ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF HARTFORD



OFFICE OF THE ARCHDIOCESAN ARCHIVES

POLICIES & PROCEDURES

~Relics~

The Archdiocesan Archives (est.1976) is an administrative office of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Hartford (AOH)

STATEMENT

- Documentation of parish altar relics comes directly from the Vatican and is presented directly to the parish or church, not the Archdiocese of Hartford or its Archives.
- The recipient parish or church is solely responsible for the care, safety and retention of said documentation, not the Archdiocese of Hartford or its Archives.
- Only the Vatican and the recipient parish or church hold copies of said documentation; neither the Archdiocese of Hartford or its Archives hold a duplicate copy of said document.
- Such documentation is usually printed on parchment, in either Latin or Italian, framed and traditionally hung on a wall in the church sacristy.
- Replacement of said documentation is done through the Vatican.
- Please contact the AOH Chancellor for assistance.

-Response of AOH Administration 2019