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St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Father Samuel Appiasi
Deacon Fred Soto

Weekday Mass

January 9th - Monday - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

January 10th - Tuesday 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: No Mass

January 11th – Wednesday 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: No Mass

January 12th - Thursday 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: No Mass

January 13th - Friday 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: Donald Lange+ Carol Sutton

Offertory January 1st

\$1110.00 - Parish Support \$74.82 - Candle Money \$429.20 - Building Fund

Pro-Life Corner:

January 15 - Lord, please help America awake to the immorality and unconstitutionality of abortion and the duty and power of the government not to promote it but to abolish it.

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

January 14th - Saturday-6:00 pm. Mass

Intention: Camey "CJ" Myers

Lupe & Frances Rivera

EME: Jeanette West **Lector:** Jeanne Lange

Altar Servers: Gabriella and Madeline Canales
Ushers: Adolph Escalante, Isaac Martin,
Alex Chamberlain, Patrick Canales

<u>January 15th - Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass</u> Intention: San Juan de los Lagos

Juan Rodriguez

EME: Emilio Ledezma **Lector**: Bacilio Gonsalez

Altar Servers: Lili Gonsalez, Enriqueta Gonsalez
Ushers: Hector Cardona, Lupe Rivera, Jr.,
Ted Cabral, Hermilo DeLuna

January 15th - Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: David Ohrt+

Wife & Children

EME: Ismael Perez Lector: Marissa Sanchez

Altar Servers: Marissa Soto, Elias Pena, Mia Martinez Ushers: Manuel Gonzales, John Sanchez.

David Escalante, Kathy Escalante

Parish News

Please Note: There will be no weekday masses from Monday thru Thursday of this week as Father Samuel will be on retreat until Thursday night. In case anything should arise, please contact Deacon Fred Soto at 361-897-1955.

** **Reminder:** CCD classes will resume to regular schedule this week.

6:00 p.m. – K-5th 7:15 p.m. – 6th – 12th

**REMINDER: Sunday Envelopes — The Sunday envelope boxes for 2012 are at the entrance of the church. Please be sure to pick up your box as soon as possible because the starting envelope is dated for January 1, 2012. If you cannot find a box with your name, please contact Father Samuel.

Upcoming Events:

Thursday, January 19th – The Knights of Columbus will have a meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Heritage room. All members are asked to attend.

Community Events:

Incarnate Word Prayer Group invites to a one-day Life in the Spirit Seminar at Incarnate Word Convent from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sat., Jan. 28th, 2012, followed by a healing Mass at 6 p.m. Please call to register by Sat., Jan. 21st at 361-575-7111 or 361-75-7120. The IWBS Convent is located at 1101 N.E. Water Street, Victoria, Tx. 77901.

Saints of the Week



January 7th , St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest

Born at Penyafort near Barcelona would became a priest and

(Spain) in 1175, Raymond became a priest and professor of philosophy and Canon Law. Joining in 1222, he was one of the most famous Masters of Moral Theology and Canon Law, specializing in the Sacrament of Penance. He was also a courageous apostolic man. A co-founder of the Order for the Redemption of Captives (to return Christian prisoners of the Mohammedans), Raymond studied Arabic and the Koran so as to dialogue with Mohammedans. He died, almost a centenarian, on January 6, 1275, and was declared a saint in 1601.



January 13th, St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor

Hilary was born towards the

start of the 4th Century, at Poitiers in France. Married and father of a saintly daughter named Abia, Hilary was converted to the Christian faith by reading the Scriptures, especially the Prologue to the Fourth Gospel. As Bishop of Poitiers he fought against the Arians, suffered exile, wrote extensively and helped his people. He died in 367.

Here am I Lord, I come to do your will.