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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, July 4, 2026

5:00pm Vigil Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Jim Tokarski (Sylvia Gonzalez)

+Olga Lastra (Sylvia Gonzalez)

HEALING & COMFORT

*Tom Bray (By His Family)

SPECIAL INTENTION

*The United States of America (Pistorino Family)

Sunday, July 5, 2026

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Alma Flocker (Oyler Family)

+Ann Slattery (Oyler Family)

+Veronica Gutierrez (Luis Gutierrez)

HAPPY 55TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

*Isa & Luis (Their Family)

11:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+DJ Smits (Ufferman Family)

+Veronica Gutierrez (Luis Gutierrez)

6:00pm Misa En Espanol

Monday, July 6, 2026

St. Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr

8:30am Mass

Tuesday, July 7, 2026

8:30am Mass

BLESSED 85TH BIRTHDAY

*John C. Pistorino (Maria Pistorino)

Wednesday, July 8, 2026

8:30am Mass

Friday, July 10, 2026

8:30am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Rev Luis Altonago (San Pedro Friends)

+Mons Calixto Garca (San Pedro Friends)

“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.”



Please Pray For Healing & Comfort

Laura, Baby Eve, Giana, Tom, Maria Perez Menendez, Gonzalo, Hector, Carol, Daisy, Baby Joseph, Orlando, Ena, Gina, Maria Hdz, Barbara, Maria Lange, Marc Ocampo, Nora DiJacamo, Victorio Martinetti, Melody Chapman, Fito, Elena Veiga, Marc, Noah, Angela, Roshane and family, Harry Lloyd, Joanna, Brian, Sofia, Roshane and family. Tony Benedi, Sandy, Lui, Angelika, Jessica, Michael, Abraham Bmbi, Joanna, Denise Diaz, Maria Gradiz, Cristina Allen, Chiqui, Armenteros, Brian, Sofia & Linda R.

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~SPECIAL INTENTIONS~

*The Pistorino Family

~Hosts~

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~Sanctuary Lamp~

~SPECIAL INTENTION~

*The Budisak 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

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

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Readings For The Week..

- Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 9:18-26
- Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10; Mt 9:32-38
- Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 10:1-7
- Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15
- Friday:** Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14, 17; Mt 10:16-23
- Saturday:** Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33



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Who Do You Love?

Jesus tells us in today's Gospel that he is "meek and humble of heart." Yet just a few lines before this, he says that he is equal to his Father, the almighty God. So how can the Son of God be both meek and mighty?

Jesus' meekness meant doing the will of God completely. The challenge for us comes in his words "learn from me." We must learn to do God's will as completely as Jesus did.

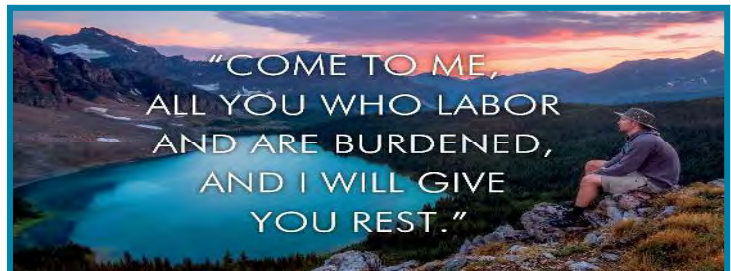
First, to be complete means that we do all that God wants from us. We cannot pick and choose what we want to do and what we want to ignore. For example, we may reserve the right to decide which teachings of the Church we will follow. But doing God's will completely means doing it without reservation.

Second, we may try to do all that God asks, but give up if something becomes too difficult. We may say we forgive someone, for example, but when they reject that forgiveness, we become even angrier. We can learn from Jesus how to do each part of God's will to completion, as Jesus did all the way to the cross.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

With the Reformation, some early Protestants, including the "Anabaptists," rejected infant baptism in favor of "believer's baptism." Against Orthodox and Catholic practice, which favored baptism as soon as possible for a newborn, these movements desired that the candidate for baptism speak for him- or herself at a mature age, not through godparents as an infant. Today, it is clear that they were rejecting a very ancient practice (even as early as the second century) of baptizing children of all ages. Children came first in ancient baptismal ceremonies, and someone would speak for them. Gregory of Nazianzen wanted to delay the baptism of children to three years of age, since at that age they could retain at least some impression of the liturgy. He made an exception for the very ill, who were to be baptized ahead of the annual Easter baptism. That means that infants and children were normally baptized together with adults, and that everyone received confirmation and the Eucharist.

The tone of the early bishops' writings is generous and compassionate, and seeks to build up the eucharistic assembly by widely celebrating the gift of the Holy Spirit. If a priest celebrated baptism, then the gift of the Spirit was postponed for the bishop, but with no regard for the person's age. So, until the fifth century, confirmation was for infants, too.



Ushers Needed
Are you willing to serve?

San Pedro Parish is looking for volunteers to serve as ushers at all of our weekend Masses. Ushers play an important role in creating a welcoming environment for everyone. If you would like to share your time and talents in this important ministry, we invite you to sign up. A volunteer sign-up is available at all Church exits after Mass. Thank you for your prayerful consideration, we would love to have you join this ministry!

Confirmation Class of 2026!

Congratulations to our newly Confirmed students, celebrated by Archbishop Thomas Wenski. Your parish family is proud of you and celebrates this important milestone in your faith journey.

Back row from left to right: Fredy Calix, Tobiasz Smolen, Alberto Estevez Jr, Christopher Murillo, Mark Porter, Jameson Kerns, and Fr. Ferry Brutus. Front row from left to right: Noelia Barajas, Dylan Duran, Melanie Estevez, Isabel Liriano, Archbishop Thomas Wenski, Diego Tejada, Siena Wright, and Stella Sgroi.

Not pictured but also Confirmed in 2026: R.J. Michelini and Paola Mora.



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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!

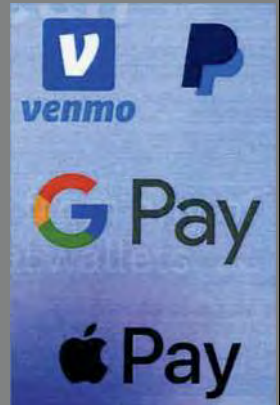


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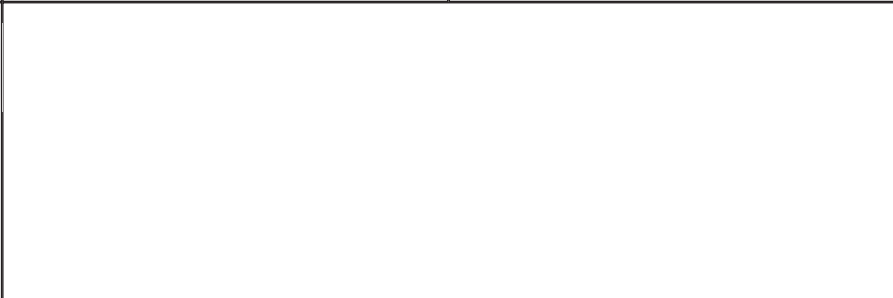
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