

A reflection from the Pastor

Many of you know of the untimely death of Msgr. James Brunner June 4th, former pastor of St. Mary's in Victoria. We pray for him. As a result of the vacancy, the bishop has relieved me of my pastoral duties here at St. Patrick's and appointed me pastor of Our Lady of the Gulf in Port Lavaca, and her three missions in Point Comfort, Seadrift, and Port O'Connor. The new assignment will take effect July 14, 2010, at which time the new pastor of St. Patrick's will assume his pastoral responsibilities. The new pastor is the Reverend Samuel Appiasi, current parochial administrator of St. Peter in Blessing and it's mission of St. Robert (Bellarmine) in Markham. Fr. Samuel has been a pastor there for ten years. He will best be able to tell you of his past assignments and life history when he arrives. I do know that he once served as parochial vicar in my home parish of Our Lady of Victory, when I was in the seminary.

I thank you for your many prayers and well wishes over these past four years. It is difficult to believe they have gone by so fast, the time seems so short. Nonetheless, I have been so blessed by being here, my first pastoral assignment, and ask for your continued prayers as I assume this new responsibility in Port Lavaca. Be assured of my prayers for you.

I received a call this past week from Msgr. Larry Steubben, former pastor of St. Patrick's. He is going to be visiting the parish the weekend of July 3rd-4th and concelebrating at all Masses to rekindle his memories of being stationed here (about a year) in which time he made so many lasting memories. He is presently retired in San Antonio. Let us welcome him to the parish.

On an office note, I will be away, June 27-July 3rd.

Have a blessed week, Fr. Ty

**Next Sunday's Second Collection:
Peter's Pence**

This collection goes to support the works of the Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, as successor of St. Peter the apostle, in his works of charity through the office of St. Peter, to charities throughout the world.

Please be generous.

Liturgy / Mass Schedule and Intentions

Tuesday, 22nd 8:00 a.m. Mass – Leonila Pena +
S. Thomas More by Roque Pena
martyr

Wednesday, 23rd 8:00 a.m. Mass – Beatrice Cantu +
by Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

Thursday, 24th 8:00 a.m. Mass – Dorothy & Edward
S. John Baptist Kocian – Occasion of 64th
Wedding Anniversary
by Dorothy Kocian

Friday, 25th 8:00 a.m. Mass – Carl Brzozowske +
by Helen Brzozowske

Saturday, 26th 5:15 -5:45 p.m. Penance
5:40 p.m. Rosary
6:00 p.m. Mass – Eustolio Gutierrez +
by Augustina & Alisia Gutierrez

Sunday, 27th
Thirteenth 8:00 a.m. Mass – Pro Populo
Ordinary Time 10:00 a.m. Mass – Otilia Navarro +
2nd Collection: by Fernando & Christina Navarro
Peter's Pence

Next Sunday's Readings:

First Reading 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21
Second Reading Galatians 5:1, 13-18
Gospel Reading Luke 9:51-62

Liturgical Assignments for the week ahead

Saturday 26th, 6:00 p.m.

Lector Lisa Canales
Altar Servers Gabriella & Madeline Canales
Ushers Daniel Hybner, Alfred Garcia,
Hector Cardona, Adolph Escalante

Sunday 27th, 8 a.m.

Lector Bacilio Gonzalez
Altar Servers Mauricio Ledezma, Evan Andrade, April Chapa
Ushers Magdaleno Garcia, Domingo Robles,
Pete Guerra, Manuel Estrada

Sunday 27th, 10 a.m.

Lector Gracie Perez
Altar Servers Anaylsa Gonzalez, Marcos Gonzalez, Albert Adkins
Ushers Andy Reyes, Jose Troncoso,
Hector Longoria, Constantino Martin

Collection Overview:

General: \$ 1782.47

2nd: Building Fund: \$ 400.63

Even though summer is upon us (begins officially June 21st), please do not forget to attend Mass each Sunday with your families. Pray about your tithing, giving to the parish collection, as an extension of God's goodness to you. The parish still has to pay bills during the summer and it costs to cool, light, and supply the church. Thank you for your support.

Around the Diocese of Victoria . . .

July 4 St. John, St. John Picnic
6 miles SW of Schulenburg
Fried Chicken & Stew \$7

July 30 & 31 Holy Family K of C Fishing Tourn.
Port O'Connor. Contact 578-0877 for info.

Aug. 15 Praha Picnic
Fried Chicken/Stew \$8



Nazareth Academy

Private Catholic School, Victoria, Texas

Currently has openings for students in all grades. Please contact Scott Klesel at the Nazareth office to register or for more information, 573-6651.

**A Prayer for our Fathers
On Father's Day**

God,
bless all the fathers in the world.
Guide them to be good role models
and loving to all their children.
Help them to be a father like You are.
Give them grace and patience
to handle situations in a loving way.
Amen.

Summer Camps in the Diocese:

Discipleship "D" Week

June 28 – July 1

Contact Debbie at 573-0828 ext 32 for more info.

Life Awareness Retreat

July 23-25

Girls Vocation camp

Quo Vadis Vocation Camp

July 18-21, 2010

Any young men, ages 15-21, interested in attending this camp to discuss God's call in your life and a possible religious vocation should contact Fr. Ty at the rectory (897-1155) by June 15th. This is a four day camp at the Spiritual Renewal Center with other young men from around the diocese. The camp will be led by priests and seminarians.

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