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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 14th - Monday - 8:00 a.m.
No Mass

March 15th - Tuesday - 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

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

March 17th - Thursday - 8:00 a.m.
Mass Intention: Daniel Alvarado+
Crystal Alvarado

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

Offertory March 6th

\$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 19th - 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 20th - 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 20th - 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 18th - 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.
1st Place - \$100; 2nd Place - \$75; 3rd Place \$50.

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

Thursday, March 17th - 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.

Echoes of Faith 3.0

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Call Sherry at 361-573-0828 ext. 2223 or go online at www.victoriadiocese.org

Religious Education News:
No CCD classes on Wednesday, March 16th, 2016, due to Spring Break.



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