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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Father Samuel Appiasi
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## **Weekday Mass**

May 30<sup>th</sup> - Monday 8:00 a.m. - NO MASS

May 31<sup>st</sup> - Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+

Bacilio Cantu and Barbara Cantu

June 1<sup>st</sup> – Wednesday, 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: Paul Lerma+ Mary Moya

June 2<sup>nd</sup> - Thursday 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: Gerald Kalina+

June 3<sup>rd</sup> - Friday 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intention: Odelia Gonzalez+

Mr. & Mrs. Munoz & Melissa Dwaraczyk

Offertory May 22nd

### Pro-Life Corner:

June 5- Did you know: The number of abortions per year worldwide is now 42 million? Does that number even register to you? Imagine, then a state with the population of California, being destroyed each and every year. Abortion is destroying our future.

## Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

June 4th - Saturday-6:00 pm. Mass

Intention: Mary A. Lerma+

Mary Moya

EME: Paulette Brandl Lector: Lisa Canales

Altar Servers: Gabriella and Madeline Canales
Ushers: Isaac Martin, Alex Chamberlain,
Patrick Canales, Joe Canales, Sr.

June 5th - Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Patty Soto
Lector: Valerie Aguayo

Altar Servers: Maurizio Ledezma, April Chapa, Evan

Andrade

**Ushers:** Ted Cabral, Hermilo DeLuna.

Magdaleno Garcia, Domingo Robles

June 5th - Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Cindy Cantu+

Richard & Frances Mendez

EME: Ismael Perez Lector: Lupe Olguin

Altar Servers: Marissa Soto, Michael Andrade, Katie

Williams

**Ushers:** John Sanchez, David Escalante, Kathy

Escalante, Joe Canales, Jr.

#### **Parish News**

Congratulations to all our Graduates – May the Lord continue to bless you with health, happiness and success as you begin your new journey in life.

#### **Community Events:**

The Serra Clubs of the **Diocese of Victoria** are holding a car raffle with proceeds **benefiting vocation efforts** in the diocese. A 2010 Toyota Corolla Sport car is scheduled to be given away on July 14, 2011. The raffle tickets sell for \$5.00 a ticket, 3 for \$10.00, and can be purchased from Father Samuel.

All are invited to celebrate Holy Mass in honor of Msgr. McLaughlin's 55<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of ordination and 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Mass will be held at noon at Our Lady of Victory Cathedral in Victoria on June 10<sup>th</sup> with a light reception following at the Chancery building.

Join with Priests for Life in praying a Pentecost Novena Prayer for Life, June 2-12. Find the Pentecost Novena prayer at <a href="https://www.PrayerCampaign.org">www.PrayerCampaign.org</a>. Also, please join the "Pray to end Abortion" prayer effort on facebook at <a href="https://www.ProLifePrayers.com">www.ProLifePrayers.com</a>.

Marriage Help – Retrouvaille has helped thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about this program or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend in Victoria on Aug. 19-21 call 361-580-2770 or email: <a href="mailto:jbvjov@sbcglobal.net">jbvjov@sbcglobal.net</a> or visit the web site at <a href="https://www.Retrouvaille.org">www.Retrouvaille.org</a>.

## Saints of the Week

June 1<sup>st</sup> St. Justin, Martyr

Justin, a layman, exerted a strong

influence in the early Church. Born in Samaria around 100 A.D., he studied various philosophies and was converted to Christ when about 30 years old. Justin taught in Ephesus, later opened a school in Rome, and wrote defenses of Christianity. He wrote our oldest descriptions of the Baptismal rite and of Sunday Mass. Justin died a heroic martyr's death in about 165, during the persecution of the philosopher Emperor, Marcus Aurelius.

June 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

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The universal Church today honors

22 black martyrs of Uganda in Africa. The first martyrs of black Africa, they died in a persecution similar to those of the ancient Roman Emperors. Most of them had been baptized but a short time. Lwanga, chief of the royal pages, was killed with twelve companions on this date in 1886. The Uganda martyrs were canonized as saints by Pope Paul VI in 1964.

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy; a blare of trumpets for the Lord.