

St. John Fisher Catholic Church

Rev. Benedict Redito, Pastor

Rev. Duvan Bermudez, Priest in Residence

Third Sunday of Easter

April 14, 2024



Mass Schedule

Tuesday: 5:30 pm
Wednesday: 8:00 am
Thursday: 5:30 pm
Friday: 8:00 am
Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday/Domingo: 8:00 am (español)
Sunday: 10:00 am
Sunday/Domingo: 12:00 pm (español)

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Sacraments

Reconciliation (Confession):

Tuesday: 6:00 pm
Saturday: 5:30 pm
Please call the parish office
for more information on:
**Baptisms, Weddings,
Anointing of the Sick**

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Somos una comunidad eucarística arraigada en las tradiciones católicas romanas, y dotados con tiempo, talento y tesoro. Estamos dedicados a dar testimonio de nuestra fe a través del culto, la educación, la evangelización y el cuidado de nuestra familia de fe a través de la vida parroquial y el servicio cristiano. Todos ustedes son bienvenidos a registrarse con nosotros. El registro en St. John Fisher nos permite reconocerlos como católicos practicantes y un miembro activo de la parroquia. Su donación registrada está personalizado con su nombre y número de sobres. Muy a menudo recibimos solicitud de verificación con el fin de actuar como patrocinadores en el bautismo, la confirmación, etc si no están registrados es difícil de asistirlos. Si usted no está registrado, por favor de llenar el formulario que está en las dos entradas de la iglesia y ponerlo en el canasto de ofertorio o mandarlo a la oficina parroquial o también puede llegar a la oficina y registrarse.

Reflecting on God's Word

Peter seems to be pretty tough with his listeners in the first reading. He practically says they handed Jesus over, denied him before Pilate, asked for a murderer to be released in his place, and put Jesus to death. They must have thought they were doomed. But then he tells them that God had planned all this long ago. So is he saying Jesus' death is their fault, or just fate?

The answer of course is that it's everyone's fault. We deny Jesus when we choose to be selfish instead of loving. We crucify Jesus when we follow the crowd instead of following the Lord. It is only "fate" in the sense that our sins needed to be forgiven and God plan's for salvation was through Jesus' death and resurrection. There were sinners long before Jesus' time and God knew there would be sinners after that. Jesus rose from the dead to show that God's forgiveness raises us up from guilt to a new life.

So Peter wasn't laying a guilt trip on the listeners: this is good news. God planned all this to show how much he loved us. Our response should be one of joy that we are forgiven because of that love. All we have to do is tell God we are sorry, mean it, and start living our response of love. Sins may be our fault, but Love is our fate.
Tom Schmidt.

Pedro parece ser bastante duro con sus oyentes en la primera lectura. Prácticamente dice que entregaron a Jesús, lo negaron ante Pilato, pidieron que se liberara a un asesino en su lugar y mataron a Jesús. Debieron haber pensado que estaban condenados. Pero luego les dice que Dios había planeado todo esto hace mucho tiempo. Entonces, ¿está diciendo que la muerte de Jesús es culpa de ellos o simplemente del destino?

La respuesta, por supuesto, es que es culpa de todos. Negamos a Jesús cuando elegimos ser egoístas en lugar de amar. Crucificamos a Jesús cuando seguimos a la multitud en lugar de seguir al Señor. Solo es "destino" en el sentido de que nuestros pecados necesitaban ser perdonados y el plan de Dios para la salvación fue a través de la muerte y resurrección de Jesús. Había pecadores mucho antes de la época de Jesús y Dios sabía que habría pecadores después de eso. Jesús resucitó de entre los muertos para mostrar que el perdón de Dios nos levanta de la culpa a una nueva vida.

Así que Pedro no estaba haciendo que los oyentes se sintieran culpables: estas son buenas noticias. Dios planeó todo esto para mostrar cuánto nos ama. Nuestra respuesta debe ser de alegría porque somos perdonados gracias a ese amor. Todo lo que tenemos que hacer es decirle a Dios que lo sentimos, decirlo en serio y comenzar a vivir nuestra respuesta de amor. Los pecados pueden ser culpa nuestra, pero el Amor es nuestro destino.

Tom Schmidt



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — *Peter urges his listeners to repent.* Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

Psalm — *Lord let your face shine on us.* Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9

Second Reading — *If we love God, we will keep his commandments.* 1 Jn 2:1-5a

Gospel — *Jesus is the fulfillment of the Law and the Prophets.* Lk 24:35-48

Pray for our Sick

OREMOS POR NUESTROS ENFERMOS

Find healing in God's tender embrace & in knowing that others remember and care.

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| Catherine Sherman* | Adriana Fontes | Daphne Jean |
| Geraldine Palkoviz* | Andrea Lewis | Diego Rojas |
| Joseph Critelli | Rebecca Fernandez | Alfonso Gonzales |
| Narcisa Martinez | Lisie Pagan | Lisa Peck |
| Marco Palacios | Magdalena Kinney | Teresa Delgado |
| Ricardo Palacios | Chaz Azzurro | Charlie Fletcher |
| Carmen Vila | Esperanza Gordan | Joseph Madden |
| Pedro Albizu | Sarah Brown | Thomas Mongiello |
| Juan Tirado | Ja-Ku Brown | Ann Wehner |
| Jose Lizcano | Rebeca Sanchez | Maggie Conley |
| Connie Palmer | David Lindsey | Benny Martin |
| Joyce Jopek Peters | Angelica Perez | Mildred Martin |
| Sylvia Fields | Brittney Andrews | Lisbett Waught |
| Connie Osborn | Amparo Perez | Harlan Waught |
| Laura Nicole | Santiago Rivera | Laura Smith |
| Jaime Adkins | Marie Taylor | Leah Zimmerman |
| Sara Gomez Ortega | Devon Siniscalchi | Walter Wollace |
| Gary Frye | Maria Hubble | Sylvia Raftery |
| Teresa Juan | Joey Labati | Mary Rocanova |
| Frank Mongillo | Susan Smith | Pablo Velasquez |
| Audrey Fermin | Herb Finkelstein | Sacarias |
| Donald Hughes | Gary Rose | Marie Jane Charico |
| Sarah Pastor | Clyde Thirbenny | Antonio Neto |

To add or remove someone to the prayer for the sick list in the bulletin, please call the parish office.

OUR PRAYER FOR THE DECEASED

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| Theresa Thirbenny | Omar S. Muñoz | Sandy Fernandez | Norma Buckley |
| Emilio Muñoz | Den Ira Sawney | Jacqueline Taylor | Pauline Sherrock |
| Alicia Pring | Serge St. Gerard | Chuck Rock | M. Estella |
| Camila Vetri | Juan Hernandez | Nicolo Redito | Andre Clinton |
| Betty Conover | Bernadette Millien | Billie Nefzger | Jesus Soliz |
| | | Donald Wolken | |

Sanctuary Candle



*Is being offered for
Calvin Bodden, RIP
Requested by
The Bodden Family*

MASS INTENTIONS

<u>Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
Sunday/Domingo 8:00 am (Spanish/Español) SI Doris M. Roblero †Fernando Arellano Salmeron	April 14, 2024 Deidy Roblero Teresa Cruz
10:00 am †Jackie Taylor	Betsy Behr
12:00 pm (Spanish/Español) †Teresa Ambrocio †Luis A. Gorgonio †Rafael Molina Gonzalez	Abigail Ramos Familia Gorgonio Lorena Molina
Tuesday/Martes 5:30 pm †Alicia Pring	April 16, 2024 SJF
Wednesday/Miercoles 8:00 am	April 17, 2024
Thursday/Jueves 5:30 pm	April 18, 2024
Friday/Viernes 8:00 am	April 19, 2024
Saturday/Sabado 4:00 pm †Betty Conover	April 20, 2024 Betsy Behr
Sunday/Domingo 8:00 am (Spanish/Español) †Almas del Purgatorio †Fernando Arellano Salmeron	April 21, 2024 Sandra Chel Teresa Cruz
10:00 am †Juliana Omilig	Pido Family
12:00 pm (Spanish/Español) †Luis A. Gorgonio	Familia Gorgonio

† = RIP
SI = Special Intentions

**IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK
EVENTOS DURANTE LA SEMANA**

Monday: **Grupo de Oración**
7:00–9:00pm (Parish Hall)

Tuesday: **Adoration**
6:00 pm-9:00 pm (Chapel)

Wednesday: **Adoration**
9:00-11:00 am
Amigos de Jesus
6:30–9:30 pm (Hall Rm. 5)

Thursday: **Adoration**
6:00-9:00 pm
English Choir Practice
6:00–8:00 pm (Church)
Grupo Juvenil de Adultos
7:30–9:30 pm (Parish Hall)

Friday: **Grupo de Oración**
7:00–9:00 pm (Church/Hall)

Saturday: **Legion of Mary**
9:00–10:30 am (Hall Rm 3)
Sec. Ord. Servants of Mary
4th Saturday of the month
9:30am–12:30pm (Hall Rm.5)
St. Peregrine Prayer Group
Third Saturday of the month
10:30–12:00 (Chapel)
Ujieres Meeting
2nd Saturday 5:30–7:00 pm
Damas Católicas
Every other Saturday
5:00-6:30 pm
Grupo de Familia
7:30–9:30 pm (Hall)
Grupo Emaus
Last Saturday of the month
7:00–9:00 pm (Church)

Sunday **Grupo Adolescents**
3:00-4:00 pm (Hall)
Every other Sunday
Grupo Emaus Mujeres
Last Sunday of the month
5:00 pm (Hall)



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	The Legion of Mary invites all men and women to join in praying to our Blessed Mother every Saturday at 9:00 AM in the hall.
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April 12, 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Next weekend, April 20 and 21, the Diocese of Palm Beach will conduct the annual Peter's Pence Collection, which directs funds to charitable projects supported by Pope Francis, along with activities carried out by the Holy See, such as formation of clergy, communications, promotion of human development, education and justice.

Contributing to this collection is a way to collaborate with the Holy Father as he builds up works of evangelization (spiritual, educational, justice, communication, political charity, diplomatic activity, etc.) and meets the material needs of struggling dioceses, organizations and individuals experiencing all kinds of hardship. Your donations aid the worldwide mission of the Church and the Pope's role as the Successor of St. Peter.

By supporting Peter's Pence, the faithful share in the work of Pope Francis through the activities of the Holy See, humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects in favor of the world's most needy. Your attention to this collection would be much appreciated.

With gratitude for your continued generosity and every prayerful wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito
Bishop of Palm Beach

Is Christ calling you to serve Him in others as a sister, brother, deacon or priest? Contact the Vocation Office at (561)775-9552 or email: ddaza@diocesepb.org.



LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — *Pedro insta a sus oyentes a que se arrepientan.* Hch 3, 13-15. 17-19

Salmo — *En ti, Señor, confío. Aleluya.* Sal 4, 2. 7. 9

Segunda lectura — *Si amamos a Dios, guardaremos sus mandamientos.* 1 Jn 2, 1-5a

Evangelio — *Jesús es el cumplimiento de la Ley y de los Profetas.* Lc 24, 35-48

Intenciones de la Misa

8:00 am

Por La intención especial de Doris Roblero a petición de Deidy Roblero y Por el eterno descanso de Fernando Arellano Salmeron a petición de Teresa Cruz

12:00 pm

Por el eterno descanso de Teresa Ambrocio a petición de Abigail Ramos y por el eterno descanso de Luis A. Gorgonio a petición de la Familia Gorgonio y Por el eterno descanso de Rafael Molina Gonzalez a petición de Lorena Molina.



Vela en el Santuario del Tabernáculo

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12 de abril de 2024

El próximo fin de semana, 20 y 21 de abril, la Diócesis de Palm Beach llevará a cabo la Colecta anual el Óbolo de San Pedro (Peter's Pence), la cual dirige fondos a proyectos de caridad respaldados por el Papa Francisco, junto con actividades realizadas por la Santa Sede, como la formación del clero, comunicaciones, promoción del desarrollo humano, educación y justicia.

Contribuir a esta colecta es una forma de colaborar con el Santo Padre mientras construye obras de evangelización (espiritual, educativa, de justicia, comunicación, caridad política, actividad diplomática, etc.) y satisface las necesidades materiales de diócesis en dificultades, organizaciones e individuos que experimentan todo tipo de adversidades. Sus donaciones ayudan a la misión mundial de la Iglesia y al papel del Papa como Sucesor de San Pedro.

Al apoyar el Óbolo de San Pedro, los fieles comparten la obra del Papa Francisco a través de las actividades de la Santa Sede, iniciativas humanitarias y proyectos de promoción social a favor de los más necesitados del mundo. Su atención a esta colecta sería muy apreciada.

Con gratitud por su continua generosidad y cada deseo de oración, yo soy

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo,

Reverendísimo Gerald M. Barbarito
Obispo de Palm Beach



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