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St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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From Fr. Raphael A. Tawiah

A boy asked his father, "Dad, how big is God?" The father was puzzled, and looked at his son in dismay, unable to give any meaningful answer. The following day an airplane was passing over their heads, high up in the skies. He asked his son, "How big is that airplane?" The boy replied, "The size of a bird, Dad". The next day, the father suggested they take a ride to the airport. A couple of miles away, with some taxied airplanes in view, he asked his son, "How big is an airplane?" He responded happily, "The size of a truck!" As they got to the airport with all the airplanes in full view, he asked him again, "How big is an airplane?" The look on the boy's face said it all, "WOW!!!"
Having the opportunity to come and live among you, worship with you and serve you as a Parish community, I have come to know your strong faith, deep love, and your dedication as a family. You have shown me such great love in many different ways; from waving to me while riding on my bike, to driving me to Victoria to eat or shop. And, WOW! This is indeed a Faith and Family Community. I thank you all for your kindness in every respect. You will always be in my prayers, and I ask you to pray for me also. Together, let us get closer to God in order to see how BIG God is, because the size of God depends on how closer or farther you are from Him.
God bless you all.

Weekday Mass

September 2nd - Monday - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

September 3rd - Tuesday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

September 4th - Wednesday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

September 5th - Thursday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

September 6th - Friday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

Offertory August 25th

\$1342.00 – Parish Support
\$68.00 – Candle Money
\$932.00 – Building Fund

Pro-Life – Corner

September 1st -. The difference between the way of life and the way of death is great. Therefore, "do not murder a child by abortion or kill a newborn infant." –The Didache, apostolic moral teachings compiled at the end of the first century A.D.

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

September 7th – Saturday - 6:00 p.m. Mass

Intention: Vicente Garcia +
Alice Garcia

EME: Paulette Brandl

Lector: Carol Sutton

Altar Servers: Allana Lange, Scarlett Lange
Gabrielle Lange

Ushers: Raymond Brandl, Paulette Brandl
Tommy West, Marshall Lange

September 8th – Sunday - 8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Paulina Moreno
Carreon Family

EME: Fred Soto

Lector: Rosalinda Reyes

Altar Servers: Lili Gonzalez

Ushers: Bacilio Gonzalez, Adelaido Posada
Danny Serrano, Lupe Rivera

September 8th – Sunday - 10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Pro Populo

EME: Janie Robles

Lector: Jason Valenzuela

Altar Servers: Jean Perez, Layla Wallace
Kenny Lee Flood

Ushers: Joe Canales Jr., Albert Rodriguez
Lupe Rivera Jr, Lorenzo Rivera Jr.

Parish News



“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart as working for the Lord, not for men.”
Colossians 3:23

Upcoming Events

Second Collection – Black and Indian Missions,
Catholic Communications Campaign (CCC) and
The Catholic University of America on September 7th
& 8th, 2019.

Tuesday, September 10th, 2019 - *Parish Council* will have their monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Thursday, September 19th, 2019 - *The Knights of Columbus* will have their monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room.



Our Annual Fall Festival is on September 29th, 2019.

Tickets are now available at the church entrance. Please buy/sell as many as you can.

Raffle Money, Prize Money & Gift Card – Please place the raffle money with the sold tickets in an envelope and put it in the collection basket. You can do the same with the prize money and Gift Card making sure you put your name on the envelope with the amount and prize number. If you prefer you may give the envelope to Gracie Perez or turn it in during office hours.

Today Meat Donations – Money donations will be collected before and after each mass beginning today August 31st through September 22nd.

We are in need of auction items, stuff animals for the toy walk, and items for the country store. Please bring them to the office, make sure to label (Auction, Country store or Kid's corner).



Classes will start on:
Wednesday, September 4th, 2019
Grades K-6 from 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Grades 7-12 from 7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Opening Mass for all classes will be on
Wednesday, September 11th, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.
11 Grade in charge.

**God, in your goodness,
you have made a home
for the poor.**