

# San Pedro Catholic Parish

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of  
**Advent**

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Fr. Ferry Brutus, Pastor



## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday @ 5:00pm

Sunday @ 9:00am & 11:00am

### Spanish Mass

Misa en Espanol Sunday @ 6:00pm

### Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday @ 8:30am

### Confession Schedule

Friday 9:00-10:00am

Saturday 4:00-4:45pm

Sunday 8:00-8:45am/or call the office

### Rosary Prayer

After all weekday Masses

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month 9-10:00am

Prepare the  
way of  
the Lord,  
make straight  
his paths.  
Matthew 3:3

# MASS Intentions

## Saturday, December 6, 2025

5:00pm Vigil Mass

## Sunday, December 7, 2025

Second Sunday of Advent

9:00am Mass

11:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+DJ Smits (Friends & Family)

6:00pm Misa En Espanol

## Monday, December 8, 2025

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

8:30am Mass

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+DJ Smits (Friends & Family)

6:00pm Bilingual Mass

## Tuesday, December 9, 2025

St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

8:30am Mass

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+DJ Smiths (Friends & Family)

## Wednesday, December 10, 2025

Our Lady pf Loreto

8:30am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Ann Boylan (Mariann Boyland)

## Friday, December 12, 2025

Our Lady of Guadalupe

8:30am Mass

## Collections

November 29th & 30th, 2025

Offertory 3,794.00

Spanish Mass 227.00

On Line Giving 2,275.00

6,296.00

Building Fund Donations \$1,142.00



## Holy Day of Obligation

Monday, December 8th is the Immaculate Conception of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

A Holy Day of Obligation.

Masses at 8:30am and

6:00pm (Bilingual).



## Please Pray For Special Healing

## For The Sick Of Our Community, Especially

Laura, Baby Eve, Giana, Tom, Daisy,  
Maria Perez Menendez, Gonzalo, Hector, Carol, Ena,  
Judi, Baby Joseph, Mariana, Marissa, Orlando, Ena, Gina,  
Maria Hernandez, Vanessa, Barbara, Maria Lange, Robert  
Sebulsky, John P, Marc Ocampo, Nora DiJacamo, Mia Diz,  
Tony Benedi, Victorio Martinetti, Melody Chapman, Pierre,  
Richard, Fito, Clement, Elena Veiga, Marc, Noah, Angela,  
Mary Ann Don, Fr. John Peloso, Roshane and family,  
Shelby, Bob Hauber, Sandy, Lui, Jessica, Angelika, Sofia,  
Cecilia & Pepe Armenteros.

## Sponsors For December, 2025

### ~Altar Candles~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

\*Maria H. Pistorino (The Pistorino Family)

### ~Altar Wine~

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### ~Church Flowers~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Maria Louisa Iniguez (Lorraine Ferrara)

### ~Hosts~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

\*Juliette M. Pistorino (Pistorino Family)

### ~Coffee & Donuts Fellowship~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

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## Coffee & Donuts Fellowship This Sunday!

Please join us in Williams Hall  
for Coffee, Donuts and Fellowship  
after the 9am Mass

All Welcome!

Thank You San Pedro Hospitality Ministry!



## Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9am-12pm 12:30pm-4pm

email: office@sanpedroparish.org

Parish Office 305.852.5372

Secretary, Press 0

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Art Under The Oaks, Press 3

## Choir/Religious Ed

Adult Choir: Call Office

Religious Ed: Amy Brown Pope 917.941.2888





### Readings For The Week...

**Monday:** Gen 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

**Tuesday:** Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-2, 3 and 10ac, 11-12, 13; Mt 18:12-14

**Wednesday:** Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10; Mt 11:28-30

**Thursday:** Is 41:13-20; Ps 145:1 and 9, 10-11, 12-13ab; Mt 11:11-15

**Friday:** Zech 2:14-17 or Rev 11:19a; 12-1-6a, 10ab; Judith 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38

**Saturday:** Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13



### Support The ABCD

As we light the second Advent candle, we are called to prepare our hearts for Christ's coming. Just as John the Baptist invited others to repentance and renewal, we too are invited to share God's love through generosity. This season, consider supporting the ABCD. Your gift helps provide vital ministries across the Archdiocese, serving those in need, strengthening our parishes, and spreading the joy of Christ. Donate Today, visit [www.sanpedroparish.org](http://www.sanpedroparish.org), click the WeShare icon, contact the San Pedro Parish office at 305.852.5372 or utilize the new "Text-To-Give" program by texting "Pedro" to 833-336-9083 to receive a link to contribute.

### Gifts of the Spirit

Part of Isaiah's hopeful description of the Messiah contains the traditional seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit. As we prepare to celebrate the birth of the Messiah, and looking forward to His coming in glory, let's take a look at those gifts and see how we can use them.

Wisdom is the gift of seeing God in his creation. It means that we value the things of this world only as they help us to know and love God more. The second gift, Understanding, follows from Wisdom: we understand what God expects of us in dealing with creation and other people. This gift helps us to know how to act in a world that seems to ignore God.

Counsel follows from Understanding as the gift of making correct judgments on how to act; for example, Understanding can lead us to love others. Counsel guides us to love them in appropriate ways.

Strength or fortitude, is the gift that enables us to do those things inspired by understanding and counsel, even if they are difficult. John the Baptist shows that gift in the gospel. It gave him the courage to die for his faith.

Knowledge is similar to counsel in that we begin to see what God wants for us in this world. Knowledge leads us to deeper revelations of the truths of our faith. This can lead to the sixth gift (seventh in Isaiah's text: "delight in the Lord") of Piety, a willingness to worship and love God, a desire to be close to Him in prayer.

The final gift, Fear of the Lord, is the awe and wonder of recognizing how great God is, how much he loves us, and so how much we want to stay close to Him. The desire to be close to God leads back to Wisdom, where we see God in his creation.

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

"Outward signs instituted by Christ to give grace" is the often-memorized definition of sacrament, but through more than five decades of reform we have rediscovered the power of sacrament to bestow grace by reshaping our lives as individuals and communities. Not so long ago, most people were not attentive to the nature of sacrament as an act of the Church, a power that flows from the Body of Christ. Fifty years ago, we were inclined to see a sacrament as an encounter between Christ and an individual.

Today, we see that definition does not go far enough. God's grace is not a trickle, but a gushing torrent washing over the whole Church. Like a photographer pulling back the camera for a broader picture, today we are not only interested in the person who is being baptized, reconciled, or anointed. We think about how celebrating a sacrament transforms a community. We think about the grace given by Christ to the community that baptizes or marries or ordains or confirms. Sacraments are for the good of the community. Even when it appears to be a private, hidden moment, as in individual confession, a sacrament is always for the sake of the whole body, always more than "meets the eye."



### Angel Wreath Project Last

#### Weekend To Donate!

The San Pedro Women's Guild is beginning their Angel Wreath Project for 2025. Each year, through the

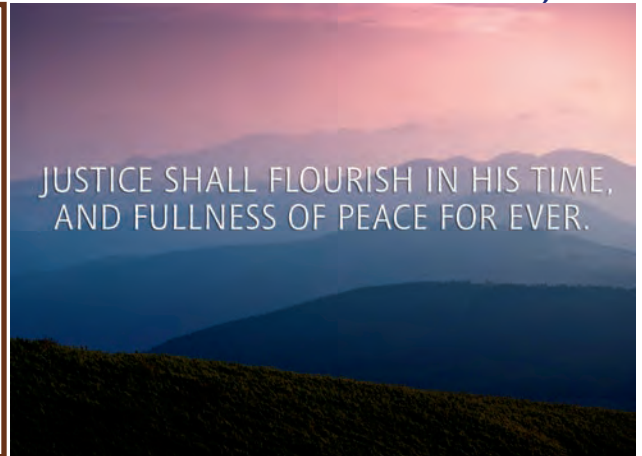
generosity of our parishioners, many children receive Christmas gifts. If you wish to contribute, please place cash or checks made out to The San Pedro Women's Guild in the collection basket labeled "Angel Gift", or in the Giving Basket located to the left of the Alter.

The Angel Project will run from November 8th through December 7th. Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful annual initiative. If you have any questions, please contact Toni Oyler at 301-466-3448. Thank you San Pedro Parish for your generosity!



### Bible Study!

Bible Study began Thursday, December 4th at 10:30am in the classrooms we are studying of "Acts of the Apostles" Chapters 10-28. Last year we studied chapters 1-9 of "Acts". Don't feel you need to have attended last year to attend this year! Acts is a biblical study of salvation promised to Israel, accomplished by Jesus "The Christ" with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, extended to the gentiles to establish the Church. Come join us! If you have any questions please call Don at 262-853-7393.



### Art Under The Oaks - January 17, 2026 - Planning is Underway!

Planning is underway for the 42nd Annual **Art Under the Oaks**, and we need your help to make this year's event a success! Whether you're able to volunteer during the event or assist with preparations, your support is invaluable!

#### How You Can Help:



- 1. Volunteer** If you're interested in volunteering, please email us at [artundertheoaks@yahoo.com](mailto:artundertheoaks@yahoo.com) with the subject line **VOLUNTEER** (in all caps). Let us know your availability, and we'll match you with a role that fits your schedule. We especially need volunteers for the day-of event, so your help will be greatly appreciated!
- 2. Become a Festival Sponsor** We're seeking both individual and business sponsors to support this year's festival. Sponsorship packets are available at all entrances and exits of the Church. If you know of a business—or even an employer—that may be interested in supporting the event, please invite them to participate.
- 3. Spread the Word to Vendors** Know someone who's a talented artist or craftsman? We have cards available for you to share with potential fine arts and crafts vendors. Simply pass along the card to anyone who might be interested in joining us as a vendor this year.

For additional details, please Visit our website:  
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A Festival of Fine Art & Original Crafts  
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### Kids' Christmas Party! Next Saturday!

**Santa's Elves are hard at work for this year's Christmas Party & Caroling! Children's Activities, Food and Family Fun... And of course HoHoHo Santa with gifts for all the girls and Boys!**  
Join in on  
**Saturday, December 13th**  
**in Williams Hall From 6:00-9:00pm**



### Donate Online!

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**We encourage everyone to use WeShare Online Giving: It's Save, It's Simple, It's Convenient! San Pedro Catholic Church has made Online Giving available for our weekly offerings, as well as other parish collections! Donating is simple, safe, and secure and takes only a few minutes. You'll be able to give anytime and view complete financial records as needed. Set up a One-time or recurring donation by following these 3 steps**

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**3. Enter your payment information.**

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### 33 Day Spiritual Eucharistic Pilgrimage

Join us for a 33 day Spiritual Eucharistic Pilgrimage - a time to walk with Christ through prayer and devotion, deepening our love for His Real Presence in the Eucharist. Although we are NOT traveling, this spiritual journey invites us to open our hearts to renewal through daily prayer, Mass, Adoration and acts of service. Let us unite as a community in this sacred pilgrimage of faith, asking the Lord to strengthen our love for the Eucharist and to bring healing and renewal to His church. There will be a special Mass at the end of the pilgrimage. For more information and to obtain your "33 days of Eucharistic Pilgrimage" book, please contact the Parish office.

### San Pedro Christmas Schedule 2025

#### Wednesday, December 24th

**Christmas Eve**

**8:30am Morning Mass**

**4:30pm Christmas Children's Mass**

**8:00pm Christmas Vigil Mass**

#### Thursday, December 25th

**Christmas Day**

**9:00am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**6:00pm Misa en Espanol**

#### Saturday, December 27th

**The Holy Family**

**5:00pm Holy Family Vigil Mass**

#### Sunday, December 28th

**The Holy Family**

**9:00am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**6:00pm Misa en Espanol**

#### Thursday, January 1st

**Solemnity of Mary**

**9:00am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**6:00pm Misa en Espanol**

#### Sunday, January 4th

**Epiphany Of The Lord**

**9:00am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**6:00pm Misa en Espanol**





Baptism Preparation Classes

If you are planning a Baptism, please be aware that Baptism Preparation Classes are offered every third Tuesday of the month at 5:00pm in the Church. Parents and Godparents must take the class and register for the Class ahead of time.

Please call the office at 305-852-5372. Thank you!



**From The Desk Of Father Ferry**

Please call the Parish Office if you need a Priest to visit you at home for confession, counseling or any other need that you may have.

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or Drop at the Parish Office M-Th 9am—4pm

Phone: 305.852.5372

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**Altar Candles, Altar Wine, Church Flowers, Hosts, Coffee & Donuts**

Suggested donation per category is \$50.00 monthly

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Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Category: \_\_\_\_\_

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