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St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Catechism of the Catholic Church
"The Human Virtues"

In Brief:

1843. By hope we desire, and with steadfast trust await from God, eternal life and the graces to merit it.

1844. By charity, we love God above all things and our neighbor as ourselves for love of God. Charity, the form of all the virtues, "binds everything together in perfect harmony" (Col 3:14).

1845. The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit bestowed upon Christians are wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord.

Weekday Mass

January 22nd - Monday – No Mass

January 23rd - Tuesday 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intention: Beatrice Cantu+
Bacilio Cantu & Barbara Cantu

January 24th – Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intention: Michael J. Valenzuela+
Ismael & Gracie Perez

January 25th - Thursday – 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intention: Pro Populo

January 26th – Friday – 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intention: All Souls in Purgatory

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

January 27th – Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass

Intention: Augustina Gutierrez+
Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Escalante

EME: Jeanne Lange

Lector: Carol Sutton

Altar Servers: Ella Lange, Scarlett Lange
Adrian Lara

Ushers: Patrick Canales, Joe Canales, Sr.,
Raymond Brandl, Tommy West

January 28th – Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Fred Soto

Lector: Bacilio Gonzalez

Altar Servers: Dulce Castro, Lili Gonzalez,
Enriqueta Gonzalez

Ushers: Adelaido Posada, Danny Serrano,
Gilberto Bucio, Lupe Rivera

January 28th – Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Mervin Hercik+

EME: Margaret Escalante

Lector: Gracie Perez

Altar Servers: Darren Garza, Hayley Rodriguez

Ushers: John Sanchez, Joe Canales, Jr.,
David & Kathy Escalante

Parish News

All confirmation students in grades 9, 10, and 11, are required to attend a retreat on **Sunday, February 4, 2018**, sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria & facilitated by the Office of Youth Ministry. The retreat will take place at Our Lady of Victoria Gym and will be lead by Net Ministries "With Great Power". The retreat ends at 4:00 p.m. The group rate is \$15 per person. Your son/daughter is responsible for transportation. Permission forms will be distributed on Wednesday, January 24. Permission forms and the \$15 fee can be brought the following Wednesday, January 31 to Mrs. Ramona Torres. If paid by check make it payable to: St. Patrick's.

Food Bank of the Golden Crescent:

Food Bank of the Golden Crescent will be renewing and accepting applications for the Mobile Food Pantry Program for Bloomington, Placedo and DaCosta Residents at St. Patrick's Catholic Church Fellowship Hall, 13316 State Hwy 185, Bloomington, TX.

*** ONE APPLICATION PER HOUSEHOLD**
You will need a valid driver's license or document with your physical address (house number/ name of street)

Schedule for filling out applications is as follows:

- * Wednesday, January 24, 2018
Time: 9:00am-3:30pm
- * Thursday, January 25, 2018
Time: 9:00am-3:30pm

Religious Education News:

Wednesday, Jan. 24:
Grades 6, 7, 8 meet from 6 – 7 p.m.
Grades 9, 10, 11 meet from 7:15 – 8:15 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 25:
Grades 4 & 5 meet from 6 – 7 p.m.

Sunday, Jan 28:
Grades 1st, 2nd and 3rd meet from 9 – 10 a.m.



Offertory January 14th

\$1013.00 – Parish Support

\$71.90 – Candle Money

\$1319.03 – Building Fund

Pro-Life – Corner

January 21- In the 45 years since abortion was decriminalized, there have been no winners in the war against the culture of life-only dead babies and victimized women.

Teach me your ways O Lord; teach me your ways.