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St. Patríck's Catholic Church

Father Samuel Appiasi Deacon Fred Soto

Weekday Mass

July 22nd - Monday - 8:00 a.m Mass Intention: Father Samuel Appiasi

July 23rd - Tuesday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

July 24th – Wednesday 8:00 a.m. No Mass

July 25th - Thursday - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

July 26th - Friday - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

Offertory July 14th

\$1028.00 - Parish Support \$61.25 - Candle Money \$565.66 - Building Fund

Pro-Life Corner:

July 28th - Are you aware that the father of an unborn baby has no rights; the father of an unborn child cannot protect his baby from abortion? There have been cases when a father has been threatened with arrest for trying to save his child from abortion: if a mother decides to have an abortion, he is not allowed to be a part of this decision.

Weekend Mass Schedule/Intentions

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

July 27th - Saturday- 6:00 pm. Mass

Catholic Financial Life Intention:

EME: Jeanette West Lisa Canales Lector:

Gabriella and Madeline Canales Altar Servers: Tommy West, Robert Cisneros, Ushers:

Marshall Lange, Randy Reyes

July 28th - Sunday-8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: **Pro Populo**

EME: Patty Soto Lector: Veronica Ledezma

Altar Servers: Lili Gonsalez, Enriqueta Gonsalez

Ushers: Hermilo DeLuna, Magdaleno Garcia, Manuel Estrada, Bacilio Gonsalez

July 28th - Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Father Henry Rachunek+

EME: Ismael Perez Lector: Melinda Valenzuela Altar Servers: Marissa Soto, Elias Pena,

Madison Staten

Ushers: Ricky McKenzie, Joshua Reed,

Chris Salge, Bill Salge

Parish News

Please keep Father Sam in prayer as he travels to Ghana to visit his family. May the Lord protect him and guide him throughout his trip.

If any emergencies should arise in his absence, please contact Deacon Fred Soto at 361-897-1955.

Knights of Columbus - The Knights of Columbus will be selling BBQ Chicken on Sunday, Aug. 4th, 2013. If you are interested in purchasing a plate, you may buy Pre-Sale tickets from any Knights of Columbus member. Tickets will be \$7. (Plates consist of ½ chicken and trimmings or you may purchase a whole chicken) *Plates may also be purchased on the day

Community Events:

of the BBQ.

St. John Bosco Parish Annual Picnic -(Vanderbilt)

When: Sunday, Sept. 1, 2013 Auction begins at 1:00 p.m.

Dance from 6-10p.m. - \$5 per person

Meal - Roast Beef Plate with buttered potatoes, green bean casserole, glazed carots, roll, tea and dessert catered by Werner's of Shiner for \$8 per plate.

Claire Gillis will be visiting our parish with Raffle Tickets to sell after mass on Sunday, July 28th, 2013.

Saints of the Week



July 23rd, St. Bridget, Religious

Bridget Persson Gudmarsson

belonged by birth (1303) and marriage (1316) to high Swedish society. A devout wife and mother of eight children, she with her husband Ulf led a life concerned for their family, their Church and their community. After his death in 1344, Bridget began to receive her noted revelations about the Passion of Jesus Christ and current conditions in the Church and in Europe. In 1350 Bridget came to Rome for the Holy Year, lived there in poverty and prayer, and died in 1373. Her plan for the Order of the Holy Savior was carried out by Bridget's second oldest daughter, St. Catherine of Sweden. The order is still known as the Bridgettines.



July 25th, St. James. Apostle

Son of Zebedee and brother of John

the Evangelist-Apostle, today's saint was born in Bethsaida in Galilee. He was present at the special miracles worked by the Lord. The first apostle to die, James was martyred by Herod Agrippa I in 43 or 44 (Acts 12:2). Known as James the Greater because of his status, he has been specially honored since the ninth century at Campostella in Spain.

> Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me.