



Iglesia San Pedro St. Peter Church

695 Colorado Avenue, Bridgeport CT 06605

Established 1900

HORARIOS DE OFICINA /OFFICE HOURS

Lunes y martes- Monday and Tuesday: 10am - 4pm
Miércoles-Wednesday: CERRADO/ CLOSED
Jueves y Viernes- Thursday and Friday: 10am- 5pm
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MISAS DE LA SEMANA/ WEEKDAYS LITURGIES

LUNES/MONDAY 7:00PM	SABADOS/SATURDAY
MARTES/ TUESDAY-7:00PM	4:00PM ENGLISH
MIÉRCOLES/ WEDNESDAY- 8:00AM	7:00PM ESPANOL
JUEVES/ THURSDAY- 7:00PM	DOMINGOS/SUNDAY
VIERNES/ FRIDAY-7:00PM	8:00AM ESPANOL
	10:00AM ENGLISH
	12:00PM ESPANOL

ADORACION AL SANTISIMO/ HOLY ADORATION

LUNES 1:00PM- 9:00PM	MONDAY 1:00PM-9:00PM
JUEVES 1:00PM- 9PM	THURSDAY-1:00PM-9:00PM
VIERNES 1:00PM-9:00PM	FRIDAY-1:00PM-9:00PM

CONFESIONES/ COFESSIONS

O llamar a la oficina para programar una cita/ Or call to the office for appointment 203-366-5611

BAUTISMO/ BAPTISM

Llamar a la oficina, para los requisitos necesarios/ call to the offices for requirements 203-366-5611

MATRIMONIO/ MARRIAGE

Debe Contactar el Sacerdote por lo menos seis meses antes/
contact the priest at least six month in advance

CUIDADO DE LOS ENFERMOS/ CARE OF SICK

Llamar y dar información completa para visitarlos/ Call with complete information to schedule a visit

ENTRENAMIENTO DE VIRTUS/ VIRTUS TRAINING

Todas las personas que quieran ser voluntarios de la parroquia deben hacer el entrenamiento de Virtus. Por favor llamar a la oficina, para más información.tel. 203-366-5611. Puede entrar a la pagina web: www.stpetersbpt.org.
All people who want to volunteer at the parish should do the Virtus training. Call to the office for more information, **203 366-5611** ; website www.stpetersbpt.org.



SAINT PETER CHURCH

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

695 Colorado Avenue
Bridgeport, CT 06605

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2023 Bishop's Appeal

We Stand with Christ

Our Parish

Sacraments

VIRTUS / Protecting God's Children

Gracias a todos los que han vendido y comprado boletos para la rifa de san pedro en Agosto 2026. Le pedimos a las personas que aun no han entregado el dinero de la venta o no han podido vender sus boletos, traerlos a partir **del lunes 27 de julio durante horario de oficina** o después de las misas de la semana a la sacristía.

thanks to everyone who has sold and bought tickets for the Saint Peter raffle in August 2026. Please bring the money of the tickets, **Monday July 27th during office hours** or after the evening mass of 7pm.

RIFA DE SAN PEDRO--AGOSTO 15, 2026

RAFFLE-ST PETER- AUGUST 15, 2026.

Please help us sell the tickets. Each \$25.

Por favor, ayúdanos a vender los boletos. Cada uno cuesta \$25.

FIRST PRIZE: \$20,0000 American Express Gift Card

SECOND PRIZE: \$6,000 American Express Gift Card

THIRD PRIZE: \$4,000 American Express Gift Card

FOUR-THIRTEEN \$1,000 American Ex-press Gift Card

WE HAVE REACHED OUR 2026 BISHOP’S APPEAL GOAL!

Thanks to the generosity of **217 donors**, we have reached our pledge goal of **\$26,981.00** So far, we have **received \$20,118.00in cash**. We still need to collect **\$3,582.00** to fulfill the total amount pledged. **If you have not yet submitted your contribution, please consider doing so in the coming weeks.**

Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you always.

Fr. Alexis
Pastor

ST. PETER PARISH

CATECHISM CLASS

Registrations!

We invite all families to register for our 2026–2027 Catechism classes. Help your child grow in faith, love, and friendship as they journey with Christ!

REGISTRATION DATES & TIMES		
September 5	Class Registration	5:00 PM to 8:00 PM
September 6	Class Registration	9:00 AM to 2:00 PM
September 12	Class Registration	5:00 PM to 8:00 PM
September 13	Class Registration	9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

PLEASE BRING COPIES OF THE FOLLOWING:

Birth Certificate

Baptism Certificate

Let us partner together in building a strong foundation of faith for our children. We look forward to seeing you!

INSCRIPCIONES PARA CLASES DE CATECISMO

¡Te esperamos!

Invitamos a todas las familias a registrar a sus hijos para las clases de Catecismo 2026–2027. ¡Ayuda a tu hijo(a) a crecer en fe, amor y amistad mientras camina con Cristo!

FECHAS Y HORARIOS DE INSCRIPCIÓN		
Septiembre 5	Inscripción de Clases	5:00 PM a 8:00 PM
Septiembre 6	Inscripción de Clases	9:00 AM a 2:00 PM
Septiembre 12	Inscripción de Clases	5:00 PM a 8:00 PM
Septiembre 13	Inscripción de Clases	9:00 AM a 2:00 PM

FAVOR TRAER COPIAS DE LOS SIGUIENTES DOCUMENTOS:

Certificado de Nacimiento

Certificado de Bautismo

Unámonos para construir juntos una base sólida de fe para nuestros niños. ¡Estamos ansiosos por verte!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

PARA MÁS INFORMACIÓN, COMUNIQUESE CON:

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Thank you and God bless!

¡Gracias y que Dios los bendiga!

NO HABRA MISA

NO MASS

No habrá Misa en la semana del **10 al 14 de agosto. Sabado, Agosto 15 a las 4pm.**

Agosto 17, 18, 19, 21.

SI HABRA ADORACION SANTISIMO.

there will be **no Mass during the week of august 10 to 14.** Sat, Aug. 15 at 4pm. Aug. 17,18,19,21.

THERE WILL BE ADORATION

Saint peter parish

2026 Bishop’s appeal as of 2/1/26

Bishop’s Appeal Goal / \$23,700

Total pledged/ \$26,981 (84.88%)

Donors to Date / 217 Donors

CRS and Caritas Venezuela are working to provide earthquake-affected families with critical aid, including:

- Emergency shelter and essential household items
- Food assistance
- Safe water, sanitation and hygiene
- Emergency health and trauma care
- Mental health and emotional support
- Protection for vulnerable populations, particularly children, older adults and people with disabilities

CRS and Caritas Venezuela Response

CRS is responding alongside our long-standing partner Caritas Venezuela, whose nationwide network provides a far-reaching, trusted and effective presence in affected communities.

CRS has partnered with Caritas Venezuela for decades ... Together, we are already working to improve food security, nutrition, livelihoods and water systems in vulnerable communities across the country.

Together, CRS and Caritas Venezuela are working to quickly identify urgent needs, coordinate with humanitarian partners and deliver lifesaving assistance to the communities hardest hit by the earthquakes. Families who have lost their homes—or cannot safely return because of damage and aftershocks—need shelter, food, clean water and other essentials. Some are also grieving loved ones or caring for injured family members as they try to recover from the shock of the disaster. CRS and Caritas Venezuela will prioritize those facing the greatest risks, including children, older adults, pregnant and nursing women, people with disabilities and other vulnerable groups.

Recognizing the emotional toll of the earthquakes, CRS and Caritas Venezuela are providing emotional support and counseling alongside emergency assistance to help families cope with trauma and loss. This assistance is being delivered through rigorous monitoring, accountable supply chain tracking, and strong community engagement and feedback—all backed by CRS’ experience managing complex emergencies that meet the highest standards for accountability.

A Long-standing Partnership

Caritas Venezuela is one of the country’s largest and most trusted humanitarian organizations. With a nationwide structure spanning national, diocesan and parish levels and a permanent presence in communities across the country, it is often the first to respond when disaster strikes. This extensive network enables CRS and Caritas to work closely with parish priests, lay leaders, health facilities, schools and community organizations, helping reach vulnerable families in informal urban settlements, remote rural areas and Indigenous territories where humanitarian coverage is often limited.

CRS has partnered with Caritas Venezuela for decades to strengthen local capacity and respond to humanitarian needs. Together, we are already working to improve food security, nutrition, livelihoods and water systems in vulnerable communities across the country. Our partnership and preparations are what enable us to provide lifesaving assistance in response to this latest catastrophe.

Looking Ahead

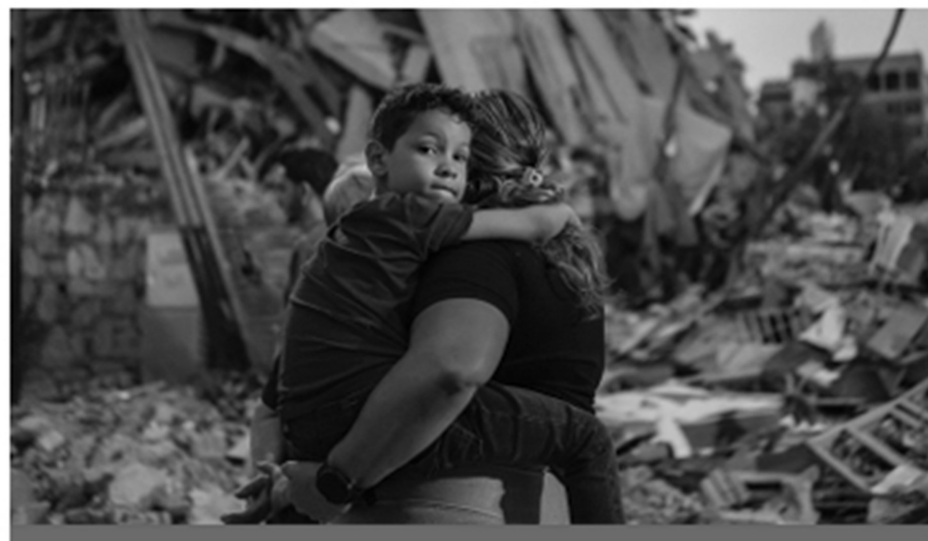
As needs evolve, CRS and Caritas Venezuela will continue to adapt the response to address the most urgent priorities while supporting communities through the early stages of recovery. The response will focus on expanding lifesaving assistance to families affected by the earthquakes and providing critical support as they begin rebuilding their lives.

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Faith knows no bounds. CRS

CRS and Caritas Venezuela Respond to Twin Earthquakes



People walk past a collapsed building following powerful, deadly twin earthquakes in Caracas on June 24, 2026. CRS is supporting its Church partner Caritas Venezuela to provide urgent relief. The earthquakes are considered the country's worst in more than a century.
Photo by Manure QUINTERO / AFP via Getty Images

Context

On June 24, 2026, two powerful earthquakes struck northern Venezuela just seconds apart, causing widespread destruction across Caracas and surrounding states. The twin earthquakes—the strongest to strike the South American country in decades—flattened buildings, damaged roads and left families searching for safety. Within the first 12 hours, more than 160 deaths were reported, nearly 1,000 people were injured, and thousands of families were displaced. These numbers are sure to rise as the full extent of the damage becomes clearer. As aftershocks continued, the president

declared a state of emergency, schools and non-essential services were suspended, and Caracas' airport was temporarily closed after sustaining heavy damage.

As search and rescue efforts continue, Catholic parishes in Venezuela have opened their doors to shelter displaced families and provide emergency assistance. Through its longstanding partnership with Caritas Venezuela, CRS is supporting rapid assessments and preparing to deploy additional humanitarian workers to expand lifesaving relief for people who have lost homes, livelihoods and a sense of security.

Emergency Relief Priorities

The earthquakes have intensified humanitarian needs in a country already facing one of the region's worst humanitarian crises. An estimated 7.9 million people were already in need of assistance due to years of economic crisis, food insecurity and weakened public services.

How to Help

-  **Donate online:** crs.org/donate/venezuela-earthquake
-  **Donate by scanning the QR code:** 
-  **Donate by phone:** 1-877-HELP-CRS
-  **Donate by check:** CRS/Venezuela Earthquakes
P.O. Box 5278, Tipton, IA 52772-0517



INTENCIONES DE MISA/ MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 08/01/2026

4:00PM For the Children's Julianna, Thomas, Alexandra, Theodore Marie Anne, and Samantha Rizzitelli
4:00PM 18 Birthday of Leticia Mendizabal
7:00PM por los difuntos de la Fam. Grandas Diaz
7:00PM Cumpleaños de Pedro Antonio Esteban
7:00PM +Juan Negron

SUNDAY 08/02/2026

8:00AM OPEN
10:00AM OPEN
12:00PM Por el Cumpleaños de Pablo Contretas
12:00PM Por las necesidades temporales y espirituales de Beatriz Hernández Hernández
12:00PM Salud de Lucy Rodríguez
12:00PM + Angel Navarro Aguilar
12:00PM +Lizet Santo
12:00PM +Diacono Domingo Reveron

MONDAY 08/03/2026

7:00PM por los difuntos de la Fam. Hernández Hernández

TUESDAY 08/04/2026

7:00PM por los difuntos de la Fam. Hernández Hernández

WEDNESDAY 08/05/2026

8:00AM por los difuntos de la Fam. Hernández Hernández
8:00AM +Matilde Cruz Negron
8:00AM +Hilda Cruz Negron
8:00AM +Camila Cruz Negron

THURSDAY 08/06/2026

7:00PM Por los difuntos de la fam. Hernández Hernández
7:00PM Acción de Gracia Fam. Rojas Tonacatl

FRIDAY 08/07/2026

7:00PM Por los difuntos de la fam. Grisales
7:00PM +Matilde Cruz Negron
7:00PM +Hilda Cruz Negron
7:00PM +Camila Cruz Negron

LÁMPARAS DEL SANTÍSIMO

Una de las Lámparas del Santísimo de esta semana

Es:

Por el cumpleaños de Maximina Esquibel

Ofrecida por: Hortencia Flores

BAUTISMOS

las personas que desean bautizar a su hijo(a) deben cumplir con los siguientes requisitos

- Entrevista con el Párroco
- Deben ser miembros activos de la Parroquia
- Llenar el formulario de registro bautismal
- Deben estar asistiendo a la misa dominical

PARA MAS INFOMACION LLAMAR AL 203-366-5611

ADORACION EUCARISTICA!!!

Las personas que deseen acompañar a Jesús en adoración los días:

 **lunes**

 **jueves**

 **viernes**

 **HORARIO: 1pm - 9pm**

 Pueden inscribirse a través de la aplicación AdorationPro: usando el link
<https://adorationpro.org/index.php?org=pedroct&languageMain=spanish>



«¿No habéis podido velar una hora conmigo?»
(MATEO 26,40)



PARA MAYOR INFORMACION
LLAMAR AL
203-336-5611



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION!

People who wish to accompany Jesus in adoration on the days:

 **MONDAYS**

 **THURSDAYS**

 **FRIDAYS**

 **HOURS: 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

 You can sign up through the AdorationPro app using the link:
<https://adorationpro.org/index.php?org=pedroct&languageMain=spanish>



“Could you not watch with me one hour?”
(MATTHEW 26:40)



FOR MORE INFORMATION
PLEASE CALL
203-336-5611



!!!NECESITAMOS TU AYUDA!!!

la Parroquia San Pedro solicita cordialmente su apoyo y colaboración para nuestro Festival Parroquial que se realizará los días **7 Y 8 DE AGOSTO**. Puedes ayudar donando algunos de los artículos que aparecen en la lista, o comprometiéndote a trabajar en conjunto con el comité, para que esta actividad, que busca unirnos como familia tenga éxito. Toda ayuda será de gran bendición para hermosa actividad comunitaria. **Encargada general: Marie Lugo 203-526-2104. Gloria Pérez 203-583-7130**
¡GRACIAS POR SU GENEROSIDAD Y APOYO!!

!!!WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!

Your Parish kindly requests your support and collaboration for our Parish Festival taking place on August 7th and 8th. Any contribution will be a great blessing for the success of this beautiful community event. **Contact person Marie Lugo 203-526-2104 & Gloria Perez 203- 583-7130**
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT!

List for Donations we need for the 2026 Festival

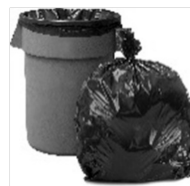
You can start bring your donations to the office or in church

Pueden comenzar a traer sus donaciones a la oficina o en la Iglesia

• **Aluminum Foil Wrap/Papel de aluminio** (any brand is welcome/cualquier marca es bienvenido)



• **50-60 gallons Trash Black Bags/50-60 galones bolsas de basura** (any brand is welcome/cualquier marca es bienvenido)



• **Roll Paper Towels/Papel Toalla** (any brand is welcome/cualquier marca es bienvenido)



• **Dish Soap/Jabón de Fregar** (any brand is welcome/cualquier marca es bienvenido)



When you bring the item or items you would like to donate you can leave them in the entrance of the church with the Ushers. **Cuando Traigas el o los artículos que vas a donar lo puedes dejar con las personas de la Bienvenida en la parte de la entrada de la Iglesia.**

3 de julio de 2026

Queridos amigos en Cristo,

Con profunda tristeza les escribo sobre los recientes acontecimientos relacionados con la Sociedad de San Pío X, conocida como la FSSPX. El 1 de julio, en Écône, Suiza, la Sociedad consagró a cuatro nuevos obispos sin el mandato del Santo Padre y en contra de su voluntad expresa. En respuesta, la Santa Sede emitió un decreto el 2 de julio declarando que los obispos implicados han incurrido en la pena de excomunión.

De particular importancia para nosotros en la Diócesis de Bridgeport es la aclaración que acompañó a ese decreto. La Santa Sede ha dejado claro que el clero de la Compañía debe ser considerado ahora cismático. Esto significa que, a partir de hoy, los sacramentos que celebran son ilícitos y, lo más importante para los fieles, las confesiones que escuchan y los matrimonios que presiden son considerados inválidos por la Iglesia. Sé que estas palabras son difíciles de escuchar, especialmente para quienes entre nosotros han participado, ya sea regularmente o en ocasiones, en liturgias celebradas por sacerdotes de la Compañía. Con los años he llegado a conocer a algunas de estas familias. Me ha conmovido su amor por la belleza de la liturgia sagrada, su devoción a nuestra tradición católica y la seriedad con la que buscan criar a sus hijos en la fe. Mi corazón está con ellos en este momento doloroso y quiero que sepan que siguen formando parte de nuestra familia diocesana.

También quiero ofrecer una palabra de tranquilidad. Esta excomunión no recae en quienes simplemente han asistido a estas liturgias por un sincero deseo de adorar y que nunca han tenido la intención de rechazar la autoridad del Santo Padre ni la enseñanza de la Iglesia. Lo que la Iglesia pide ahora es sencillo: conociendo la situación tal y como se encuentra, los fieles de la Iglesia Católica ya no pueden participar en las liturgias de la Compañía, pues hacerlo conscientemente sería compartir una separación del Sucesor de Pedro.

Así que invita a volver a casa a quienes antes adoraban con la Sociedad. La venerante adoración que ha atraído a esos fieles sigue muy viva en nuestras propias parroquias. La misa tradicional en latín (el Vetus Ordo) sigue celebrándose en nuestra diócesis en la parroquia de Santa María en Norwalk, el Oratorio de los Santos Cirilo y Metodio en Bridgeport y el Oratorio del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús en Georgetown, además de la celebración de la Santa Misa en su forma ordinaria en toda nuestra diócesis. En estos lugares sagrados no encontrarás solo la belleza que atesoras, sino la plenitud de la comunión con la Iglesia universal y con nuestro Santo Padre, el Papa León XIV. Como nos recuerda el antiguo dicho, “Donde está Pedro, allí está la Iglesia” (Ubi Petrus, ibi Ecclesia).

También estoy agradecido de compartir que nuestro Santo Padre ha hecho provisión para cualquier sacerdote o miembro de los fieles de la Compañía que desee volver a la plena comunión. Nuestra diócesis está lista para recibirlos con los brazos abiertos y gran ternura. Cualquier persona que desee seguir este camino, o que tenga una pregunta personal sobre su propia situación (por ejemplo, respecto a un matrimonio o una confesión), se anima calurosamente a hablar con un sacerdote de la diócesis, quien ofrecerá orientación con paciencia y cuidado.

Por favor, únete a mí en la oración por todos los que se ven afectados por estos acontecimientos, por el clero y los fieles de la Sociedad, y por la unidad de la Iglesia de Cristo. Oremos también por nuestro Santo Padre, el Papa León XIV, que lleva la pesada carga de pastorear y unificar el rebaño que le ha sido confiado.

Que María, Madre de la Iglesia, vele por todos sus hijos y los acerque cada vez más al corazón de su Hijo.

Sinceramente tuyo en Cristo,

Frank J. Caggiano

El Reverendísimo Frank J. Caggiano
Obispo de Bridgeport



THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH

A Pontifical Mission Society | Diocese of Bridgeport

Bulletin suggestion

Co-operative Mission Sunday July 18th and 19th

Our Church is a mission Church. It is evangelizing in areas of the world where our brothers and sisters in Christ are struggling to meet their basic needs. War, famine, persecution, and in many instances, it is simply the lack of resources, are obstacles the faithful face each day. There are priests, religious brothers and sisters, and lay people who are devoting their lives to spreading the Gospel and caring for the spiritual and physical needs of the faithful in these lands. Would you please help them with your prayers and use that weekend's second collection to support them with your financial generosity? Thank you.

If it would be easier to receive this text in Word format, please email astrid.alvarez@diobpt.org



THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH

A Pontifical Mission Society | Diocese of Bridgeport

July 9, 2026

Re: Co-operative Mission Sunday

Dear Friends in Christ,

We are pleased to inform you that this year's Co-operative Mission Sunday is scheduled for July 18th and 19th. Many of you are welcoming to your parish representatives of various church ministries serving the developing world, so your parishioners can learn firsthand about the needs of our brothers and sisters in Christ living in those lands.

The war in Ukraine and the Middle East, the violent attacks and persecution that are depriving people of the means to safely practice their faith and satisfy their daily needs.

Whether or not your parish is hosting a visiting missionary, we pray that your parishioners will be as generous as possible with the donation they will be offering in the envelope for the second collection for the Mission Cooperative Appeal. Their financial sacrifice will make all the difference to the "front-line" responders who give of themselves to provide spiritual and physical relief to the faithful in these struggling communities. Our prayers and contributions are very much needed and are appreciated more than they might realize.

Would you be kind enough to include the attached in your parish bulletin/newsletter to encourage your parishioners to participate in the Church's missionary work. Feel free to edit it as you see fit.

Please accept my sincere appreciation for your support and generosity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Deacon David Flynn,
Director Pontifical Mission Societies
Diocese of Bridgeport

cc: Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano
Bishop of Bridgeport