ST. PIO OF PIETRELCINA PARISH

October 11, 2026



Clergy

REVEREND THOMAS J. WALSH, PASTOR
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Parish Office:
355 Foxon Road
East Haven, Ct 06512
203-469-0764

Office Hours:
Monday through Friday, 9:00am to 2:00pm

Parish E-Mail Address:
stpioofpietrelcina@gmail.com

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stpioofpietrelcinaeh.com

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Grace, AI Assistant:

Church Information and Mass Schedules

Our Lady of Pompeii (OLOP)
355 Foxon Road
East Haven, Ct 06513
Daily Mass:
Monday through Thursday: 8:00am
Weekend:
Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 7:30 & 10:30am

St. Vincent DePaul (SVDP)
80 Taylor Avenue
East Haven, Ct 06512
Daily Mass:
Monday through Wednesday
8:45am
Weekend:
Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 11:45am

St. Bernadette (SB)
Daily Mass:
Thursday, Friday and First Saturday
8:45am
385 Townsend Avenue
New Haven, Ct 06512
Weekend:
Sunday: 9:00am

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY October 10 Vigil Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm **OLOP** + Giannelli Family
by Family

5:00pm **SVDP**+ Suzanne Glass
by Vincent & Erica Borzillo

****Vigil Mass time change**

SUNDAY October 11 Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am OLOP + Francis & Mary Nicol
by Vincenza Giannelli

9:00am SB + Philomena Phyllis Naclerio
by Matthew, Rita & Joe, Jr.

10:30am OLOP + Filomena LaVorgna

11:45am SVDP + Susan Ferro
by Frank Ferro

MONDAY October 12 Weekday

8:00am OLOP + All member of St Pio

8:45:00am SVDP + For all members of St Pio Parish

TUESDAY October 13 Weekday

8:00am OLOP + Joseph & Mary Duffy
By Family

8:45am SVDP + Jeff Cofrancesco (3rd anniversary)
by Family

WEDNESDAY October 14 St Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

8:00am OLOP + Anna & Bill Allen, Sr.
by Marianne Hall

8:45am SVDP+ Lawrence Doyle
by Clancy Palumbo Funeral Home

THURSDAY October 15 St Teresa of Jesus Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:00am OLOP+ Salvatore DeMayo & Rosemarie Rogalski
by Family

8:45am SB+ Philip Pomperoy
by wife, Gail

FRIDAY October 16 St Hedwig,Religious St Margaret Mary Alacoque,Virgin

8:45am SB+ Lena Cretella
by Nick Cretella

SATURDAY October 17 Vigil Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm **OLOP** + John Calamita
by Ron & Jean Benzi

5:00pm **SVDP+** Josephine & Joseph Riccitelli
by Joseph Riccitelli & Family

SUNDAY October 18 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am OLOP + Pamela Fox
by The Girls

9:00am SB + William Mitsakos, Sr.
by Daughter and Family

10:30 am OLOP + Anthony & Barbara Esposito Sommo
by Linda

11:45am SVDP + Deceased members of the Knights of Columbus
by Knights of Columbus Council 3300



Tragedy struck our community at 3:20p.m. on September 17th when 5 year old Cooper Villano was struck and killed less than 1/4 mile from Our Lady of Pompeii Church. I know many of our parishioners have gone to various services to remember little Cooper. Many more are praying for him and for his family. Anyone who would like to help his family financially may do so through our parish of St. Pio of Pietrelcina. The second collection on October 17th & 18th will go to the Villano family, except for envelopes especially earmarked for "The Propagation of the Faith." Anyone wishing to make a contribution next week can do so by putting a donation in a specially marked envelope for Cooper's family in either collection next week.

Gospel Meditation

Some friends invited me to one of the most famous and expensive restaurants in the country. I was grateful and eager to go. One invited friend even flew from another state for the experience. Every bite and sip was truly memorable and delicious. But my friends' teenage children spent much of the time on their phones, complained about the food, and generally ignored the once-in-a-lifetime experience. I wanted to yell, "C'mon, you guys! Look what you're missing!" In today's parable, Jesus describes people invited to an amazing wedding feast who respond with inexplicable indifference. He says, "Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business" (Matthew 22:5). The problem is not that they choose evil but that they allow other desires to distract them from an amazing opportunity. The feast is prepared, but their hearts are elsewhere. In Christ Jesus, God offers each of us a wildly extravagant offer: a place at the wedding banquet between heaven and earth. What are your current excuses for the delay in engaging with Jesus? How are you postponing a deepening of your relationship with him under the guise of responsibility? The good news is that the feast is ready. His invitation remains. Hear the Lord say to us, "C'mon, guys! Look what you're missing!" Then respond with concrete action.

—Father John Muir ©LPi



The Candles burn this week for these special intentions:

Our Lady of Pompeii Candles

Sanctuary Lamp (Right Side) ~ In Memory of Billy Richmond & All Souls in Purgatory
Sanctuary Lamp (Left Side) ~ In Memory of the Mauro & Elko Families
Chapel ~ Joseph & Mary Duffy by Family
Sacred Heart of Jesus ~ John H. Finn by Elaine
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Icon ~ For all families
Pascal Candle ~ Deceased members of the Calamita Family, Hart Family, Surprenant Family & Zito Family

St. Vincent de Paul Candles

Sanctuary Lamp (Right Side) ~ In Memory of the Balzano & Avitable Families
Sanctuary Lamp (Left Side) - In Memory of Ronald Paolillo
Our Lady's Altar ~ Bobby Consiglio by Renee
St. Joseph's Altar ~ Andrew Cafiero by Frances Carusone
Pascal Candle ~ Barbara & Maurice Connolly

St. Bernadette Candles

Sanctuary Lamp (Left Side) ~ Fred & Carmel DeMichele
St Bernadette Candle ~ For all families
Sanctuary Lamp (Right Side) ~ Special Intention
Pascal Candle ~ For all unborn babies by Peter Anyzeski



STEWARDSHIP
October 4, 2026
First Collection: $11,400.00
Second Collection: $4,689.00
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



Calling All Decorators



We are fast approaching the holiday season and calling on some of our parishioners to help out with decorating our churches for both Christmas and Easter. We have representatives from each campus who are ready to lead this all important task, but they can't do it alone. If you are interested in helping out please contact the following:

Our Lady of Pompeii:
Lucille and Bob Huelin 203-468-0318

St Bernadette:
Blanche and Bill Grego 203-469-8979

St. Vincent de Paul:
Cathy and Carmine Amento 203-467-7047

Thank you in advance for considering this volunteer position.

Midnight Run
Taylor Avenue Campus

The Midnight Run for November is the **2nd Monday**, which is **November 9th** Donations of brown bag lunches, water, juice boxes and toiletries are appreciated. These donations can be dropped off to Sue Stacey's home, 82 Forbes Place, up until 7pm on **Monday, November 9th** Any questions, please contact Sue at 203-214-1762. Thank you and God bless you for all donations. Stay safe & well.

Midnight Run
Foxon Road Campus

On the last Monday of each month, we bring 75 bagged lunches to the Columbus House Overflow Shelter.

Donations Needed:
ShopRite Gift Cards or
Gallon Size Ziploc Bags
Quart Size Ziploc Bags
Peanut Butter & Jelly
Juice Pouches
Raisin Boxes
Fruit Cups & Pudding Cups
Granola Bars
Individual Packaged Cookies, Crackers or Chips
We are also looking for small amounts or full skeins of yarn, it will be used to make hats and scarves for the midnight run. Please leave your donations at any entrance of Our Lady of Pompeii church **ONLY.** Thank you.

Midnight Run is the **LAST** Monday of **EVERY** month from Our Lady of Pompeii Church from 6-7 pm. Thank-you for being so generous!



St. Bernadette Food Pantry located at the St. Bernadette School is open every Saturday from 10:00am-11:00am. We are always in need of non-perishable foods. Top choices are, canned: tomatoes, **tomato sauce,** vegetables, tuna fish, **soups** and fruits. Pasta, mac & cheese and **peanut butter**. Consumption guidelines provided to us from the CT Food Bank: Expiration/Code Date Extensions past expiration: high acid foods (i.e. tomatoes) 12-18 months. Low acid foods (canned meat, most vegetables) 2-5 years. Food in jars, 12 months past expiration, dry cereal 6-12 months, rice/pasta (dry) 1year. Questions, please contact Deb at 203-671-2586 or Rico at 203-671-1402



The East Haven Food Pantry is asking for items needed for Thanksgiving during the months of October and November. Stuffing, gravy and cranberry sauce are some specific items requested. Please leave your donations of food at the church entrances. The Food Pantry will be open from 9:00 am-11:00 am on Tuesdays and Saturdays for East Haven residents. For more information, call Christine Sandford at 203-469-7823

St Pio of Pietrelcina Parish
Groups, Studies and Devotions



Holy Hour
Monday mornings, 8:30 to 9:30 am
Our Lady of Pompeii Church



Bible Studies
Monday mornings, in person 10:30 am
Tuesday evenings, 7:00 pm
Zoom meeting
Contact Christine Sandford 203-469-7823

Wednesday evenings, 6:30 pm
St Vincent dePaul Parish Building
Contact Marie Connors 203-468-1184



Rosary
Every evening 8:00 pm
Zoom Meetings
Contact Patti Scussel 203-710-7886

Thursday, 7:00 pm
Our Lady of Pompeii Chapel
Contact Patti Scussel 203-710-7886



Divine Mercy Chaplet
Every Saturday, 11:00 am
Our Lady of Pompeii Chapel
Contact Sally Mucka 203-469-0764 Ext 8

Monthly Rosary
Every second Tuesday, 6:30 pm
November 10, 2026
St Bernadette Church
Contact Mike Firriani 203-627-9216

Men's Group
Saturday mornings 7:30 am to 9:00am
St Vincent DePaul Parish Building
Contact Deacon Wayne 203-804-8364

ACTS CONNECTICUT

St Pio of Pietrelcina
Women's ACTS Retreat
November 19-22, 2026

The Women of St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish are sponsoring an ACTS Retreat. The ACTS retreat is a three-day, three-night Catholic lay retreat presented by women who have attended prior ACTS retreats, under the guidance of a Catholic Guide. Offering a unique format, this retreat is unlike anything you may have experienced in the past. The goals are to renew yourself spiritually, to strengthen your faith and its application in your daily life, and to create lasting and supporting friendships within your church communities.

The Retreat begins Thursday evening at St. Vincent dePaul (80 Taylor Avenue, East Haven, CT). Participants will then be transported to the St Edmund's Retreat, Enders Island in Stonington, CT. The retreat ends Sunday with mass at St. Vincent de Paul at 11:45am followed by a reception in St Vincent DePaul church

For more information about this ACTS retreat call:

Jean Benzi	**203-627-3280**
Tara Daly	**203-415-4545**
Cindy Taylor	**203-464-9444**

Registration forms and informative brochures are available in all three of our churches.

Please note:

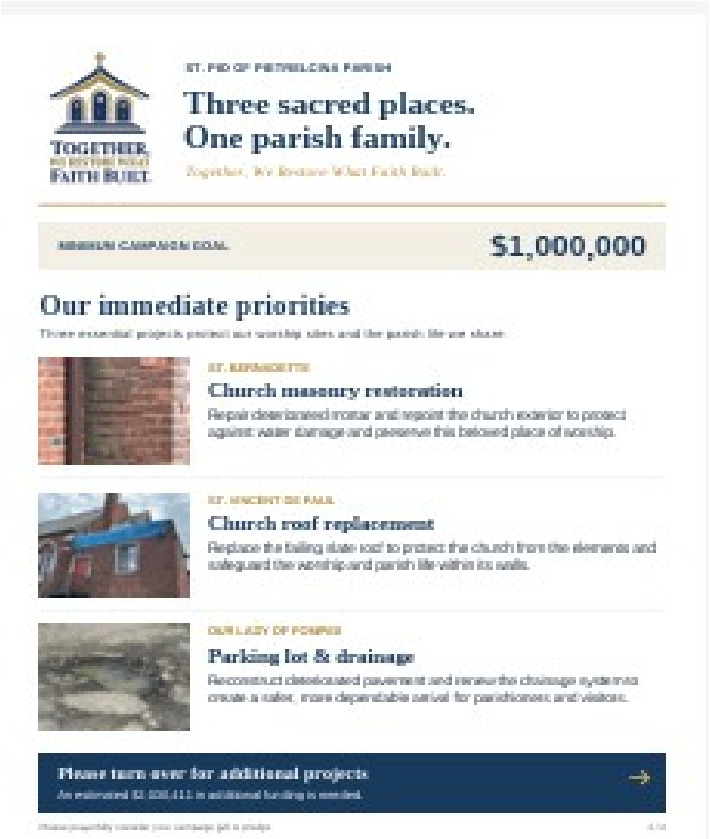
Those who have already attended ACTS Retreats will be placed on a waiting list as preference will be given to first time retreatants.

A Note From Our Pastor

The Catholic Medical Association is able to such great work every year due to a strong spiritual foundation. The CMA awards the Outstanding Guild Chaplain Award to "a chaplain who provides exceptional spiritual direction and guidance, helping its members stay true to the Catholic Faith. This year's recipient has far exceeded expectations. He has developed and shared daily Scripture reflections with all Guild members, offered weekly prayer meetings, celebrated the annual White Mass at his parish and actively participated in every Guild event." This year, the CMA is presenting the 2026 Outstanding Guild Chaplain Award to our own Rev. Matthew Cherian, Ph.D. He will receive the award on October24th at Brazi's Restaurant in New Haven. Congratulations Father Matthew!

St, Pio of Pietrelcina Parish Together, We Restore What Faith Built

Our campaign letter should arrive in your home this week. Please do not set it aside as simply another piece of mail. The projects described in it affect the safety and future of each of our worship sites. Read the brochure, pray about a commitment that is meaningful for your household, and return the pledge card when you are ready. If you need a packet or have questions, please speak with a committee member or contact the parish office.





Our Lady of the Rosary Council #3300

Knights of Columbus News

Rodrigo Council #44

Knights of Columbus Council #3300 Upcoming Events

- Stuff a Truck- November 21st &22nd

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council #3300

Porchetta Dinner





Oct. 17 , 6:30 pm
Our Lady of Pompeii Church Hall
Adults $30
Kids 12 & under $15

Dinner includes Porchetta, Chicken, Pasta, & Salad
As well as Coffee & Dessert

Tickets must be purchased by Oct. 10th

For tickets please contact Joe Criscuolo at
(203)- 928- 7020

Coats for Kids Drive







Please Make Checks Payable to KOFC #3300

1 case of 12 coats is $300. That's $25 for a heavy winter coat for a child in need!!

Help Keep Our Kids Warm!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
RODRIGO COUNCIL #44

2026 FALL CLOTHES DRIVE

Now through October 20th

IN CONJUCTION WITH
PAY IT FORWARD
ARE PROUD TO SPONSOR

CLOTHING DRIVE CLOTHING DRIVE

Each day, from now until October 20th, remove one item from your closet that you no longer wear or need and place it into a bag. At the end, bring your donations to St. Bernadette Church to share with someone you can really use them.

.... but when you give alms, your left hand must know what your right is doing; your alms- giving must be secret and your Father who sees all that is done in secret will reward you.

Final Drop-off: Thursday October 20th

St. Bernadette Parking Lot

385 Townsend Ave. New Haven, CT 06512

Come out and donate used or new clothing and shoes.
We are collecting clothing for men, women and children, shoes, handbags, Linens, comforters & curtains.
Place items in heavy-duty bags.

All items must be clean and stain free. Simply drive by and drop off!

Proceeds to Benefit Knights of Columbus Rodrigo Council #44

Councill #44 is a 501 (c) (8)

Clothes Distributed by Pay It Forward

For more information or to schedule a drop-off call

Sal DeCola 203-641-1857 or Mike Fimiani 203-627-9216



Knights of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44 will be sponsoring an Italian/English Mass at the beautiful Townsend Estate on Townsend Avenue, New Haven on Sunday October 25th at 12:00 noon. Mass will be celebrated by Father Thomas Walsh and concelebrated by Father Joseph MacNeil. If you plan to attend, please respond by the weekend of October 17-18th.

Name: _____

Number of Persons Attending: _____

Phone Number _____

You may also call or text:
Sal DeCola 203-641-1857
Mike Fimiani 203-627-9216

Branches on the Vine

NEWS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF HARTFORD OCTOBER 10 - 16, 2026

Monthly Luncheons in Waterbury Keep Older Adults Connected to *One Another*

- Story by Karen A. Avitabile



Marie and Lucille Therrien, standing left to right, sponsor a monthly luncheon for older parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish in Waterbury. They enjoy spending some time with the guests too. PHOTO BY KAREN A. AVITABILE

Sisters Lucille and Marie Therrien wanted to help older adults in their parish community stay in touch with one another while enjoying a good meal at the same time.

For nearly four decades, various groups within St. Michael the Archangel Church in Waterbury have been involved with sponsoring a luncheon for older parishioners.

About eight years ago, Marie decided to restart the lunch for mature parishioners with the help of her sister. This monthly gathering, which is open to parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish, has expanded significantly and now draws an average of 100 people each month.

"We have fun doing it and people enjoy the food," Lucille says. "People look forward to it."

The sisters, former residents of Waterbury, now reside in Wolcott and generously sponsor the lunch gatherings for guests. With assistance from volunteers, they handle the shopping, prepare the meal, coordinate catering if needed and help to serve it.

The volunteers also assist by setting up the church hall for the lunches by arranging tables, chairs, tablecloths, napkins, plates, cups and utensils.

On a recent Wednesday, guests enjoyed a meal of ziti, meatballs, salad and bread followed by cookies and ice cream for dessert. Volunteers and guests usually bring the desserts to share.

Parishioner and Waterbury resident Donna Marburger is a regular volunteer. "It's a way of serving the church family and God," she says. "I help out wherever Marie needs me. I love this community here."

Guests say they enjoy getting together to meet up with friends and their parish community.

Jim Robinson has been attending the luncheons for about a year. "We had heard about it and people said we needed to come," he says. "It's nice to get together."

Father James Sullivan, rector of Immaculate Conception Parish, and Auxiliary Bishop Juan Miguel Betancourt offer a blessing over the food and often dine with the parishioners.

"We do a lot for the young in the parish," Father Sullivan says, "but it's great to have something just for the seniors. It creates a great community."

Bishop Betancourt concurs. "I enjoy being with them. I love the work they are doing."

Older adults from Immaculate Conception Parish in Waterbury are invited to a free lunch held on the third Wednesday of each month, noon to 1:30 p.m., in the basement church hall of St. Michael the Archangel Church, 62 St. Michael's Drive, Waterbury. No reservations are needed. For questions, call the parish office, 203.574.0017.

Upcoming Events

OCTOBER 16 & 17
CHURCH OF SAINT ANN CLOTHING SALE
Church of St. Ann, Avon

Whether you're looking for children's clothing, outerwear, jeans, sweaters, casual wear, activewear for men and women, jewelry, purses, scarves, we have something for everyone! And the best part? Every purchase supports an amazing cause! All proceeds help urban children attend Catholic high schools.

Come shop, find some great bargains, and make a difference while you're at it! Friday October 16, 4PM - 7PM and Saturday October 17th 9AM - 2PM

OCTOBER 16 @ 5:30PM
HOLY HOUR FOR WOMEN'S VOCATIONS
Mount Sacred Heart Chapel, Hamden

Come pray for women's vocations with us! All are welcome - men, women, and families. Prayer will be followed by a free dinner. Contact Carlene **cdemiany@ascjus.org** for questions!

OCTOBER 17 @ 4PM
MARY OF THE AMERICAS / MARÍA EN LAS AMÉRICAS
The Shrine of María Reina de la Paz, Hartford

Mary of the Americas is an Archdiocesan multicultural Marian celebration that brings together Hispanic Catholic communities and participating parishes from across the Archdiocese of Hartford. The event will include the Holy Rosary and a bilingual Holy Mass, followed by cultural and gastronomic presentations representing various countries of the Americas. Through prayer, faith, music, and cultural traditions, the celebration honors the Blessed Virgin Mary while highlighting the unity and diversity of the Church. All are welcome!

OCTOBER 18 @ 1:30PM
"I WILL ALWAYS BE JOYFUL": SAINT PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI'S LIFE AND WITNESS
Bl. Michael McGivney Parish, St. Mary Church Hall, New Haven

Father Philip Nolan, O.P., editor of the Magnificat magazine, will discuss the youthful sanctity of recently-canonized Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati and his relevance for today. All welcome to attend!

OCTOBER 22 @ 7PM
HOLY HOUR AND CONSECRATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS
Mount Sacred Heart Chapel, Hamden

Join the Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus for a grace-filled prayer service to entrust yourself or your family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus! Each person or family will receive a blessed image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus for their home.

The ceremony will include:
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
A special prayer of consecration
A blessing of each individual and family
A blessing of house keys

NOVEMBER 1 @ 3PM
FROM BROADWAY TO THE MET: A BENEFIT CONCERT FOR HAITI
St. James Church, Rocky Hill

You are warmly invited to an uplifting afternoon of music. Admission is free, and donations will be gratefully accepted to support our sister parish, St. Anne in Saintard, Haiti. Our program spans Broadway favorites, Classical masterpieces, and Sacred music.

Approximately 50 singers from various parishes across our diocese, as well as professional soloists Rochelle Bard and Daniel Juarez, will present beloved classics including The Prayer, Bring Him Home from Les Misérables, For Good from Wicked, Nessun Dorma, and much more. Bring your family and friends to experience this musical celebration for a wonderful cause!

NOVEMBER 27 @ 5PM
MEN'S EVENING OF REFLECTION
St. Paul Parish, St. Paul Church, Berlin

Young Men of Faith - this night is for you!

Join us for a free evening of fellowship and renewal!

We'll start the evening by gathering in the church hall for great food and fellowship. It is always a special time to reconnect, catch up on one another's busy lives, and enjoy the gift of friendship. Then, the Franciscan Friars of Our Lady of the Angels Province will lead us in an inspiring time of learning more about St. Francis and his joyful way of following Christ. This event is hosted by the St. Paul Church Young Men's Group.

Register using the QR or contact:
EveningOfReflectionRegister@gmail.com

2026 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of today, 16.72% of all Archdiocesan parishioners raised $10 million for our Archdiocesan ministries.
Imagine the difference if one in four parishioners joined in.
Help us reach 26% participation in 2026!!

WE ARE ONE

www.archdioceseofhartford.org/appeal



ST. PIO LADIES GUILD

BINGO FUNDRAISER

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16th

OUR LADY OF POMPEII HALL
355 Foxon Road East Haven

DOORS OPEN @ 5:30 pm
GAMES START @ 6:30 pm

$$$ Cash Prizes $$$

Ticket Price: $15.00

NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR!

For Tickets Contact:

Patti Scussel @ 203-710-7886, parscussel@aol.com
or
Barbara Piscitelli @ 203-430-0195

Daubers, Water and Snacks Available for Purchase





There is a new ministry in our parish, which would like to acknowledge parishioners who are homebound, sick, or had an operation and have not been able to attend Mass. The parish wants the person to know that they are loved and missed by sending a card. If you would like a member of the parish to receive a card from the church, please either email or call the church office with the person's name and address and we will send him or her a card.



Join Father Walsh and help form a Pro-Life Committee



Our Catholic faith teaches that we are Pro-life. We believe that all life is Precious to the Lord.

Psalm 139: 13-14

13 You created my inmost being;
you knit me together in my mother's womb.
14 I praise you because I am wonderfully made;
awesome are your works, as I know very well.

Pro-choice is not really a choice, Planned Parenthood offers only one solution to women facing an unexpected pregnancy. We as the faithful must offer an alternative solution to women by supporting Catholic Organizations that provide assistance to those who choose life.



To Sign up For The Pro-Life Committee:

Call Fr. Walsh: 203-469-0764 Ext. 3
or
Sally Mucka: 203-415-2710





Prayer Shawl Ministry

I am reaching out to anyone who would be interested in joining our ministry—don't know how to knit or crochet? No problem, we will teach you and provide yarn and needles. We meet on the 1st Friday of the month from 1:00-3:00pm in the Lower Office Meeting Room at Our Lady of Pompeii
You can contact Christine Higgins for either of the above at 203-606-7347

Knight of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44
St. Bernadette's Church New Haven, CT
"Getting More With 44"

Knights of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44
of St. Pio Pietrelcina Parish St. Bernadette Campus
Is now selling tickets for the 2027 300 Club

Rodrigo Council Members, St. Pio Pietrelcina Parish and friends,

The Knights of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44 is offering an opportunity to join our annual 300 Club. The club will run from January 2027 to December 2027.

Four winning numbers will be drawn each month for twelve (12) months.

Deadline to enter
Will be January 3rd
THESE MAKE
GREAT GIFTS!

EACH ENTRY HAS
49
CHANCES TO WIN

FIRST NUMBER wins $150.00
SECOND NUMBER wins $100.00
THIRD NUMBER wins $75.00
FOURTH NUMBER wins $50.00

One Grand Prize of $1000.00 will be drawn in December 2027.

Numbers will be drawn on the second Saturday of each month at our council meeting. All winners will be notified by phone or email. Names will also be placed in the parish bulletin.

ALL WINNING NUMBERS will be returned for the following months drawing.

Tickets for membership is limited to 300.

YOU MUST BE IN IT TO WIN IT!

The cost of membership is $50.00.

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RODRIGO COUNCIL 44

PROCEEDS FROM THIS PROGRAM WILL BENEFIT OUR COUNCIL'S CHARITABLE DONATIONS TO ST. PIO OF PIETRELCINA PARISH COMMUNITY, OUR COMMUNITY IN GENERAL AND THOSE IN NEED.

Knight of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44
St. Bernadette's Church New Haven, CT

Should you wish to reserve a specific number please select a number form 1-300. Please indicate your preferred numbers, First, Second or Third choice. Numbers will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. If numbers are not available, the next available number will be assigned.

Payment must be made at the time of number selection. Only 1 entry per form.

Name:_____ 1st Choice_____

Address:_____ 2nd Choice_____

Phone:_____email:_____ 3rd Choice_____

Cash:_____Check:_____Check #:_____

Greeter Recruitment for 11:45 a.m. Mass

We've received very positive feedback from the pilot Hospitality Greeter program at the 11:45 a.m. Mass at St. Vincent de Paul church over the past several months. Parishioners say they appreciate the warm welcome they're being offered by our volunteer Greeters, who themselves enjoy helping out with this important ministry. If you're interested in becoming a Greeter, or would like to learn more about the requirements, please reach out to the program co-chairs: Carol Pompano, 203.901.5063 (carol.pompano@comcast.net), or Jennie Llanos, 203.469.0764, option #4, (tempccd19@gmail.com). Greeters need to complete a short online Virtus training and follow a set of guidelines approved by Father Walsh. New Greeters will assist a "veteran" Greeter for one or two Masses as an orientation. Please consider joining this new ministry



Mass Schedule

October 10 & October 11, 2026

4:00p.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Walsh
5:00p.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Matthew
7:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Walsh
9:00a.m. Mass SB: Fr Matthew
10:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Walsh
11:45a.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Landback

October 17 & October 18, 2026

4:00p.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Matthew
5:00p.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Landback
7:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Borino
9:00a.m. Mass SB: Fr Walsh
10:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Matthew
11:45a.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Walsh
**Deacons Preaching
7:30am/10:30am: Deacon Wayne
5:00pm/9am: Deacon George
4:00pm/11:45am: Deacon Larry

October 24 & October 25, 2026

4:00p.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Walsh
5:00p.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Matthew
7:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Walsh
9:00a.m. Mass SB: Fr Mathew
10:30a.m. Mass OLOP: Fr Landback
11:45a.m. Mass SVDP: Fr Matthew

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Our Lady of Pompeii:
Saturday, 3:00-3:30pm
St. Vincent DePaul
Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm

