

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

**Pope Saint John Paul II Vocation Monstrance  
coming to:**

**MIT Tech Catholic Community  
Cambridge, MA  
Wednesday, March 9, 2016  
7:30pm Mass, Holy Hour to follow**

Each year the Vocations Office of the Archdiocese of Boston coordinates a novena in honor of St. Patrick's which consists of a series of Holy Hours at various locations. The MIT Tech Catholic Community will be participating in this novena by hosting Mass followed by a Holy Hour on Wednesday, March 9 at 7:30pm. During this Holy Hour we will be using a monstrance blessed by Pope St. John Paul II. This Monstrance is one of six blessed and sent to six continents for the particular purpose of praying for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

During the Holy Hour we will be praying a Novena prayer in honor of St. Patrick for an increase of vocations in the Archdiocese of Boston. You are encouraged and invited to participate in this Novena. Mark your calendars! All are welcome!

### **Bulletin announcement:**

#### **Novena To St. Patrick**

O Glorious St. Patrick, who was sent to the people of Ireland to spread the faith and spend your life in loving service to God and His people we now turn to you, Patron of Boston, to intercede for us.

Help us to clasp unto our hearts, this day, the healing strength of the Trinity. May the example of your life, preaching and prayers inspire fervent and loving followers of Jesus in our Archdiocese. May your prayers obtain for us the grace to work together in building up the Church in Boston.

Pray for us to be open to the Holy Spirit and to live the vocation to holiness by loving God above all things and our neighbors as ourselves.

Intercede for us with the Master of the Harvest to send an abundance of workers into the fields. May your prayers obtain for us devoted Priests, Deacons and Religious to serve God and His Church

*Amen*