San Pedro Catholic Church





Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white.
Mark 9:2,3

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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, February 24, 2024

5:00pm Vigil Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Peter Pranckus (Ralph & Cathy Pranckus)

Sunday, February 25, 2024

9:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Karen Schneeberger (SPWG)

11:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Christopher Franz

(Michael & Barbara Teichman)

SPECIAL BLESSINGS

*Pamela Smith (Diana Smith)

*Sarah Smith (Diana Smith)

6:00pm Misa en Espanol

Monday, February 26, 2024

8:30am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Deacon Jeff Reyes (His Family)

Tuesday, February 27, 2024

8:30am Mass

Wednesday, February 28, 2024

8:30am Mass

Lenten Retreat (English)

Wednesday, February 28-Friday, March 1 6pm

Friday, March 1, 2024

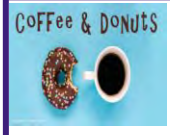
8:30am Mass

HEALING & COMFORT

*Sophia Alvarez

4:30pm Rosary

5:00pm Stations of the Cross



Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship

Please join us in Williams Hall For coffee & donuts after 9:00am Mass All Welcome!

NO COFFEE & DONUTS MARCH 3RD OR 10TH DUE TO YARD SALE

Please Pray For Special Healing For The Sick Of Our Community, Especially

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

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~Altar Candles~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

*Maria H. Pistorino (The Pistorino Family)

~Altar Wine~

~AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR~

~Church Flowers~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Maria Louisa Iniguez (Lorraine Ferrara)

~Hosts~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

*Juliette Marie Pistorino-Shutty (Pistorino Family)

~Sanctuary Lamp~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Carr & Boulton Families

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Collections For February 17th & 18th, 2024



Ash Wednesday	2,886.00
Weekend Masses	4,933.00
Spanish Mass	252.00
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	9,477.00

Office Hours

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

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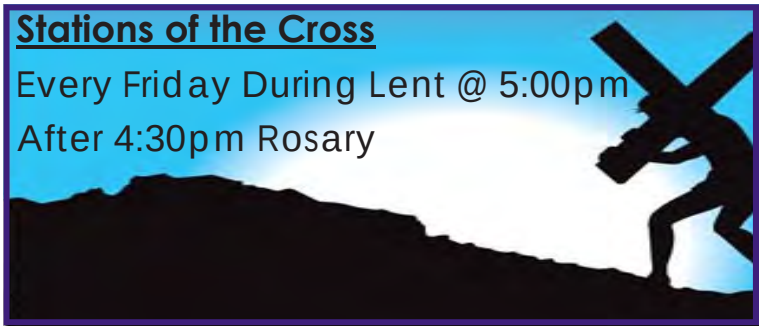
Religious Ed: Amy Brown Pope 917.941.2888

Readings For The Week...

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32



Stations of the Cross



Every Friday During Lent @ 5:00pm
After 4:30pm Rosary

Support The ABCD



"'Here I am!' He answered." -Genesis 22:11

It is easy to say, "Here I am, Lord," when we are kneeling in church. But how easy is it to say "Here I am, Lord," when a neighbor needs our help, when we are invited to join a parish ministry, or when we are asked to provide financial support? Often times we are called when it's not convenient for us. Discipleship is not always easy, most of the time it will make us uncomfortable and vulnerable. Support The Archdiocese ABCD Campaign by making a donation. 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.

San Pedro Lenten Retreat

February 28th, 29th & March 1st
@ 6:00pm

LENTEN RETREAT

Questions? 305.852.3315

This is a Test

I used to wonder how God could lie to Abraham about sacrificing his son Isaac. But the story begins by telling us God put Abraham to the test. Abraham himself seems to know it's a test. Apparently, I'm the only one fooled by God.

I don't know if I would have passed the test. I would have at least argued with God about it, begging him to spare my son. Yet in our second reading, St. Paul reminds us that God did not spare his own son. (Rom 8:32) He passed his own test. Jesus was sacrificed so that God could show us how much he loved us. If God loves us so much that he gives his Son to die for us, why would he not forgive us? He doesn't. But he is still testing us.

What does that tell us about life? You may have noticed that things don't always go your way. Does that mean those tragedies are our fault? No, God gives everyone free will and some people choose to do wrong. God intervenes sometimes and lives are saved. Other times, God intervenes by saving us after death with our resurrection. As long as people doubt God's love, there will be tests. That's why it is so important to proclaim the Kingdom: so that someday all people will know God's love and not need to be tested.

Fasting & Abstinence Rules for Lent



These are the 2024 Lenten and Tridiuum regulations issued by the Office of Worship of the Archdiocese of Miami.

Fast & Abstinence: The Holy Season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. Ash Wednesday and all Fridays until Easter Sunday are days of fasting and abstinence from meat for all who are 14 years older. They are also days of fast (one full meal and two small meals, with nothing eaten between the meals) for adults from 18-59 years of age. All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat for those 14 years and older.

Scout Sunday

San Pedro Parish participated in Scout Sunday on February 11th. Troop 914 scouts and leaders along with Fr. Ferry Brutus celebrated the annual event. San Pedro and Fr. Brutus have sponsored the scouting units for the past several years.
We are proud of our scouts!





Special Showing!

A special showing of *The Chosen* will take place Sunday, February 25th @ 1pm at Tavernier Cinema 5
Admission will be $7.50 all proceeds will go to San Pedro Church!

San Pedro's Men's Club Meeting

The San Pedro Men's Club will have their next meeting on March 5th, 2024 at 5:00pm in Williams Hall. The Men's Club is open to all parishioners!

San Pedro Grant



The San Pedro Women's Guild and Men's Club will award grants to graduating high school seniors who are currently active members of San Pedro Parish. This is a one-time award and is available to seniors who are continuing their education at a college, junior college, or trade school following graduation. Applications are due on Friday, April 5, 2024. Late applications will not be accepted. **Applicants are considered on the basis of continued service to this parish.** For information and applications please refer to the Coral Shores website under the College and Career Office.
If you have questions, you may contact Toni Oyler at 301-466-3448.





Women's Guild Yard Sale!

The Women's Guild is hosting their annual
Yard Sale on Saturday, March 9th, 2024
in Williams Hall from 8am-2pm.

Come out and support the Women's Guild and San Pedro!
Donations can be dropped off from February 27th to March 8th from 10:00am-2:00pm in Williams Hall.
Accepting; clothing, small kitchen appliances, gadgets, tools, children's equipment and clothes, picture and art frames, mirrors, vases, jewelry, etc.
(Please no large furniture, computer, printers, TV's or exercise equipment.)
****Accepting broken or unwanted gold jewelry.**

Respect Life Baby Shower!

The San Pedro baby shower is a celebration of life in Thanksgiving for our children.

Saturday & Sunday

February, 24th & 25th

Bottles, Wipes, Diapers & Especially Baby Clothes. For Boys & Girls From birth to 6 ms

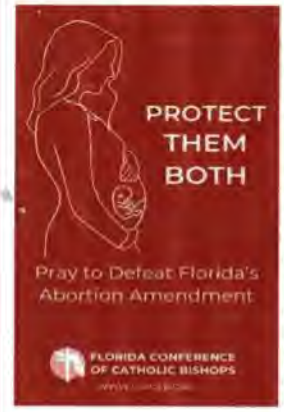
Checks made payable to *San Pedro Catholic Church* in the memo write "Respect Life"

Please bring Baby items and place them next to the Altar.

*The South Dade Pregnancy Help Center is especially in need of diapers sizes 3, 4 & 5 And onesies 0-24 months.

Pray to Defeat Florida's Abortion Amendment

Novena for Oral Arguments Contesting Florida's Proposed Abortion Amendment



The political committee behind a proposed constitutional amendment that would legalize abortion up until birth in Florida has surpassed the petition signature requirement for placement on the November 2024 ballot. For ballot placement to be confirmed, the amendment language must be reviewed by the Florida Supreme Court to ensure it is clear and limited to a single subject.

In her brief to the Court, the attorney general urged the justices to reject the proposal, identifying several terms in the amendment language that are not clearly defined and could mislead voters. The Florida Conference of Catholic Bishops (FCCB) also filed a legal brief in opposition to the amendment. The FCCB's brief argued that the proposed ballot title is misleading. The title states that the amendment "limits" government interference with abortion when the text of the amendment itself actually *prohibits* all regulation before viability. The ballot language also fails to advise voters that the amendment would largely prohibit the state's oversight of abortion clinics and provide fair notice of its impact on existing legal protections for women and children.

On February 7, 2024, the Florida Supreme Court will hear oral arguments concerning the validity of the amendment language.

Please join in praying the following from January 30 - February 7:

Ever-living God, you give life and desire a future for all your children. Take hold of our nation, state, and community and awaken in every heart awe for the gift of life. Send your Spirit to strengthen us with wisdom and fortitude as we defend mothers and children in Florida from laws that disregard their health and safety.

Mary and Joseph trusted in you and welcomed Jesus into our broken world. God Almighty, we ask their intercession to protect the preborn and their mothers, and to guide all parents in raising their children. May they help us build a civilization of love by upholding the sacredness of life and accompanying pregnant women in need.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Mother of the Family, pray for us!

St. Joseph, Protector of the Unborn, pray for us!

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.



Donate Online!

Our Heartfelt Thanks to all our parishioners and visitors that so generously support our Church every week. At this time of emergency, 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.

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