

# OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH



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### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.



## SAINT PATRICK

Roxbury, CT

### SUNDAY MASSES

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help**

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

**St. Patrick, Roxbury**

8:30 a.m.

### DAILY MASSES

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help**

Tuesday, Wednesday,

Thursday, Friday, Saturday

9:00 a.m.

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday at 3:15 p.m.

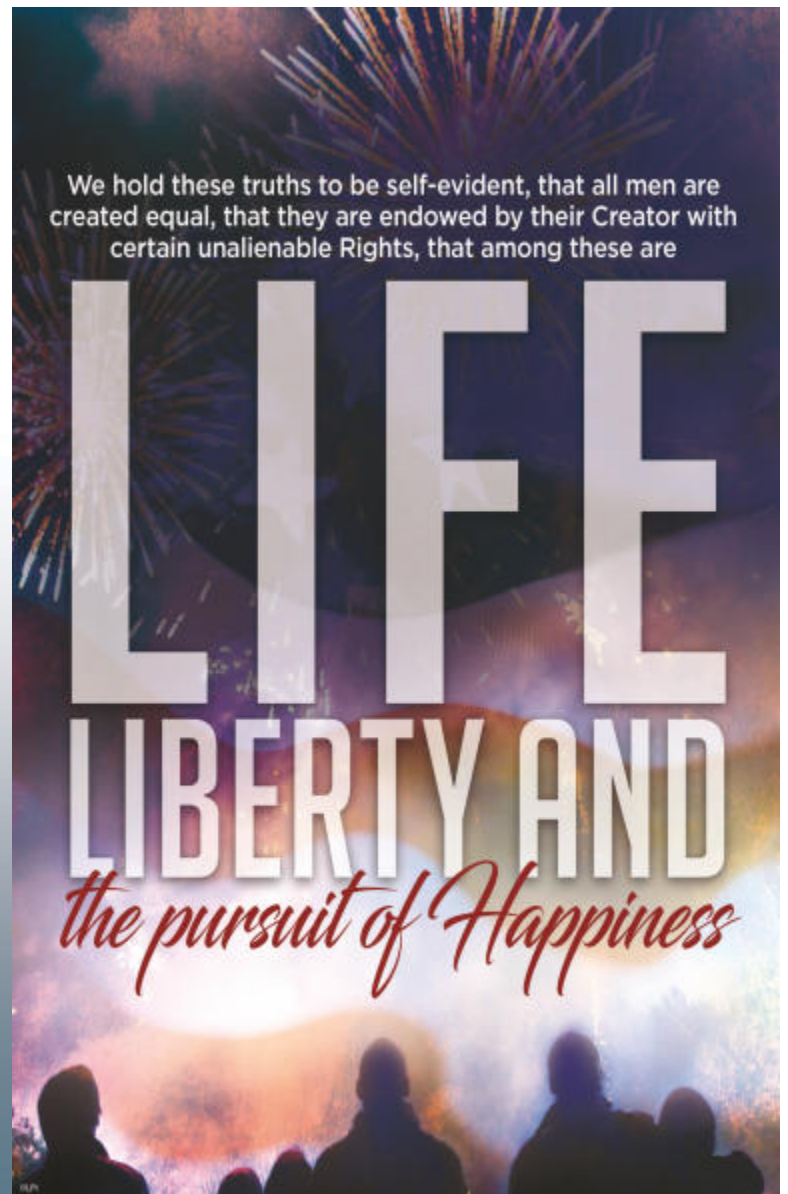
### MISSION STATEMENT

As part of the Archdiocese of Hartford facing the needs of a changing society and changing Church, aware of our uniqueness embracing the towns of Washington and Roxbury with many weekend residents as well as full-time resident families, conscious of being blessed with material and natural bounty, recognizing the special opportunities available in the setting of small towns dedicated to the spirit of ecumenism, we see our mission to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ through prayer, especially the Eucharist, through education, supporting parents in their role as the primary educators of their children as they prepare for their first reception of the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation, through social action building community among parish members, reaching out to Catholics not affiliated with the parish, and cooperating with the other churches in our towns, especially in addressing the needs of the community with a particular emphasis to reach out to those with special needs.

### TRUSTEES

Dean Aita

Barbara Henry







Congratulations to the following young members of our parish who received the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Francis Xavier Parish in New Milford on Saturday, June 26, 2021. The Reverend Gerald Dziedzic administered the Sacrament.

- ALEXIS JANE AITA
- JACOB ROBERT CONWAY
- SAOIRSE ROSE CROSSLEY
- JANELLE OLIVIA FRANKLAND
- ANDRE JOSEPH GAMELIN
- JENNIFER DYMPHNA HADDAD
- COLLIN PETER HARTY
- BRIANNA HELENA LASKOWSKI
- NATHAN PATRICK MCVAY

**ANointing of the Sick**

This Sacrament, as its name indicates, is administered to those who are seriously sick. The oil symbolizes Christ as a source of strength...physically, to recuperate or, spiritually, to accept the will of God. It may be administered for each new sickness or for the same illness, after a month or so. Father Joseph would be happy to answer any questions you may have. Also, if you, or someone you know, would like to receive Communion at home, please let us know and we would be happy to make arrangements.

**SAVE THE DATES**

**PARISH PICNIC**  
**SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 2021**

**WINE TASTING EVENT**  
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2021**

**GIVING MADE EASY WHILE YOU ARE ON THE GO...**  
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VISIT OUR CHURCH WEBSITE,  
[WWW.OURLADY-STPATRICK.ORG](http://WWW.OURLADY-STPATRICK.ORG),  
 TODAY TO SIGN UP AND GET STARTED.

**A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE**

by Bud Ozar

Today's gospel is so familiar, it hurts! The home town folks couldn't accept the presence of God in Jesus. After all, they had watched Him grow up. We can easily make the same mistake if we don't see God present in the ordinary routines of our family. "The Lord be with you" is a statement of fact. Believe it. Live it.

**REACHING OUT, HEALING TOGETHER.....**

It is not too late to give to the 2021 Archbishop's Annual Appeal! It is only with YOUR help that we will be able to achieve the Annual Appeal goal of \$10 Million. This year's Appeal goal may be a challenge - but it is nothing compared to the challenge many suffer with each and every day of their lives. The Archbishop's Annual Appeal helps provide the critical funding needed to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, counsel those in despair, offer much-needed assistance to the unemployed, and make medical care available to those without health insurance. Your gift to the 2021 Appeal will help to continue these and other vital ministries, services, and programs that reach out to so many in need. All funds contributed to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal are used exclusively for the purposes outlined in the Appeal literature, which can be found at <https://archdioceseofhartford.org/appeal/>. No Appeal funds are every used for legal fees or settlements.

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**

A Red Cross blood drive, hosted by St. John Episcopal Church, on behalf of the Washington Council of Churches, will be held on Friday, July 9, from 12 noon to 6:30 p.m. To sign up to donate blood, go to <https://redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=StJohnsCT> or call 1-800-733-2767.

**THERE IS AN URGENT NEED FOR DONORS AT THIS TIME.** Thank you.

**MASS ON THE ROAD.....**

Want to attend Mass while traveling but aren't sure when or where to find a church? Go to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) on the web. You'll find Mass times by city and parish with information on the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, non-English services and much more.

**BIBLE STUDY \*\*\*\* OPEN TO ALL**

All men and women of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish are invited to participate in a Bible Study Program.

- \*Title of Study: *Gospel Meditations*
- \*Day/Time: Tuesdays - 10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
- \*Place: Msgr. Carnicke Hall

Sacred Scripture is the Word of God. Come join us as we aspire to attain a deeper understanding of Sacred Scripture. Let us learn together in this rewarding adventure! To register or if you have any questions, contact Jean Suddaby at 860-868-2522.





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