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St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Saints of the Week

Weekday Mass

February 25th - Monday – 8:00 a.m.
No Mass

February 26th - Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

February 27th – Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Isidoro & Isabel Perez
Ismael & Gracie Perez

February 28th - Thursday - 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Poor Souls in Purgatory

March 1st - Friday – 6:00 p.m.
Mass followed by Stations of the Cross

Offertory February 17th

\$1752.00 – Parish Support

\$1491.90– Building Fund

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

March 2nd – Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Jeanne Lange
Lector: Lisa Canales
Altar Servers: Gabriella and Madeline Canales
Ushers: Raymond Brandl, Tommy West,
Robert Cisneros, Marshall Lange

March 3rd – Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Patty Soto
Lector: Bacilio Gonzalez
Altar Servers: Lili Gonzalez, Enriqueta Gonzalez
Ushers: Adelaido Posada, Ted Cabral,
Hermilo DeLuna, Emilio Ledezma

March 3rd – Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Isidoro Perez, Jr.+
Mr. & Mrs. Ismael L. Perez

EME: Janie Robles
Lector: Ismael Perez
Altar Servers: Jason Valenzuela, Anjelica Valenzuela,
Mia Martinez
Ushers: Hector Longoria, Constantino Martin,
Manuel Gonzales, John Sanchez

Parish News

TODAY!! Reminder to all CCD students: Youth Spectacular at Holy Family church in Victoria, Tx. beginning at 11:00 a.m. and concluding with a mass at 5:00 p.m.

Friday, March 1st – 6:00 p.m. Mass followed by Stations of the Cross.

We will be needing **Auction Items** for our **Spring Festival** which is scheduled for **April 28th, 2013**. If you have any items you would like to donate toward our Auction, please come by the rectory and drop them off with Father Sam.

Ministries – A special “Thank You” to all parishioners who signed up to take part in our **Liturgical celebrations by participating as a Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, Usher or Lector**. Please **join Father Sam** at a special **meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 26th** in the **Heritage Building at 7:00 p.m.** Please do your best to attend.

Community Events:

The Diocese of Victoria will be participating in the *Catholic Faith in Action Advocacy Day*, on April 9, at the Texas Capitol in Austin. Participants from the Diocese of Victoria will join with thousands of Catholics, from the 15 dioceses in Texas, in attending a rally promoting Catholic teachings and seeking to influence our legislators, and other state leaders, to better understand what we believe as Catholics. If you are interested in participating, call Father Gary Janak at 573-0828.

****Our church, St. Patrick's, is in need of three volunteers to represent our parish in this event. If you are interested, please contact Father Sam at 897-1155.****



March 4th,
St. Casimir

Casimir, whose father was King of Poland and Grand Duke of Lithuania, was born in 1458. On this date he died in Lithuania, a 26-year-old victim of consumption. Casimir left behind the memory of an intelligent, generous young prince. Always joyful, he showed deep concern over national affairs. But above all he was devoted to prayer, to the Blessed Sacrament and the poor. He revered the Blessed Mother and cultivated purity. Casimir is an ideal patron for the courageous Catholics of Lithuania.



March 7th,
Sts. Perpetua and Felicity,
Martyrs

The martyrdom of these women was a dramatic episode in early Church history. Perpetua was a recently baptized, 22-year-old noble woman with a small child. Felicity, a slave, was expecting a child. With shining courage, hand in hand, they faced death from wild beasts and the sword. This happened at Carthage in North Africa, on this date in 203.

Pro-Life Corner:

March 3rd- How different our world would be if Joanne Simpson had chosen to abort her unintended pregnancy. Instead, she gave birth to a boy who was adopted by a loving couple. That boy was Steve Jobs, founder of Apple, Inc. and the creative genius behind the iPhone, iPod, and iPad and creator of tens of thousands of jobs.

*The Lord is my light and
my salvation.*