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Rectory Hours/Horario de la Rectoría

MON - FRI / LUN - VIE:	08:30 AM—12:00 PM 01:00 PM—05:00 PM
SATURDAY /SABADOS:	09:00 AM—12:00 PM
SUNDAYS / DOMINGOS:	10:00 AM—12:00 PM

Mass Schedule (English)

Daily Mass:	Monday-Saturday 7:00 AM
Sunday Vigil:	Saturdays 4:30 PM
Sundays:	7:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 6:00 PM

Horario de Misas (Español)

Misa Diaria:	Lunes-Viernes 8:30 AM, 7:00 PM Sábados 8:30 AM
Vigilia del Domingo:	Sábados: 6:00 PM
Domingos:	9:00 AM, 1:00 PM, 7:30 PM

Confessions / Confesiones
Saturday – Sábados 11:00 AM—12:30 PM
Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda **Fr. Warren Escalona**

Baptisms/Bautizos
Second Saturday of each month at 1:00 PM.
Contact Parish Office 6 weeks in advance.
Cuarto Sabado de cada mes a las 1:00 PM.
Contacte la Oficina Parroquial con 6 semanas de anticipación.

Marriages/Matrimonios
Contact the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance.
Contacte la Oficina Parroquial con 6 meses de anticipación.

WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Monday, February 17th President's Day
07:00 A.M.: NO MASS
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
† Soledad Argeñal
07:00 P.M.: NO HAY MISA

Tuesday, February 18th
07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
Health of Maribel Young
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona
† Msgr. Tomas Marín
07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Wednesday, February 19th
07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
Teresita Freixas
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
† Olivia Ortiz
07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Thursday, February 20th
07:00 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona
† Clara Hartnagel
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona
† Raul Polo
07:00 P.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez (Misa Comunitaria)

Friday, February 21st
07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
† Israel Perez Siam
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
† Alain Ramos
07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Saturday, February 22nd The Chair of St. Peter, Apostle
07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
† Msgr. Tomas Marín
08:30 A.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
Por la salud de Alicia Quintana
04:30 P.M.: Fr. Mark Reeves
† Jose Ramon
06:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona
† Juan J. Colome

Sunday, February 23rd Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
07:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
For our Parish
09:00 A.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
† Bernardo Rivera Mejia
11:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
Albie Saladin
01:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona
† Felix D. Cruz
06:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda
† Jorge Luis Saumell
07:30 P.M.: Fr. Oscar Pérez
† Maria Celaya

LITURGICAL CALENDAR
READINGS FOR THE WEEK /LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday	**The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order** 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	Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26
Thursday	Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 8:27-33
Friday	**Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church** Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 8:34—9:1
Saturday	**Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle** 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:13-19
Sunday	**Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time** Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

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COLECTA DE DOMINGO

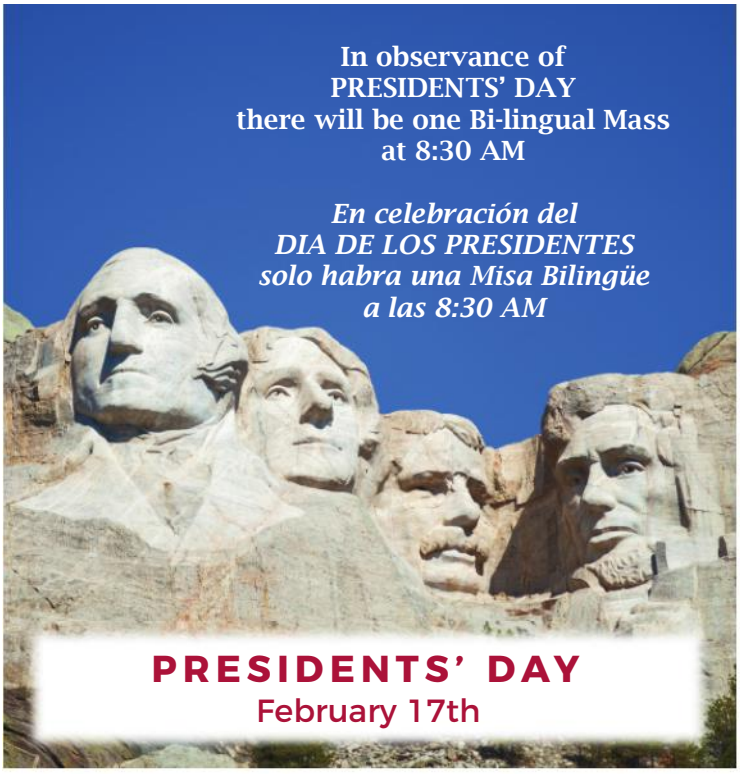
SATURDAY/SABADO: FEBRUARY 8th, 2020

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6:00 PM	$	795.50

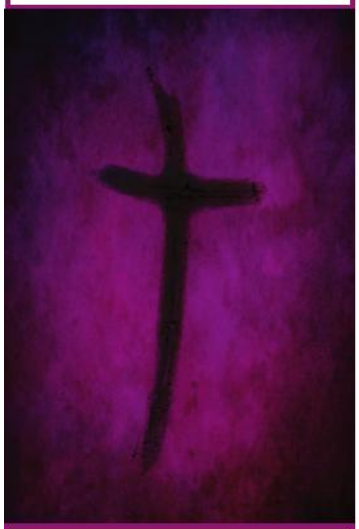
SUNDAY / DOMINGO: FEBRUARY 9th, 2020

7:30AM	$	819.00
9:00AM	$	1,999.00
11:00AM	$	1,529.15
1:00PM	$	1,723.26
6:00PM	$	779.00
7:30PM	$	840.40
Mail & Drop-Off	$	1,104.00
Candles	$	527.21
2nd Collection	$	844.30
On-line Giving	$	480.45
Total:		**$12,379.32**

Gracias **Thank you**



ASH WEDNESDAY



MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA

MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS

February 26, 2020
26 de Febrero 2020

7:00 AM
ENGLISH

8:30 AM
ESPAÑOL

NOON
ESPAÑOL

6:00 PM
ENGLISH

7:30 PM
ESPAÑOL



CHURCH MINISTRIES

Weekly Meetings - Reuniones Semanales

Ministry *Ministerio*	Day *Día*	Time *Hora*	Room *Salón*
Legion of Mary Children	Monday	4:00 PM	5
Emmaus Group for Men	Monday	7:30 PM	Karreton
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	Monday	7:30 PM	Reception
Ensayo Coro Nueva Vida	Lunes	7:30 PM	Templo
Grupo de Oración	Martes	7:30 PM	Karreton
Middle School Youth Ministry	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Parish Center C & F
High School Youth Ministry	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Parish Center A & D
Emmaus Group for Women	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Karreton
Legion of Mary English	Wednesday	7:30 PM	1
Caballeros de Colón	Miércoles (2° y 4° del mes)	8:00 PM	Christopher Columbus HS
San Ignacio de Loyola	Miércoles	7:30 PM	5
Confección de Rosarios	Jueves	2:00 PM	1
Talleres de Oración y Vida	Jueves	7:30 PM	5
Church Choir	Fridays	6:00 PM	5
Grupo de Apoyo ALANON	Viernes	11:00 AM	5
Legión de Maria Español	Viernes	7:30 PM	1
RCIA	Sunday	9:00 AM	School
Catechesis for Children	Sunday	9:00 AM	School
Caballeros Catolicos	Domingo (2°del mes)	10:00 AM	Karreton

TÚ DECIDES

"Si tú lo quieres, puedes guardar los mandamientos", nos dice Eclesiástico (Sirácide). Dios "ha puesto delante de ti fuego y agua; extiende la mano a lo que quieras" (Eclo 15:15, 16). Este es un gran misterio: Dios no nos controla tan completamente que no podemos elegir nuestro propio camino. Es cierto que tenemos límites, pero nadie sino nosotros mismos podemos elegir el camino dentro de esos límites.

En la lectura de hoy del Evangelio según san Mateo, Jesús nos recuerda que somos libres y responsables de nuestra vida. Nos llama a ir más allá de las palabras de los mandamientos para considerar su significado. Si vas más allá del adulterio verás el egoísmo que envenena nuestro amor. Si vas más allá del asesinato verás la ira que corroe nuestra compasión. Si vas más allá del falso testimonio (perjurio) verás las mentiras y engaños que producen este comportamiento.

Nuestra vocación es elegir la vida para nosotros mismos, y tomar un camino a través de nuestro mundo que haga la vida posible y más abundante para otros también.

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CHOICE

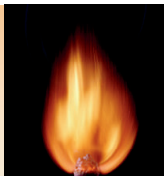
"If you choose you can keep the commandments," Sirach tells us. God "has set before you fire and water; to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand" (Sirach 15:15, 16). This is a great mystery: God does not control us so completely that we cannot choose our own path. We have certain boundaries, of course, but no one but we can choose our way within those boundaries.

In today's reading from Matthew's Gospel, Jesus reminds us of our freedom and our responsibility for our lives. He calls us to look beyond the words of the commandments, all the way to their meaning. Look beyond the adultery to the selfishness that poisons our love. Look beyond the murder to the anger that eats away at our compassion. Look beyond the perjured testimony to the lies and deception that drive our behavior.

Our vocation is to choose life for ourselves, and to choose a path through our part of the world that helps make life possible and more abundant for others as well.

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Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire, called conscience. —George Washington



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2020 ABCD
ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

2020 ABCD Parish Report Summary
2020 Resumen del informe de la parroquia ABCD

Thank you for your participation in and support of the ABCD. As time goes by, it is very important that the pledges made by our parish community are satisfied, so that we continue to try to reach and, then hopefully, exceed our goal.

Gracias por su participación y apoyo al ABCD. A medida que pasa el tiempo, es muy importante que las promesas hechas por nuestra comunidad parroquial estén satisfechas, para que continuemos tratando de alcanzar y, después, con suerte, exceder nuestro objetivo.

Here is a 2020 ABCD parish report summary:
Aquí es un 2020 Resumen del informe de la parroquia ABCD:

PARISH GOAL/META de la parroquia:	$156,523.00
AMOUNT PLEDGED/META de la parroquia:	$ 62,712.69
REMAINING BALANCE/SALDO restante:	**$ 93,810.31**

Through your generous support, we are able to serve thousands of individuals and families in our Archdiocese through outreach, formation, evangelization and worship. Thank you!

Gracias a su generoso apoyo, son capaces de sirva a miles de individuos y familias en nuestra Arquidiócesis a través de la divulgación, formación, evangelización y adoración. ¡Gracias!



FRIDAYS DURING LENT
6:00 P.M. **Stations of the Cross**

VIERNES DURANTE LA CUARESMA
7:30 P.M. **Via Crucis**

TUESDAY, MARCH 3RD, 2020
7:30 P.M. **Lenten Reflection with Msgr. Pablo Navarro**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4TH, 2020
7:30 P.M. **Reflexión de Cuaresma con el Msgr. Pablo Navarro**

FRIDAY, MARCH 6TH, 2020
7:00 P.M. **Lenten Fish Fry in the Parish Center**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25TH, 2020
7:30 P.M. **Parish Confessions**

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2020 ABCD
ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT!

With a grateful heart, thank you to those who generously made a commitment to the 2020 Archbishop's Charities and Development Drive (ABCD). As of today, **91** of our 1778 parish families have responded. We are truly grateful for the love and support of our parish community to help serve our Church above and beyond what happens here in our parish.

If you have not made a gift to the ABCD yet, we need your help to reach our parish goal of $156,523.00. Please make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket. We are confident that, with God's help and yours, we will unite as a Catholic community to be the eyes, hands and feet of Christ here in South Florida.

¡GRACIAS POR TU REGALO!

Con un corazón agradecido, gracias a aquellos que generosamente se comprometió con el 2020 Archbishop's Charities and Development Drive (ABCD). A día de hoy, **91** de nuestros 1778 de familias parroquiales han respondido. Estamos verdaderamente agradecidos por el amor y el apoyo de nuestra comunidad parroquial para ayudar a servir a nuestra Iglesia más allá de lo que sucede aquí en nuestra parroquia.

Si aún no ha hecho un regalo a la ABCD, necesitamos su ayuda para alcanzar nuestra meta parroquial de $156,523.00. Por favor, haga su promesa y devuélvala a la oficina de la parroquia o en la cesta de la colecta. Estamos seguros de que, con la ayuda de Dios y la suya, nos uniremos como comunidad católica para ser los ojos, las manos y los pies de Cristo aquí en el sur de Florida.

LOS SIETE SANTOS FUNDADORES DE LA ORDEN DELOS SIERVOS DE MARÍA
17 de febrero

La fiesta litúrgica de hoy honra a los siete santos fundadores de la Orden de los Siervos de Santa María Virgen cuyos nombres eran: Alejo, Amadeo, Hugo, Benito, Bartolomé, Gerardino y Juan; un grupo de comerciantes que renunciaron a la vida de negocios, dejaron lo necesario para sus familias, repartieron lo demás entre los pobres y se dedicaron por entero a la veneración de María Virgen, yéndose a vivir a una montaña italiana y posteriormente, asumiendo una vida ermitaña, esto es, de oración, ayuno extremo y penitencia.

Tiempo después, a petición del delegado del Sumo Pontífice, todos, excepto uno, se ordenan sacerdotes. El hermano Alejo, por considerar el sacerdocio como algo muy grande para él, decide permanecer como hermano. La Congregación fue aprobada en 1304 y la fiesta litúrgica se enmarca el día de hoy, precisamente porque en este día murió el último de ellos, el hermano Alejo, de quienes los jóvenes novicios escucharon el testimonio de santidad que dio de sus compañeros así como de su vida misma.

—Miguel Arias, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Trabaja para mantener viva en tu corazón la chispa del fuego celestial, esa que se llama conciencia. —George Washington

THE CHAIR OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE
February 22

In brushing up for "Catholic Jeopardy," it might help to know that there is only one feast on the calendar for a thing, rather than a person or mystery. It's for a chair: Saint Peter's chair in fact

After the Resurrection, there can be no doubt that the disciples reserved a special place for Simon Peter in the upper room. Later, Peter became the bishop of Antioch in today's Syria, the place where we were first called Christians. From there, he went to Rome, the center of the Empire, where it is said that Peter sat in a chair in the house of Priscilla and Aquila to instruct his flock. Jesus, in entrusting the keys of the Kingdom to Peter and his successors, entrusted his compassion and mercy to them, and charged them with pointing to the Kingdom of God. Compassion and mercy are to resonate through their teaching.

Since the ancient sign of a teacher is the chair ("disciple" literally means one who sits at the feet of a teacher), Peter's chair has long been treasured. Today there is a symbolic shrine of Peter's chair above the main altar of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. This monument is the last work of Bernini, a huge bronze throne supported by four doctors of the Church: Augustine and Ambrose from the Western Church, and Chrysostom and Athanasius from the East. High above it is the alabaster window of the descent of the Holy Spirit.

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HIGHLIGHTS from
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Wine & Cheese Social
Blessed

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Donación Planificada

La planificación de la muerte es tan natural para el cristiano como la planificación de la vida. Como se indica en 1 Timoteo 5: 8, "si alguien no cuida de sí mismo, y especialmente de su hogar; él ha negado la fe y es peor que un incrédulo". Tener un testamento es una buena administración. Cuida a tu familia. Póngase en contacto con la Oficina de Donaciones Planificadas para obtener más información, 305.762.1112.

Mayordomia

"Porque les digo que, a menos que su justicia sea superior a la de los escribas y fariseos, nunca entrarán en el reino de los cielos". (MATEO 5:20)

Los escribas y fariseos vivían de acuerdo con la letra de la ley, y lo usaban para elevarse por encima de las otras personas. Jesús es claro, sólo el amor que tienes en tu corazón te colocará en el camino hacia el cielo. Simplemente seguir las reglas de la iglesia por obligación y asistir a misa los domingos como los fariseos no es el camino.

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Planned Giving

Planning for death is as natural for the Christian as planning for life. As stated in 1 Timothy 5:8, if anyone does not take care of his own, and especially of his household; he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever. Having a will IS good stewardship. Take care of your family. Contact the Office of Planned Giving for more information, 305.762.1112.

Stewardship

"For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew 5:20)

The scribes and Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear, only the love that you have in your heart will place you in the path to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation and attending mass on Sunday like the Pharisees is not the pathway.

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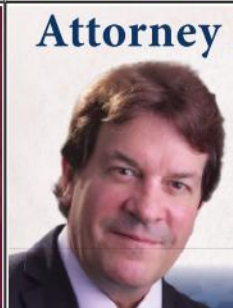
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