# San Pedro Catholic Church




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*Fr. Ferry Brutus, Pastor*

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday's @ 5:00pm**

**Sunday's @ 9:00am & 11:00am**

**Spanish Mass**

**Misa en Espanol Sunday's @ 6:00pm**

**Weekday Masses**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday's @ 8:30am**

**Confession Schedule**

**Friday's 9:00-10:00am**

**Saturday's 4:00-4:45pm**

**Sunday's 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, January 6, 2024

**5:00pm Vigil Mass**

IN THANKSGIVING

*Robert Betancourt

## Sunday, January 7, 2024

**9:00am Mass**

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Santos Grande (Victorio & Maria)

**11:00am Mass**

**6:00pm Misa en Espanol**

## Monday, January 8, 2024

**8:30am Mass**

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Jeff Bloodworth (Bosso Family)

+Buddy Pettingil (Bosso Family)

## Tuesday, January 9, 2024

**8:30am Mass**

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Ralph Radloff (Leslie Patterson Hunter)

## Wednesday, January 10, 2024

**8:30am Mass**

## Friday, January 12, 2024

**8:30am Mass**



**Please Pray For Special Healing**

**For The Sick Of Our Community, Especially**

*Rebeca, Laura, Dcn Venizia, Baby Eve, Victorio, Karen, Dina, Jim Izanec, Olga Lastra, Giana, Tom, Maria Perez Menendez, Gonzalo, Hector, Carol, Daisy, Jana Firkins, Baby Joseph, Marissa, Ena, Gina, Migue, Maria Hernandez, Vanessa, Barbara, Judi, Patricia Mull, Kieran Ferrer, Sofia Alvarez, Debbie Riolo, Bob Hauber & Maria Martinetti, Lange & Luis.*

## *Sponsors For January, 2024*

**~Altar Candles~**

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Charles & Aniela Miller (Henry Miller)

**~Altar Wine~**

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**~Church Flowers~**

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*From Mike Dooley Family

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~SPECIAL INTENTION~

*Juliette Marie Pistorino-Shutty (Pistorino Family)

**~Sanctuary Lamp~**

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

*Maria H. Pistorino (Pistorino Family)

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

## Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship




**Please join us in Williams Hall For coffee & donuts after 9:00am 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**

Mimi: Secretary, Press 0

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**Choir/Religious Ed**

Adult Choir: Call Office

Religious Ed: Amy Brown Pope 917.941.2888

**Readings For The Week...**

**Monday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7
**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd; Mk 1:21-28
**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; PS 40:2 & 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mk 1:29-39
**Thursday:** 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45
**Friday:** 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-17, 18-19; Mk 2:1-12
**Saturday:** 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 2:13-17




**Saints And Special Observances**
**Sunday:** The Epiphany of the Lord
**Monday:** Baptism of the Lord
**Saturday:** Memorial of St. Hilary, Bishop & Dr. of the Church




## Support The ABCD

*"God loves a cheerful giver"*
*(2 Corinthians 9:7)*

The lifestyle of Christian stewardship involves intentional, planned and proportionate giving of our time, talent and treasure. There are many options when it comes to thoughtful giving. You may plan for your future while having a positive impact on the mission of the Archdiocese of Miami. So, let us not wait for tomorrow to make a difference, but let us start today and build a brighter tomorrow for all by supporting the ABCD now!

Visit www.sanpedroparish.org and 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.

## Little Drummer Boy

Did you know that the only reason we say that there were three wise men is that they brought three gifts? And these special gifts—gold, frankincense, and myrrh—tell us much.

When one king visited or sent an ambassador to another, he would give a gift of gold to show that he acknowledged the kingship of the other. The second gift is a type of incense, which was used in Jesus time to worship God. The gift of myrrh is oil used to anoint the dying. So these gifts remind us of Jesus' kingship, divinity, and his dying for us.

So what gifts do we have for Jesus? Maybe we can take a hint from the wise men. If we acknowledge Jesus as king, maybe a better gift than gold would be to pledge our obedience to him. A better way than burning incense to pay homage to Jesus' divinity is to take time to pray throughout the day. As for the gift of myrrh, we can give Jesus the crosses we bear each day.

The song "Little Drummer Boy" reminds us that the best gift is not necessarily the most expensive. Instead, it is the simple gift that only we can give. Let Epiphany remind us to offer our lives to Jesus each day.

## FUTURE AND ON-GOING PROJECTS AT SAN PEDRO CHURCH

**San Pedro needs your support with future and ongoing projects including;**

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**If you are able to contribute, please write your donation checks payable to San Pedro Church and on the memo part, write the name(s) of the project you are donating for.**
**Thank you and God Bless you always!!**

## 2024Tithing Envelopes.

Tithing envelopes for 2024 are now available and are placed on the last pew at the Southsides of the Church, in alphabetical order.




**Please do not use old envelopes.**
**San Pedro has replaced some numbers as new accounts have been opened and some accounts have been expired. All accounts are in alphabetical order by last name**






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RCIA
A Journey In Faith

Are you considering becoming a Catholic? Perhaps you were Baptized Catholic but haven't received the other sacraments of initiation; Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist or Confirmation. If you would like to learn more about the church Jesus founded, then participating in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is what you need to fulfill your call. The process involves weekly classes via Zoom every Friday morning from 9am-10am. The sessions conclude the week before Holy Week and the sacraments will be offered to each candidate during the Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday, March 30, 2024. If you would like to learn more about RCIA, please contact Keith Douglass, RCIA Catechist at 305-664-9702 (home) or 305-393-2438 (cell).

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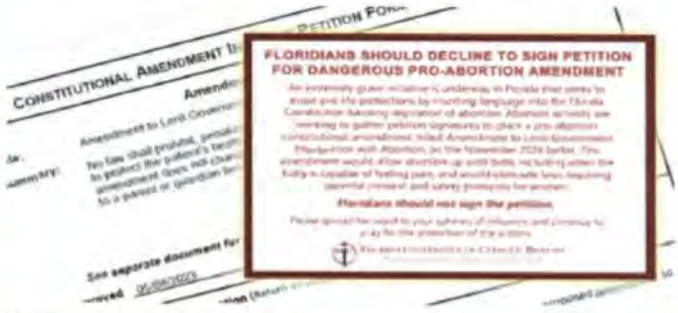
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## Decline to Sign Petitions for Dangerous Pro-Abortion Ballot Initiative

***An extremely grave initiative is underway in Florida that seeks to erase pro-life protections by amending our state constitution.***




A network of abortion activists are working to gather petition signatures to have the *Amendment to Limit Government Interference with Abortion* placed on the statewide ballot in the November 2024 election. In order to do so, they need nearly 900,000 thousand signatures and are working right now in communities across Florida to collect them. As of December 1, they have collected **621,690 valid signatures.**

This amendment is deeply concerning because it will allow all abortions to be obtained until viability and includes a broad "health" loophole, essentially allowing abortion on demand up to birth, including when the child is capable of feeling pain. While the proposed amendment permits parental notification, the amendment eliminates the current law requiring parental consent for a minor daughter to receive an abortion.

***The FCCB asks all Floridians to decline to sign the petition for this dangerous and extreme amendment. Parishes are strongly urged to include the Decline to Sign announcement in their bulletins.***

Declining to sign is not impeding the democratic process; it is taking a stand against what would be a harmful state policy that would hinder the ability to protect women and children from abortion.

The FCCB is following developments in the initiative process closely and diligently preparing to help defeat it. Additional bulletin graphics are available on the FCCB website. Thank you for helping to protect all human life, especially the most vulnerable. Please continue your prayers for the protection of the unborn.

## Sunday Mass Online, on TV & on YouTube!



The greatest gift that you could give a sick or homebound person is to remind them that hearing God's word in livestreamed and recorded Masses is only a few clicks away. To watch Mass in English or Spanish, visit miamiarch.org (click Offices & Ministries, Communications, Television Mass) or watch the Spanish Masses on our YouTube channel, CatholicMiami. Mass recordings become available at 6pm every Saturday through midnight Sunday, and a direct link is posted on the News Center on the home page of the archdiocesan website. Masses also are broadcast in Spanish on Univision 23 on Sundays at 6:30am. Those who are homebound and would like a visit from an extraordinary minister of Communion may contact San Pedro directly.

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