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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, August 15, 2026

5:00pm Vigil Mass

Sunday, August 16, 2026

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+Anthony & Sylvia Yagley (Barb & Mike Wullaert)

+Poppi Turk (The Sebastian Family)

11:00am Mass

IN LOVING MEMORY

+DJ Smits (Ufferman Family)

6:00pm Misa En Espanol

Monday, August 17, 2026

8:30am Mass

Tuesday, August 18, 2026

8:30am Mass

Wednesday, August 19, 2026

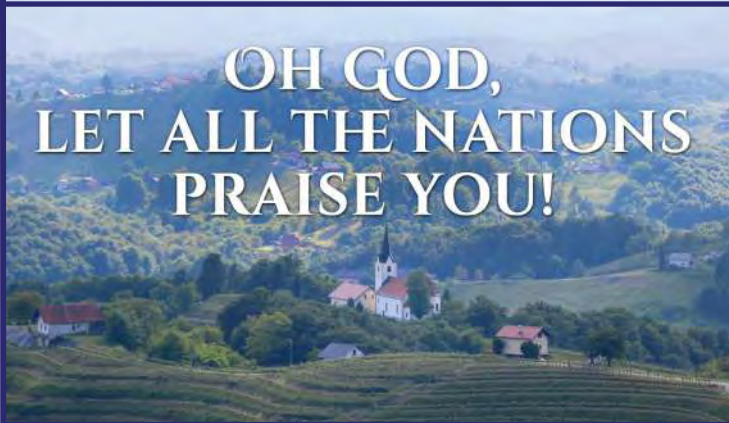
St. John Eudes, Priest

8:30am Mass

Friday, August 21, 2026

St. Pius X, Pope

8:30am Mass



Collections August 8th & 9th, 2026

Offertory & Spanish 3,654.00

Online Giving 1,500.00

TOTAL 5,154.00

Building Fund 1,012.00

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. Sandy, Lui, Angelika, Jessica, Michael, Abraham Embi, Joanna, Denise Diaz, Maria Gradiz, Cristina Allen, Chiqui, Armenteros, Brian, Sofia, Linda R., Noemi, Ori, Harry Lloyd. Lien, Chiqui Socarras, Liam and Emilio.

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~Altar Candles~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

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~Altar Wine~

~SPECIAL INTENTIONS~

*The Budisak Family

~Church Flowers~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+D.J. Smits (Dirk & Eris)

~Hosts~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Jesus Menendez Conde (Dirk & Eris)

~Sanctuary Lamp~

~IN LOVING MEMORY~

+Anthony & Sylvia Yagley (Mike & Barb Wullaert)

To Sponsor Call: 305.852.5372 ext. 0

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 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



The Lord is faithful

Readings For The Week

Monday: Ez 24:15-23; Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab, 10, 11-12, 13-14, Mt 23:1-12

Treasures From Our Tradition

In recent weeks, we have looked at the evolution of how Roman Catholics initiate children into the life of the Church. How did customs evolve in the Eastern Church? At one time, Christians in both East and West preferred to celebrate baptism in a community setting, with large numbers of adults and children initiated at Easter. The two branches of Christianity began to split on the proper time to do this.

In the East, water was blessed in abundance on the feast of the Epiphany, which marked, among other things, the baptism of the Lord. Once infant baptism was fixed on that day, local customs marking a birth began to evolve. One celebration was the giving of a name on the eighth day, another was the "purification" of the mother on the fortieth day after birth. In that blessing, re-enacting Mary and Joseph's journey to the temple, the priest took the baby in his arms and placed the child before the altar. Just as Simeon received the child Jesus, so the priest received the new Christian while chanting Simeon's prayer. Later, normally on Epiphany, the priest would baptize, chrismate (confirm), and give a few drops of the Precious Blood to the child in a joyous celebration of the whole community.

Saints And Special Observances

Sunday: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: St. John Eudes, Priest

Thursday: St. Bernard, Abbot & Dr. of the Church

Friday: Memorial of St. Pius X. Pope

Saturday: The Queen-ship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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!



Support The ABCD

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A Clever Woman of Faith

Why is Jesus being so difficult with the Canaanite woman? At first he seems to be putting her off. He does this not to discourage her, but to draw a response of faith. He wants to see how persistent she is in her request.

We can tell ourselves that we are people of faith, but how easily are we discouraged? Do we think God has forgotten us when we experience trouble? The woman's clever reply to Jesus reminds us that she trusted in Jesus' power and willingness to help. She refused to give up and stop asking.

Jesus was also teaching his disciples that faith is more important than nationality. Long after Jesus' resurrection, the church struggled with the question of non-Jewish believers. Today, we may be doing the same thing in reverse. Some people think that only Catholics can be saved and that there is no hope for Protestants, much less for Jews. But though some rejected Jesus, God never rejected the Jews.

Finally, Jesus responded to her persistence. He shows us that we can keep praying till we get an answer to our prayer. The more time we spend in prayer, the more likely we are to listen to God's answer. Prayer can help us come to the peaceful acceptance that God only does what is best for us.

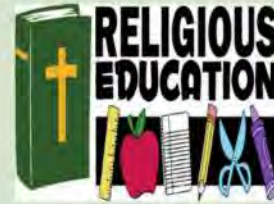
Religious Education Classes Resume In September!

We are pleased to announce that San Pedro's Religious Education classes for grades Kindergarten through Confirmation will resume for the 2026-2027 school year on **Sunday, September 13th at 10am.**

We invite all children of our parish 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 10am-11am.

Program Details:

- **Grades:** Kindergarten through Confirmation
- **Start Date:** Sunday, September 13th
- **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 2028:

We are accepting new students for our Confirmation Class! Students entering 6th through 11th grade are invited to register. Please note that Confirmation is a 2-year program, so students must meet the grade requirements at the time of registration. Our next Confirmation Mass will be celebrated in June of 2028.

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

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- Major Roman Basilicas
- Catacombs - St. Cecilia
- Padre Pio
- St. Michael's Cave
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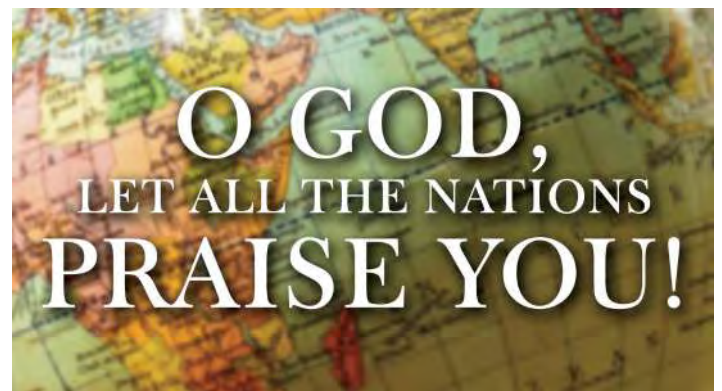


Please call the Parish Office if you need a Priest to visit you at home for confession, counseling or any other need that you may have.

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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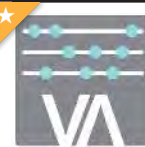
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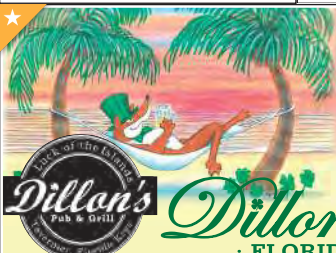
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