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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: CLOSED

Mass Schedule (English)

Daily Mass: Monday-Friday 7:00 AM
Sunday Vigil: Saturdays 4:00 PM
Sundays: 11:00 AM

Saturday morning Mass at 7:00am will be celebrated without a congregation; but will be uploaded on YouTube.

El sábado por la mañana se celebrarán la misa a las 8:30 a.m. sin congregación, pero estarán listas en nuestro canal de YouTube.

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: 8:30 AM

Confessions / Confesiones 05/01/2021

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.

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Jesus as Good Shepherd
Josef Kastner, 1906-1911



WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY



Monday, April 26th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Mary Mayor

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Elisa Rivero

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda (Misa Comunitaria)

Tuesday, April 27th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Rafael E. Cruz

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona

† Difuntos Familia Sosa-Gonzalez

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Wednesday, April 28th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Jose Leon Vanegas

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Eugenia Rodriguez

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Thursday, April 29th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona

Jose Garrido

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona

Estrella Trujillo

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Friday, April 30th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Shirley Capra

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Sergio y Carmen Fernandez

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa Comunitaria)

Saturday, May 1st

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda (Mass without congregation)

† Leny Colucci

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona (Misa sin congregación)

† Elisa Rivero

04:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Alfonso Caminas

06:00 P.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona

† Francisco Ramos

Sunday, May 2nd

5th Sunday of Easter

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Warren Escalona

† Maria Teresa Hinojo

René Roguiera

† Manuel y Pedro Fernandez

11:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

For our Parish

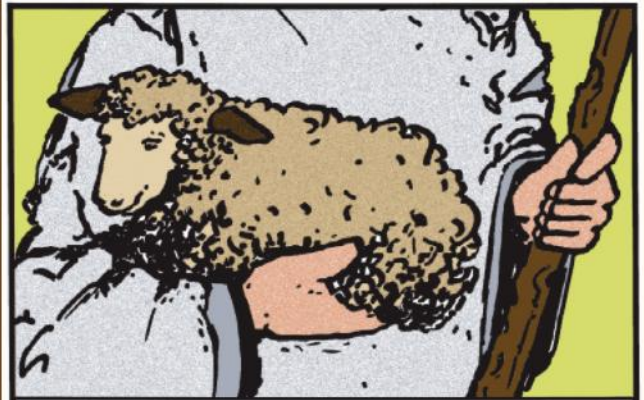
† Rosario Llinas

Stacy Webster

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

READINGS FOR THE WEEK / LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday	Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday	Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday	Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest Acts 12:24—13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8; Jn 12:44-50
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27; Jn 13:16-20
Friday	Saint Pius V, Pope Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday	Saint Joseph the Worker Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 14:7-14 Memorial: Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Mt 13:54-58
Sunday	Fifth Sunday of Easter Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8



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SUNDAY COLLECTION

COLECTA DE DOMINGO

SATURDAY/SABADO: APRIL 17th, 2021

4:00 PM		\$ 1,453.00
6:00 PM		\$ 774.00

SUNDAY / DOMINGO: APRIL 18th, 2021

8:30AM		\$ 1,146.25
11:00AM		\$ 1,339.10
Mail & Drop-Off		\$ 2,597.00
2nd Collection		\$ 6.00
On-line Giving		\$ 1,505.60
Total:		\$ 8,820.95

Gracias Thank you



PROGRESO PARROQUIAL

Gracias por su participación y apoyo a la Campaña Anual de Caridad y Desarrollo del Arzobispo (ABCD). Cada año, nuestra parroquia cuenta con el apoyo de nuestra comunidad para que no sólo podamos alcanzar nuestro objetivo parroquial, sino también para que podamos unirnos como comunidad católica y difundir el amor de Cristo más allá de nuestras puertas parroquiales.

Si ha hecho un compromiso, gracias por su generosidad continua para cumplir esa promesa. ¡Si aún no ha hecho un regalo, por favor considere hacer un regalo al ABCD hoy! A continuación, se presenta un resumen de la actuación de nuestra parroquia en el ABCD 2021:

META DE PARROQUIA:	\$154,721.44
CANTIDAD DE COMPROMISOS:	\$138,477.34
CANTIDAD PAGADA:	\$ 67,648.58
BALANCE RESTANTE:	\$ 16,244.10

A través de vuestra generosidad, servimos a cientos de miles de personas y familias en nuestra comunidad católica a través de la divulgación, la formación, la evangelización y la adoración. Su apoyo es realmente apreciado!

¡Gracias y que Dios los bendiga!



PARISH PROGRESS

Thank you for your participation in and support of the annual Archbishop's Charity and Development Drive (ABCD). Each year, our parish counts on the support of our community so that we can not only achieve our parish goal, but also so that we can unite as a Catholic community to and spread the love of Christ beyond our parish doors.

If you have made a pledge, thank you for your continued generosity to fulfill that pledge. If you have yet to make a gift, please consider making a gift to the ABCD today! Below is a summary of our parish's 2021 ABCD performance:

PARISH GOAL:	\$154,721.44
AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$138,477.34
AMOUNT PAID:	\$ 67,648.58
REMAINING BALANCE:	\$ 16,244.10

Through your generosity, we serve hundreds of thousands of individuals and families in our Catholic community through outreach, formation, evangelization and worship. Your support is truly appreciated!

Thank you and God bless you!

NOVENA PARA EL DÍA DE LAS MADRES

Durante nueve días consecutivos, estaremos ofreciendo una Novena de Misas para honrar a todas las madres que ocupan lugares especiales en nuestras vidas. Si desea inscribir los nombres de sus seres queridos, vivos o fallecidos, utilice los sobres disponibles en la entrada de la Iglesia y en la Oficina Parroquial. Esta novena comenzará el Día de la Madre, el 9 de mayo de 2021. Por favor practique el distanciamiento seguro al recoger o dejar sus sobres en la Oficina Parroquial. También puede entregar sus sobres cuando entregue su donación dominical.

MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA

For nine consecutive days, we will be offering a Novena of Masses to honor all mothers who hold special places in our lives. If you wish to enroll the names of your loved ones, living or deceased, please use the envelopes available at the entrance of the Church and in the Parish Office. This novena will begin on Mother's Day—May 9th, 2021. Please practice safe distancing when picking up or dropping off your envelopes at the Parish Office. You may also turn in your envelopes when you drop-off your Sunday donation.

Van Mueller presents

Faith, Family and Financial Security



Join us for an informative online presentation by Van Mueller, one of the top speakers in the insurance and financial industry.

Van Mueller is an author and dynamic speaker known for helping clients plan successful insurance and retirement strategies. He is a global speaker that has presented in all 50 states and every province in Canada, inspiring his audience to take control over their financial future.

Van will ask a series of tough questions to help you think about how ready you are for whatever may come next, such as:

- What is the easiest and safest way to make retirement money last longer?
- What if you suddenly died – Wouldn't you rather leave a loved one with your hard-earned money rather than the Internal Revenue Service?

Join us as Van helps us think through our answers to these questions, and many more!

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Date: April 28, 2021

Time: 7:30 PM

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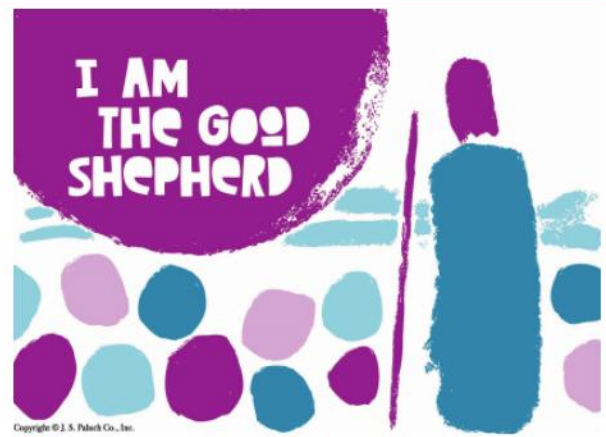
La diferencia entre el buen pastor y un trabajador es la distinción entre la vida y la muerte. A diferencia del trabajador quien trabaja por un salario y huye a la primera señal de dificultad, Jesús es un buen pastor que da su vida por sus ovejas. El buen pastor atrae a las ovejas hacia él. Ellas le pertenecen, no como una posesión que se puede desechar, sino como una posesión preciosa que tienen la seguridad que pueden contar con su cuidado y protección. Las ovejas deben su vida al pastor. Sin él, se dispersarían y quedarían solas en lo que a menudo es un mundo peligroso.

HACIÉNDOSE BUENAS OVEJAS

Ninguna oveja con algo de sentido se alejaría y dejaría el rebaño. El pastor proporciona alimento y seguridad. Lejos del rebaño, las ovejas se arriesgan a morir en las fauces de los lobos o a morir de hambre en el desierto. Jesús es el Buen Pastor y nos invita a ser buenas ovejas. Jesús experimentó lo mejor y lo peor de todo lo que la vida tiene reservado. Él conocía las simples alegrías y las profundas decepciones de la vida; él supo lo que era la tentación, la angustia y el cansancio. Jesús camina delante de nosotros, guiándonos en el camino. Tal vez seamos tentados a alejarnos, atraídos a placeres temporales y tentados por la ilusión de algo mejor en el horizonte. En el ruido de la vida diaria, rodeados por mensajes que compiten con Dios y sus caminos, es fácil distraerse de aquello que es importante y duradero. Jesús, nuestro Buen Pastor, nos invita a ser buenas ovejas que están cerca de él para escuchar y reconocer su voz. Como buenas ovejas, estamos llamados a seguir la voz del Pastor, confiando que él nos guiará a mejores pasturas donde podamos prosperar.

Lecturas de hoy: Hch 4:8-12; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

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THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The difference between the good shepherd and the hired hand is the difference between life and death. Unlike a hired hand who only works for pay and would run away at the first sign of difficulty, Jesus is a good shepherd who willingly lays down his life for his sheep. The good shepherd draws the sheep near to him. They belong to him—not as a possession that can be discarded, but as precious ones who are assured that they can rely on his care and protection. The sheep owe their very lives to the shepherd. Without him, they will be scattered and left on their own in what is often a dangerous world.

BECOMING GOOD SHEEP

No sheep with any sense would wander off and leave the fold. The shepherd provides food and safety. Away from the fold, the sheep risks death in the jaws of wolves or starvation in the desert. Jesus is the Good Shepherd and invites us to be good sheep. Jesus has experienced the best and the worst of all that life has in store. He has known the simple joys and the deep disappointments of life; he has known temptation, anxiety, and fatigue. Jesus walks ahead of us, leading the way. We may be tempted to wander away, lured by temporary pleasures and tempted by the illusion of something better over the horizon. In the noise of daily life, surrounded by messages that compete with God and God's ways, it is easy to become distracted from what is important and lasting. Jesus, our Good Shepherd, invites us to be good sheep who are so close to him that we hear and recognize his voice. As good sheep, we are called to follow the voice of the Shepherd, trusting that he will guide us to the best pasture, where we can thrive.

Today's Readings: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2, Jn 10:11-18

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LA JORNADA MUNDIAL DE ORACIÓN

25 de Abril

¡El 25 de abril es la Jornada Mundial de Oración por las Vocaciones!
Oremos por los hombres y mujeres jóvenes;
Que Dios les conceda el don del entendimiento para discernir su servicio en la Iglesia, sacerdocio, diaconado o vida consagrada;
Y el don del valor para seguir Su llamado.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

April 25

April 25 is World Day of Prayer for Vocations!
We pray for young men and women;
That God may give them the gift of understanding to discern their service in the Church, the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life;
And for the gift of courage to follow His call.

La gloria de Dios es el hombre viviente.
—San Irineo

The glory of God is humanity fully alive.
—St. Irenaeus

WORD SEARCH THE GOOD SHEPHERD

A	W	O	L	F	L	O	C	K	L
T	S	O	M	Y	O	J	A	I	P
S	E	C	I	O	V	L	F	G	S
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B	I	P	A	E	R	G	O	O	D

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I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. John 10:14-16

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
CUARTO DOMINGO DE PASCUA**

**APRIL 25 2021
25 DE ABRIL DE 2021**



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Donación Planificada

¿Está en proceso de determinar la mejor manera de dividir su patrimonio entre su familia y su parroquia? Para obtener ayuda con la personalización de un plan que sea beneficioso tanto para su familia como para la Iglesia, comuníquese con la Oficina de Donaciones Planificadas (305) 762-1112.

Mayordomía

"Yo soy el buen pastor. El buen pastor pone su vida por las ovejas. En cambio, el asalariado, el que no es el pastor ni el dueño de las ovejas, cuando ve venir al lobo, abandona las ovejas y huye; el lobo se arroja sobre ellas y las dispersa, porque el asalariado no le importan las ovejas." – Juan 10:11

Para ser buenos corresponsables debemos ser buenos pastores, dispuestos a dar la vida por aquellos entregados a nuestro cuidado, no meras manos contratadas que huyen, "dejando a las ovejas para ser arrebatadas y esparcidas por el lobo".



ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI

Planned Giving

Are you trying to determine the best way to split your estate between your family, and your parish? For assistance with customizing a plan that is beneficial to both your family and the Church, please contact the Office of Planned Giving (305) 762-1112.

Stewardship

"I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them." – John 10:11 – 15

To be good stewards we must be good shepherds, willing to lay down our lives for those committed to our care, not mere hired hands who run off, "leaving the sheep to be snatched and scattered by the wolf."

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