00</b>

*Thank you for your generosity and continued support of our St Patrick's Family*

@ ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH in Collinsville SEPT 24th 6.30-8.30PM s'mores, apple cider & games

**LEGACY BONFIRE**



RSVP BY SEPT 20TH  
 YOUTH GROUP FOR TEENS. GRADES 9-12 BRING YOUR FRIENDS!  
 TEXT CHLOE @ 860.990.4691 OR EMAIL ymespcolct.org legacyyouthspc



*In Loving Memory  
 "Maureen Wallison "*

*May her soul rest in peace. May God grant comfort and consolation to her family and friends*



**Welcome New Parishioner!**

Please join us in welcoming the following newly registered parishioners to St Patrick's Parish  
**Karen Cianci & Family**



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

*Please join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm for Eucharistic Adoration.*



**ST PATRICK PARISH GINGERBREAD FAIR**  
**20th ANNIVERSARY!!!**  
**December 2 & 3 , 2023**

Please plan on taking part in this annual St Patrick's Parish social and fundraising event! Parishioners of all ages are invited to participate in supporting the 20th annual Gingerbread Fair sponsored by the Women of St Patrick.

Please share your time, talents and treasures to help make this year's Gingerbread Fair a success.

The WSP are looking for handcrafted gift items and themed gift baskets to be sold at the fair. Making a handcrafted gift item and/ or creating a themed gift basket can be a fun family activity. It may become an annual family tradition! This is a great way to teach our children how to be an active part of the parish by donating the items or volunteering and giving back to the parish and community!

Take some time to go through your favorite recipes or go online for ideas for holiday baked goods and treats to make for our always popular Bakery Table! Perhaps consider volunteering some time to help at the fair. Proceeds from the fair are donated right back to our St Patrick Parish community!

***Thank You for your continuous support !!***



**RCIA PROGRAM TO BEGIN!**

The RCIA Program (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) will begin in October for any adults who are interested in becoming Catholic.

This interesting and exciting program will instruct candidates in the foundations of the Catholic faith and prepare them to enter the Church at the Easter Vigil, when they will receive the sacraments of Initiation

(Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation). Meetings are typically held biweekly for 90 minutes and explore many aspects of the faith in an interactive format.

If you have been considering conversion to the Catholic faith, or if you know someone who has an interest, or if you would just like to talk about the process, please contact Deacon Ken Bangs at 860-881-7785 or at dcn.bangs@aohct.org, or call the Rectory at 860-693-8727 to leave your contact information. We look forward to speaking with you!



**Thank You from WSP**

Thank you to all who purchased mums at our annual sale.

Again the weather cooperated & we had a beautiful , breezy day. The net profit was \$330.50



We'd especially liked to thank Lori Kluessendorf and her team. God Bless You & Keep You Safe



**Sparkle for Hope: An Evening of Fun and Connection!**

At **Evening Sky Brewing Company**, 280 Spielman Highway, Burlington , Connecticut on Wednesday, September 27, at 5:30 pm to benefit Divine Hope Mission .

There will be silent auctions and opportunity to enjoy delicious appetizers from local restaurants and to taste craft beer and wine from breweries and vendors in the area.

\$30/Person or \$50/Couple- kindly reply by September 17, 2023.

To purchase tickets or to become a sponsor scan the QR code or visit [divinehopemission.com](http://divinehopemission.com). To pay by check, mail your checks to Divine Hope Mission , 50 Church St, Collinsville, CT 06019



***Thank you*** to all that organized both the St Patrick's Parish and the Divine Hope Mission booths at this year's Burlington Tavern Days!

And thank you to all that volunteered to 'man' the booths during the day. It was a fun day!!

**Blessing of the Animals**  
**At St Patrick's Church**  
**Saturday, October 7, 2023 at 10:00 am**



**Parish Lawn**

In celebration of St Francis of Assisi, patron saint of animals. We invite you to attend this special blessing of our precious pets and all animals. Let us celebrate the bond of creation together!

Have you recently lost a pet? Write the name of your pet on a piece of paper and put it in the designated basket.

Please have your pet on a leash or in a carrier for their safety during the blessing!

This is a beautiful way to recognize the animals that give us unconditional love!!



September 28

Bell Choir Rehearsal, Church, 7:00 pm



### We Want to Hear From You!

The Parish Council invites you to share your questions and/or suggestions via an online form to improve communication as a parish and better serve the needs and wants of our

people. The form can be completed Anonymously or you can choose to include your contact information. The link will be regularly posted in our Bulletin and on our website along with a QR code you can scan using your phone's camera and following the link. The council will review and address the questions at our beginning of the month meetings and any notes to be addressed will be published in the Bulletin. We look forward to hearing your input!

LINK:

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### Have You Noticed?

We've started our Cemetery Beautification Program. Work has begun to clean up our cemetery **Upper Calvary**- the perennials garden was refreshed with new plantings and freshly added mulch.

**Calvary Field**—the walkway was boxed out with process gravel, fallen trees were removed, The cement container was removed and flat stone was installed beneath the water hydrant.

**Lower Calvary**- Fallen bark was removed and the stump was cleared of weeds and barks.

We would like to thank Dick Case and his team for their help in accomplishing these tasks and others that are to be done.

**Watch for more results in the near future !**

### Open House at Trinita

Trinita is celebrating 100 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford. Please drop in to meet some of the Sisters who have served at Trinita.. Enjoy some historical displays, make some s'mores at the campfire. Children welcomed!!

**Date:** October 8th

**Time:** 2:00pm—5:00 pm

**Place** Trinita Retreat Center, 595 Town Hill Rd, New Hartford, CT.