

# San Pedro Catholic Parish

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✠ Mateo/Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-18



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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, Friday @ 8:30am**

**Confession Schedule**

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

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

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

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

**First Friday of the month 9-10:00am**

# MASS Intentions

## Saturday, February 14, 2026

### 5:00pm Vigil Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+D.J. Smits (Tina Cash)

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Stella, Tina, Elena, Bill Belz (Friends of San Pedro)

## Sunday, February 15, 2026

### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### 9:00am Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+Antonio Alfonso (Don & Nancy Unser)

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Maria Gradiz (Christabel)

\*Stella (Friends of San Pedro)

### 11:00am Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+D.J. Smits (Ida Ufferman)

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Enrique Garcia (Christabel)

### 6:00pm Misa En Espanol

## Monday, February 16, 2026

President's Day (OFFICE CLOSED)

### 8:30am Mass

## Tuesday, February 17, 2026

The Seven Holy Founders

### 8:30am Mass

## Wednesday, February 18, 2026

Ash Wednesday

### 8:30am Mass

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Michael Camejo (His Family)

### 6:00pm Mass

#### IN LOVING MEMORY

+Margarita Perez (Her Family)

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Baby Liam (His Family)

## Friday, February 20, 2026

### 8:30am Mass

#### HEALING & COMFORT

\*Homebound Parishioners

### 5:00pm Stations of the Cross & Rosary



### Please Pray For Healing & Comfort

Laura, Baby Eve, Giana, Tom, Maria Perez Menendez, Gonzalo, Hector, Carol, Daisy, Baby Joseph, Mariana, Marissa, Orlando, Ena, Gina, Maria Hdz, Vanessa, Barbara, Judi, Maria Lange, John P, Marc Ocampo, Nora DiJacamo, Mia Diz, 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, Tony Benedi, Sandy, Lui, Angelika, Jessica, Cecilia & Pepe Armenteros, Luis Mata, Tina Cash, Noemi, Michael & Abraham Embi.

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#### ~Altar Candles~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Gerri & Bill Miller (Miller Family)

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

\*Carr & Boulton Families (Catherine Carr)

#### ~Altar Wine~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+William & Norma Farkas (Elaine Farkas Allen)

#### ~Church Flowers~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

\*Coronado Family

#### ~Hosts~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+William & Norma Farkas (Elaine Farkas Allen)

#### ~Sanctuary Lamp~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+D.J. Smits (His Parents)

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

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### Choir/Religious Ed

Adult Choir: Call Office

Religious Ed: Amy Brown Pope 917.941.2888



**Readings For The Week..**

**Monday:** Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mk 8:11-13

**Tuesday:** Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

**Wednesday:** Joel 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 & 17; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday:** Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 9:22-25

**Friday:** Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday:** Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5:27-32



**WEDNESDAY,  
FEBRUARY 18TH  
MASSES AT  
8:30AM & 6:00PM**



**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!

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

It's still months away, but parish ministers, especially if they are involved in the catechumenate, have their eyes on Lent and the Easter Triduum. Until fairly recent times, the last few days before Easter were shaped by an awareness of the Passion, but the faithful were left to their own devices about how to engage with these mysteries. A thousand years ago, the Easter Vigil as a solemn and central moment of initiation had vanished. By the early 1950s it was a minor moment in parish life, celebrated on Holy Saturday morning, usually with only the priests and a handful of invited guests. Most people understood it as necessary only for blessing the paschal candle and preparing the Easter water. People who were children during World War II sometimes remember that the weekly noontime test of the air-raid sirens on Holy Saturday signaled the end of Lent.

Today, of course, we see Holy Saturday as entirely within the paschal fast, and hardly the time for children to be tearing through the plastic grass looking for jelly beans and chocolate eggs. These memories point to a total collapse of the once-central liturgies of the Christian year. This impoverishment of the liturgy was mostly an accident of history. The root cause was the loss of Lent as a time focused on the final formation of catechumens for the Easter sacraments. By 1880, scholars began to piece together a vision of what once had been, and slowly, at first in a handful of monasteries in Europe, pieces of the tradition were rediscovered and celebrated.

**License To Sin**

In the James Bond movies, 007 has a license to kill. He can shoot all the bad guys he wants without worrying about being charged with murder. God, however, does not issue a license to sin. The first reading from Sirach reminds us that any time we choose between life and death, good and evil, it is our free choice and our responsibility. God may allow us to make bad choices, but God never commands anyone to sin.

Jesus goes even deeper than Sirach. The people of Sirach's time had followed the laws and commandments that governed external actions. But Jesus taught that thoughts and desires that lead to sin can also be freely chosen or rejected. In the Gospel he gives us some examples.

The first is about killing. Jesus says that anyone who gets angry enough to kill or who looks down on his neighbor as not deserving to live has committed murder in his heart. Because the Eucharist is our sacrament of unity, we should take care to be reconciled with others before coming to the altar.

The next warnings are about adultery and divorce, breaches that also begin with interior feelings. Jesus exaggerates when he tells us to cut off a hand or tear out an eye, because he knew how easily we rationalize our feelings and pretend they are harmless. Jesus takes marriage seriously and expects his disciples to do the same.

His final example concerns taking oaths. Jesus gets to the point and says that we wouldn't need oaths if we always told the truth and kept our promises. Our faith is based on the knowledge that God keeps promises. Shouldn't we do the same?



**Support The ABCD**

We are getting close but we're not quite there yet! With your help Our Parish can meet its 2026 ABCD goal and continue the mission of love and service to those who need it most. Please take a moment to reflect, pray, and respond to God's quiet call. Your generosity brings the Gospel to life. 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.



# Lenten SOUP Suppers

San Pedro will be hosting Lenten Soup Suppers after Stations of the Cross during lent. Beginning February 20th Join us for some fellowship from 4-5pm in Williams Hall \$10. for adults and kids are free. (Meal includes soup, dinner roll and water or soda)

**Stations of the Cross (starting Feb. 20)**  
Every Friday During Lent 5:00pm  
Rosary before Stations of the Cross

*Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord!*



**Souper Thank You!**

San Pedro's Men's Club would like to thank Dillon's Pub, Green Turtle Restaurant, and The Islamorada Fishing Club for their generous donations to make the 2026 "Soup"er Bowl Sunday Soup sale such a success. Our very own Women's Guild rounded out the soup flavors using their "Grandma's Secret Recipes". We had six different varieties of soup, all perfect for the cold weather we've been experiencing!



Thank you Ladies of our Parish that made the soup, the local restaurants, and YOU – for stopping by to support!

Men's Club.

Do you like what you see, does this soup drive spark some ideas for our Parish? If so, consider coming to our next Men's Club meeting, just to see what it looks like, you don't have to join, but we would love to have you share your thoughts and ideas. Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 2nd at 5:00 in Williams Hall. We are considering meeting between 9:00 and 11:00 Masses, contact me if you have questions or need clarification before joining us! Dr. Tina Cash (305) 619-6771.



Hope to see you there!

**Holy Week And Easter Services**

**March 27, 2026 - April 12, 2026**

Friday, March 27th	6:00pm Healing & Reconciliation Service
Saturday, March 28th	4:45 pm Palm Sunday Vigil Mass Blessing of the Palms and procession
Palm Sunday, March 29th	Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem 8:45am Blessing of the Palms 9:00am Mass 10:45am Blessing of the Palms 11:00am Mass 4:45pm Bendicion de las Palmas 5pm Misa en Espanol
Tuesday, March 31st	10:00am Chrism Mass @ St. Mary's Cathedral Miami
Wednesday, April 1st	4pm-4:45pm Confession 7:00pm Tenebrae Service (Celebration of the 7 last words of Jesus before He died)
Holy Thursday, April 2nd	7:00pm Mass of The Lord Last Supper w/Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Bilingual Mass)
Good Friday, April 3rd	3:00pm Stations of the Cross Followed By The Veneration of the cross/Passion of the Lord
Holy Saturday, April 4th	10am-12pm Confession 7:30pm Blessing of the Fire 8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass
EASTER SUNDAY, April 5th	7:00am, 9:00am (Egg Hunt Following) & 11:00am 5:00pm Misa en Espanol
Sunday, April 2th	9:00am and 11:00am 3:00pm Divine Mercy Mass 6:00pm Misa en Espanol

Come join our visiting Priest on February 23rd & 24th at 6pm in the Church for a Lenten retreat.

**LEN TEN RETREAT**

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# February 2026

Mass Schedule: Saturday @ 5:00pm Sunday @ 9 & 11am Spanish Mass Sunday @ 6pm	Week Day Mass: M, T, W & F 8:30am; Confessions: F 9-10am, Sa t 4-4:45, Sun 8-8:45; Rosary after all Weekday Masses.	Coffee & Donuts after the gam Masses unless indicated. **Meetings/Events that are Open to Everyone
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Parish Ministries, for info	Contact the Parish Office	305-852-5372				
Parish Council Hospitality Ministry Music Ministry Liturgy, Alter, Eucharistic, Lectors Ministry	Ushers/Greeters Men's Club Women's Guild Community Meals, Respect of Life	RCIA CLASSES TO BE ANNOUNCED, Registration required For Baptisms, pls contact office				
1 CCD 10-11 am. Classrooms No Coffee/Donuts this week	2 Blessing of Candles, Bilingual Mass, 7pm. No morning Mass	3 Men's Club Meeting 5pm WH ** Cub/Boy Scouts 6-8:30 WH	4	5 Eucharistic Glory Pilgrimage, 10am Grotto Bible Study, 10:30am Classroom** Women's Guild Meeting, 11pm, Williams Hall**	6	7 Liturgical Ministry Informational meeting for those interested in serving 10am, WH **
8 CCD 10-11 am. Classrooms Men's Club Soup Sale after All Masses	9	10 Cub/Boy Scouts 6-8:30 WH	11	12 Eucharistic Glory Pilgrimage, 10am Grotto Bible Study, 10:30am Classroom**	13	14 Women's Guild Tea Party, 12 Noon, WH (Tickets Required) Women's Guild Raffle drawing
15 CCD 10-11 am. Classrooms	16	17 Cub/Boy Scouts 6-8:30 WH	18 Ash Wednesday Masses 8:30 am & 6:pm	19 Eucharistic Glory Pilgrimage, 10am Grotto Bible Study, 10:30am Classroom**	20 Stations of the Cross, 5pm** Lenten Soup Dinner, 4-5p, WH **	21
22 CCD 10-11 am. Classrooms	23 Lenten Retreat, 6p, Church**	24 Cub/Boy Scouts 6-8:30 WH Lenten Retreat, 6p, Church**	25	26 Eucharistic Glory Pilgrimage, 10am Grotto Bible Study, 10:30am Classroom**	27 Stations of the Cross, 5pm** Lenten Soup Dinner, 4-5p, WH **	28

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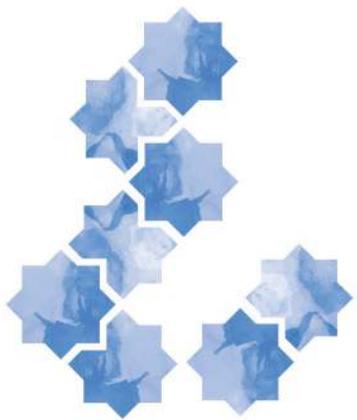


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