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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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## Saints of the Week

### Weekday Mass

August 6<sup>th</sup> - Monday – 8:00 a.m.  
No Mass

August 7<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+  
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

August 8<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: Domingo Robles+  
Ernest & Mary Moya

August 9<sup>th</sup> - Thursday - 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: Gerald Kalina+

August 10<sup>th</sup> - Friday – 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: Antonio Magallan+  
Lupe Olguin

### Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

August 11<sup>th</sup> – Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass  
Intention: William “Buddy” Torres+  
Lou Torres

EME: Jeanne Lange  
Lector: Lisa Canales  
Altar Servers: Gabriella and Madeline Canales  
Ushers: Randy Reyes, Bacilio Cantu,  
Daniel Hybner, Ben Hernandez

August 12<sup>th</sup> – Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass  
Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Frances Rivera  
Lector: Bacilio Gonzalez  
Altar Servers: Lili Gonzalez, Enriqueta Gonzalez  
Ushers: Hermilo DeLuna, Emilio Ledezma,  
Magdaleno Garcia, Manuel Estrada

August 12<sup>th</sup> – Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass  
Intention: Parish Family

EME: Ismael Perez  
Lector: Gracie Perez  
Altar Servers: Anaysa Gonzalez, Marcos Gonzalez,  
Madison Staten  
Ushers: David & Kathy Escalante,  
Joe Canales, Jr., Daniel Hybner

### Parish News

**Reminder:** CCD – Teacher-Aides are needed for our CCD program for **Grades 3, 4, 8 and 9.** Please call **Ms. Ramona Torres at 652-2129** if you are interested in helping. There is a Safe Environment training required.

**Tuesday, Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> – Parish Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m.** in the **Heritage Building.** All members are asked to attend as we will be discussing plans for our Turkey Festival.

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

**Upcoming Events:**  
**Wednesday, Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> – CCD Registrations** will be held from 6-8 p.m. in the Heritage Room.

### 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.



August 7<sup>th</sup>,  
St. Sixtus II and Companions,  
Pope and Martyrs

We commemorate the most shocking and most glorious page in the history of the Roman persecutions. On August 6, 258, the Pope was saying Mass at the Catacombs of St. Callistus. He and his four deacons were arrested and decapitated before the people. Three other deacons were similarly decapitated in that cruel attack, launched by the Emperor Valerian against bishops, priests and deacons.



August 10<sup>th</sup>,  
St. Lawrence,  
Deacon and Martyr

Lawrence, the most famous of Roman martyrs, was a deacon. Killed four days after Pope Sixtus (cf. August 7), Lawrence became famous because of his youth, evangelical love for the poor, courage before his torturers and sense of humor while dying. Tradition holds that he was roasted to death on a gridiron. He died on August 10, 258. A beautiful basilica of St. Lawrence stands in Rome.

*The Lord gave them bread  
from heaven.*

### Offertory July 29<sup>th</sup>

\$1745.25 – Parish Support  
\$46.00 – Candle Money  
\$672.00 – Building Fund

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

**August 12<sup>th</sup> - Winston Churchill once said: “Show me how a nation treats its elderly and I’ll show you the soul of the people.” As a nation, our immortal soul is in grave danger because many people have rationalized not only abortion but now assisted suicide and euthanasia, as moral and a right. No good can ever come from doing evil.**