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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Father Samuel Appiasi

## Weekday Mass

November 29 - Monday 8:00 a.m. NO MASS

November 30 -Tuesday 6:10 p.m.

**Beatrice Cantu+**

**Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu**

December 1-Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

**Daniel Appiasi+**

December 2-Thursday 8:00 a.m.

**Juan Rodriguez**

*special Intention*

December 3 -Friday 8:00 a.m

**Gerald Kallina+**

### Offertory November 21

\$1470.60-Parish support

\$206.09 - Catholic Campaign for  
Human Development

\$42.00 - Candle Money

\$140.00- Building Fund

*Let us go rejoicing to the  
house of the Lord.*

## Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

Confessions - Every Saturday- 5:15-5:45 p.m

Rosary- 5:40 p.m.

December 4 - Saturday-6:00 p.m. Mass

Intention: **Eduardo Martinez+**

EME: Jeanette West

Lector: Lisa Canales

Altar Servers: Gabriella Canales, Madeline Canales

Ushers: Patrick Canales, Joe Canales Sr.,  
Raymond and Paulette Brandl

December 5- Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: **Connie Garcia+**

*Ninfa Menjia*

EME: Frances Rivera

Lector: Veronica Ledezma

Altar Servers: Maurizio Ledezma, April Chapa, Evan  
Andrade

Ushers: Manuel Estrada, Bacilio Gonzalez,  
Adelaido Posada, Hector Cardona

December 5 -Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: **Poor Souls**

EME: Gracie Perez

Lector: Melinda Valenzuela

Altar Servers: Anaysa Gonzalez, Marcos Gonzalez,  
Angelicia Valenzuela

Ushers: David & Kathy Escalante, Lupe Rivera Jr,  
Daniel Hybner, Albert Rodriguez



There will be a **Safe Environment Training** for all parents/guardians on Monday, November 29, 2010. Any parent/guardian interested in attending this training can come to the Heritage Room at 7:00p.m.

CCD students of grades K-12 will receive Safe Environment Training during their classes on Wednesday, December 1, 2010. The Office of Child and Youth Protection of the Diocese of Victoria requires this training.

If you do not wish your child(ren) participate in the safe environment training an "Opt Out" form must be signed at the Parish Hall Office. You will be offered materials concerning the protection of children and youth.

### **Pro-Life Corner:**

*Like an animal caught in a trap, trying to gnaw off its own leg, a woman who seeks abortion is trying to escape a desperate situation by an act of violence and self-loss. Abortion is not a sign that women are free, but a sign that they are desperate." "The answer to a crisis pregnancy is to eliminate the crisis, not the child."*

## Saints of the Week



**St. Andrew, apostle**  
**November 30**

The Church built on the Apostles, has from its beginning honored the Twelve. Probably at one time, each month had an Apostle's feast. Andrew of Bethsaida (one the Lake of Galilee) was Peter's brother. Tradition recalls his crucifixion in Greece on an X shaped cross (St. Andrew's cross)



**St. Francis Xavier**  
**December 3**

Jesus asked, "What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" (Matthew 16:26a). The words were repeated to a young teacher of philosophy who had a highly promising career in academics, with success and a life of prestige and honor before him. Francis Xavier, 24 at the time, and living and teaching in Paris, did not heed these words at once. They came from a good friend, Ignatius of Loyola, whose tireless persuasion finally won the young man to Christ. Francis then made the spiritual exercises under the direction of Ignatius, and in 1534 joined his little community (the infant Society of Jesus). Together at Montmartre they vowed poverty, chastity and apostolic service according to the directions of the pope. From Venice, where he was ordained priest in 1537, Francis Xavier went on to Lisbon and from there sailed to the East Indies, landing at Goa, on the west coast of India. For the next 10 years he labored to bring the faith to such widely scattered peoples as the Hindus, the Malaysians and the Japanese. Wherever he went, he lived with the poorest people, sharing their food and rough accommodations. He spent countless hours ministering to the sick and the poor, particularly to lepers.