

Saint Robert's Church

Sept. 22, 2013



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MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday)
Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 5:00 pm
Holy Days: Please consult weekly bulletin.

Weekdays: Masses are on Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 6:30 a.m. and Monday through Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

There is a period of preparation for the celebration of this Sacrament. Parents are required to attend a Pre-Baptismal class. Please contact the rectory in advance.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:15 pm or call 589-2800 to make an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

There is a six month period of preparation for the celebration of this Sacrament. Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the rectory in case of serious illness and before surgery and hospital care.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

High school students call the Religious Education Office.

Adult confirmation is available on an individual basis. Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

Dear Parishioners,

Luke's gospel does not let the self-serving manager go without criticizing him. Luke follows the parable with a series of sayings that pass judgment on dishonest people. The saying insists, 'whoever is dishonest with a little, can't be trusted with a lot.' No one can serve two masters. This parable focuses on ethics for the small middle class of Jesus' time, those who deal with other people's money and execute other people's business. Strangely, Jesus seems to make the gospel *ponzi schemer* into an inventive hero rather than a villain. In our time we might give the dishonest manager the name *Madoff* or other names of those who have scammed folks with investments. We miss the point of Jesus' parable if we try to spiritualize the manager's actions. Jesus is talking about his real world and ours. "The joys and hopes, the grief and anguishes of the people of our time, especially those who are poor or afflicted in any way, are the joys and hopes, the grief and anguishes of the followers of Christ." This opening sentence of "The Church in the Modern World" calls Catholics to solidarity with all who lack the basics of life - food - water - shelter - education - work and healthcare. The poor are the ones with whom those with ill-gotten gains must make friends. The poor are the ones who will decide to take the rich in. Jesus is not asking us to do anything dishonest, of course. But he is asking us to be careful as we live in this darkened world. The safest investment according to the parable is to throw in our lot with the poor, to serve God rather than pursue wealth. When money becomes scarce, those who already know how to live on less will welcome us into their homes. So may we work that all may share in security, goodwill and dignity, where as the rich prosper and take these blessings for granted.

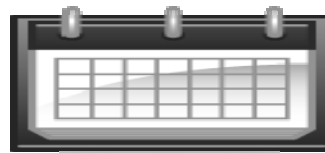
God bless
Deacon John

**RCIA Classes are starting Thursday, September 26th.
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

I would like to extend an invitation to our adult parishioners, 18 years or older, who have not yet received all their sacraments to join our RCIA program. If you or someone you know desires to join the Catholic Church, or receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation, please invite them to meet with me prior to our first session. Classes are beginning on Thursday evening, September 26th, at 7pm in the dining room of the Rectory at 1380 Crystal Springs Road. We hope to celebrate the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil next April. If you any questions please call me at 650-589-2800 to schedule an appointment. I look forward to meeting with you.

Deacon Rusty Duffey

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-September 23rd

Mass Intention 6:30 Robert Haskins
8:30 Walter Santilli †

Tuesday-September 24th

Mass Intention 6:30 Cathy Mainini †
8:30 Steven Tonegato †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Mary's Chapel
Rel Classes (Gr 1-5) 3:00pm Hall & Church
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library
Rel Ed (Gr 6-8) 7:00pm Hall

Wednesday-September 25th

Mass Intention 8:30 Steven Morena †
Youth Group 6:00pm Hall
Choir Practice 7:00pm Chuch

Thursday-September 26th

Mass Intention 8:30 Patt Hatcher †
Grownup's
Mission Trip Overnight Offsite

Friday-September 27th

Mass Intention 6:30 Robert Haskins
8:30 Dolores Giovannoni †

Saturday-September 28th

Mass Intention 8:30 Sharon Konopik †
4:30 Jim Kelly †
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room
Grief Consolation 3:00pm Convent
Fil/Am Set up 5:00pm Hall

Sunday-September 29th

Mass Intention 7:30 Fr. Seamus D. Genovese
9:30 People of St. Robert's
11:30 Guillermo Enriquez †
5:00 Ruth Sleeper †
San Lorenzo Ruiz 11:30am Hall

Fr. Greene's Vacation

Fr. Greene will be on vacation from September 30th to October 17th. There will no 6:30 a.m. Mass during this time.



As A Parish Community, we pray for an opening of every heart to the needs of the poor, the hungry, the homeless and the down-trodden.

**WE CONGRATULATE
THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**

*Lauren Marie Hoogasian
Carter Gregory Mack*



Our sincere sympathy to the family of

**Helene DeMartini
who died recently**



We continue to ask each week that parishioners pray for the chronically ill of our parish. If you have a friend or loved one in need of our parish prayers, please call the Rectory at 589-2800

***This week we pray for
Natividad Utanes
Heather Flores***

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to Sept 15th (goal)	115,700.00
July 1st to Sept 15th (actual), (including E Contributions)	103,668.00
7/1/13—6/30/14 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 9/15)	7,811.62
E Cont for month of August	6,270.50
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of
\$3,990.72
to the Priests' Retirement Fund.

2013 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

**As of 8/30/13 \$65,329.51
has been pledged.**

Our Archdiocese tax this year is \$87,300

***Thank you in advance
for your generous donation***

GIVE ELECTRONICALLY

St. Robert's relies on the financial support of its parishioners and the electronic giving program offers convenience for you and provides much-needed donation consistency for our Parish. To give electronically, visit www.saintroberts.org and click on the link to sign up.



In Memory of
Ralph Arbeloa

Thanks

Thanks to everyone who worked so hard on the Festival. It was a great success because of you! This annual event supports both our Parish and School. Congratulations.

With Appreciation

*Our thanks to **Mary Ann Saisi**, who has led our Children's Liturgy at 9:30 for over twenty years. She has done a great job and we are truly grateful for her leadership.*

*Mary Ann is retiring and we welcome a new leader to our Children's church, **Gus Sinks**. May God bless him in his new leadership role.*

Maintenance Committee Meeting

Our Parish Maintenance Committee will meet on Wednesday, October 23rd at 7 p.m. in the Rectory. All members are asked to attend this important meeting.

Confirmation Date

Bishop William Justice will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, October 19th at 10:30 a.m.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Gary Van Vrancken
Ana Gomez & Family
Ethan & Deborah McGraw & Family
Eric & Margaret Sayle
Matthew & Selina Flores & Family
Mark & Yvette Walker & Family
Patisepa Pohiva Lataimua
Tuakalau & Falevalu Tuipulotu & Family
Carlos & Angelique Presidente & Family
James & Casey Darcy & Family
Anthony Barsse
Linda Bojarski
Vlad & Ruth Gripo & Family
Wesley & Kathryn Sharp & Family
Anthony Barsse

Please remember Saint Robert's Church when making a will or trust.

MINISTER SCHEDULE/SEP 28TH & 29TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: C. Holland (C)
M. Murphy, A. Ciraulo, D. Interdonato, N. Jussaume
Lectors: V. Vaca and B. Rudometkin
Altar Servers: M. Rodriguez and A. Herrera

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: R. Vassallo (C)
K. Healy, S. Quinn, A. Buelow, E. Ruggiero
Lectors: L. Clifford and T. Clifford
Altar Servers: J. Thomson and L. Kinchen

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: T. Casey (C)
Z. Tamayo, M. Bourne, A. Brugnara, T. Jones
Lectors: J. Co and S. Kho
Altar Servers: A. Paras, M. Redmond and S. Redmond
Children's Liturgy: MaryAnn and Gus

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Maxwell
Eucharistic Ministers: V. Valle (C)
H. Mantler, C. Mariategue, A. Mariategue, A. Maron
Lectors: H. Beck and F. Valle
Altar Servers: M. King and M. Pechina

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Dowden (C)
A. Lopez, D. Torres, J. Cutler, T. Estelita
Lectors: B. Lopez and B. Torres
Altar Servers: N. Estelita and V. Lopez

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-September 23rd

Readings: Ezr 1:1-6 Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday-September 24th

Readings: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20 Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday-September 25th

Readings: Ezr 9:5-9 Lk 9:1-6

Thursday-September 26th

Readings: Hg 1:1-8 Lk 9:7-9

Friday-September 27th

Readings: Hg 2:1-9 Lk 9:18-22

Saturday-September 28th

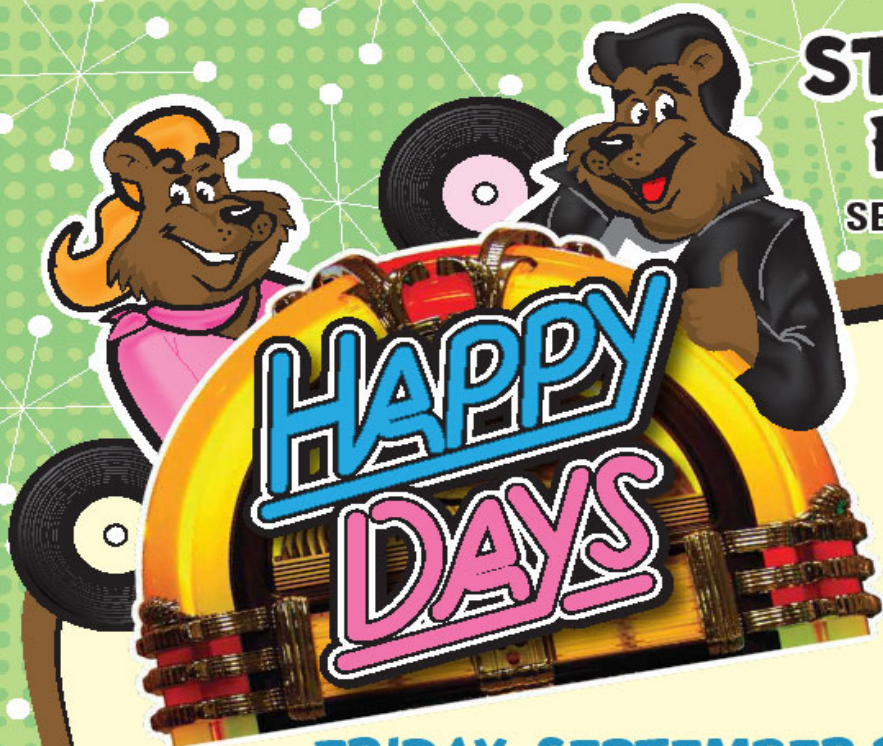
Readings: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday-September 29th

Readings: Am 6:1a, 4-7 1 Tm 6:11-16 Lk 16:19-31

ST. ROBERTS FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 20 - 22, 2013



**FOOD! RIDES!
GAMES!
GOOD TIMES!**

**COME OUT AND
JOIN US!**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2013

FESTIVAL HOURS 6:00PM - 11:00PM

MAIN STAGE

6:00 - 7:00pm Children's Performance
8:00 - 10:00pm Just for Kicks

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2013

FESTIVAL HOURS 1:00PM - 11:00PM

MAIN STAGE

1:15 - 1:45pm Duo Dance Academy
2:00 - 4:00pm American Line Dancing
4:00 - 4:30pm Irish Dancing
5:00 - 5:30pm Cheerleading
6:00 - 6:30pm Westlake Dance
8:00 - 10:00pm West Bay Rhythm

HENNESEY HALL

5:00pm Family Pasta Feed

BAR AREA

Night at the Races

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2013

FESTIVAL HOURS 1:00PM - 6:00PM

MAIN STAGE

1:00 - 5:00 pm Mike & George Show
5:00 - 6:00pm Mike & George Show and Raffles



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BINGO



Join Nanna Jo and Grandma Carmon!
Sunday afternoon, September 22, 2013

Hennessey Hall

Doors open at 12:00 PM

Bingo starts at 1:00 PM

50/50 Split

Children Welcome!



**Free drawing
every 15 hours!**



ST. ROBERTS FESTIVAL - 2013

Get in the
game!



Bring this coupon for one free
game of bingo with buy-in in
the second half of bingo!

