# San Pedro Catholic Parish



**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** 

First Friday of the month 9-10:00am

# MASS Intentions

#### Saturday, October 18, 2025

5:00pm Vigil Mass

#### Sunday, October 19, 2025

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass

#### **IN LOVING MEMORY**

- +Anthony Salyers (His Loving Family)
- +Charles & Aniela Miller (Henry Miller)

#### 11:00am Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

- +Irma (Lula) Martin (Luis & Mimi)
- +Joyce P. Lake (Mary E. McFadden)

#### 6:00pm Misa En Espanol

#### SANACION Y FORTALEZA

\*Tony Benedi (La Familia)

#### Monday, October 20, 2025

St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

8:30am Mass

#### Tuesday, October 21, 2025

8:30am Mass

#### Wednesday, October 22, 2025

St. John Paul II, Pope

8:30am Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+James May (Mariane Boland)

#### Friday, October 24, 2025

St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

8:30am Mass

#### **IN LOVING MEMORY**

+Joyce P. Lake (Mary E. McFadden)

**HEALING & COMFORT** 

\*Tony Benedi (His Family)

## Collections October 11th & 12th, 2025 Offertory 2,870.00



Offertory 2,870.00
Spanish Mass 243.00
Building 1,036.00
On Line Giving 1,035.00
5,184.00

#### October 18th & 19th, 2025

## 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, Jana Firkins, Baby Joseph, Mariana, Marissa, Orlando,
Ena, Gina, Maria Hernandez, Vanessa, Barbara,
Maria Lange, Robert Sebulsky, John P, DJ,
Marc Ocampo, Nora DiJacamo, Mia Diz, Tony Benedi,
Victorio Martinetti, Melody Chapman, Pierre Richard, Fito,
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Shelby, Bob Hauber, Sandy, Lui, Jessica & Angelika.

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~IN LOVING MEMORY~ +Gerri Miller (The Miller Family)

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### **Hurricane Prayer**

Eternal Father, Creator of all the world and all that is in it.

We beg you to spare the Florida Keys and the world from storms and hurricanes. If any should occur, we ask that they all go out to sea where they may do the least amount of damage to anyone. We ask this through

Christ our Lord. *Amen* 

#### Office Hours

<u>Monday-Friday</u> 9am-12pm 12:30pm-4pm email: office@sanpedroparish.org

#### Parish Office 305.852.5372

Secretary, Press 0

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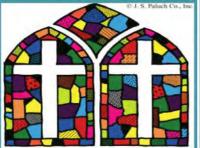
#### Choir/Religious Ed

Adult Choir: Call Office

Religious Ed: Amy Brown Pope 917.941.2888

October 18th & 19th, 2025

#### San Pedro Catholic



#### Readings For The Week...

**Monday:** Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 12:13-21

**Tuesday:** Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

**Wednesday:** Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Lk 12:39-48 **Thursday:** Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 12:49-53 **Friday:** Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94; Lk 12:54-59

**Saturday:** Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 13:1-9



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#### Perseverance

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives a clever example of why we are to persevere in praying, even if we think the prayer is not being heard. The crooked judge just wanted to get that widow off his back. So we can pray to God with even more confidence, because we know that God loves us and will answer our prayers.

St. Paul carries that theme of perseverance even further. He is not just talking about prayer here; he encourages Timothy to persevere in proclaiming God's word as well. That command we may find more challenging than prayer. He tells Timothy (and us!) to "convince, reprimand and encourage through all patience and teaching" (2 Timothy 4:2). How can we do that?

"Convince" reminds me that our faith should be reasonable. Jesus' command to love one another, for instance, can be taught much more convincingly by giving examples of love. A mother who hugs her child when he is hurt and encourages him when he feels lost is teaching that command in a way that will be remembered much longer than just telling him to love people.

Paul also talks about reprimanding each other. Most people find it difficult to reprimand someone they are in charge of, much less one who is equal in status. That's where patience comes in. A reprimand can be made patiently and gently, as a sign of concern rather than authority.

Paul lastly mentions teaching. Parents can do their part by teaching the stories from the Bible, helping children to see God in creation, teaching them to pray, and being good examples of God's love for them. If you send your children to religion classes or the parish school, do what you can to support the teachers so that what the children learn at school is practiced at home.

#### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although the hours of daylight are rapidly dwindling, many people would say that these October days bring the year's most splendid weather. Americans are riders and joggers, not strollers, and so the pleasures of the season are often lost on us. This is not the case with many Jewish people, who observe an ancient rule in walking to synagogue on the Sabbath. On city streets and suburban sidewalks in many cities, we may notice around sunset the nicely dressed families walking and chatting on Friday afternoon. After a short prayer at dusk, the families stroll home again for a relaxing and festive meal. They return to synagogue in the morning, and then spend an afternoon in family leisure until three stars appear in the night sky and Sabbath ends.

Catholics, on the other hand, pile into the car and drive even a short distance to Mass; some even divide the family to participate at different hours. For Jews, the leisurely walk marks a dividing line between hectic life commitments and a day of abundant joy and enrichment. Before we became an automobile culture, Catholics embraced a similar pace, and in most places walked to church. These lovely days of fall invite us to tap into an old and life-giving tradition. If you live within a mile of your church, walk next week. If you must drive, park at a good distance and walk the rest of the way. Talk about your life, greet strangers, notice the crunch of leaves under your shoes. You may be surprised at how different Sunday Mass feels when it is framed by leisure!

## Respect Life Baby Shower!

The San Pedro baby shower is a celebration of life in Thanksgiving for our children. Saturday & Sunday October 18th & 19th, 25th & 26th

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\*Project Joseph-addresses the unique needs of fathers and father-to-be.
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\*Project Rachel-For men and women feeling the emotional effects post abortion.

\*Gabriel Project-Mentor to act as spiritual companion during the pregnancy.

\*Adoption & Education.

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AQUEDUCT AUTHORITY
The existing drinking water pipe has exceeded its useful lifespan and the FKAA crew
has been working hard to replace it as fast as possible. The crew will be approaching the San Pedro Parish
area very soon, as such they are asking for your cooperation to help the installation run smoothly.

It's possible the Florida Department of Transportation will not allow left-hand turns through the work zone. If you are traveling North to enter San Pedro, you many need to continue past San Pedro and make a U-Turn when it is safe and legal to do so. You also may not be able to turn left out of the parking lot and will need to turn right and make a U-Turn when it is safe and legal to do so.

Any questions can be directed to FKAA; email: community@fkaa.com, online: https://bit.ly/PlantationKeyProject, or use this QR Code

#### Religious Education Classes Are Back In Session!

San Pedro's Religious Education classes for grades Kindergarten through Confirmation are back in session. We invite all children of our community to join us as we explore the Bible, The Ten Commandments, the life and teachings of Jesus, and the richness of our Catholic faith. Our comprehensive curriculum runs from September to May, with classes held every Sunday from 10 AM to 11 AM.

#### **Program Details:**

• **Grades:** Kindergarten through Confirmation

• **Start Date:** Sunday, September 7th

• **Time:** 10 AM - 11 AM

• **Duration:** September to May

• **Donation:** \$100 per student for the year to help cover costs

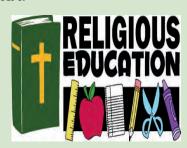
For additional information and to register, please contact Amy Brown Pope at 917-941-2888. We kindly request a donation of \$100 per student per year to help cover our costs.

\*Please note that two years of Religious Education classes are required to prepare students to receive their First Holy Communion and to be Confirmed.

#### **Confirmation Class of 2026:**

We are currently in year two of our Confirmation class of June 2026. We will accept new Confirmation students (6th, 7th, and 8th graders, as well as high school students who have not yet received the sacrament of Confirmation) in August of 2026. This is a two-year program.

We look forward to a blessed and enriching year of learning and growing in our faith together!



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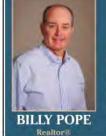
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