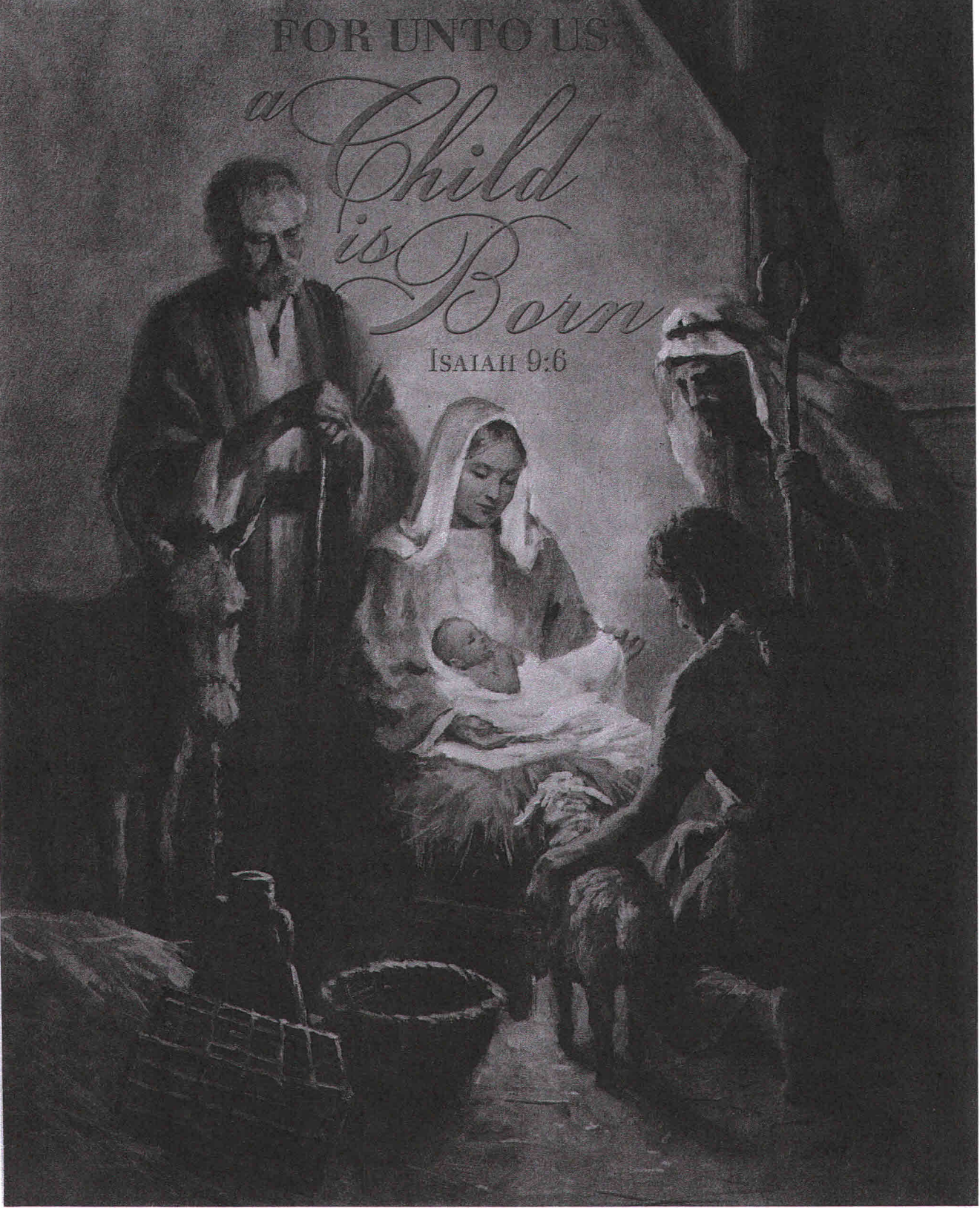


FOR UNTO US

*a Child  
is Born*

ISAIAH 9:6



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  
Rev. Peter Langevin, Parochial Vicar  
In Residence: Rev. Brian Romanowski  
Wedding Coordinator, Sunnie Robinson  
School Principal, Mrs. Catherine Reed  
CCD Director, Sr. Kateri  
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	#386
Kyrie	#317
Readings	#1011
Gospel Acclamation	#208
Holy, Holy	#214
Memorial Acclamation	#215
Great Amen	#218
Lamb of God	#220
Recessional Hymn	#388

### 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:

William Mather, Annie Roderick  
Cardinal Bernard Law

Fourth Sunday  
Of Advent

December 24, 2017

9:00 Sunday Mass: Cathedral Choir

5:00 Sunday Mass: Ed Stoitz, organist

**CHRISTMAS COLLECTIONS**

*The First Collection Christmas Day is for the needs of the Parish*

*(operating expenses).*

*The Second Collection will be a special collection (your gift to your parish)*

*to help defray the cost of the property insurance bill.*

*The total bill is \$75,222.00.*



**Rosary Hill Cancer Hospital Collection**

The Hawthorne /Dominican Sisters of New York care for the sick and dying at no cost to the patient. Just as last year, we will be collecting articles needed by the patients at the hospital. Please leave articles beneath the statue of St. Joseph. Monetary donations may be put in any offertory collection in an envelope marked, "Rosary Hill". Please make checks payable to "Rosary Hill Hospital".

**WE WILL BE COLLECTING ITEMS FOR ROSARY HILL**

**TILL AFTER THE NEW YEAR!**

Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> – Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>

MASS INTENTIONS

REQUESTED BY:

SAT. 5:00PM	Stanley Ladyga	Family
SUN. 7:30AM	Veronica Cronin (10 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.)	Family
9:00AM	Niedbala & Florea Families	Family
10:30AM	For the intentions of Kenneth Fontaine	Melo-Fontaine Fam.
4:00PM	For the Parishioners (Vigil)	
12:00AM	For the Parishioners (Midnight Mass)	
MON. 7:30AM	For the Parishioners	
9:00AM	For the Parishioners	
10:30AM	For the Parishioners	
5:00PM	For the Parishioners	
TUES. 7:00AM	Elizabeth Wisniewski	Children
12:00PM	Mr. & Mrs. Thomas English	Family
WED. 7:00AM	Edward Wisniewski	Children
12:00PM	Deceased members of the Illiano & Palumbo Families	Family
THU. 7:00AM	George & Abbieta Brown	Family
12:00PM	Clarence LaCasse	Family
FRI. 7:00AM	William Flannery	Mary & Sue
12:00PM	Souls in Purgatory	Friend
SAT. 7:00AM	Veronica Cronin	Morosky Family
5:00PM	Nina & Tony Caugnola	Christine C. Petruniv
SUN. 7:30AM	Deceased members of Langlois & Ensling Fam.	Langlois Family
9:00AM	Roland & Jeffrey Pepin	Family
10:30AM	For the intentions of Kenneth Fontaine	Melo-Fontaine Fam.
5:00PM	Kenneth Gadle	Family

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**COLLECTION:**

The Weekly Offertory last weekend amounted to \$9,955.00.

