

**NOVENA OF EASTER MASSES**

***Beginning Easter Sunday, a Novena of Masses will be offered for the intentions of your loved ones living or deceased. Please write your requests on the rear of the envelope attached to the bulletin and drop it in any offertory collection.***

THE MOST REVEREND MICHAEL R. COTE, BISHOP OF NORWICH

## The Cathedral of Saint Patrick

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### PARISH STAFF

Rector, Msgr. Anthony S. Rosaforte  
In Residence: Rev. Peter Langevin  
In Residence: Rev. Brian Romanowski  
Wedding Coordinator, Sunnie Robinson  
School Principal, Ms. Sharon Stewart  
CCD Director, Sr. Therese Maria Herpy  
Music Director, Mr. Douglas Green  
Secretary, Mrs. Sheila Habeeb

### CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.  
Radio Mass 9:00 a.m., WICH 1310 AM  
Daily: Mon-Fri 7:00 a.m. and 12:00 Noon  
Saturday 7:00 a.m.  
Blessed Virgin Novena Mass Monday 7:00 p.m.

### MINISTRY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Children are expected to receive a Catholic upbringing in their family life, to worship regularly at Sunday Mass and to participate in ongoing Religious Education. Our Programs include:

Catholic School, Pre K-8, Weekdays  
Religious Ed. Program, Pre K-8, Sundays  
Confirmation classes grades 8 & 9 (2 year program)

### CARE OF THE SICK

Please advise us of parishioners who are sick or in the hospital, that we might keep them in our prayers, and if possible, visit them. Anyone who is unable to celebrate the Eucharist with us in Church is urged to advise us so that we might share Communion with them at home.

### NEED PRAYERS?

Call St. Patrick Prayer Line to request prayers. Contact Bea Mackenzie 887-3355 or Jane Morosky 887-6681.

Order of Mass	#202
Processional Hymn	#707
Kyrie	#317
Readings	#1041
Gospel Acclamation	#338

Holy, Holy	#214
Memorial Acclamation	#215
Great Amen	#218
Lamb of God	#220
Recessional Hymn	#466

### MISSION STATEMENT

St. Patrick Cathedral Parish is a Roman Catholic community of the Diocese of Norwich, CT which seeks to put the love of Christ into action by:

- Providing for the spiritual nourishment of the community.
- Living according to the Gospel message of Jesus Christ.
- Reaching out to those in need.
- Extending the love of Christ to all who come into our midst.

### CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

**Baptism:** Each Sunday at 11:30 a.m.  
Please call for appointment.  
**Reconciliation:** Confessions heard Mon-Fri at 11:15am  
Mon. at 6:15pm and Sat. at 4:00pm  
**Marriage:** Arrangements should be made with the church one year before the date. The Diocese requires a marriage preparation program.

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Catechumenate is the process of welcoming new members into the Roman Catholic Church. It is meant for those who are not baptized, baptized into another Christian Church or baptized into the Catholic Church but have yet to receive the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. Classes begin in September. Contact the rectory for information.

### NEW PARISHIONERS

New parishioners are welcome to our Parish Community. Please call us at the rectory to register. We want to know you and serve you. We hope that you will take an active part in our parish.

### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Ronald LePage, Jerry Olsen

**Fifth Sunday  
Of Lent**

**April 7th, 2019**

5:00 Saturday Vigil: Daniel Mieczynski, cantor  
9:00 Sunday Mass: Cathedral Choir  
10:30 Sunday Mass: Rebecca Glover  
5:00 Sunday Mass: Ed Stoltz, organist

The Weekly Offertory last weekend amounted to \$9,571.00.

The Second Collection this weekend is the regular Monthly Collection.

The Second Collection next weekend is the Rice Bowl Collection.

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THANK YOU:

To quote Bishop Sheen "The charm of yes lies in the possibility one might have said NO." You continue to say YES by your ongoing donations to the poor box. We are most grateful

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AN ACT OF REACTING:

Work with me Jesus and my work will not be in vain. Speak with me Jesus and through my prayer help others. Dear Jesus remain with me all my life. Stay with me until the hour of my death. Lead me safely through the final gates into your eternal presence.

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**COLLECTIONS EASTER SUNDAY**

*There are two collections on Easter Sunday.*

*The First collection is combined with the Christmas*

*collection and put towards the payment of the*

*insurance bill of \$80,000 for the Cathedral*

*and the Rectory. This does not include the*

*insurance bill for the school.*

*The Second collection is for the sick and*

*retired priests of the Diocese.*

**CATHEDRAL OF ST. PATRICK  
HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

**HOLY THURSDAY EVENING**

**MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER – 7:00 PM  
CONFESSIONS FOLLOWING MASS  
ADORATION FOLLOWING MASS UNTIL  
10:00PM**

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**THE LORD'S PASSION – 3:00 PM  
CONFESSIONS FOLLOWING THE SERVICE  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS WILL BE IN THE  
CATHEDRAL BEGINNING AT 6:00 PM**

**HOLY SATURDAY**

**CONFESSIONS – 10:00 – 11:00 AM ONLY**

**EASTER VIGIL MASS – 8:00 PM**

**EASTER SUNDAY**

Apr. 7<sup>th</sup> - Apr. 14<sup>th</sup>

MASS INTENTIONS

REQUESTED BY

SAT 5:00PM	Jeffrey Pepin	Family
SUN. 7:30AM	Henry Olender, Jr.	Hannah Labrecque
9:00AM	George Desrosier	Elizabeth Desrosier, Wife
10:30 AM	Charles, William & Alfred Signorino	Wife & Daughter
5:00PM	For the Intentions of Jennifer Baukus	Richard LeBlanc
MON. 7:00AM	William & Amelia Gromko	Family
12:00PM	Kenneth Gadle	Family
7:00PM	Lisa Neilson & Kaylie Thomas	Mother & Aunt
TUES 7:00AM	Joseph DeScisciolo, Sr.	Joseph DeScisciolo, Jr.
12:00PM	Anthony & Lucy Palumbo	Daughter & Family
WED. 7:00AM	Deceased members of the Bernard Hasler, Jr. Fam.	Family
12:00PM	John Leone	Jim Leone & Family
THU. 7:00AM	George & Abbieta Brown	Brown Family
12:00PM	Jeffrey Pepin	Family
FRI. 7:00AM	Edward Ettner, Jr.	Libby & Paul Sikorski
8:15AM	Juanita Murphy	Jo McIvor
12:00PM	John O'Neil	Richard O'Neil Family
5:00PM	For the Parishioners	
SAT. 7:00AM	M/M Thomas L. Crowley	Family
5:00PM	Frances & Walter Kozlowski	Daughter
SUN. 7:30AM	Joseph & Alida Langlois	Langlois Family
9:00AM	Victor & Frank Johnson	Family
10:30AM	Palm Sunday (Bishop Cote)	
5:00PM	Henry & Margaret Henseler	Granddaughter

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**WELCOME INTO THE FAMILY OF GOD THROUGH BAPTISM:**

**Ivan Jay Williams, Sophia Antionette Williams**

**PALM SUNDAY CONCERT**

*Sunday, April 14 at 7:30 PM here at the Cathedral "Requiem" by W.A. Mozart. Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra and Chorus. Toshi Shimada, conductor. Admission is free.. Goodwill Donations collected at the event will benefit the ECSO and the St. Vincent de Paul Place in Norwich, CT.*

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# WAY OF THE CROSS

A Communal Celebration of Scripture and prayer

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**April 19, 2019, 6:00 p.m.,  
The Cathedral of Saint Patrick**

Join with the Most Reverend Michael R. Cote, Bishop of Norwich,  
and leaders of other Christian Communities  
as we pray the Way of the Cross

Remembering the suffering of Christ, we will meditate on the Scriptures and sing in  
commemoration of Christ's journey.

We gather as Christians, knowing by faith that the Cross leads to  
resurrection, even today.

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*The Most Reverend Michael R. Cote, Bishop of Norwich, will join with clergy of other Christian Communities from the Norwich area in leading a communal celebration of the Way of the Cross on Good Friday, April 19, 2018, at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich. This service will begin at 6:00 PM. Please note: Due to comments received from participants in recent years, the decision has been made to hold this annual celebration inside the Cathedral, rather than processing down Broadway. It is our hope that this will enable and encourage more members of our communities to participate, especially those who are of limited mobility.*

## Ways to Give to the Annual Catholic Appeal

**All Gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.**

Thank you for your generous and kind support to the 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal. In making your gift, please consider the following options:

**Check** – Checks should be made payable to the **Annual Catholic Appeal**. Checks can be mailed to the Diocesan Development Office, located at 197 Broadway, Norwich, CT, 06360-4888. Campaign envelopes will also be distributed at Mass during the ACA appeal and are addressed accordingly.

**Pledge** – Your pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal can be paid over an eight-month period. Pledge reminder cards will be mailed to your home and will include a return envelope. Pledges can be paid by check, electronic funds transfer (EFT), credit card, stock transfer or cash. We encourage pledge payments be made by either check or EFT/credit card as no reminders are required to be mailed.

**Credit Card** – You can make a one-time payment or monthly pledge payment by credit card. Pledges can be paid over an eight-month period. Some may wish to take advantage of this form of payment in order to earn rewards points and other incentives offered by some credit card companies.

**Electronic Funds Transfer** – You may electronically transfer a one-time payment or monthly payment (number of months must not exceed eight) to fulfill your pledge balance. You can make this electronic transfer through your checking account or savings account. A form authorizing such payments is included on the commitment card.

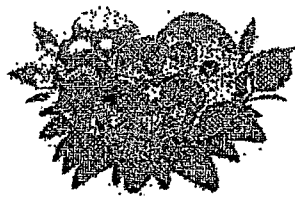
**Online Giving** – Visit [www.norwichdiocesedevelopment.org](http://www.norwichdiocesedevelopment.org) and click on the ACA donation button to make your gift online.

**Donate through your Smartphone** – Scan the QR code on the ACA campaign envelope or brochure. Give by text also available. Text donation amount (including dollar sign \$) to 860-370-2147. This will lead you to the online donation page. Recurring donations can also be made this way.

**Matching Gifts** – You can enhance your donation to the Annual Catholic Appeal through your company's Matching Gift Program. Please contact your human resources representative to find out more about the Matching Gift Program at your company, or call the Development Office.

**Gift of Securities / Direct IRA Distribution** – You can make a gift of stock or Direct IRA distribution (if age 70 ½ +) to the Annual Catholic Appeal. These gifts can help reduce your taxes and also greatly benefit the ACA. Please confer with your broker or financial advisor prior to making your gift in order to match your charitable and portfolio goals. Details on these types of donations can be found by calling the Development Office.

**Any questions regarding your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal should be directed to the Diocese of Norwich Office of Development. Please call 860-886-1928 or visit [www.norwichdiocesedevelopment.org](http://www.norwichdiocesedevelopment.org) for further details and contacts. Your stewardship and generosity is tremendously appreciated. Thank you.**



# EASTER



# EGGSTRAVAGANZA

Sunday, April 14th

8 am— Noon

## Pancake Breakfast

Adults \$8, Seniors & Children 4-11 \$7  
3 & under-Free!

## Basket Raffle

Drawing starts at Noon. Need not be present to win.  
We would appreciate it if winners could pick up their basket(s) before 3 pm

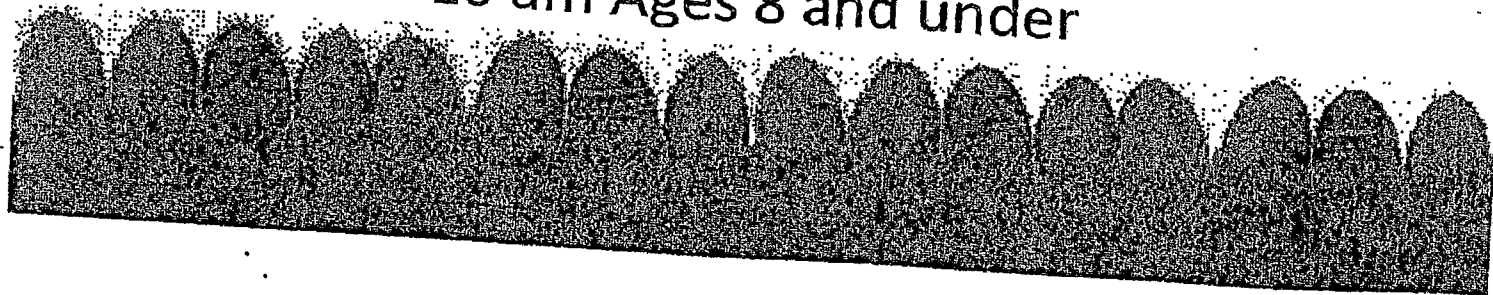
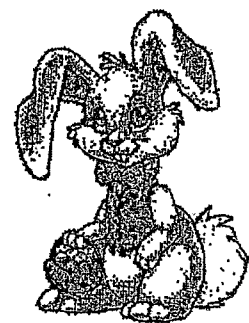
## Bake Sale

## Pictures with the Easter Bunny

No waiting in that long line at the Mall.

## Easter Egg Hunt

10 am Ages 8 and under





2019 ACA APPEAL

*As stewards and Disciples of Christ, we recognize that  
all the goods and riches in our life are gifts from God.*

*Strengthened by the Eucharist, we respond to God's  
generosity in our lives with gratitude by using and sharing  
our gifts in service of others. Please share your gifts and  
and make a gift to the 2019 ACA Appeal. It remains our  
personal parish goal to involve more parishioners in supporting  
our needy brothers and sisters throughout the diocese.*

*Envelopes may be dropped in any offertory collection or  
mailed to the ACA office.*

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OPERATION RICE BOWL

*For 46 years, Operation Rice Bowl has helped to feed the hungry  
poor. Through Operation Rice Bowl – a program of prayer, fasting,  
learning, and giving – what you give up for Lent can give hope to the  
poorest of the poor. Make this Lenten season one of awareness,  
compassion, and reflection. Operation Rice Bowl is sponsored by  
Catholic Relief Services and the Diocese of Norwich. This  
collection will be taken up next weekend, April 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>.  
Rice Bowls may be found in the rear of the Cathedral.*

**NORWICH DIOCESEAN  
COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN  
PRESENTS  
THE ANNUAL LAYETTE PROGRAM**



**SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2019 @ 1 P.M.  
ST. JOSEPH CHURCH HALL  
99 JACKSON ST., WILLIMANTIC**

**All ladies invited to attend the annual "baby shower" to support Catholic Charities. Please collect baby items such as diapers, clothes (0-3 years), blankets, etc. Items will be distributed to Norwich, New London, and Willimantic.**

