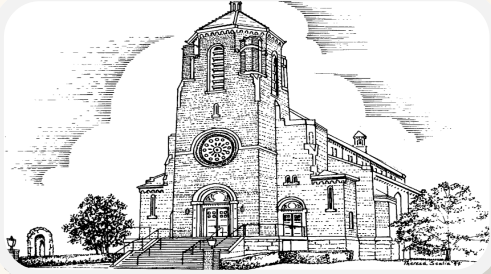


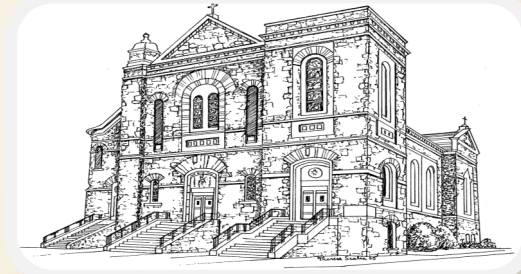
# ST RAYMOND OF PEÑAFORT PARISH

## SERVING THE CHURCHES OF



**ST. ADALBERT**  
90 Alden Avenue

Visit us on the web  
[CCOPA.org](http://CCOPA.org)



**ST. PATRICK**  
64 Pearl Street

Rev. John G. Weaver, **Administrator**  
Rev. Anthony J. Bruno, **Weekend Assistant**  
Deacon Paul L. Robert, **Permanent Deacon**

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*No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; no matter what your current family and marital situation; no matter what your personal history, age, race, ethnic origin, sexual orientation, physical or mental condition; no matter what your own self-image; you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Saint Raymond of Peñafort.*

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**Parish Office**  
64 Pearl Street  
860-745-2411

**Parish Email:** [stpatricc@aol.com](mailto:stpatricc@aol.com)

**BAPTISMS:** Sunday ~ 12:00 and 1:00 PM at  
either Church

**MARRIAGES:** Contact the rectory at least 6  
months in advance.

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### SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND CONFESSIONS

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM at St. Patrick's  
Confessions 3:30—4:00 PM only at St. Patrick's  
Sunday Morning: 8:00 and 9:30 AM at St. Adalbert's  
10:45 AM at St. Patrick's  
Weekdays: 8:00 AM Monday & Tuesday at St. Patrick's  
Monday: 6:00 PM Spanish Language Mass at St. Patrick's  
8:00 AM Wednesday & Thursday at St. Adalbert's  
No Mass Friday & Saturday Morning



**In the event that Enfield schools are delayed or cancelled due to weather conditions, morning Mass will also be cancelled and the parish offices will be closed.**

**Saturday February 17**  
 4:30 PM St. Patrick's—**Sylvia Egan**—Req. by the Tuttle Family

**Sunday February 18**  
 8:00 AM St. Adalbert—**Helen Banas, 20th Anniversary**—Req. by Husband & Daughter  
 9:30 AM St. Adalbert—**Lech Paluch**—Req. by Zofia Rzepka  
 10:45 AM St. Patrick—**Joseph Petronella, 12th Anniversary**—Req. by Wife & Family

**Monday February 19**  
 8:00 AM St. Patrick—**Jeff Galica**—Req. by the Quinn Family  
 6:00 PM St. Patrick (Spanish) —**For the Parishioners of St. Raymond of Penafort Parish**

**Tuesday February 20**  
 8:00 AM St. Patrick—**Denise Ambrosini**—Req. by Claire & Ralph Cerrato

**Wednesday February 21**  
 8:00 AM St. Adalbert—**Celia Sarraco**—Req. by Claire & Ralph Cerrato

**Thursday February 22**  
 8:00 AM St. Adalbert—**Maurice LaFranboise**—Req. by Claire & Ralph Cerrato

**Friday February 23**  
 No morning Mass

**Saturday February 24**  
 No morning Mass  
 4:30 PM St. Patrick—**George & Eileen Moore**—Req. by Steve & Laurie

**Sunday February 25**  
 8:00 AM St. Adalbert—**Joe, Cathy, & Ed Zarzycki**—Req. by Karen  
 9:30 AM St. Adalbert—**Cecile & v John Swols**—Req. by Linda & Lorraine  
 10:45 AM St. Patrick—**Sylvia Egan**—Req. by Phyllis Tanguay

*Readings for the Week of February 18, 2018*  
**Sunday:** Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 10]/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15  
**Monday:** Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46  
**Tuesday:** Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15  
**Wednesday:** Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32  
**Thursday:** 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 16:13-19  
**Friday:** Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26  
**Saturday:** Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48  
**Next Sunday:** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 [9]/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

**February 18th—First Sunday of Lent**  
*This is the time of fulfillment. The reign of God is at hand. Let us reform our lives and believe in the Good News. Consider becoming an instrument of God's Good News through the ministry of priesthood. Call Fr. Michael Casey, Director of Vocations, Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary, Tel. 860-761-7457, e-mail vocations@aohct.org or visit the web at www.hartfordpriest.com.*



*In your charity, please pray for the souls of Mary Ellen Scalia, Arline Lynch & Robert Schwarz*

Weddings

St. Patrick Church

**Wedding Banns I & II**  
**Cheryl Fortin & Kevin Stone**

**ENFIELD LOAVES & FISHES** (Soup Kitchen) is located at 28 Prospect St., Enfield, CT  
 Director: Priscilla—860-741-0226  
 Meals are served FREE Sunday through Friday 4—5 PM, Saturday 11 AM—12:30 PM

**PRO LIFE ROSARY**

Our Pro-Life Group meets on every Saturday for the recitation of the rosary near the Planned Parenthood's facility, at 111 Hazard Ave. (rte. 190) next to the Country Diner in Enfield. You are invited to join them at 10:00 AM each Saturday.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**  
**DRIVERS NEEDED**  
**MEALS ON WHEELS**  
 For more information please call  
 860-763-0400

**Meals on Wheels**

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT WEEKENDS FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION**

If you are suffering from an abortion, experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat weekend March 9-11, 2018 in Litchfield, CT. The weekend healing process includes discussions, Living Scriptures with meditations, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, a Memorial Service and Mass of Entrustment. Participation is totally confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. Both women and men have participated in past retreats and have ranged in age from teens to mid-eighties. The fee for the weekend is \$175.00 for meals, private room and all retreat materials. Scholarships are available for financial assistance. For more information contact Marie at 203-631-9030, email her at [mlaffin@prolifeministry.org](mailto:mlaffin@prolifeministry.org) or visit our website at [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org).

**A & P STORE**

Just a reminder, next week we will no longer be accepting donations of fall and winter clothing. Donations of spring and summer clothing will be accepted in a couple of weeks when the change-over is complete. We will continue to receive any house hold items as they are always in great demand. Thank you for your support and God Bless.

**HOPE FOR HAITI**

Just a reminder that monetary donations are also welcome year-round to help the people of Haiti. Please make your check payable to "Haitian Health Foundation" and send to their office at 97 Sherman Street, Norwich, CT 06360. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

**THREE SCHOLARSHIPS**

*Awarded by*

THE CATHOLIC GRADUATES CLUB  
Of Greater Hartford, Inc.

Amount: \$2,000 for one year—2018/2019

Eligibility: Any Catholic student who is a Hartford County resident now attending an accredited secondary school, and who wishes to attend a four year college beginning in 2018

Basis for selection: Need-Scholarship-Character Leadership-Achievement

Application Deadline: March 15, 2018

See your Principal or Counselor  
Or go to  
[Www.Catholicgraduatesct.org](http://Www.Catholicgraduatesct.org)

**ST. BERNARD SCHOOL**

**2 PART TIME POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

St. Bernard School is looking for a Spanish teacher for grades 6-8. This is a 4 days/week part-time position. Inquiries may be made to the principal, Mrs. Charlene Mongillo, at [principal@sbsenfield.org](mailto:principal@sbsenfield.org) or at 860-745-5275. St. Bernard School is currently looking to fill a vacant opening in their ACES (After School Program). This is a part-time position 5 days a week from 2:45—6:00 PM (or sooner depending on when the last child leaves). If interested in discussing the position please contact Mrs. Charlene Mongillo at 860-745-5275.

**LENTEN CONFESSIONS**

Let go of the patterns of sin and let the light of God's mercy shine on you this Lent by going to confession.

Confessions:

Mondays in Lent 12noon-12:30PM – St. Patrick Church (begins tomorrow, Monday, February 19)

Saturdays 3:30-4PM – St. Patrick Church

Polish Confessions - St. Adalbert Church  
6-7PM on Monday, March 26 only

*Spowiedź po polsku - Kościół św. Wojciecha  
6-7PM w poniedziałek, tylko 26 Marca*

**"SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE" AT ST. RAYMOND OF PEÑAFORT PARISH (ST. ADALBERT CHURCH)**

Lent is here! Join us for a "spiritual pilgrimage" during this penitential season as a way to center our priorities on Jesus Christ and his sacrifice for us.

Every Friday during Lent, walk in the footsteps of Jesus at the Stations of the Cross beginning at 7pm, St. Adalbert Church, followed by Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.



**SAINT RAYMOND OF PENAFORT PRAYER LINE**

Are you or someone you know in need of prayer?? Why not call the St. Raymond of Penafort Prayer Line. The line is easy to use and the request can be as specific or as general as you wish. The Prayer Line works like this: the request goes out through a network of members who will then pray for and pass on the request to their individual groups, thus forming a "prayer line." If you have a request please call 860-745-6492.

**The Lenten Book Group** will meet on Tuesday, February 20 at noon and 6:30 PM in the Weaver Hall music room. If you are interested in joining the discussion group there will be a sign up sheet at the Pearl Street entrance or contact Carolyn Dague at 860-741-0572.



**Treasure:** Weekly offering for the weekend of February 10/11

<b>St. Raymond of Penafort</b>	\$5,982.30
Online Giving—2/5—2/12 (St. Raymond)	\$1,200.00
Total	\$7,182.30

**St. Raymond of Penafort Parish Online collection schedule for the months of February & March:**

- February 25—Weekly & Utility
- March 4—Weekly
- March 11—Weekly & HomeFront
- March 18—Weekly

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**ON LINE GIVING**

The On Line Giving Program is a safe and secure way to contribute to the parish. To make use of this service, simply go to our parish website – [www.ccopa.org](http://www.ccopa.org) and click on the On Line Giving icon. You must be a registered parishioner with or without offertory envelopes. If you wish to register, or if you have questions about this program, please call Betty at the Rectory Office, 860-745-2411, Monday – Friday, between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM

**UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

- February 26**—Spanish Language Mass—St. Patrick  
Scout Meeting—St. Patrick  
Confessions—St. Patrick
- February 27**—Hearing Voices Network Meeting—St. Patrick
- February 28**—Scouts Meeting—St. Patrick  
St. Raymond of Penafort Religious Education Classes
- March 1**—St. Patrick Choir Rehearsal—St. Patrick
- March 2**—A & P Store—St. Patrick
- March 4**—Baptism—St. Raymond of Penafort Parish  
St. Raymond of Penafort Confirmation Class  
Grade 10—St. Patrick  
St. Adalbert Choir Rehearsal—St. Adalbert
- March 5**—Spanish Language Mass—St. Patrick  
Scout Meeting—St. Patrick  
Confessions—St. Patrick
- March 6**—A & P Store—St. Patrick  
Hearing Voices Network Meeting—St. Patrick  
Mount Carmel Women’s Auxiliary Meeting—Mt. Carmel Hall
- March 7**—St. Raymond of Penafort Parish Religious Education Classes—St. Bernard School  
Scout Meeting—St. Patrick
- March 8**—St. Patrick Choir Rehearsal—St. Patrick
- March 9**—A & P Store—St. Patrick  
Stations of the Cross—St. Adalbert



**February 18—February 25**

- SUNDAY**  
Baptisms—St. Raymond of Penafort Parish  
NO St. Raymond of Penafort Confirmation Class  
St. Adalbert’s Choir Rehearsal, 9:00 AM, St. Adalbert Church
- MONDAY**  
Scout Meeting, 6:00—8:30 PM, St. Patrick’s Weaver Hall  
Spanish Language Mass—6:00 PM, St. Patrick Church  
Confessions, 12—12:30 PM, St. Patrick Church
- TUESDAY**  
A & P Store, 12 Noon - 2:00 PM, St. Patrick’s Parish Center  
Lenten Book Group, 12 Noon & 6:30 PM, St. Patrick Weaver Hall  
Hearing Voices Network Meeting, 6:30 PM, St. Patrick Parish Center
- WEDNESDAY**  
Scout Meeting, 6:30 PM, Weaver Hall  
St. Raymond of Penafort Parish Religious Education  
Classes: Grades K—4th, 4:00—5:00 PM; Grades 5th—8th, 6:30—7:30 PM, St. Bernard School  
1st Eucharist Parents Meeting, 7:00 PM, St. Bernard School
- THURSDAY**  
St. Patrick Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 PM, St. Patrick Church
- FRIDAY**  
FoodShare Truck, 12:45—1:15 PM, St. Patrick Church Parking Lot  
Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM, St. Adalbert Church
- SUNDAY**  
Baptisms: St. Raymond of Penafort Parish  
St. Raymond of Penafort Confirmation Class Grade 9, 9:30—10:30 AM, St. Patrick Parish Center  
St. Adalbert Choir Rehearsal, 9:00 AM, St. Adalbert Church

**SAINT BERNARD SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**

St. Bernard’s School, 232 Pearl Street here in Enfield, will hold an open house for interested families on **Tuesday, March 6th from 6:30—8:00PM**. St. Bernard’s School offers students high academic standards, superior technology, Christian values, and many enrichment activities.

**ST. MARTHA LENTEN FISH FRY**

St. Martha Knights of Columbus Council 14600  
**Friday, March 9th—4:30—7:00 PM**  
St. Martha Goulet Hall  
Fish Fry Dinner—\$12.00  
Mac & Cheese—\$5.00  
Beverage included.

**FEBRUARY 18, 2018**

**Christ-centered Stress Reduction  
An Evening of Reflection**

Designed for everyone  
With Daniel E. Offsay

St. Martha Parish Goulet Hall  
Wednesday, February 21, 7 PM

“My peace I leave with you, My peace I give you”

Got a million things on your plate? Daniel E. Offsay a Licensed Therapist with over 10 years in the field and a Master’s Degree in Theology hosts an evening of reflection designed to help you streamline your priorities, filter out the noise and refresh your spirit according to the Gospel and the sayings of the saints.

Among the topics covered:

How our emotional well being impacts our relationship with God; The importance of healthy boundaries; Taking care of the temple of your body.

And how one simple prayer can change everything

For more information: contact  
Daniel at 860-303-8471 or at  
doffsaycounslor@yahoo.com

**A Celebration of Sacred Scripture**

March 3, 2018, 12:30-4:30 p.m., St. Thomas Seminary, Bloomfield



Ruth and the Mothers of Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew

All are welcome! Free of charge.

Please register in advance on line or call 860-242-5573

**Don't forget the Enfield Food Shelf**

February —salad dressing, mayo, ketchup, etc.

Collection boxes may be found at the entrances to St.  
Adalbert & St. Patrick Churches

**LITTLE ANGELS CATHOLIC PRE-SCHOOL**

424 Hazard Ave., Enfield, CT

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN  
OPEN HOUSE**

**Wednesday , March 7th  
6:00—7:00 PM**

Now accepting registrations for the  
2018-2019 School Year  
Accepting 3 and 4 year olds  
Flexible Programs

**Monday, Wednesday & Friday-Half Day Mornings**

**Monday through Friday-Half Day Mornings**

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