

**SAINT OF THE DAY – RAYMOND OF PEÑAFORT 1175-1285**

Since Raymond lived into his hundredth year, he had a chance to do many things. As a member of the Spanish nobility, he had the resources and the education to get a good start in life.

By the time he was 20, he was teaching philosophy. In his early 30s he earned a doctorate in both canon and civil law. At 41 he became a Dominican. Pope Gregory IX called him to Rome to work for him and to be his confessor. One of the things the pope asked him to do was to gather together all the decrees of popes and councils that had been made in 80 years since a similar collection by Gratian. Raymond compiled five books called the *Decretals*. They were looked upon as one of the best organized collections of Church law until the 1917 codification of canon law.

Earlier, Raymond had written for confessors a book of cases. It was called *Summa de Casibus Poenitentiae*. More than simply a list of sins and penances, it discussed pertinent doctrines and laws of the Church that pertained to the problem or case brought to the confessor. At the age of 60, Raymond was appointed archbishop of Tarragona, the capital of Aragon. He didn't like the honor at all and ended up getting sick and resigning in two years.

He didn't get to enjoy his peace long, however, because when he was 63 he was elected by his fellow Dominicans to be the head of the whole Order, the successor of St. Dominic. Raymond worked hard, visited on foot all the Dominicans, reorganized their constitutions and managed to put through a provision that a master general be allowed to resign. When the new constitutions were accepted, Raymond, then 65, resigned. He still had 35 years to oppose heresy and work for the conversion of the Moors in Spain. He convinced St. Thomas Aquinas to write his work *Against the Gentiles*. In his 100th year the Lord let Raymond retire.

**Comment:** Raymond was a lawyer, a canonist. Legalism can suck the life out of genuine religion if it becomes too great a preoccupation with the letter of the law to the neglect of the spirit and purpose of the law. The law can become an end in itself, so that the value the law was intended to promote is overlooked. But we must guard against going to the opposite extreme and seeing law as useless or something to be lightly regarded. Laws ideally state those things that are for the best interests of everyone and make sure the rights of all are safeguarded. From Raymond, we can learn a respect for law as a means of serving the common good.

**Patron Saint of:** Attorneys & Lawyers

**BLESSING OF SACRED HEART SCHOOL SMALL KITCHEN**

Everyone is invited to the blessing of the newly remodeled small kitchen in the school on January 13, after the 10:30 Mass. Coffee and Donuts will be served. Many thanks to the Catholic Women's Club for their role in the upgrade of the kitchen.

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*We have come from the East*



**MASS SCHEDULE**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 7** *Saint Raymond of Peñafort*  
 9:00pm Communion Service  
**TUESDAY, JANUARY 8**  
 9:00am Communion Service  
**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9**  
 5:30pm +Mary Jane Kelly (Lozowski Family)  
**THURSDAY, JANUARY 10**  
 9:00am Communion Service  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 11**  
 9:00am Communion Service  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 12**  
 5:00pm +Kevin Smith (Tank Smith)  
**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD, JANUARY 13**  
 8:00am +Kathleen Unger (Joyce Buerkel)  
 10:30am +Barb Weaver (Shelley & Dave McCarty)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

*Please pray for those who are Sick or in Care Centers.*

Pat & Jimm Alvarez, John Alverson, Patrick Anderson, Tom Apple, Jenny Bachman, Jerry Bailey, Barbara Baker, Tina Baker, Kathryn Barrick, John Bordenkircher, Ashleigh Bradford, Fred Bradford, Mike Burr, Ashley Canfield, Carol & Robert Clark, Howard Cognion, William Cognion, Ed Colgan, Pam Crites, Betsy Crossley, Shirley Dishong, Larry Dolick, Cindy Doster, Mike Duda, Carolyn Edwards, Winnie Ellis, Dave & Verna Emerson, Mark & Lisë Emerson, Mark Everhart, Erika (Hoover) Ewing, Gypsy Fraelich, Helen Furbee, Lou & Carol Gardina, Joe Gardina Jr. Tony Gardina, Charles & John Gauerke, Floyd Gress, Jerry Gress, Ed Groff, Bev Gross, Denisa Guinther, Louise Harding, Joan Hill, John L Hill, Ed Hiltner, Esther Hiser, John Holehouse, Duran Houston, Gary Jones, Rosemarie Kettler, Greyson Kilgore, George Lahna, Janice Latham, Carol & Glenn Layton, Michael Longo, Ava Longo, Brenda Lozowski, Chris McCabe, Mary Lou McCabe, Martha McGrady, Irene McNichols, Susan Meredith, Janet Miskimens, Lora Slotter Moore, Joanie Moran, Herb & Betty Mould, Tanya Mounts, Tim Muehler, Marissa Berry Mullet, Rita Myers, Tom & Mary Novak, Kitty Onufer, Doris Parkhill, Reston Price, Joe & Kelli Prosek, Noah Raber, Brian Reiss, June Roof, Dan Ross, Marie Salmon, Doris Smith, Dorothy Smith, LaVerne Stewart, Leora Stimpert, Kathryn Stuart, Betty Sturtz, Kay Susil, Mary Lou Thompson, Ashleigh Udichas, William Wagner, Aimee Iaquinta Wagstaff, Leslie Waibel, Christa Walsh, Alice Wengstrom, Bonnie Wright, Father Victor and all those in need of prayer.

**MISSION STATEMENT...** For 150 years, Sacred Heart Parish and its missions have served the Coshocton County Community. Our Catholic Family is based upon faith and love. We apply Christian values to the continued spiritual growth of our parish family by our words and actions, and by involved parishioners who support our church and school.

**Attention Business Owners, Professionals, Self-Employed/Families!  
Bulletin Advertising Opportunities Available!**

Sherry Montell, representing Diocesan (our Bulletin Publisher), will be here at the parish office working on the advertising sales for our weekly bulletin the week of 1/7/19. She will be renewing present advertisements and seeking new ones. If interested, please call the parish office. Or, you may contact Sherry directly at 330-716-4707 or smontell@diocesan.com. THANKS TO YOU and DIOCESAN, the bulletin is published weekly at no cost to the parish. Please consider purchasing an ad. Your ad and participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers! Advertisements and sponsorships can be purchased for a business, family, charity, in Honor or in Memory of a Loved One, or to support the church or a community service organization, such as Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts of America.

The **Respect Life Mass** is Tuesday, January 22, 2019 at 10:30am at St. Joseph Cathedral. Bishop Campbell will be the celebrant. **Roe Remembrance** at the Ohio Statehouse is Tuesday, January 22, 2019 from noon to 1:00pm following the **Respect Life Mass** at St. Joseph Cathedral.

**THE CATHOLIC RECORD SOCIETY**

The **Catholic Record Society** preserves the history of the Diocese of Columbus and supports the Diocesan Archives. Meetings are held quarterly and members receive a calendar year subscription to the monthly Bulletin. The Society responds to genealogical inquiries and requests for historical information on the parishes, institutions, religious orders, and clergy of the Diocese. Basic membership is \$12 with digital Bulletin or \$25 with paper Bulletin. Please send check to the Catholic Record Society, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 or contact Chairman Mike at [foolavin@aol.com](mailto:foolavin@aol.com)

**RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF COLUMBUS**

What can YOU do to encourage and support religious vocations in the Diocese of Columbus? Did you know that the Serra Clubs of Columbus can help you do just that? The Serra Club is a lay International organization of Catholic men and women, whose mission is to foster vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Religious Life through prayer, programs and activities. To learn more or attend a meeting, please contact VP of membership Dan Martin at [martin.32@osu.edu](mailto:martin.32@osu.edu) for the Downtown Serra Club or Ardith at [amers@columbus.rr.com](mailto:amers@columbus.rr.com) for the North Serra Club. Please feel free to visit with no obligations, our website is ColumbusSerra.org.

**SAVE THE DATES FOR THE 2018 COLUMBUS  
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S AND MEN'S CONFERENCES!**

Just after St. Valentine's Day and just before the start of Lent, the 2019 Women's and Men's Columbus Catholic Conferences will be held at Kasich Hall at the Ohio Expo Center. The Conference Dates are February 16 for the Women's and February 23 for the Men's. Both will offer an opportunity to hear inspiring speakers, confession, Mass, Adoration, and more.

2019 Women's Lineup: Fr. Christopher Hartley, Colleen Mitchell, Sisters of Life Sr. Faustina Maria Pia, S.V., an update from Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow, Music from Out of Darkness, and Anna Mitchell as our Master of Ceremonies. For more information go to [www.columbuscatholicwomen.com](http://www.columbuscatholicwomen.com)

**(RCIA) RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

- January 6 - The Sacraments of Love
- January 13 - Sacrament of Baptism
- January 20 - Sacrament of Confirmation
- January 27 - Sacrament of Eucharist
- February 3 - Sacrament of Reconciliation
- February 10 - Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
- February 17 - Sacrament of Marriage
- February 24 - Sacrament of Holy Orders

**UPCOMING MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES**

- Jan 9: Parish Council Meeting / PMR / 6:15pm
- Jan 10: Parish Office Closed
- Jan 17: Finance Meeting / Parish Office / 6pm

**SACRED HEART CHURCH WEBSITE**

Have you checked out our website lately? You can find information about our Parish Organizations, Ministries, Schedules, links to Catholic web-sites of interest, St Francis de Sales, Newcomerstown information, and much more! There is an archive of previous bulletins, and we also have a link to Sacred Heart School's web page. Visit us at [www.sacredheartcoshocton.org](http://www.sacredheartcoshocton.org).



**SUNDAY MORNING GET -TOGETHER**

*Coffee & Donuts in the School Cafeteria*

**OFFERTORY SUMMARY**

*December 22 & 23*

<b>Envelopes</b>	\$5,052.00	<b>School Support</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	457.06		
<b>Children</b>	2.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 5,511.06</b>	<b>Mass Count - 314</b>	

**CHRISTMAS COLLECTION**

*December 24 & 25*

<b>Envelopes</b>	\$3,756.00	<b>School Support</b>	<b>\$ .00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	689.00	<b>Diocesan Charities</b>	<b>\$828.00</b>
<b>Children</b>	5.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 4,450.00</b>	<b>Mass Count - 493</b>	

JAN 12 & 13	LECTOR	SERVERS	HOLY COMMUNION	GIFT BEARERS
5:00 PM	Barb Daugherty	Larry Cullison <i>Need Volunteer</i>	Jack Timmons Mary Savoie	<i>Need Volunteers</i>
8:00 AM	Marie Madsen	Chuck Fornara <i>Need Volunteer</i>	Nancy Hatem Tammy Dovenbarger	Bob & Sandy Babcock
10:30 AM	Linda Udischas	Faith Udischas Myleigh Ladrach	Reni Akers Roxann McCann	John & Pat Harsh