



Blessed Sacrament

Catholic Church Tampa

First Sunday of Advent

Our Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 8:30am (English)
4:30pm (En. Vigil)
Sunday: 7:30am (Spanish)
10:00am (English)
12:00pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, & Friday:
8:30am
Wednesday: 7pm

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Friday: 9:00am & 7:00pm
First Friday of Month: 9:00am-7:00pm

Reconciliation

Daily: After the 8:30am Holy Mass
Saturday: 3pm-4pm

Our Offices

Parish Office

Monday to Friday: 9am to 5pm
Phone: (813) 626-2984
office@blessedsacramentcatholic.org

Catechism Office

By Appointment Only
Open Sundays: 9am to 1pm
(813) 252-5032
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Blessed Center Venue

(813) 462-9088
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November 30, 2025



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Saint Faustina
PRAY FOR US

Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 30, 2025

First Sunday of Advent

7:30am † Heraclio Rosales
By Maria Hernandez

10:00am For Francisco
Rodriguez Birthday
By Wife & Son

12:00pm Our Parish
By Fr. Domek

Monday, December 01

8:30am † Fr. Marciano Martin
By Grupo de Oración

Tuesday, December 02

8:30am † Marina Borja
By Grupo de Oración

Wednesday, December 03

St. Francis Xavier, Priest
7:00pm † Rafael Mercedes
By Grupo de Oración

Thursday, December 04

**St. John Damascene, Priest
& Doctor of the Church**
8:30am † Josefa Corraliza
By Luz Guindin

Friday, December 05

8:30am For the Souls of the Purgatory
By Eli Lopez

3:00pm Chaplet-Divine Mercy
La Divina Misericordia

9:00am-7:00pm Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament

7:00pm Por el Cumpleaños de
Emilse Castro
By Familia Castro

Saturday, December 06

St. Nicholas, Bishop
8:30am † Agustin & Alonso Zacarias
By Pedro Zacarias
4:30pm † Martha Burgess
By Burgess Family



Offertory Collection

Masses of 11/15/2025 - 11/16/2025

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| OFFERTORY | \$4,433.00 |
| ONLINE GIVING | \$248.00 |
| TOTAL | \$4,681.00 |

**What gift are you going to give to our Parish for Christmas?
¿Qué regalo vas a dar para Nuestra Parroquia en Navidad?**



ADVENT CONFESSIONS 2025

| CHURCH | DATE | TIME |
|---------------------------|----------------------|--------|
| St. Clement | Tuesday, Dec. 2nd | 6:30PM |
| St. Anne | Wednesday, Dec. 3rd | 7:00PM |
| Blessed Sacrament - Tampa | Tuesday, Dec. 9th | 7:00PM |
| San Juan Diego Mission | Wednesday, Dec. 10th | 6:30PM |
| Prince of Peace | Thursday, Dec. 11th | 7:00PM |
| Nativity | Monday, Dec. 15th | 7:00PM |
| St. Stephen | Tuesday, Dec. 16th | 7:00PM |
| Resurrection | Wednesday, Dec. 17th | 7:00PM |

Lord Jesus, you have captured my heart for you. Make me strong in faith, steadfast in hope, and generous in love that I may seek to please you in all things and bring you glory and praise. Keep me ever watchful for the coming of your kingdom today and every day of my life.



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| Goal Objetivo | \$41,382.00 |
| Pledge Promesa | \$26,684.92 |
| Paid Pagado | \$23,686.92 |
| Remaining Balance | \$17,695.08 |
| Balance Restante | |

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Parish News

November 30, 2025 | FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Why did Jesus compare "the coming of the Son of Man" with the "days of Noah" (Matthew 24:37)?

Scripture describes both events as a day of judgment and the separation of the just from the unjust. It is a time when the Lord of heaven and earth gathers to himself those who are his own. Separation is an inevitable consequence of the fundamental choices people have made - whether for God or against God. The fundamental choices we make can either lead us towards God and his will for us or they can lead us in a direction that is opposed to God or contrary to his wisdom and plan for our lives and well-being.

¿Por qué Jesús comparó "la venida del Hijo del Hombre" con "los días de Noé" (Mateo 24:37)?

Las Escrituras describen ambos eventos como un día de juicio y la separación de los justos de los injustos. Es un tiempo en el que el Señor del cielo y de la tierra reúne a quienes le pertenecen. La separación es una consecuencia inevitable de las decisiones fundamentales que las personas han tomado, ya sea a favor o

en contra de Dios. Estas decisiones pueden acercarnos a Dios y a su voluntad, o bien, pueden llevarnos por un camino opuesto a Él o contrario a su sabiduría y plan para nuestras vidas y bienestar.



Advent Wreath

1st CANDLE – (purple) **THE PROPHECY CANDLE or CANDLE OF HOPE** – We can have hope because God is faithful and will keep the promises made to us. Our hope comes from God. (Romans 15:12-13)

2nd CANDLE – (purple) **THE BETHLEHEM CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF PREPARATION** – God kept his promise of a Savior who would be born in Bethlehem. Preparation means to "get ready". Help us to be ready to welcome YOU, O GOD! (Luke 3:4-6)

3rd CANDLE – (pink) **THE SHEPHERD CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF JOY** – The angels sang a message of JOY! (Luke 2:7-15)

4th CANDLE – (purple) **THE ANGEL CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF LOVE** – The angels announced the good news of a Savior. God sent his only Son to earth to save us, because he loves us! (John 3:16-17)

5th CANDLE – (white) **"CHRIST CANDLE"** – The white candle reminds us that Jesus is the spotless lamb of God, sent to wash away our sins! His birth was for his death, his death was for our birth! (John 1:29)

LA CORONA DE ADVIENTO

LAS VELAS
Indican que la luz disipa las tinieblas y la oscuridad.

CIRIO O VELA BLANCA
En la cena de Navidad, se enciende y coloca al centro de la Corona.

LA CORONA ES REDONDA
No tiene principio ni fin: nos recuerda la eternidad de Dios.

3 VELAS MORADAS O BLANCAS
Nos recuerdan que el Adviento es tiempo de espera.

VELA ROSA
La encendemos el 3er domingo de Adviento. Nos habla de la alegría por Jesús que nace.

FOLLAJE VERDE
Puede ser de abeto, pino o material artificial. El color verde representa la esperanza.

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