# San Pedro Catholic Parish





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Fr. Ferry Brutus, Pastor

# 69**696999**

**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



# MASS Intentions

#### Saturday, December 13, 2025

5:00pm Vigil Mass

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!** 

\*Fr. Ferry (Friends & Parishioners)

#### Sunday, December 14, 2025

Third Sunday of Advent

9:00am Mass

#### **IN LOVING MEMORY**

- +Gladys Chavez (Her Daughter)
- +Margot Britot (Her Son)

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

\*Fr Ferry (Friends & Parishioners)

#### 11:00am Mass

#### **IN LOVING MEMORY**

+Beatriz Quintero (Your Son Joaquin)

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

\*Fr. Ferry (Friends & Parishioners)

#### 6:00pm Misa En Espanol

#### ¡FELIZ CUMPLEAÑOS!

\*Fr. Ferry (Amigos y feligreses)

#### Monday, December 15, 2025

8:30am Mass

#### Tuesday, December 16, 2025

8:30am Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+DJ Smits (Friends & Family)

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

\*Fr. Ferry (Friends & Parishioners)

#### Wednesday, December 17, 2025

8:30am Mass

#### **IN LOVING MEMORY**

+Ann Boylan (Mariann Boyland)

#### Friday, December 19, 2025

8:30am Mass

# 3rd Sunday of Advent Behold, I am sending my messenger ahead of you; he will prepare your way before you. Matthew 11:10

#### 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
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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~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+DJ Smits (Dirk & Eris Smits)

#### ~Church Flowers~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Maria Louisa Iniguez (Lorraine Ferrara)

#### ~Hosts~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

\*Juliette M. Pistorino (Pistorino Family)

#### ~Coffee & Donuts Fellowship~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Carr & Boulton Families

**To Sponsor Call:** 305.852.5372 ext. 0

#### **Coffee & Donuts Fellowship!**



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

<u>Monday-Friday</u> 9am-12pm 12:30pm-4pm

email: office@sanpedroparish.org

#### Parish Office 305.852.5372

Secretary, Press 0

Fr. Ferry, Press 1

Ysmery, Bookkeeper, Press 2

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:** Num 24: 2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4-5ab; 6 and 7bc, 8-9; Mt 21:23-27 **Tuesday:** Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23; Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday: Gen 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8,17; Mt 1:1-17

**Thursday:** Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25 **Friday:** Jdg 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25

**Saturday:** Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 1:26-38

# 2025 1 ABCD

#### Support The ABCD

The pink candle reminds us of joy and hope. We rejoice because God's love is

present among us, and we are called to reflect that love in our daily lives. Through the ABCD Campaign, your gift brings joy to countless people feeding the hungry, caring for the sick, and supporting faith formation. Consider making a contribution that shares Christ's light with others. Together we can make a difference. Donate Today, visit <a href="https://www.sanpedroparish.org">www.sanpedroparish.org</a>, 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.



#### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

We make transitions along life's journey, and search for meaning. Watch an infant take those first wobbly steps. Inevitably they are toward the arms of a dear one, and the gleeful smile and wordless laughter let us know that the baby understands that the whole world is renewed in an instant. Parents may see that wide eyed smile again some years later as they flip car keys in the teenager's direction, and by God's grace at in between moments of forgiveness and affirmation.

Sacraments open a window to the blessings of everyday life and help us claim their deep meaning. A voice from a fiery bush warned Moses to take off his shoes because he stood on "holy ground." Your first steps, your first word, taking your place at the family table, stirring to new love, forgiving and being forgiven: all of this is holy, laden with meaning, full of possibilities. Sacraments are not escape pods from the realities of the everyday; rather they invest us ever more deeply in life and recruit us for the kingdom inaugurated by Jesus. We take baby steps all our life long. In the world of sacrament, they are always directed toward the arms of a loving God, and always on the common holy ground of a community's life.

#### The Prophet's Profit

Old Testament prophets were not very popular. Most were killed or exiled because they challenged people to follow the commands of God. John the Baptist suffered the same way. So what kept the prophets going?

First of all, the prophets had faith in God. They believed that God spoke through them, that God would protect them and support them. Second, they had patience. They kept going when people rejected their preaching. Some prophets had to be patient with their own weaknesses.

The third gift of the prophets was hope: That by keeping God's commands, God's people would be renewed, along with all of creation. Our first reading is an example of such hope, with its descriptions of deserts becoming gardens and the sick and disabled being healed and strengthened.

So what do we learn from those prophets? First, we need to keep our faith in God strong. If you go to church once a week, the bare minimum, it would be like exercising only once a week and thinking that will keep you in shape. Second, we need patience and not just with our kids. We need to be patient with ourselves and with God. Some people stop going to church because they don't see any spiritual growth in themselves. So be patient; don't expect to become a saint right away. Finally, the reading from Isaiah gives us hope that God will open our eyes of faith, clear our ears to hear His word, (Is 35:5) and "meet him with joy and gladness" (Is 35:10).

# Women's Guild

#### Women's Guild Raffle!

The Women's Guild will be selling our annual raffle tickets after all Masses beginning this weekend!

The drawing will be held on February 14, 2026 at the conclusion of our Tea party!

Winners need not be present to win!

Thank you for supporting the Women's Guild at San Pedro!





#### 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. <u>Volunteer</u> If you're interested in volunteering, please email us at <u>artundertheoaks@yahoo.com</u> 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. <u>Become a Festival Sponsor</u> 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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# STUDY

#### **Bible Study!**

BIBLE 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 Isreal, 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 guestions please call Don at 262-853-7393.



Looking for Opportunities to Serve. Get involved. Meet New People??

\*The San Pedro Men's Club Meets the first Tuesday of every Month At 5pm in Williams Hall

\*The San Pedro Women's Guild Meets the first Thursday of every Month At 12 noon in Williams Hall

> These meetings are open to all and we welcome new members!





#### **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!



#### San Pedro Catholic **Church Parish in Tavernier**

The San Pedro mission was designated a parish in 1959, fittingly named for St. Peter, a fisherman and our parish thrives on the faith, participation and generosity of our many members. With open hearts we invite you to join us to celebrate mass.

#### 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. May God Bless You!

#### Desde el escritorio del Padre Ferry

Por favor, llame a la Oficina Parroquial si necesita que un sacerdote lo visite en su casa para confesión, consejería o cualquier otra necesidad. ¡Que Dios lo bendiga!

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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.

#### Bronze Wall Plaque

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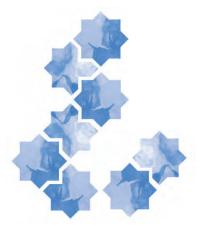


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