

# Pastor's updates

October 7, 2022



## Things you may want to know this week

1. Today we celebrate the **Memorial of our Lady of the Rosary**. We have a special recitation of the Rosary tonight at 7 p.m. We are honored to have Brent Villalobos, author of two books about the Rosary, give a special presentation. You can pray with us, and still have time to catch the Car Show after. Tomorrow, we also have our Rosary Rally in front of the church at 11 a.m. Unleash the power of the most Holy Rosary!
2. Praying the Rosary is part of the **40 Days for Life campaign** that started last week - September 28 until November 6. They are in need of prayer warriors. Spare an hour during these 40 days. Sign up at: [40daysforlife.com/redwoodcity](https://40daysforlife.com/redwoodcity)
3. Nine parishioners from St. Robert's parish headed by Mario Benavente served at **St. Anthony's Dining Room** last Saturday. The group made up the majority of the volunteers. **They were Mario Belavente, Rose Benavente, Christine Benavente, Ethel Gumban, Manny Gumban, Maria Cusing, Maria Piano, Evelyn Ang and Rick Enuner.** They served about 990 meals that day.
4. The Archdiocese is hosting a **Stewardship meeting** at Hennessy Hall tomorrow at 10 a.m. Participants are expected from All Souls Church, Saint Andrew, Saint Paul of the Shipwreck, and of course, our own parish. Again, just to be clear, Stewardship is not about fundraising or about money. It is about becoming a faithful disciple and a true follower of Christ.
5. There were about 700 participants and over 200 exhibitors who attended the **60<sup>th</sup> Annual International Catholic Stewardship Congress** that I attended last week. There were no less than 10 bishops who participated in the event including our very own Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone. The delegates from our Archdiocese were from the parishes of St. Robert, Holy Name, San Bruno, St. Dunstan, St. Andrew, St. Paul of the Shipwreck, St. Timothy, St. Hilar. Some personnel of our Archdiocesan Chancery Office were there as well. *"Good and faithful steward, come and share your master's joy."*

**FAZnotes**  
( Father Arnold Zamora )  
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**Dear St. Robert's parishioners and friends,**

When life is good:  
Be thankful, faithful,  
celebrate and pray.

When life is bitter:  
Be Hopeful, patient,  
learn and pray.

When trouble comes:  
Be calm, have faith,  
and pray.

When we are happy:  
Be grateful, praise,  
glorify God and pray.

Everything happens  
for a good reason.  
Pray, believe  
and be blessed.

Pray the Rosary!

Mama Mary prays for you!

***Fr. Arnold***