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Parish Ministries

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Mr. Peter Hollenbeck: (860) 693-8499

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Mr. Chris Casey: (860) 904-8138

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Mr. Mike Archangelo: (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: (203) 910-5588

Youth Ministry Program

Coordinator Needed

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

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CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

SPYRIT 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Youth

Group

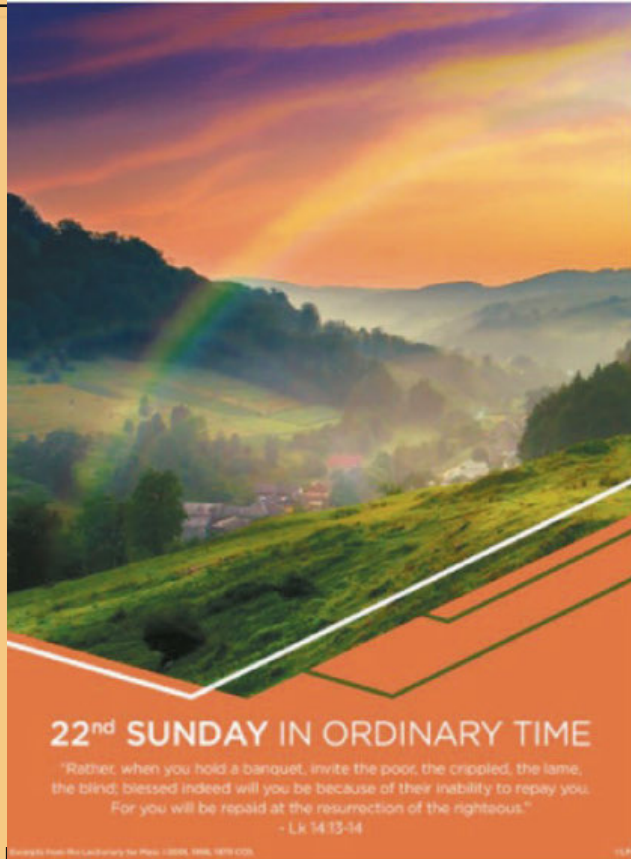
CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

Usher/Greeter Ministry

Mr. Mike Sinacori: (860) 202-9802

Women of St. Patrick's

860-693-8727



22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."
- Lk 14:13-14

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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Coordinator Needed

Youth Ministry &

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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

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, August 30

5:00 pm David Burghardt as requested by Brenda & Larry Sullivan

Sunday, August 31

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick

10:00 am Paul A. Muhs as requested by the Bangs Family

Monday, September 1

8:00 am No mass—Labor Day

Tuesday, September 2

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick

Wednesday September 3

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick

Thursday, September 4

8:00 am No Mass

Friday, September 5

8:00 am No Mass

Saturday, September 6

5:00 pm Parishioners of St Patrick

Sunday, September 7

8:00 am Mr. & Mrs. Edward Kozlak & Son John as requested by the Kozlak Family

10:00 am Mary Beaudoin as requested by her Family

Faith Formation News

FAITH FORMATION KICK-OFF SCHEDULE 2025

GENERAL FAITH FORMATION
MEETING FOR FAMILIES & DONUTS
Sunday, September 14 @ 9 am

MASS FOR ALL FAMILIES
BLESSING OF STUDENTS & CATECHISTS
Sunday, September 14 @ 10 am

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
MEETING FOR FAMILIES & DONUTS
Sunday, September 14 @ 11:15 am

CONFIRMATION Y1 & Y2
MEETING FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS
Date and Time TBD



Mass Intentions Available

You may honor a deceased loved one, or someone you know who needs healing with a Mass intention! The suggested donation is \$20 for a weekend Mass or \$10 for a weekday Mass. Please contact the Parish Office.

Parish Support

Week of 8/20/25 to 8/27/25

Weekly Collections (Envelopes & Cash): \$ 2,141.00

Weekly Collection (Online Giving): \$ 1,095.00

Weekly Collections Total (Env./Cash/Online): **\$ 3,236.00**

Facilities \$ 10.00

Monthly -N/A

Monthly Collection (Envelopes & Cash) \$ 0.00

Monthly Collection (Online Giving) \$ 0.00

Monthly Collection Total \$ **0.00**

Grand Total: \$ **3,246.00**

Thank you for your generous and continued support of our St Patrick's family!

BOUNCE HOUSE **CORN HOLE**

ST. PATRICK'S ANNUAL

Parish Picnic

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS FUN & FREE EVENT!

Sunday, Sept. 28
Following the 10:00 Mass

BRING YOUR FAVORITE SIDE DISH OR DESSERT & ENJOY GREAT COMPANY!
ENJOYMENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Provided Food Items include:
hamburgers, hot dogs, veggie burgers, BBQ chicken, freshly popped popcorn & an ice cream sundae bar!

MINISTRY FAIR **WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!**



Congratulations

Emma Charron & Raymond Leto

On receiving the Sacrament of Marriage on
Saturday, August 23, 2025 here at St Patrick Church

May the Lord's blessing and goodness be upon them





Help Raise the Roof

The walls are up! It's now time to raise the roof on the health center. Donate today and support the continuing construction of the Divine Hope Mission Health Center. Any amount helps.

\$50 Buys 50 Shingles **\$150 Buys 5 Sheets of Plywood**
\$100 Buys 20 Rafters **\$200 Buys 100' Rain-Collecting Gutters**

Donations of all levels are most appreciated and support our mission to **Spread the Light.**
 Thank you for your support!



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Our Mission
 Divine Hope Mission exists to spread the light of hope in remote communities and isolated villages in Nigeria where access to necessities of life are minimal and, in most cases, does not exist. Grounded in Umume Obodoukwu in Ideato North L.G.A. Imo State, Nigeria, we envision a future where our programs would be expanded to other areas in need.




DivineHopeMission.com

If you wish to send a check, please make it payable to **Divine Hope Mission** and send to the following address:

Divine Hope Mission
 50 Church St
 Collinsville, CT 06019



Save the Date

3RD ANNUAL SPARKLE FOR HOPE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2025

The Raymond Family Farm
 New Hartford, CT



Welcome Newly Baptized
 Congratulations to the parents of
Rylan Christine Kupchik
 &
Grady Michael Kupchik
 Both were baptized here on Sunday,
 August 24, 2025

Funds raised will go toward general maintenance of St. Patrick's



WSP Annual Mum Sale

in memory of Annamae Rotonda

The ordering of mums will take place after each Mass during the weekends of
 Aug. 23 & 24. Aug. 30 & 31. Sept. 6 & 7.
 Pick-up of all purchased mums will be on Saturday, Sept. 20 from 9:00-12:00 in the church parking lot.

9" pots: Your choice of white, yellow, or purple: \$8
 10" tan planter: Grower's choice of color(s): \$12
 12" decorative bowl: Multi-color: \$22
 14" jumbo tub: Grower's choice of color(s): \$26

Payment is due at pick-up

Payment options: Cash, Check, or Venmo. Checks can be made out to "St. Patrick's Church." Scan the QR code to make a Venmo payment.



@Peter-Hollenbeck

Please JOIN US!

The Women of St. Patrick's will be hosting a **Coffee hour** on Sunday, Sept. 7th after both Masses.



All parishioners are welcome to attend!



Welcome Back to School!!

Readings for the week of August 31 2025

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 (1a)/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11/Lk 4:38-44

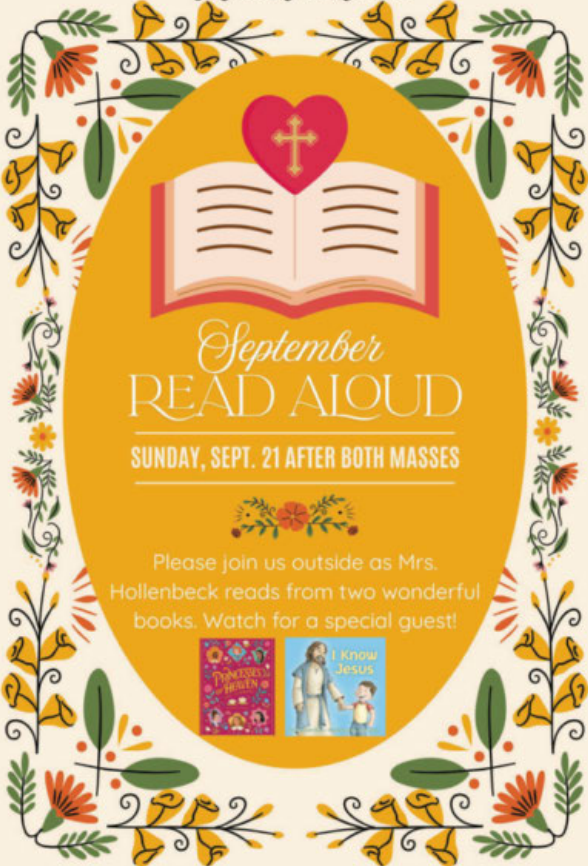
Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8/Lk 6:1-5


Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17 (1)/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33 @LPi

St. Patrick Parish Presents:



September
READ ALOUD
SUNDAY, SEPT. 21 AFTER BOTH MASSES

Please join us outside as Mrs. Hollenbeck reads from two wonderful books. Watch for a special guest!



Word of Life † August 31

If you or someone you know has had an abortion, be assured that it is never too late to seek God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Additionally, other confidential, compassionate help is available. Select "Find Help" from the menu on www.hopeafterabortion.org to find the diocesan Project Rachel Ministry near you.

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Bridges of Mercy for Healing after Abortion" www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy



Parish
Office
Closed!



OCIA PROGRAM TO BEGIN!

The OCIA Program (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) will begin on September 25th for any adults who are interested in becoming Catholic or adults who were baptized only.

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 twice per month for 90 minutes and will explore many aspects of the faith in an interactive format.

If you have been considering conversion to the Catholic faith or, if baptized, receiving the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation, 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!*



ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES

If you are an adult who has already received the sacraments of Baptism AND Holy Communion but, for whatever reason, never received the sacrament of Confirmation, here is your opportunity to do so! **Adult Confirmation classes, a separate program from OCIA, is preparing to begin in October.**

The program will meet monthly, brushing up on Church teachings, developing a fruitful prayer life, reinforcing the importance of the sacrament of Confirmation and preparing you to receive this grace in order to:

- Become a full member of the Catholic Church!
- Be able to serve as a Catholic Sponsor for Baptisms and Confirmations!
- Move forward in your spiritual journey!
- Receive the Gifts of the Holy Spirit!

If you have not received the sacrament of Confirmation, **CALL NOW!** You may contact the **Rectory at 860-693-8727** to express your interest and to leave your contact information. Those who complete the program will receive the sacrament along with the youth confirmandi at the **Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford in May 2026!** *We look forward to hearing from you!*



Saint of the week —St Gregory the Great

Often called the father of the medieval papacy and Apostle of the English, Saint Gregory (540-604) became Pope in 590. He is known for his reform of the liturgy, the consolidation of papal power and the conversion of England.

Pope Gregory led Rome and the Church through plagues, invasions, and political confusion, placing his talents for organization and leadership in the service of both political peace and the spread of Christianity.

@LPi



September 4	Bell Choir Church 7:00 pm
September 7	Coffee Hour after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am masses
September 8	Human Needs Committee Meeting 7:00 PM Parish Hall
September 9	WSP Meeting & Wine & Cheese Social 6:30 PM Parish Hall

Saint Patrick Parish

We Want Your Questions!
Have comments or suggestions?
Yes, we take those too!

**We want to hear from you.
We'd LOVE to hear from you!**

Please scan the QR code with your phone's camera or visit
<https://forms.gle/PMvLTppxPxfCKGH7>
to get started.

Open to ALL PARISHIONERS
Young & Old Alike!

Thank you!

New Member Registration /Change of Registration

If you are new to the Parish, or have a new address, email or phone number, please complete this form and drop it in the collection basket.

It may also be mailed to:

St Patrick Church, 50 Church St, Collinsville, CT 06019

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