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Rev. Miguel Sepúlveda

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Rev. Pierre Listo Charles

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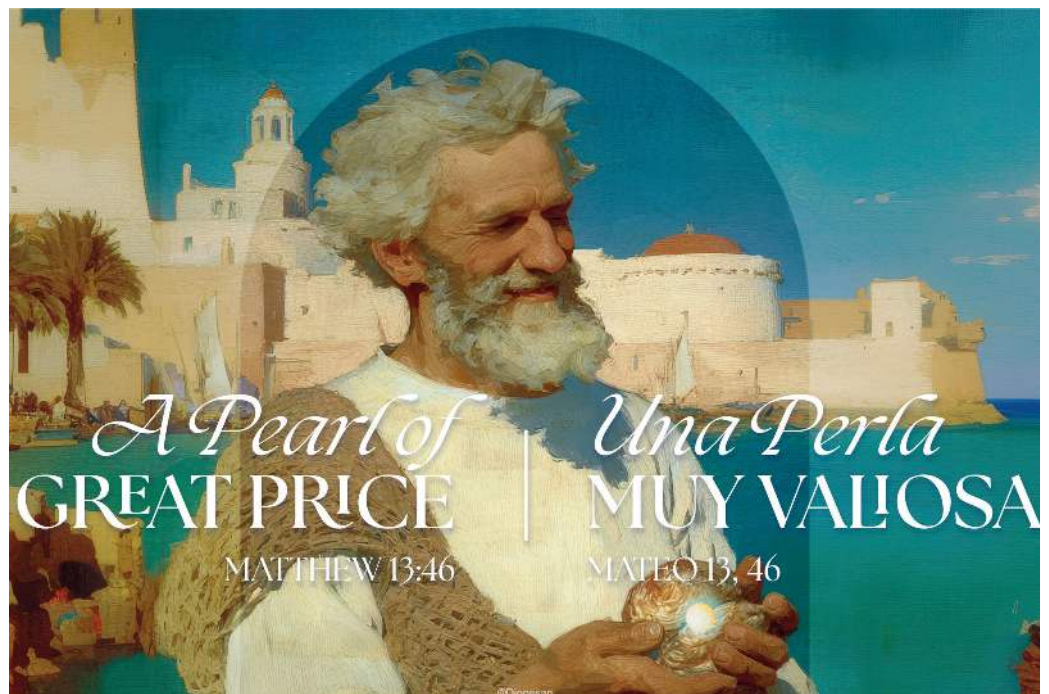
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Rectory Hours Horario de la Rectoría

Monday - Friday / Lunes - Viernes

8:30 am - 12:00 pm

1:00 pm - 05:00 pm

Saturday / Sabado

CLOSED (Summer Hours)

Sunday / Domingo

CLOSED

Mass Schedule (English)

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday

7:00 am

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 11:00 am

Horario de Misas (Español)

Misa Diaria: Lunes - Viernes

8:30 am & 7:00 pm

Vigilia del Sabado: 6:00 pm

Domingo: 8:30 am & 1:00 pm

Bilingual Mass / Misa Bilingüe: Saturday 8:30 am

Confessions / Confesiones 08/01/2026

Saturday - Sábado 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

Baptisms / Bautizos

Second Saturday of each month. Contact the Parish Office 6 weeks in advance.

Cuarto Sabado de cada mes. 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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MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK
INTENCIONES de la MISA para la SEMANA

Monday, July 27th

07:00 am: Fr. Pedro Corces

Jeanne Borde

08:30 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Indalecio Baltar

07:00 pm: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda (Misa Comunitaria)

Tuesday, July 28th

07:00 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Brandon Campbell

08:30 am: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Indalecio Baltar

07:00 pm: Fr. Pedro Corces (Misa Comunitaria)

Wednesday, July 29th

07:00 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Martha Sanchez

08:30 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Indalecio Baltar

07:00 pm: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Misa Comunitaria)

Thursday, July 30th

07:00 am: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Raul Polo

08:30 am: Fr. Pedro Corces

† Flor Gonzalez de Morin

07:00 pm: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Misa Comunitaria)

Friday, July 31st

07:00 am: Fr. Pedro Corces

Special Intention

08:30 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Dr. Rasciel Gonzalez

07:00 pm: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Misa Comunitaria)

Saturday, August 1st

08:30 am: Fr. Pedro Corces (Bilingual Mass)

† Elba Rivera Sepúlveda

04:00 pm: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Deceased Members of the Ortiz Fuentes Family

06:00 pm: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Francisco Ramos

Sunday, August 2nd 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

08:30 am: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Nestor Alfonso & Nora Perez

11:00 am: Fr. Pedro Corces

† Martha Rita Alonso

01:00 pm: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Jose Julian Bonilla



CHURCH MINISTRIES
MINISTERIOS de la IGLESIA

MINISTRY MINISTERO	DAY / DÍA	TIME HORA	ROOM SALÓN
Men's Emmaus	Monday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Grupo de Oración	Tuesday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Women	Wednesday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Legion (English)	Thursday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Caballero Colón	Friday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Rosary	Saturday	7:30 pm	Karreton
OCIA A	Sunday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Catech Children	Sunday	7:30 pm	Karreton
Legion of Mary (Children)	Saturdays	4:00 pm	3

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The Parish Ministries
will be taking their summer recess
from July 1 through July 31

ANUNCIO IMPORTANTE

Los Ministerios de la Parroquia
estarán tomando un receso por el verano
desde el 1 de julio hasta el 31 de julio.



SUNDAY COLLECTION
COLECTA del DOMINGO

SATURDAY / SABADO: July 18, 2026	
4:00 pm	\$1,282.00
6:00 pm	\$661.00
SUNDAY / DOMINGO: July 19, 2026	
8:30 am	\$1,285.00
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CLASSES HELD

**SATURDAYS: 9:00 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.
AUGUST – MAY**

The Office of Catechesis also offers Faith Formation, formerly known as "CCD" or "Religious Education," for grades 1-thru-12. Also included is sacrament preparation, i.e., Baptism (as of 7 years of age), First Communion- Eucharist, First Confession-Reconciliation, and Confirmation.

**Classes start
August 22
Secure your
spot today!
Registration
ends Friday,
August 21 2026**



FORMACIÓN DE FE

Inscríbete hoy

PARA 2026-2027

CLASES

**SÁBADOS: 9:00 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.
AGOSTO – MAYO**

La Oficina de Catequesis también ofrece Formación de Fe, anteriormente conocida como "CCD" o "Educación Religiosa", para el primer al duodécimo grado. También se incluye la preparación de Bautismo (a partir de los 7 años), Primera Comunión -Eucaristía, Primera Confesión -Reconciliación y Confirmación.

**La inscripción
finaliza el
viernes 21 de
agosto 2026.**



**Clases
comienzan
el 22 de
agosto.**

**CONTACT TO MAKE A REGISTRATION
APPOINTMENT
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www.stbrendanmiami.org/church/get-involved/faith-formation



Are you called to be a
CATECHIST?

Did you know that the Church's name for those who teach the faith, "catechist," comes from the Greek word meaning "echo?"

Perhaps you are called to echo God's message in our Faith Formation Program. A willing heart and a desire to share your faith with another are the only qualifications needed.

¿Estás llamado a ser
CATEQUISTA?

¿Sabías que el nombre de la Iglesia para los que enseñan la fe, "catequista", proviene de la palabra griega que significa "eco"?

Quizás estés llamado a ser eco del mensaje de Dios en nuestro Programa de Formación de Fe. Un corazón dispuesto y un deseo de compartir su fe con otros son las únicas calificaciones necesarias.

We invite you to fill out an interest form.

Te invitamos a llenar un formulario de interés.



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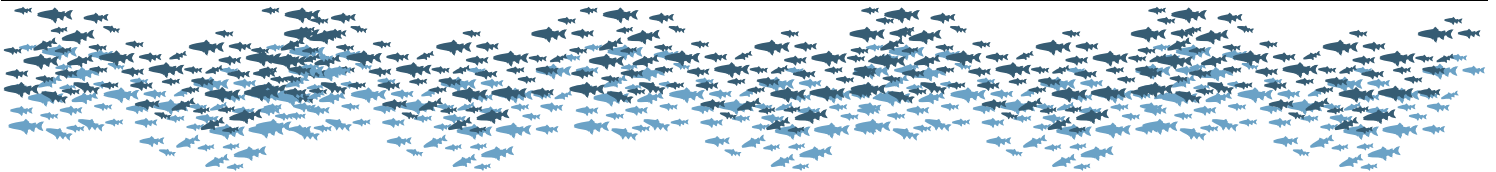
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Mayordomía

La corresponsabilidad fiel nace del reconocimiento de que Dios es nuestro mayor tesoro. Cuando lo colocamos en primer lugar en nuestras vidas y compartimos generosamente nuestras bendiciones, participamos en la construcción de Su Reino aquí en la tierra.

"El Reino de los cielos se parece a un tesoro escondido en un campo. El que lo encuentra lo vuelve a esconder y, lleno de alegría, va y vende cuanto tiene y compra aquel campo." Mateo: 13:44

Todo lo que poseemos es un regalo de Dios. La corresponsabilidad nos invita a poner a Dios en primer lugar, utilizando nuestros recursos con sabiduría y generosidad al servicio de Su Reino y de Su pueblo.



Reflexión del Evangelio

Mateo 13,44-52

El Evangelio de hoy marca el inicio del tercer gran discurso pronunciado por Jesús en el Evangelio de Mateo. Durante las próximas semanas, las lecturas evangélicas abarcarán la totalidad del capítulo 13 del Evangelio de Mateo, un extenso discurso de enseñanza.

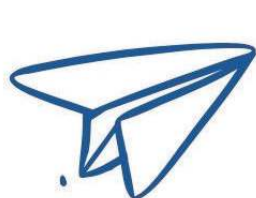
A lo largo de este discurso, Jesús presenta varias parábolas para ilustrar a sus oyentes qué quiere decir con el Reino de los Cielos. Comienza con la parábola del sembrador, que parece bastante sencilla: naturalmente, las semillas crecen mejor en buena tierra. Las semillas que no caen en la tierra, o que se siembran en terreno pedregoso o entre otras plantas, no prosperan. Lo sorprendente de la parábola es la enorme cosecha que produce la semilla sembrada en buena tierra.

A continuación, Jesús explica por qué utiliza parábolas. Parece sugerir que emplea este recurso para enseñar porque el significado de las parábolas no es evidente por sí mismo. El oyente debe realizar cierto esfuerzo de reflexión para comprender el mensaje de la parábola. De este modo, el medio mismo —la parábola— ejemplifica la enseñanza central de la parábola del sembrador: aquellos que estén dispuestos a esforzarse por comprender verán recompensada su actitud al descubrir el mensaje y darán fruto.

Para dejar clara esta enseñanza, Jesús interpreta la parábola del sembrador ante sus discípulos. Los distintos tipos de terreno donde se siembran las semillas son metáforas de la disposición con la que cada persona escucha la enseñanza sobre el Reino de los Cielos. Algunos se dejarán apartar fácilmente del Reino de los Cielos. Otros lo acogerán por un tiempo, pero lo perderán al enfrentarse a dificultades. Algunos escucharán la palabra, pero permitirán que otras preocupaciones la ahoguen. Sin embargo, habrá quienes la reciban bien, y la semilla producirá fruto abundante.

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Stewardship

Faithful stewardship flows from recognizing that God is our greatest treasure. When we prioritize Him in our lives and generously share our blessings, we participate in building His Kingdom here on earth.

"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field." -Matthew 13:44

Everything we possess is a gift from God. Stewardship invites us to place God first, using our resources wisely and generously in service to His Kingdom and His people.



Gospel Reflection

Matthew 13:44-52

Today's Gospel concludes three weeks of readings from the 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel. Throughout these three weeks we have heard Jesus teaching crowds about the kingdom of heaven, and we have heard Jesus interpret some of his teachings for the disciples. In this week's Gospel, Jesus offers three more short parables.

The first two parables describe the great value of the kingdom of heaven. In the first parable, Jesus says that the kingdom of heaven is like a buried treasure that is worth possessing even if it means giving up everything else. In the second parable, Jesus proposes that the kingdom of heaven is like a pearl of great worth for which one will sell everything else to possess. These parables teach us that we are to place everything we value in the service of the pursuit of the Kingdom of God.

The third parable that Jesus proposes in today's Gospel is different from the first two, but it is reminiscent of the parable of the sower heard in last week's Gospel. The kingdom of heaven is compared to fishing with a wide net. After the fish have been collected, the good fish are kept and the bad fish are thrown away; so too, in the final judgment, will the wicked and the righteous be separated.

Today's Gospel concludes with a curious statement about the scribe who understands the kingdom of heaven. Here a metaphor is offered: this scribe is like the head of a household who "brings from his storeroom both the new and the old." The scribes referred to here are experts of Mosaic law. It is possible that Jesus is here instructing the early Christian community on how to proceed in the interpretation of Jewish law with respect to Jesus' "new" teaching. Jesus' teaching about the kingdom of heaven does not replace the Jewish tradition; it interprets it in a different light.

Taken from *Sunday Connection*, Loyola Press



Hidden Treasure and the Pearl

Matthew 13:44-52

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When he finds a pearl of great price,
he goes and sells all that he has and buys it.
—Matthew 13:46

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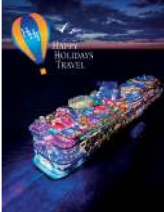
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