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# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Catechism of the Catholic Church

The Fall

### In Brief:

413. "God did not make death, and he does not delight in the death of the living....It was through the devil's envy that death entered the world" (Wis 1:13:2:24).

414. Satan or the devil and the other demons are fallen angels who have freely refused to serve God and his plan. Their choice against God is definitive. They try to associate man in their revolt against God.

415. "Although set by God in a state of rectitude, man, enticed by the evil one, abused his freedom at the very start of history. He lifted himself up against God and sought to attain his goal apart from him" (GS 13 SC 1).

## Weekday Mass

**March 14<sup>th</sup> - Monday - 8:00 a.m.**  
No Mass

**March 15<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday- 8:00 a.m.**  
Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+  
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

**March 16<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday- 8:00 a.m.**  
Mass Intention: Michael J. Valenzuela+  
Ismael & Gracie Perez

**March 17<sup>th</sup> - Thursday - 8:00 a.m.**  
Mass Intention: Daniel Alvarado+  
Crystal Alvarado

**March 18<sup>th</sup> - Friday - 6:00 p.m.**  
Stations of the Cross followed by Mass  
Mass Intention: Poor Souls in Purgatory

### Offertory March 6<sup>th</sup>

\$936.00 - Parish Support  
\$134.37 - Candle Money  
\$2533.10 - Building Fund

### Pro-Life Corner:

**March 13** - "Fetal tissue' implants are not that much different from Nazi lamp shades made of Jewish skin. Both intend to put by-products of murder to 'good use.'" Now Planned Parenthood has joined the ranks of unbelievable evil by selling the body parts of the babies they murdered by abortion.

## Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

**March 19<sup>th</sup> - Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass**  
Intention: Jack Foetyn+  
John Macha Family

**EME:** Jeanette West  
**Lector:** Thomas Pribyl  
**Altar Servers:** Gabriella and Madeline Canales  
**Ushers:** Joe Canales, Sr., Tommy West,  
Marshall Lange, Bacilio Cantu

**March 20<sup>th</sup> - Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass**  
Intention: Constantino Balcazar+  
Bacilio Gonzales & Fam.

**EME:** Patty Soto  
**Lector:** Bacilio Gonzales  
**Altar Servers:** Lily Gonzales and Enriqueta Gonzales  
**Ushers:** Adelaido Posada, Danny Serrano,  
Gilberto Bucio, Lupe Rivera

**March 20<sup>th</sup> - Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass**  
Intention: Daniel Alvarado+  
Crystal Alvarado

**EME:** Margaret Escalante  
**Lector:** Jason Valenzuela, Jr.  
**Altar Servers:** Mia Martinez, Haley Rodriguez  
**Ushers:** Albert Rodriguez, Jose Troncoso,  
Hector Longoria, Constantino Martin

## Parish News

**Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup> - 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross** followed by a mass.

\*\* Our Spring Festival is scheduled for **Sunday, April 24, 2016. Raffle tickets are available and are located at the front of the church.** Please note that our prices have changed (1 for \$2.00 or 3 for \$5.00). Thank you in advance for your help and generosity.

Our Religious Education classes, Grades K-12, will have an opportunity to help the parish on her Spring Festival Dinner on Sunday, April 24, 2016, by participating in a "Raffle Ticket Sale Contest." The prize will be according to most tickets sold.  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$100; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$75; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place \$50.

Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup> - Parish Council meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Heritage Room. All members are asked to attend.

Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> - The Knights of Columbus will have their monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room.

Rosary Rally for Marriage will be held on March 19, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. in front of St. Patrick's church. Everyone is invited to attend.

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**Religious Education News:**  
No CCD classes on Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016, due to Spring Break.



*The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.*