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Mr. Rob Dupre: (860) 299-3335

Choir Director

Mr. Chris Casey: (860) 904-8138

Building & Grounds Committee

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: (860) 693-1913

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

Rosary at Cherry Brook

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Social/Hospitality Ministry

CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

SPYRIT 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Youth

Group

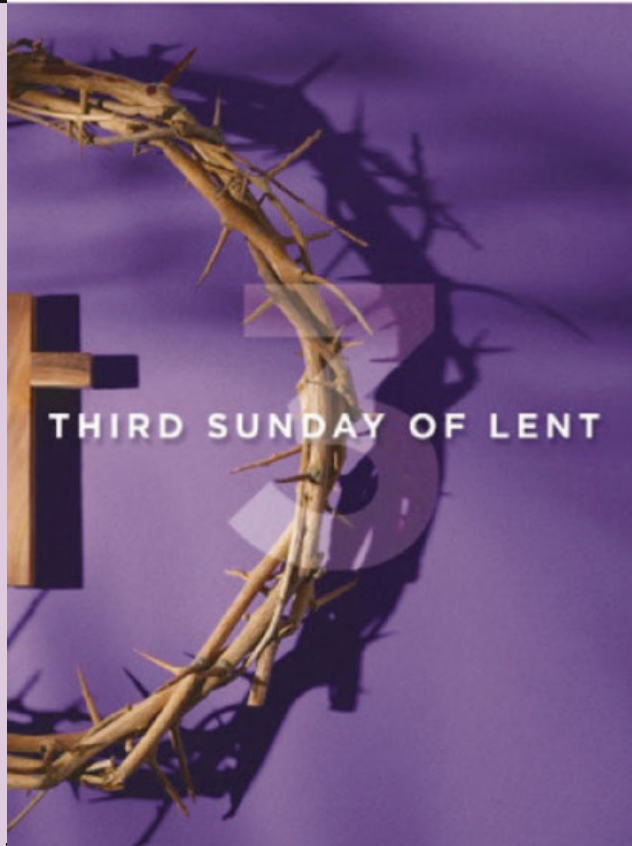
CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

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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Coordinator Needed

*Youth Ministry &
Confirmation Coordinator*
ym@spcolct.org

Chris Casey

Music Director

keyscasey@aol.com

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, March 22

5:00 pm Enderline Anaeché

Sunday, March 23

8:00 am Ilean Lamothe

10:00 am Enderline Anaeché

Monday, March 24

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's

Tuesday, March 25

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's

Wednesday March 26

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's

Thursday, March 27

8:00 am No Mass

Friday, March 28

8:00 am No Mass

Saturday, March 29

5:00 pm Parishioners of St Patrick's

Sunday, March 30

8:00 am Stanislaw & Maryann Piendak as requested by the Collins Family

10:00 am Enderline Anaeché

Faith Formation News

Mar 23	1, 3, 4, 5 grades	9-10 am
Mar 25	First Holy Communion	6-7 pm
Mar 30	1, 3, 4, 5 grades	9-10 am
	Confirmation Y1	11:30 – 12:45 pm
	Confirmation Y2	12:50 – 2:05 pm
	6, 7, 8 grades	6-7:30 pm
Apr 6	Blessing Bag Project All students and their families are invited to participate	9-10 am

**Class date/time are subject to change*

Blessing Bag Project

The **Faith Formation Program** will be collecting items for homebound parishioners and those in long term care facilities during Lent. Please place donated items in the basket labeled "Blessing Bag Project" located in the vestibule of the church. Email our Faith Formation Coordinator, *Jessica Sanzo*, with any questions at ffd@spcolct.org. **Thank you for your support!**



Week 3 (3/22-3/23) – Notepads/Blank Cards & Pens

Week 4 (3/29-3/30) – Warm Non-Slip Socks/Slipper Socks

Week 5 (4/5-4/6) – Full Size Boxes of Soft Facial Tissue

*Monetary donations, to purchase supplies, will also be graciously accepted (please label donations "FF Blessing Bag Project" and hand to an usher).

Parish Support

Week of 3/13/25 to 3/19/25

Weekly Collections (Envelopes & Cash): \$ 2,571.00
 Weekly Collection (Online Giving): \$ 1,086.00
Weekly Collections Total (Env./Cash/Online): \$ 3,657.00

Facilities \$ 164.00

Monthly – Easter Flowers & Decorations

Monthly Collection (Envelopes & Cash) \$ 563.00

Monthly Collection (Online Giving) \$ 40.00

Monthly Collection Total \$ **603.00**

Grand Total: \$ **4,424.00**

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



Stations of the Cross

Throughout the Lenten Season, Stations of the Cross will be held every **Friday at 7:00 pm**. **Please join us!**



CONFESSION

In addition to Saturday, 4 pm confessions, we will have Confessions every **Monday, 6 pm-7 pm throughout the Lenten Season**, beginning Monday, March 10. Come and experience the Mercy of God through the power of the Sacrament.



Lenten Soup Series at St. Patrick's:
A Journey to the Heart of Faith with Bishop Robert Barron

Lenten Fridays at 6:00 PM

Please mark your calendars and join your fellow parishioners for the **Lenten Soup Series** suppers on Fridays throughout Lent. We enjoy delicious soups while watching different episodes of "Catholicism" on the big screen, featuring Bishop Robert Barron discussing the day's topic.

The soup series takes place in the Parish Hall from **6:00 PM** to approximately **6:50 PM**, followed by the Stations of the Cross at **7:00 PM** in the church. We thank the different parish ministries and committees for hosting the soup series throughout Lent. We encourage you to attend with your friends and families.

Week	Hosts
Friday, March 28th	Haiti Ministry
Friday, April 4th	Parish Council
Friday, April 11th	Human Needs Committee



The Ministry Corner

As the parish begins to nominate new parish council members, we would like to highlight the primary purpose of **St Patricks Parish Council**.

The primary role of the council is advisory, making recommendations to the pastor about the spiritual well-being of the parish. As a visionary council, its primary concern is with where the parish wants to be in three to five years and not with the administrative aspects of running the parish. The Parish Council operates as the voice of the Parish community for example:

- Helping to identify the present needs of the parish
- Suggesting practical ways to address those needs
- Members regularly attend and actively participate in meetings and events.
- Create and support ministries as needed to meet the spiritual and material needs of the parish. And also help to support other parish events i.e. parish picnic, outdoor mass etc.

Please consider nominating yourself and others to be part of the of the St Patricks Parish Council!



Archbishop's Annual Appeal Vicariate Outreach Program

The Vicariate Outreach Program offers financial assistance to local charities. Each year parishes within the Archdiocese of Hartford are asked to nominate up to four charities to receive a grant. We are happy to report that the four charities we nominated this year were chosen to receive a grant from the Vicariate Outreach Program.

- ARC of the Farmington Valley- Favarh Canton
- Burlington Food & Fuel Bank
- Canton Emergency Food Bank
- Canton Food Bank

LECTIO DIVINA WORKSHOP

Come learn of our rich Catholic heritage of prayerfully reading the Bible and silently reflecting on what the Holy Spirit is saying to us in the Word. **Lectio Divina** is Latin for **Sacred Reading**. Lectio Divina is a personal encounter with Jesus in his Word. If you would like to begin praying the Scriptures or just to learn more about this practice; you are invited to a **2-session workshop** in the Parish Hall on Saturdays, April 5th and April 12th at 4pm before the 5:00 pm Mass. Contact Rich Stoops at 860-693-1993 or richardtstoops@aol.com for additional information if needed.



EASTER YOUTH CHOIR

Rehearsals for our Easter Youth Choir will begin on Sunday, March 30, after the 10:00am Mass. Anyone interested just come to the choir loft after mass. This choir sings for the 10:00 am Easter Sunday Mass. Any questions please email or call our music director Chris Casey at keys Casey@aol.com 860-904-8138



Women of St Patrick

Scholarship Applications Now Available

Applications for the WSP Memorial Scholarship are now available in the vestibule of the church. The WSP will be presenting scholarships to graduating high school seniors who are active members in St Patrick Parish and plan to attend any institution of higher education in the Fall 2024, 2 or 4 year college, vocational school or training or online study. The scholarships are given in memory of the deceased members of the WSP and Ladies Guild.

Completed scholarship applications are due by **APRIL 24, 2025 at 12 noon!** Completed application may be submitted any time before April 24, 2025 and are to be placed in the designated box located in the vestibule of the church (Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 3:30 pm or during normal mass hours) or in the marked box on the front porch of rectory (Monday - Thursday 10:00 am - 3:30 pm). **NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!**

Confirmation and Youth Ministry Coordinator Open Position at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church - Collinsville, Connecticut

A part-time position exists for a Confirmation and Youth Ministry Coordinator who will be responsible for working in conjunction with the pastor/Administrator to develop and implement a confirmation preparation program for our parish youth, as well as provide leadership for the youth group and youth activities of the parish beyond confirmation.

To submit a resume or request a copy of the position description, please email:
fr.anaeche@aohct.org.

You may also submit your resume via mail to:
Rev. Collins I. Anaeche, Ph.D.
50 Church Street, Collinsville, CT 06019.



Congratulations!

We congratulate St Patrick's Church recipients of this year's **Archdiocesan St. Joseph Medal of Appreciation: Gideon & Jeanne Banville!**

On Sunday, March 16th, Gideon & Jeanne were honored by Archbishop Coyne at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph along with men and women from around the archdiocese with this special award.

For many years both Gideon and Jeanne have shown great devotion to our parish. We offer our utmost thanks to them and we applaud the many ways in which they live their faith here in our community



March 26	Holy Hour & Eucharistic Adoration 7:00 pm
March 27	Bell Choir Rehearsal Church 7:00 pm
March 28	Lenten Soup Series 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm
March 23	Youth March Madness Party Parish Hall 4:00 pm- 7:00 pm
March 25	Finance Council Meeting Parish Hall 6:30 pm

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/PHvLTppxPxsfCKGH7>
 to get started.

Please visit our updated online suggestion "box" today!



Open to ALL parishioners, young & old alike.
 We value everyone's input!
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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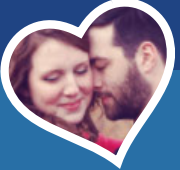
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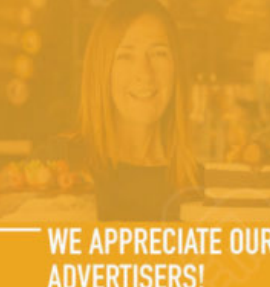
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