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INFORMATION PACKET

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

MARCH 19, 2025



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CONNECTICUT
MARCH FOR LIFE

Hosted by:



CONNECTICUT
CATHOLIC
CONFERENCE

meet the rally speakers

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**ANNOUNCING OUR
KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

**MELISSA
OHDEN**

*FOUNDER AND CEO,
THE ABORTION SURVIVORS NETWORK*

Pastor Abraham Hernandez - Emcee

Executive Director, National Hispanic
Christian Leadership Conference (NHCLC)

Peter Wolfgang

Executive Director, Family Institute of
Connecticut

**The Most Reverend Bishop Frank
Caggiano -Opening Prayer**

Diocese of Bridgeport

Jessica Power

New England Regional Coordinator, Students
for Life of America

State Representative Brian Lanoue

Connecticut General Assembly, District 45

Kaye-Leigh Doyle

Mother, current board member and former
client of Anchor of Hope Pregnancy Support
Center

Patrick Kelly

Supreme Knight of the Knights of Columbus

Melissa Ohden

Founder and CEO, Abortion Survivors
Network

Jennie Bradley Lichter

President, March for Life

Chris Healy

Executive Director, Connecticut Catholic
Conference

**Pastor Willie Cordero - Closing
Prayer**

Senior Pastor, New Life Worship Center

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day of schedule

11:00 a.m. Pre-Rally Concert at the Capitol

210 Capitol Ave Hartford, CT 06106

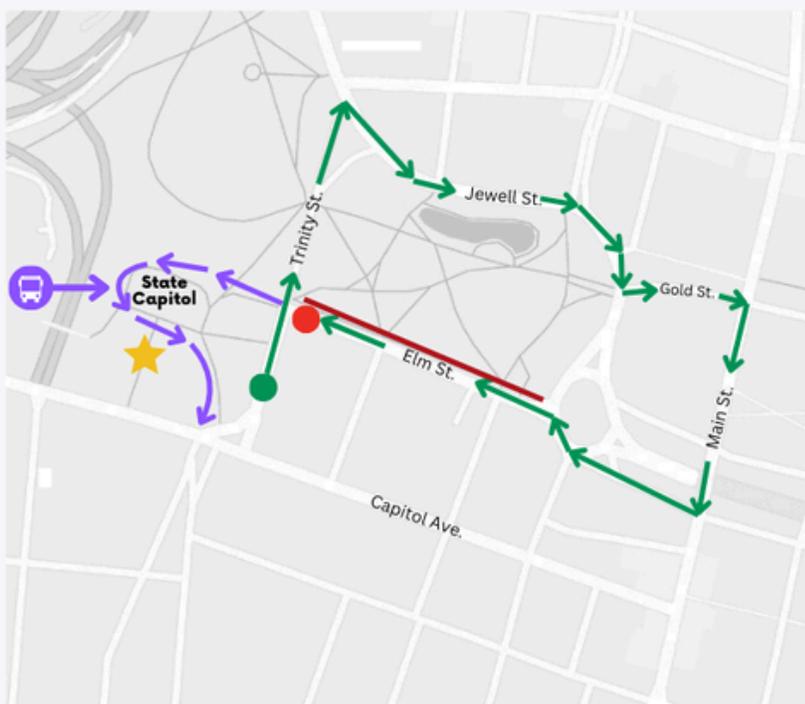
12:00 p.m. Rally at the Capitol

210 Capitol Ave Hartford, CT 06106

1:00 p.m. Connecticut March for Life

(Map below! Approximately 1 mile in length, about thirty minutes walking)

march map



Map Key

- Bus Drop Off
- Rally Site
- March Start
- March Route
- March Finish
- Bus Parking

Schedule

- 12:00 p.m. | Rally
- 1:00 p.m. | March for Life

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auxiliary

events

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

10:30 a.m. **Mass for Life**

The Cathedral of St. Joseph
140 Farmington Ave,
Hartford, CT 06105.

SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION:

Shuttles are scheduled to run continuously from 10:45am - 3:00p between the following two points.
Pickup: St. Joseph's Cathedral, 140 Farmington Ave, Hartford, CT 06105 - On the Farmington Ave side.
Dropoff: CT State Supreme Court, 231 Capitol Ave, Hartford, CT 06105 - Capitol Ave side, at crosswalk.
Shuttles will not enter the Capitol grounds in order to avoid intermingling with charter bus traffic.

11:00 a.m. **Student Sign Making Contest**

The Connecticut Pregnancy Care Coalition is hosting a student sign contest. Students, bring your hand-made signs to the side of the stage between 11 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. to be judged. See [the flyer](#) for more details on prizes!

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bus parking

Bringing a bus?

Let us know you're coming! If you are bringing a bus please fill out this form. Registered buses will receive updates and important information on parking leading up to the event.

Parking for Buses

Reserved bus parking will be along the march route. After dropping of marchers, buses can proceed to Elm St. for street parking along the side of the road. Parking will be on the Westbound side of the street so buses should enter Elm St. from Main St. and proceed down the street, filling parking closest to Trinity St. first.



Bus Drop-Off & Pick Up

Buses can drop off groups in the driveway surrounding the statehouse. Enter from Trinity St.

Buses can pick up at their parking location on Elm St. or on Trinity St. near where the march began (see map).

Please note buses need to complete drop-offs before the rally begins at 12:00p.m.

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frequently asked questions

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● Is registration required?

The Connecticut March for Life is a public event that is open to all pro-life Connecticut residents. Registration is not required for the Rally or March, but is highly encouraged to stay updated on the details!

● Where can individuals park?

Individual parking for cars is available on local streets and at various parking lots in the area. A map of garage and street parking can be found HERE.

● Will signs be provided?

We encourage you to be creative and bring your own signs! It is likely that many groups will have signs available as well. You can find additional sign ideas HERE.

● I want to lobby my legislator, but I'm not sure what to do. Where do I start?

We encourage you to contact your legislators prior to the March and setup a time to meet with them after the March and Rally. If you do not have an appointment, you can still go to the Legislative Office Building, which is connected directly to the Capitol, and leave a message for them with the receptionist. You can find your legislators here. You can call to set up an appointment at the numbers below.

House Democrats: 860-420-8500

House Republicans: 860-240-8700

Senate Democrats: 860-240-8600

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