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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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## Saints of the Week

### Weekday Mass

November 19<sup>th</sup> - Monday – 8:00 a.m.  
No Mass

November 20<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: No Mass

November 21<sup>st</sup> – Wednesday 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: No Mass

November 22<sup>nd</sup> - Thursday – 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: No Mass

November 23<sup>rd</sup> - Friday – 8:00 a.m.  
Mass Intention: No Mass

### Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

#### November 24<sup>th</sup> - Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass

**Intention:** Isabel Hernandez+  
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Anzaldua

**EME:** Paulette Brandl  
**Lector:** Janie Robles  
**Altar Servers:** Gabriella and Madeline Canales  
**Ushers:** Hector Cardona, Isaac Martin,  
Alex Chamberlain, Patrick Canales

#### November 25<sup>th</sup> - Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

**Intention:** Pro Populo

**EME:** Veronica Ledezma  
**Lector:** Bacilio Gonzalez  
**Altar Servers:** Lili Gonzalez, Enriqueta Gonzalez  
**Ushers:** Emilio Ledezma, Magdaleno Garcia,  
Manuel Estrada, Adelaido Posada

#### November 25<sup>th</sup> – Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

**Intention:** Cindy Cantu+  
Richard & Frances Mendez

**EME:** Ismael Perez  
**Lector:** Isabel Rodriguez  
**Altar Servers:** Marissa Soto, Elias Pena, Mia Martinez  
**Ushers:** Manuel Gonzales, John Sanchez,  
David & Kathy Escalante

### Parish News

**Reminder: There will be no CCD classes this Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> due to the Thanksgiving Holidays. Classes will resume the following Wednesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>.**

This year we will once again encourage all parishioners to participate in **The Giving Tree** project. The tree will be located at the front of the altar by the St. Joseph statue this weekend, **November 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>**. Your participation will help bring Christmas spirit and joy to a family in need. Please **return the wrapped gifts (with tags securely attached)** no later than **Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>** to our parish office. **Thank you** in advance **for your generosity.**



November 22<sup>nd</sup>,  
St. Cecilia,  
Virgin and Martyr

Devotion to St. Cecilia (to whom a basilica in Rome was built in the 5<sup>th</sup> Century) grew because of a dramatic and popular narrative of her tortures and death. There seems to be some foundation for the narrative, though the details cannot be shown as factual. The story says that “Cecilia sang in her heart while the musical instruments sounded for her wedding.” Because of this, Cecilia is Patroness of Music.



November 23<sup>rd</sup>,  
St. Clement I,  
Pope and Martyr

After the obscure pontificates of Linus and Cletus, Clement was the first noted successor of Peter as Bishop of Rome. St. Irenaeus states that Clement knew the Apostles and was strongly influenced by them. Clement wrote a Scripturally based letter to the Corinthians (dated around 95), encouraging them to unity, charity and holiness. He is believed to have suffered martyrdom around 100. The ancient, lovely basilica of St. Clement in Rome is probably built on the site of Clement's home.

### Offertory November 11<sup>th</sup>

\$1291.00 – Parish Support  
\$40.00 – Candle Money  
\$95.00 – All Saint's Day  
\$635.27 – Building Fund

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

*November 25<sup>th</sup> - As a “civilized” culture, we respect animals, plants and even the planet, but we consider the pre-born disposable! That proves we are not as civilized as we think.*



Thursday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2012  
Happy Thanksgiving to all!!

*The Lord is King, he is robed in majesty.*