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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Father Samuel Appiasi

## Weekday Mass Schedule/Intentions

September 13 - Monday 8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
September 14 -Tuesday 6:10 p.m.	<b>Beatrice Cantu+</b> Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu
September 15-Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	<b>Domingo Moya+</b> Ernest and Mary Moya
September 16-Thursday 8:00 a.m.	<b>Gerald Kallina</b>
September 17-Friday 8:00 a.m.	<b>Eduardo Martinez+</b> Issac Martin and Family

*Praise the Lord, who lifts  
up the poor*

### Offertory September 5

\$1319.44-Parish support  
236.25 - Retired/Needy  
Priests  
675.00 - CCD  
\$605.00 - Meat donation  
\$650.00 - Raffle Donation  
280.00 - Raffle Tickets

## Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

Confessions - Every Saturday- 5:15-5:45 p.m.  
Rosary- 5:40 p.m.

### September 18-Saturday-6:00 p.m. Mass

Intention: **Janie Solorio**

EME: Veronica Garcia  
Lector: Carol Sutton  
Altar Servers: Gabriella Canales, Madeline Canales  
Ushers: Bacilio Cantu, Daniel Hybner, Alfred Garcia, Ben Hernandez

### September 19- Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: **Donacio and Rita Rodriguez+**  
Juan Rodriguez  
EME: Frances Rivera  
Lector: Gloria Cantu  
Altar Servers: Kellsey Monroy, Raul Monroy, Juan Castellanos  
Ushers: Pete Guerra, Manuel Estrada, Bacilio Gonzales, Adelaido Posada

### September 19-Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: **Salvador Pena Jr and family**  
Elevorina Pena  
EME: Maribel Gonzalez  
Lector: Ismael Perez  
Altar Servers: Angelicia Valenzuela, Michael Valenzuela  
Ushers: Albert Rodriguez, Adolph Escalante, Andy Reyes, Jose Troncoso

## Church News

**September 13<sup>th</sup> - Festival Meeting** at 6:30 in the Heritage Room

**September 14<sup>h</sup> - Catholic Daughters** will meet at 7:00 in the Heritage Room

**We are still in need of auction items - please bring to the office or to the church.**

### Pro-life Corner

Some people beyond childbearing age say: "Abortion is not my problem: I'm too old for that!" They may be too old to get pregnant, but they are never too old to be concerned about abortion. By our active concern, any one of us can save the life of a baby scheduled to die. To try to save our youngest brothers and sisters is an expression of love. We are never too old to love.

**September 12 - St. Joseph Catholic Church in Inez Picnic** - Fried Chicken, Brisket and sausage (\$7.00) Plates to go at 10:30 - Dine in at 11:00. Auction at 1:00 Games, Raffle, Country Store, Cake Walk and more.

**September 19 - Our Lady of the Gulf in Port Lavaca Parish Festival** - Seafood platter (\$8.00) from 11:00 to 1:30. Auction at 12:30. Bingo, Cake Spin, Children's, Games, Raffle, Crafts

**September 19 - St Joseph in Moulton Parish Festival** - Sunday at the KC Hall in Moulton. Fried chicken and Stew Dinner \$7.00/plate. Auction, hamburgers, country store, cake walk, plant walk, arts and craft booths, games, and train ride.

**September 26- Sts Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Meyersville Festival** - BBQ Dinner (\$7.00) from 11:00 to 1:00 - Auction at 1:00. Bingo, Country Store, Cake Walk and Kids Games

## Saints of the Week

### **September 13 - St. John Chrysostom**

Born at Antioch around 349, today's saint received an excellent education; he led an ascetical life, as a priest preached effectively. Elected Bishop and Patriarch of Constantinople in 397, John "of the Golden Tongue" was a thorough dedicated pastor of his flock. From hatred of the imperial court and enemies he was exiled. In present day Turkey, on the road to exile again, he died of consumption on September 14, 407.

### **September 15- Our Lady of Sorrows**

On the day following the ancient feast of the Holy Cross, we commemorate the compassion of Mary. We meditate on the reactions in the soul of Mary concerning the sufferings and death of Jesus Christ her Son. Simeon predicted that her heart would be transfixed with sorrows. So it was, as she stood under the cross.

### **September 16 - St. Cornelius and St Cyprian**

We commemorate two friends in the service of Christ and the Church. Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage, went to death with courage publicly before his people. His martyrdom on September 14, 258, was almost like a solemn liturgy and developed the faith of the Church of Carthage. To Cornelius, he had written earlier, "If God gives one of us the grace to die soon, our friendship will continue before the Lord." Cornelius, Pope for a short time (250-253), was exiled and killed for the faith at Civitavecchia in Italy.

### **September 17 - St. Robert Bellarmine**

Robert Bellarmine exemplifies an important aspect of the Society of Jesus: intellectual service to the Church. Today's saint, born in Italy (1542), entered the Jesuits at age 18. He taught theology at Louvain and Rome, developed the theological basis for the Catholic Reformation, became a pastoral Bishop and Cardinal. His influence on Catholic intellectual life and the Gregorian University in Rome has been extensive. Robert Bellarmine died on September 17, 1621. His canonization process lasted 300 years. Robert Bellarmine was declared a saint and Doctor (teacher) of the Church 1930.