

# Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

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# TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 19th November AD 2023

#### **Mass Times**

Sunday: 8:30am Low Mass

10:30am High Mass

Monday to Saturday: 8:00am Low Mass

# Confessions

Thirty minutes before each Holy Mass & during each weekly Holy Hour of Adoration

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

Friday: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 5pm

**First Friday:** Mass at 6pm preceded by Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament beginning at 5pm

**First Saturday:** after Holy Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Rosary & Benediction

# Clergy and Staff of Saint Patrick Oratory

Canon Matthew Weaver Pastor & Rector

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## **Sunday Offertory Collection**

Your generous contribution to the worship of God here at St. Patrick Oratory is vital to the maintenance and care of this beautiful church.

To financially support us, please scan the QR code and make your online donation and Sunday Offering. May God reward you abundantly for your charity!



#### Wisdom from Saint Francis de Sales

Patron of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

"Do not look ahead to what may happen tomorrow; the same everlasting Father who cares for you today will take care of you tomorrow and every day. Either He will you from suffering, or He will give you unfailing strength to bear it."

#### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:

This week's Sanctuary Lamp: In thanksgiving for our volunteer parish choir and how their singing enhances our worship, by Lisa Hoffer

Sunday, 19th November
Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
(Sixth resumed Sunday after Epiphany)
8:30am Low Mass - Pro populo
10:30am High Mass - All deceased Knights of Malta RIP, by a Knight of Malta
6pm Vespers & Benediction

Monday, 20th November
St. Felix of Valois
8am Low Mass - Donna M. Caro,
by Dana Caro-Herman

Tuesday, 21st November
Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8am Low Mass - Donna Marie Caro RIP,
by Maria Stefanczyk

Wednesday, 22nd November
St. Cecilia
8am Low Mass - St. Patrick's choirmaster & choristers, by Louise Joyner

Thursday, 23rd November
St. Clement
8am Low Mass - 16th Birthday of Veronica
Dropa, by Pawel & Joanna Dropa

Friday, 24th November
St. John of the Cross
8am Low Mass - Fr. Kevin Fitzpatrick RIP, by
Moran Family
5pm Adoration & Benediction

Saturday, 25th November
St. Catherine of Alexandria
8am Low Mass - James Galvin, by
Cunningham Family

Sunday, 26th November
LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
8:30am Low Mass - Pro populo
10:30am High Mass - Cerullo Family, by
Dana Caro-Herman
6pm Vespers & Benediction

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Thank you to all those who helped with yesterday's Fall Clean Up! Our parish campus stays beautiful all year round because of you. God bless you!

Gentlemen of the parish, we need your help to keep St. Patrick's safe and secure, while making people feel welcome and at peace. Consider joining the ushers team to help!

St. Patrick's Cleaning Team needs your help! Do you have 10 minutes after Mass to help keep our beautiful church neat and clean? Join our volunteers for jobs big and small! Contact Patricia Murphy at (203)275-5263.

Today, after the 10:30am Mass: Our fourth Confirmation Class after the 10:30am Mass in the church hall.

Tuesday, November 28 at 7pm: Connecticut Right to Life Educational Alliance will meet in the church hall. All interested are welcome to attend.

Thursday, November 30: Friends of the Cross will meet at Amalfi's Restaurant for dinner. Dinner is \$20 per person. Doors open at 5pm. All are welcome! For more information and to reserve your place by November 28, please contact Elaine Cerullo: (203) 574-5579.

### St. Patrick Church Donations

Last Week's Collection: \$6,351.55

Our Sunday Collections constitute the operating funds for both the church and the rectory. You make it possible for us to continue serving you each week.

Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you always.

# Mass Intention Policy for the year 2024

We are accepting the first round of Mass intentions for this coming year, preferably without any specific date for the ease of scheduling. For archiving purposes, Mass intentions must be submitted in print (typed or handwritten). Electronic (e-mail or text) requests will not be accepted. Please seal your Mass intention and stipend together in an envelope and place in the Offertory box.

For the <u>first round</u>, we are accepting intentions from registered parishioners only with a maximum limit of <u>five intentions</u> (only <u>one</u> of those can be requested on a Sunday) <u>per household</u>. We will announce a <u>second</u> <u>round</u> of Mass intentions later in the year if the calendar permits. The minimum stipend for a weekday Mass is \$10 for each intention (these stipends directly benefit the priest celebrating the Mass for his personal livelihood).

Mass intentions must be accompanied with the stipend in order for the requests be reserved & scheduled in the Mass intention book. Otherwise, the request will not be accepted.

Please make your Mass Stipend payable to Saint Patrick Parish. Thank you for following these instructions to help us schedule your intentions!