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St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Deacon Fred Soto

Weekday Mass

August 13th - Monday – 8:00 a.m.
No Mass

August 14th - Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu
6:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass) Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

August 15th – Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
(Holy Day of Obligation)
Mass Intention: The Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

August 16th - Thursday - 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Maggie Stastny+
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Brandl, Jr.

August 17th - Friday – 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Parish Family

Offertory July 29th

\$745.00 – Parish Support
\$35.95 – Candle Money
\$500.33 – Building Fund

Pro-Life Corner:

August 19 - The forces behind the pro-death movement are not merely human but demonic. It is imperative to understand, as Christ reminds us, that the devil was a murderer from the beginning. The evil spirit has remained a murderer all through human history, and he is the real leader behind the philosophy of homicide which now pervades whole nations of what we still call a civilized world.

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

August 18th – Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Jeanette West
Lector: Paulette Brandl
Altar Servers: Gabriella and Madeline Canales
Ushers: Hector Cardona, Adolph Escalante,
Isaac Martin, Alex Chamberlain

August 19th – Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: La Virgen de San Juan De Los Lagos
Juan Rodriguez

EME: Patty Soto
Lector: Veronica Ledezma
Altar Servers: Lili Gonzalez, Enriqueta Gonzalez
Ushers: Bacilio Gonzalez, Adelaido Posada,
Hector Cardona, Lupe Rivera, Jr.

August 19th – Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Jesse James Turner+
VPD Dispatchers

EME: Gracie Perez
Lector: Janie Robles
Altar Servers: Marissa Soto, Elias Pena, Mia Martinez
Ushers: Albert Rodriguez, Andy Reyes,
Jose Troncoso, Hector Longoria

Parish News

Today - Sunday, August 12th – Come join us for **coffee and donuts** in celebration of **Deacon Fred Soto's 25th Anniversary** in Permanent Diaconate. The celebration will take place in the **Parish Hall following the 8:00 a.m. mass.**

CCD Registrations – Registrations will begin Wednesday, Aug. 15th from 6-8 p.m. in the Heritage Room. Parents of 2nd grade students are asked to please bring Birth certificates as well as Baptismal certificates. Registrations will also be held following all masses on Aug. 18th & 19th.

Thursday, Aug. 16th – Knights of Columbus meeting at **7:30 p.m.** in the Heritage Building. All members are asked to attend.

Upcoming Events:

Saturday, August 25th – We will begin collecting **meat donations** for our **Turkey Festival** after each mass. Our Turkey Festival will be held, Sunday, September 30th, 2012.

Community Events:

Amor Meus Spirituality Center invites you to:

A Prayer Experience on August 30, 2012 from 7-8 p.m. in the prayer room, at Incarnate Word Convent, (1101 N.E. Water Street, Victoria.) A prayer service will be held with a candle-light atmosphere and will consist of music, song, chant, scriptural reading, meditation and prayers of intercession. For information call 361-575-7111.

Saints of the Week



August 13th,
St. Pontian (Pope & Martyr)
and St. Hippolytus,
(Priest & Martyr)

In 230 Pontian became Pope. The Roman Church at that time was divided, with the rigorist priest Hippolytus leading one faction. In 235 Pope and priest were deported into forced labor in Sardinia and there were martyred for their common faith. Their bodies were brought back to Rome, after the persecution, on August 13.



August 16th,
St. Stephen of Hungary

Born of the Magyars around 970, Stephen was baptized around 985 by St. Adalbert of Prague. Stephen succeeded his father as King of Hungary in 997, and on Christmas of 1000 was crowned “apostolic King of Hungary” with a crown sent by the Pope. Until his death in 1038 Stephen was a just, peaceful, holy King who labored much to advance the Church in Hungary. In this he was helped by the monks of Cluny in France. Stephen and his son Emeric were both canonized saints in 1083.

*Taste and See the Goodness
of the Lord.*