

Saint Robert's Church

May 3, 2015



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588-0477
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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 Masses: 8:30 am and 6:00 pm

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,

Even if you've never looked up one of the gospels you hear at Sunday Mass, you've got to look up this one and read it over and over again! John's community wrote this about 70 AD, a good 30 years after Jesus' death and resurrection, and after years of reflecting on and living his message.

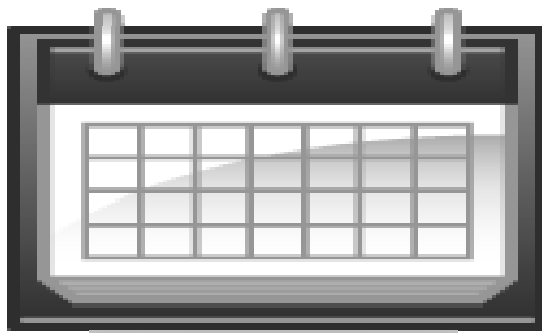
"You are already pruned because of the word that I spoke to you. Remain in me, as I remain in you. Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own unless it remains on the vine, so neither can you unless you remain in me. I am the vine, you are the branches...By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples." (John 15. 3-5, 8)

Isn't this passage powerful? The authors of this gospel have placed it in Jesus' farewell discourse at the Last Supper. Just as any of us would do when we felt our death was imminent, Jesus shares with them what is closest to his heart. We hear the influence of his word, "pruning" anything unnecessary or in the way of their following him wholeheartedly. He speaks of "remaining" with him; another translation says, "Make your home in me." In other words, we will become one with him. To think that Jesus promises that intimacy with each of us! And that isn't all; we are called "to bear fruit" – to become nourishment for others because of our relationship with him. The vine and the branches share the same life-giving sap, the Spirit who guided and strengthened Jesus continues to encourage and guide us as we try to live out this amazing mystery.

And if we feel we are unworthy of such a close relationship with him, all we need to remember is that all the men except John deserted him when he was taken away and Peter denied him. And his response to them after the resurrection? He forgave them and trusted them with his mission and his Spirit. Surely, if he entrusted his mission to them, we can't excuse ourselves from such a relationship with him because we don't feel worthy! So let's pray that we be open to his invitation and let his Spirit do work wonders in us and through us.

Peace! S. Sheral

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-May 4th

Mass Intention 8:30 Deacon Perry †
Men's Club Mtg 6:00pm Hall

Tuesday-May 5th

Mass Intention 8:30 Joaquin Antonio
Hernandez †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Mary's Chapel
Rel Ed (Gr. 1-5) 3:30pm School & Church
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library
Rel Ed/Jr. High 7:00pm Hall & Church

Wednesday-May 6th

Mass Intention 8:30 Rita Fambrini †
Grief Support Mtg 9:00am Church
Children's Choir 3:00pm Church
Youth Group 6:00pm Hall
Choir Practice 7:00pm Church

Thursday-May 7th

Mass Intention 8:30 Ralph Turner †

Friday-May 8th

Mass Intention 8:30 Jack Renault †
InBetweeners 6:30pm Hall

Saturday-May 9th

Mass Intention 8:30 Rosa & Natalio
Cademartori †
4:30 All Mothers
First Eucharist 10:00am Church
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room
Grief Consolation 3:00pm Convent



As A Parish Community, let us pray for the children of our parish who are receiving their First Eucharist. We pray for their parents and for their teachers.

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

Fr. Larry Gould

Maria Padilla

Maria Perez



**Our sincere sympathy to the family of
Carole Mazzotti
who died recently**



STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to April 26th (goal)	407,400.00
July 1st to April 26th (actual) (including E Contributions)	403,614.86
7/1/14—6/30/15 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 4/26)	7,714.53
E Cont for month of March	7,716.00
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of
\$2,174.65
for the Black and Indian Missions.

2015 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 4/30/15 \$50,357.97

has been pledged.

Our Archdiocese tax for 2015 is \$95,600

Thank you in advance for your generous donation

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SECOND COLLECTION

This year, May 9-10 has been selected for the Catholic Charities Second Collection. With your donation, Catholic Charities will continue to provide vital service to more than 32,000 of our most vulnerable neighbors, children, families in crisis, single parents, homeless, elderly those living with disabling HIV/AIDS, refugees and immigrants. Thank you for your continued support.

First Communion

May 2, 2015

Congratulations to all the children who made their First Communion on May 2.

Congratulations to all their families as well. We also want to thank all the teachers in our school and our religious education program who helped prepare our children to receive this special Sacrament.

Dylan Barba
Sophia Cacianti
Matthew Canedo
Matthew Chang
Bailey Collins
Dante Cress
Kyra Crowe
Emma Daly
Mark Daly
Ariana DeLaTorre
Grace Edwards
Hayden Faulhaber
Carson Fellion
Alexa Ferrari
Mia Fuell
Sophia Galea
Adriana Giomi
Alana Giomi

Eoin Halili
Robert Hulsmann
Angelina Jensen
Jordan Jose
Devany Mar
Ethan Mathews
Megan McAlorum
Declan Mendel
Jaden Navarro
Jack O'Connor
Chase Oliver
Ethan Peinado
Ava Shaughnessy
Calvin Stout
Jusiah Vinson
Ryan Wilson
Trevor Wilson
Lucas Zayac

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Michael & Carmela Baron
Michael & Amanda Chester
Jason & Anberleigh Franzella
Ivana Cademartori-Iacolino

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.

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

MINISTER SCHEDULE/MAY 9TH & 10TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Katie B.
Marie N., Mary N., Pamela G., Sophia C.
Lectors: First Communion

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy H.
Ann B., Kathleen L., Lina R., Rose V.
Lectors: Myoles K. and Suzanne T-K.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary B.
Aleo B., Amparo S., Ray T., Sam M.
Lectors: Jim S. and Shela K.
Children's Liturgy: Esperanza & Nubia and Ben

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Rose B.
Anthony R., Encar S., Joyce M., Veronica V.
Lectors: Mario B. and Remie H.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Gerald H.
George L., Ken S., Lorena A., Sr. Seral
Lectors: Henry L. and Neil B.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-May 4th

Readings: Acts 14:5-18 Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday-May 5th

Readings: Acts 14:19-28 Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday-May 6th

Readings: Acts 15:1-6 Jn 15:1-8

Thursday- May 7th

Readings: Acts 15:7-21 Jn 15:9-11

Friday-May 8th

Readings: Acts 15:22-31 Jn 15:12-17

Saturday-May 9th

Readings: Acts 16:1-10 Jn 15:18-21

Sunday-May 10th

Readings: Acts 10:25-48 1 Jn 4:7-10 Jn 15:9-17