

# 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**

Mrs. Sharon Mazzo: (860) 693-0166

### **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) 693-2883

### **Lectio Divina**

Mr. Rich Stoops: (860) 693-1913

### **St Patrick's Youth Ministry Team**

#### **Confirmation Program**

Brian Curran 860-422-0490

Sandy MiCari 860-302-2797

#### **Legacy Youth Program**

Wendy & Mike Gacek

860-675-4081

#### **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. Mark Niehaus: (860) 944-1458

#### **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) 693-9204

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

Email: WSP@sp4c.org



### **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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Collinsville, CT 06019  
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*Faith Formation*

*Coordinator*

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Ext 303

### **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.

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



**Saturday, November 26**

5:00 pm Enderline N.Anaeche

**Sunday, November 27**

8:00 am Enderline N. Anaeche

10:00 am Enderline N Anaeche

**Monday, November 28**

8:00 am Parishioners of St Patrick's

**Tuesday, November 29**

8:00 am Carolyn LaMonica as requested by the Battstoni Family

**Wednesday, November 30**

8:00 am Joanne Sarri as requested by the Battistoni Family

**Thursday, December 1**

8:00 am No Mass

**Friday, December 2**

8:00 am No Mass

**Saturday, December 3**

5:00 pm Enderline N. Anaeche

**Sunday December 4**

8:00 am Enderline N. Anaeche

10:00 am Enderline N. Anaeche

## Faith Formation Calendar

November 30	3 <sup>rd</sup> grade	Virtual @6 pm
December 4	YOUTH MASS	10 am
December 5	First Holy Communion	In Person @6 pm
December 10	5 <sup>th</sup> grade	Virtual @8 am
	7 <sup>th</sup> grade	Virtual @8:30 am
December 11	1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> grades	In Person @8:55-9:55 am
December 12	First Holy Communion	In Person @6 pm
	8 <sup>th</sup> grade	Virtual @ 4:00 pm

\*Class dates/times are subject to change.



### Thank You for our Appreciation Dinner

A special thank you to our Parish Council members for putting together this event. It was a delicious dinner and wonderful time to catch up with good friends and fellow parishioners. Thank you to all of our volunteers who coordinated the decorating, food preparation and food servicing. Thank you also to all those who came, Your service to our different ministries and committees help to make our parish special.



## Parish Support

### Week of 11/15/22 to 11/23/22

Weekly Collections (Envelopes & Cash): \$ 00

Weekly Collection (Online Giving): \$ .00

Weekly Collections Total (Env./Cash/Online): \$ **.00**

**Facilities-** \$ 00

### Monthly- N/A

Monthly Collection (Envelopes & Cash) \$ .00

Monthly Collection (Online Giving) \$ .00

**Monthly Collection Total** \$ **00**

**Grand Total:** \$ **00**

*Due to the early publication date for this bulletin, weekly collection information is not available. It will be included in next week's bulletin.*



### Did You Know?

*The proceeds of the annual St Patrick's Gingerbread Fair go right back into our parish and community!!*

The Gingerbread Fair proceeds have helped fund the cost of many items in our parish including linens, clergy garments, baptismal garments, PowerPoint projectors, kitchen supplies, renovation of the women's bathroom as well as the renovation of the stone fountain on the parish grounds. Since its inception in 2003, The Women of St Patrick's have awarded 42 college scholarship each in the amount of \$1,000 to the youth of our parish.

*Plan to attend this year's fair! Do some holiday shopping, pick up a bite to eat and take a chance on some fabulous prizes at our teacup auction!*

**YOU can make this year's Gingerbread Fair a success!!**

**Thank you & God Bless - Women of St Patrick's (WSP)**

### Pancakes with Santa!!!

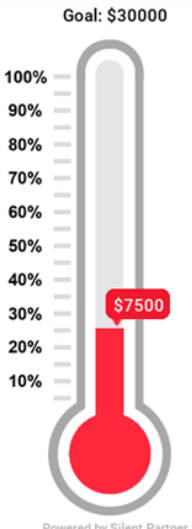


Santa Claus is coming to town! Please join us for **Pancakes with Santa** on **Saturday, December 10 from 8 am to 11 am** in the church hall. Santa will be available for pictures and his elves will be busy serving up pancakes, hot cocoa, crafts, and Christmas cheer!

A suggested donation of \$5 per person will be accepted at the door. Santa will also be collecting new unwrapped toys for children in need

Proceeds of this event will help support our Faith Formation program. For questions and to RSVP please email Erin Jensen at [StPatSanta@gmail.com](mailto:StPatSanta@gmail.com) by Wednesday, December 7.

Goal: \$30000



Coming to your Mailbox soon...

**2022 ANNUAL PASTOR'S APPEAL**


*Can we count on your support?*

Please watch for a letter from Fr. Collins in your mailbox these next few weeks. As in the past, we are holding a Pastor's Appeal to help sustain the ongoing needs of our parish. The goal for this year's appeal is \$30,000 which will go towards adding a digital Carrillons bell system for the church tower and also for retiling the Parish Hall.

We hope you will prayerfully consider participating in this Appeal.. One parishioner has already graciously started us with a \$7,500 donation toward our goal.

*Thank You!*

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**ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT**

Children in grades Pre-K through 12 are invited to join us in the celebration of the birth of Jesus through our annual Christmas pageant which will be held right before the start of the Christmas Eve mass (Saturday, Dec. 24). Rehearsals will take place in the church from 6:15-7:15 on Thursday, Dec. 8, Thursday, Dec. 15, & Thursday, Dec. 22. There may be a 4th rehearsal on Friday, Dec. 23 (if needed).

**It is mandatory that all participants attend each of the rehearsals.**

There will be speaking parts & non-speaking parts available. All props & most costumes will be provided (with the exception of angels: please provide your own white/off-white dress & shoes - any style is fine).

To sign your child/ren up, please email Sarah Hollenbeck at [shollenbeck923@gmail.com](mailto:shollenbeck923@gmail.com) no later than Thursday, Dec. 1. Thank you & God bless!




**ST PATRICK PARISH**

**Gingerbread Holiday Fair**

**Sat. Dec. 3, 2022 - 10 am to 5 pm**  
**Sun. Dec 4, 2022 - 8 am to 12 noon**

**Unique Handcrafted Gifts!**  
**Gift Baskets! Teacup Auction!**  
**Delicious Homemade Baked Goods & Sweet Treats!!**

**Visit the "GINGERBREAD CAFE"!**  
 Relax and have a bite to eat at the Gingerbread Cafe! *Featuring ...Our Signature Homemade Gingerbread with Real Whipped Cream and a Delicious Cafe' Menu.*

**Human Needs Committee Christmas Giving Tree**


The Giving tree is up and tagged. Canton Social Services has requested **unwrapped** toys for children under age 12, gift cards for ages 13-18 and gift cards for groceries, gas and pharmacies.

Burlington has requested **wrapped gifts** and has given us family wish lists.

All gifts and gifts cards must be returned to church by 12/11. Stores suggested for gift cards are but not limited to CVS, Kohl's, Target, Shop-Rite, Walgreens, Ocean State Job Lot, Mobil or Citgo.

Please drop all wrapped gifts in the large bucket near the Giving Tree and place all gift cards in the collection box in church or the collection box on the Rectory porch.

Any questions please call Terry at 860-916-6163  
*Thank you for your continued support of our ministry!*



**December YOUTH MASS**

**Mark Your Calendars!**

Please join us for our next *youth mass* scheduled for Sunday, December 4, 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.



Nov 30	Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration 7:00 pm
Dec 1	Bell Choir Rehearsal Church 7:00 pm
Dec 3	Gingerbread Fair Parish Hall 10:00 am—5:00pm
Dec 4	Gingerbread Fair Parish Hall 8:00 am—12:00pm
Dec 5	Human Needs Committee meeting Parish Hall 7:00 pm
Dec 6	Parish Council Parish Hall 6:30 pm
Dec 8	Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Holy Day 8:00 am mass`
Dec 10	Pancakes with Santa Parish Hall 8:00 am— 11:00 am

**Word of Life † Nov 27th**

“Having received the gift of the Gospel of Life, we are the people of life and a people for life. It is our duty to proclaim the Gospel of Life to the world. To proclaim Jesus is to proclaim life itself. Gratitude and joy at the incomparable dignity of the human person impel us to bring the Gospel of life to the hearts of all people and make it penetrate every part of society.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

“The Gospel of Life: A Brief Summary

**Modification of Safety Practices Regarding COVID -19**

For those who are fully vaccinated, wearing masks is optional while at Mass in our church. While we encourage everyone to get fully vaccinated; those who are not yet vaccinated, should continue to wear masks.

**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

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

New Registration  Change of Information  Request Envelopes