

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF  
**ST. PIO OF PIETRELCINA**

REVEREND THOMAS J. WALSH, PASTOR  
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## 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her." - Lk 10:41-42

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**16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
***July 20, 2025***

### Mass Intentions for the Week

**SATURDAY, July 19 - Vigil - 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**4:00pm OLOP** + Anthony Mauro

by Kathy Mauro

**5:30pm SVDP** +Carmine 'Chick' Riccitelli, Sr.

by Jim & Marie Connors

**SUNDAY, July 20 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30am OLOP + Filomena Lavorgna

by Husband, Attilio

9:00am SB + Deceased Members of St. Pio Parish

by Clancy-Palumbo Funeral Home, East Haven

10:30am OLOP + Ginnelli Family

by Family

11:45am SVDP + Maria Truffa

by Frances

**MONDAY, July 21 - St. Lawrence of Brindisi**

8:00am OLOP + Margaret Gallagher

by Ursula DeMartino

8:00am SVDP + Frank & Peggy Cinque

by Family

**TUESDAY, July 22 – St. Mary Magdalene**

8:00am OLOP + Deacon Pat Villecco

8:00am SVDP + Donna Onofrio-Nero

by Family

**WEDNESDAY, July 23 – St. Bridget**

8:00am OLOP + Ralph Mauro & Patty

by Kathy Mauro

8:00am SVDP + Robert Izzo

by Sister & Family

**THURSDAY, July 24 - St. Sharbel Makhluf**

8:00am OLOP + Antonio DiBenedetto

by Wife & Family

8:00am SB + Lucy Ardito

by Clancy-Palumbo Funeral Home

**FRIDAY, July 25 - St. James**

8:00am SB + John, Jr. & Sr. & Ralph Borrelli

by Anastasio Family

**SATURDAY, July 26 - Vigil - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**4:00pm OLOP** + Nicholas & Angelina Criscuolo

by Children

**5:30pm SVDP** +Vincent Grasso

by Kevin Malarney

**SUNDAY, July 27 – 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30am OLOP + Mark Anthony Speers

by Love Always, Mom

9:00am SB + Carmine Riccitelli, Sr.

by Carol Scussel

10:30am OLOP + Frank Massimino

by Wife, Josephine & Family

11:45am SVDP + Albert Mauriello, Sr.

by Family

### STEWARDSHIP

July 12 & 13

**Regular Collection \$6,966.00**

**Utility Collection \$5,640.00**

**July 26 & 27 Second Collection:**

**None**

Thank you to the many of you who have been so generous and responsive in these difficult times.

### SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 (1a)/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Mt 13:10-17

Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Mt 20:20-28

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Mt 13:24-30



**Holy Hour**  
Come spend time in  
the presence of Jesus.

Every Monday, immediately following morning Mass at Our Lady of Pompeii, there is one hour of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

### CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

**Our Lady of Pompeii:** Saturday at 3:00-3:30pm

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Saturday at 4:30-5:00pm

**SILENCE.**

Please, be mindful that many parishioners arrive early prior to the start of Mass in order to sit reflectively with the LORD in prayer. Please, be mindful of the level of your voice and that voices carry from the back of the church to the front. Please, maintain a subdued tone when speaking so that other's quiet time is not disturbed.



**2026 MASS BOOK -**

**is now open!**

Kindly have your Mass requests ready when scheduling. We will continue to have a limit of 2 weekend Masses per individual booking.

**Payment due at time of booking and is cash or check only.**

**St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish**

**Address:** 355 Foxon Road, East Haven, CT 06513

**Phone Number:** (203) 469-0764

**Office Hours:**

**Foxon Road:** Mon-Thu 8:00-12:00 & 1:00-4:00;

**Fri:** 8:00-12:00

**Taylor Avenue:** Tue. & Thu. 9:00-1:00

**E-Mail:** stpioofpietrelcina@gmail.com

**Website:** stpioofpietrelcinaeh.com



# MINISTRY & EVENT CALENDAR

<b>SUNDAY, JULY 20</b> No Activities or Events Scheduled	<b>SUNDAY, JULY 27</b> No Activities or Events Scheduled
<b>MONDAY, JULY 21</b> Holy Hour - 8:30-9:30am in Our Lady of Pompeii Church	<b>MONDAY, JULY 28</b> Holy Hour - 8:30-9:30am in Our Lady of Pompeii Church
<b>TUESDAY, JULY 22</b> Carnival - 6:30pm-10:00pm at OLOP Church Grounds	<b>TUESDAY, JULY 29</b> Bible Study - 6:30pm at SVDP Parish Office Contact Marie Connors at 203-468-1184 Rosary Group - 8:00pm on Zoom Contact Sally Mucka at 203-469-0764 ext. 8
<b>WEDNESDAY, JULY 23</b> Carnival - 6:30pm-10:00pm at OLOP Church Grounds	<b>WEDNESDAY, JULY 30</b> Bible Study - 7:00pm on Zoom Contact Christine Sandford at 203-469-7823 Rosary Group - 8:00pm on Zoom Contact Sally Mucka at 203-469-0764 ext. 8
<b>THURSDAY, JULY 24</b> Carnival - 6:30pm-10:00pm at OLOP Church Grounds	<b>THURSDAY, JULY 31</b> Scriptural Rosary - 7:00pm at OLOP Chapel Contact Sally Mucka at 203-469-0764 ext. 8
<b>FRIDAY, JULY 25</b> Carnival - 6:30pm-10:00pm at OLOP Church Grounds	<b>FRIDAY, AUGUST 1</b> Rosary Group - 8:00pm on Zoom Contact Sally Mucka at 203-469-0764 ext. 8
<b>SATURDAY, JULY 26</b> Padre Pio Relics - 11:00am-7:30pm at SVDP Church Carnival - 6:30pm-10:00pm at OLOP Church Grounds	<b>SATURDAY, AUGUST 2</b> Men's Group - 7:30am-9:00am at SVDP Parish Center



## **New Parish App Now Available For Download!**

Be sure to download the app after Mass today by searching for the myparish app on your phone's app store or by scanning the QR code and stay connected with us all week long.



A growing number of parishioners are taking advantage of our online giving option, signing up for everything from on going weekly offerings to gifts for Christmas flowers. You may make a one-time gift or sign up for recurring donations. Visit <https://stpiaoofpietreleinaeh.com/> and click on the 'Give' button for online giving and account registration. Contact the Parish Office with any questions. Online Giving

**The Candles burn this week for these special intentions:**

**Our Lady of Pompeii Candles**

*Sanctuary Lamp (Right Side) ~ In Memory of Billy Richmond & For All the Souls in Purgatory*

*Sanctuary Lamp (Left Side) ~ In Memory of the Mauro & Elko Families*

*Chapel ~*

*Sacred Heart of Jesus ~*

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help Icon ~*

*Pascal Candle ~ Deceased Members of the Calamita, Hart, Surprenant & Zito Families*

**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 ~*

*St. Joseph's Altar ~ Pasquale Romano by Family*

*Pascal Candle ~ Barbara & Maurice Connolly*

**St. Bernadette Candles**

*Sanctuary Lamp (Left Side) ~*

*Sanctuary Lamp (Right Side) ~ Vincent Savo by Mom & Dad*

*Pascal Candle ~ All The Souls in Purgatory*

**PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**

Nick Vessicchio, Sally Ann Fallon, Lynette Ely, David T. Boyle, Richard Lucibello, Bryan Surprenant, Sharon Spadacenta, Marie Zambrano, Helen Langello, Brian Savo, Gerry Andrea, Alan Poirier, Connie Rasimas, Jane Pyka, Harry Clark, Lou DiNola, Geraldine Licciardi, Joseph Anyzeski, Fran Sofo, Elizabeth Kuen, Deborah Sanning, Paula Ferrara, Tina Marie Fionia, Joseph Parise, Frank DelGrego, Moira Ferguson, Danielle Joubert, Frances Polaski, Pauline Condon, Rose Anna Izzo, Angelo DeMatteo, Patricia Aulenti, Michael Pascale, Mark Schettino, Patty DiMilo, Rose Rogalski, Elaine Smith, Karen Rescigno, Virginia Pisano, DJ DiVincenzo, Philip & Sally DeMilo, Anna Concelmo, Anna Marie Nappi, Brian Higney, Rich Tortora, Denise Bailey, Joseph Peterson, Marion Mahl, Paula Ruddock, Pamela Willis, Laura Luzzi, Brian Wilson, Maureen Redmond, Kristianne Argentino, Shirley Perrelli, Andrew & Catherine Criscuolo, Patricia Miles, Joe Coscia, Deborah Verab, Dona Marie, Christina Meoli, Michelle Smith, Ron Mattei, Charlene Tantalio, Al Forgieo, Gabriella Garrity, Beverly Fucci, W.D. Merkle, Phyllis Anastasio, Cheryl Barbara, Laura-Phyllis Esposito, Diana Vitelli O'Brien, Meghan Keeney, Gennaro Milone, Jo Vuolo, Felicia DeRoche, Mike Barnett, Richard Costanzo, Carole & Frank Casapulla, Michael Bowen, Linda Montone, Carol Esposito, Fred & Barbara Brow, Roberta Sanders-Gray, Jeannette Winston, Marilyn Sisson, Ryder Feeley, Theodore Siwinski, Michael Enders, Nicholas Cerillo, Edwina Cinque, Renee Flynn, The Cooper Family, Lynn Ely, Ethan Roche, Frances Graney, Rose Paula Dziedulonis, Taras Mychajlowskyj, Denise Steiner, Gloribeth R., Stacie Bouchard, Al Sappinetti, Guy Racino, Michael Polaski, Martha Catel, Eddie Villecco, Isaiah Colville, Jennie Nazario, Joan Proto, Caitlin Rustic, Michael Filion, John Torello, Mauro Antonio Bezanilla, Matteo Criscuolo, Robert Filion, Lucy Carbone, Dorene Izzo, Lucille Palange, Mark Houston, Avery Bye, Alex Bernaitis, Vincent Pisano, Barbara Bellucci, Michael Bulger, Anna Sabatino, Audrey Elder, Theresa Polio, Mike Liso, John Mongillo, Sr., Juan & Family, Vern Kelly, Monica Cantore, Fr. Lawrence Boch, Antoinette Comiskey, Diane DiLungo, Frances 'Jean' Massimino, Luca Small, Vincent Savo, Alex Dugatto, Kim Vincent-Foschini, Dawn Quartiano Ferraro, Sal DeCola, Pasquale Marino, Bernadette Mckiernan, Bill Izzo, Ron Ardito, Fr. Krugle, Arthur Brigante, Angela & Kevin Medley, Lucille & Paul Sarno, Joycelyn Bila, Richard Marshall, Sandy Derbacher, John Cavallaro, Mr. Rubenstein, Roberta Perillo

Please send prayer requests to [stpioofpietrelcina@gmail.com](mailto:stpioofpietrelcina@gmail.com) so that our parishioners and friends can be remembered in our prayers.

**Midnight Run  
Taylor Avenue Campus**

The Midnight Run for **August** is the **2nd Monday**, which is **August 11th**. 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, August 11th**. 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

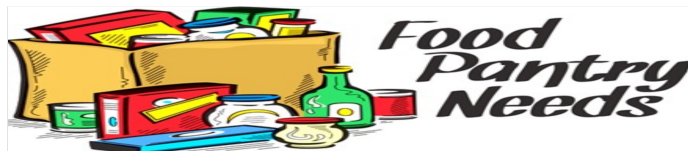
Individual Packaged Cookies, Crackers or Chips

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) 1 year. Questions, please contact Deb or Rico at 203-468-7489



**THE EAST HAVEN FOOD PANTRY** is asking for canned vegetables, pasta and soup for the month of June. Please leave your donations of food at the church entrances.

The Food Pantry will be open from 9:00am-11:00am on Saturdays & Tuesdays for East Haven residents.

For more info call Christine Sandford 203-469-7823





I thoroughly enjoyed my first week here at St. Pio Parish, and I look forward to getting to know more of you on a personal basis. I intend to communicate to you on a periodic basis through this column in the bulletin. However, this week I would like to take the time to congratulate Father Murasso for his fine stewardship of this parish for the past eight years.

The Archdiocese of Hartford is going through a difficult period as it seeks to consolidate parishes. It is never an easy task, and mistakes can be made along the way. I have seen instances where the process has been carried out poorly and many people have suffered along the way. I commend Father Murasso for combining the parishes with a minimal amount of turmoil. That speaks of his pastoral sensitivity and his concern for his parishioners. Now that Father Murasso has done the heavy lifting of combining the parishes and reducing the number of Masses, I hope to focus on the pastoral life of the parish and on making necessary improvements to the churches and other parish buildings.

July 20, 2025

16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke 10:38-42

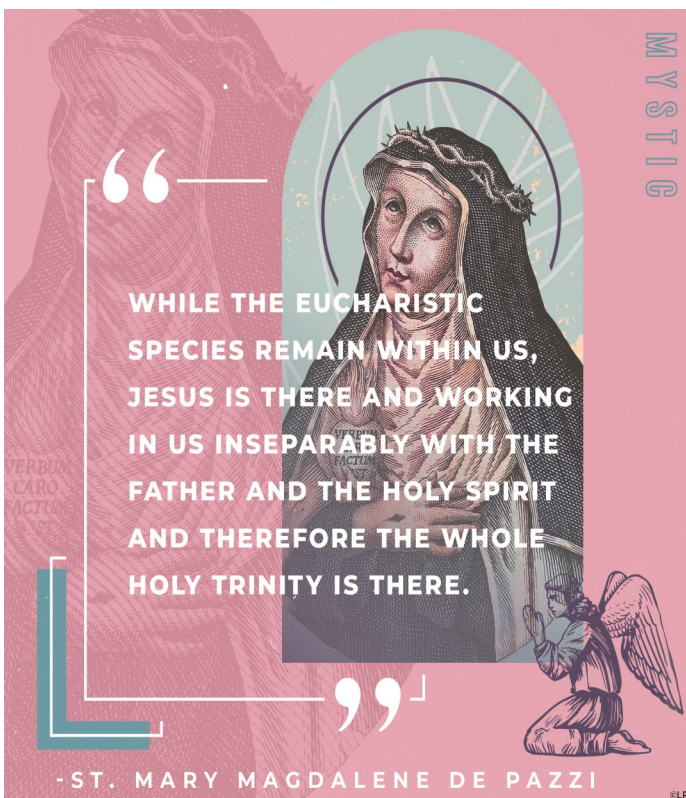
One of my close friends is a hermit priest who lives on a desert mountain. Recently I found myself in a group conversation about him. One vehemently objected, “What does he do up there all day? Nothing! Priests are down here working, running parishes, making a difference, and he...he is doing nothing! What a waste.” The words dripped with indignation and resentment. Most of the group quietly nodded in silent agreement. Were they correct?

No! To see why, consider a similar scenario in this week’s gospel. Jesus visits his friends Martha and Mary. A hardworking and exasperated Martha complains to Jesus that her sister is attending to him rather than to urgent household tasks. Our Lord, rather than praising hospitality, explicitly celebrates the less-productive sister for doing the **“one necessary thing.”** He praises her for she **“has chosen the better part”** (Luke 10:42). Mary is busy doing what matters.

Before we freak out like Martha, consider that all work—domestic, manual, professional, ministerial, contemplative—is done to help us (sooner or later) to experience the love that makes us happy. We should be thankful for those who focus on the “better part” of radical, ceaseless prayer. They invite us to remember the purpose of all work is the enjoyment of love. Contemplatives, hermits, anyone fervently committed to prayer—they invite us to cast aside our forgetful, resentful, and self-aggrandizing attitudes in exchange for hearts ready to do what is finally necessary.

— *Father John Muir*

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**BIBLE CAMP**  
Registrations due by  
**July 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**Special Guest Appearance**  
**by:**  
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unshakeable and  
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**or pick-up at the main  
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**Contact: Sally Mucka**  
**203-415-2710 or**



**saintpio.rcia@gmail.com**

**Teen Volunteers Earn Service Hours!**



## **St. Bernadette Food Pantry**

The St. Bernadette Food Pantry has MOVED from the Convent.

It is now located at St. Bernadette School on Burr Street.

A food drive, will be held on Saturday, June 21 from 8:00am - 12:00pm, please bring non-perishable items.

## **Carnival News**

The 68<sup>th</sup> Annual St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish Carnival takes place **Tuesday, July 22 – Saturday, July 26 on the grounds of Our Lady of Pompeii**. Our Annual Carnival features a midway of rides for all ages, games, a variety of delicious food choices, and our famous fried dough pizza.

If you've attended in the past, you know our Carnival only takes place through the help of all of our volunteers. We invite all members of our St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish family from Our Lady of Pompeii, St. Bernadette's and St. Vincent de Paul to volunteer. Volunteers are needed in our food and pizza booths, with set up and breakdown, and to help with hospitality and clean up.

If you would like to volunteer one or more nights, please contact Dawn Vittorio at 203-535-4091 or [dawn.vittorio@gmail.com](mailto:dawn.vittorio@gmail.com); or Patti Scussel at 203-710-7886 or [parscussel@aol.com](mailto:parscussel@aol.com).

All volunteers must be Virtus trained. If you are not Virtus trained, Virtus training is now online.

We hope you will join us in making this year's Carnival the best-ever!

**Ric Raffone, Joe Sicignano, and Mike Vittorio**  
**Carnival Co-Chairs**



## MESSAGE BOARD

### WELCOME ARCHBISHOP COYNE

We welcome Archbishop Christopher Coyne who will be visiting our parish on Sunday, August 3. The archbishop will be celebrating the 10:30 Mass at Our Lady of Pompeii Church.

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### FATHER MURASSO'S ADDRESS

Several parishioners have asked for Fr. Murasso's address after he departs from Saint Pio of Pietrelcina. Cards can be sent to Father Murasso at: P.O. Box 709, Westbrook, CT 06498.



**Our Lady of  
Guadalupe Pilgrim  
Image  
Patroness of the  
Americas and  
Protectress of the  
Unborn**

Our parish is blessed to have its own Pilgrim Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Our image was touched to the original Image in Mexico, blessed and has been visiting our parishioners for 32 years. The image is available for a visit to your home.

**If you would like to bring this Miraculous Image of Our Lady home for Veneration, please contact:**

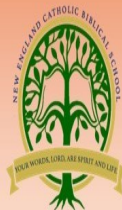
**Sally Mucka at (203) 415-2710**



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## THE RELICS OF SAINT PIO OF PIETRELCINA TO VISIT


St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish at  
**St. Vincent de Paul Church**  
80 TAYLOR AVE. EAST HAVEN, CT. 06512

# SATURDAY JULY 26, 2025

VENERATION FROM 11:00 A.M. TO 7:30 P.M.  
MASS IN HONOR OF ST. PIO 5:30 P.M.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT THE  
PARISH OFFICE AT (203) 469-0764

*The Relics of Padre Pio*



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# Branches on the Vine

JULY 19-25, 2025



## PUBLIC INVITED TO VENERATE RELICS OF ST. PIO IN EAST HAVEN

- Story by Joe Pisani

On Jul 26, several first-and-second-class relics from the Saint Pio Foundation in New York will be on display at St. Vincent de Paul Church in East Haven for veneration. This is an image of the crust of St. Pio's wounds up close.

COURTESY OF SAINT PIO FOUNDATION, TUCKAHOE, NY

For five years, Richard Ruyack Jr., a retired police lieutenant from Yonkers, has taken the relics of St. Padre Pio all over the world for thousands to venerate.

This year, he has already been to Montreal and Ireland, and on July 26, the first-and-second class relics of St. Padre Pio will be at St. Vincent de Paul Church in East Haven for a day of veneration and Mass. Ruyack, supervisor of tours for the St. Pio Foundation of Tuckahoe, N.Y., says the relics he will bring for veneration are crusts of St. Pio's wounds, a handkerchief used during Mass to wipe his tears, a lock of hair, a piece of his mantle and his white glove. Over the years, he has witnessed healings, favors and "moral miracles" through the saint's intercession.

"I remember a disabled young girl, who came up with her mother, and she felt there had been a healing," he recalls. "Another woman said she saw Padre Pio's face behind the altar."

Father Thomas J. Walsh, pastor of St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish which includes St. Vincent de Paul Church, says, "Padre Pio was one of those recognized as saintly by the people before the official canonization process, and once he was canonized, he became very popular.

He reminds people of St. Francis of Assisi, the founder of his religious order.

Both were stigmatics and mystics, and Padre Pio had a great intimacy with our Lord in prayer and was recognized for his miraculous attributes, including being able to read people's souls when they went to confession."

Considered one of the Church's notable saints, St. Pio was born May 25, 1887, in Pietrelcina in Southern Italy, and at age 15 he entered the novitiate of the Capuchin friars. Despite his weak health, St. Pio studied hard and in 1910 was ordained a priest.

From 1916 until his death in 1968, he lived in the Capuchin monastery in San Giovanni Rotondo. Countless faithful went to him for confession and to receive spiritual guidance.

St. Pio's life was characterized by suffering, both physical and spiritual, and on Sept. 20, 1918, the five wounds of Christ's Passion appeared on his body. He was declared venerable by Pope John Paul II on Dec. 18, 1997, and canonized on June 16, 2002, when the pope proclaimed him "St. Pio of Pietrelcina" to 500,000 people who attended the ceremony.

Sally Mucka, director of Adult Faith Formation for St. Pio of Pietrelcina Parish,

who organized the event with Jennie Llanos, hopes the relics will help people get in touch with the Holy Spirit.

"I am really excited," she says. "I still remember the first time St. Pio's glove came to the church. It was so moving and touching that I was filled with the Spirit. Today, the Holy Spirit is moving in a special way. People are searching, especially young people and I believe this will bring them in so they can decide how to connect with God."

Father Walsh says he is optimistic that "Padre Pio can call people again to an appreciation of the mysteries of our faith."

*(The relics of St. Padre Pio will be on display at St. Vincent de Paul Church, 80 Taylor Ave., East Haven, on July 26. Veneration will take place from 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., with Mass in honor of St. Pio at 5:30 p.m. By touching an item, such as a rosary or a medal, to a first- or second-class relic, it becomes a third-class relic, which can be venerated and used for personal devotion. For additional information, contact the parish office, 203.469.0764 ext. 8 or email [saintpio.rcia@gmail.com](mailto:saintpio.rcia@gmail.com).)*







# TRIDUUM OF SAINT ANN

**July 24-26, 7 PM**  
**St. Michael Church, New Haven**

The St. Ann Society would like to cordially invite you to the annual Triduum in honor of Good Saint Ann on July 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup> (Thursday, Friday, and Saturday) at 7PM at St. Michael Church. The Triduum begins with two nights of rosary and prayers invoking the intercession of St. Ann. The third and concluding night is a Mass with a reception afterwards. Please extend this invitation to anyone who would like to join us. We are also always actively seeking women who may want to become new members of the St. Ann Society.



## Fr. Murasso's Tribute Video

As we say farewell to Fr. Murasso and reflect on his many years of faithful service, we invite you to watch a special tribute video created in his honor. This heartfelt video features memories, messages, and moments that highlight the deep impact he has had on our parish community. It's a small way of saying thank you for the countless ways he has led us with compassion, wisdom, and strength.

You can view the video now on our **Parish YouTube Channel**. Simply search for our parish on YouTube or visit the link on our website.



## Welcome Fr. Thomas Walsh

Please join us in welcoming Fr. Walsh.

There will be a meet and greet this weekend, July 19 & 20 after all Masses at Our Lady of Pompeii.



Knights of Columbus Rodrigo Council 44 of St Pio Parish had a very successful Deli Lunch for our seniors Saturday. Sixty-nine delicious sandwiches, salads and deserts along with fresh fruit and desserts were delivered to them. We also delivered a baked chicken and macaroni & cheese dinner with dessert and fresh fruit to a local homeless shelter for 75 residents.

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED OR CONTRIBUTED IN ANY WAY.**

A special thank-you to all our businesses for their monthly contributions:

Gene Harris, Attorney Patricia CoFrancesco, Joseph Deko, James Integlia, Apicelli's Bakery & Ferraro's Market.

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## MASS SCHEDULE



## Mass Schedule

### **July 19 & 20, 2025**

**4:00 pm OLOP:** Fr. Walsh

**5:30 pm SVDP:** Fr. Matthew

**7:30 am OLOP:** Fr. Borino

**9:00 am SB:** Fr. Matthew

**10:30 am OLOP:** Fr. Walsh

**11:45 am SVDP:** Fr. Matthew

*Deacons to preach at all Masses*



Have you recently lost a friend or family member?

Are you having difficulty concentrating and enjoying everyday activities?

For information, please contact  
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Phone: 713-898-2563