

Saint Robert's Church

September 24, 2017



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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 Day Masses: 8:30 am and 6:00 pm

Weekdays: Masses are 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 Friends,

The weather has cooled down enough for me to sit out here on Gene's deck, sipping Hawaiian Pineapple tea, studying today's readings.

Isaiah tells us in the First Reading: **"Seek the Lord while He may be found, call Him while He is near."** Today's Psalm 145 similarly says to us: **"The Lord is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him in truth."**

Our highest priority is to have an intimate relationship with our God. Because His Holy Spirit lives within us, we are able to develop this relationship. When we call upon Him, we can be open, honest and free, giving Him our heart, mind, soul and spirit, holding nothing back because we trust Him. We obey Him because we love Him. God's love for each of us is unconditional. We don't have to earn it – It just is! God wants us to know Him. He desires to express His love for us and wants us to express our love for Him. Jesus' cross is the testimony of God's eternal love. When we pray, we talk to God; then sit quietly and listen to His words. When we take the time to be with Him, He really does speak to our heart. He is patiently waiting!

When our relationship with our God is one that is intimate and personal, we have a sense of security, serenity, quietness, peace and contentment. We are sensitive to Him and to other people's needs, hurts, personhood. Jesus opens our hearts to Himself and to everyone He brings into our life. He has called us to be a light to the world – to be a source of hope and encouragement to all.

Together let us pray: **"Open our hearts, O Lord, to listen to the words of Your Son."**

Anna May

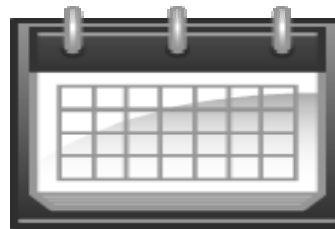
All Pets Welcome!

Where: St. Robert's Parking Lot.

When: October 7, 2017 Time: 11:00am



THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-September 25th

Mass Intention 8:30 James Halpin †

Tuesday-September 26th

Mass Intention 8:30 Deborah Caughman †

Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Rectory
Rel Ed (Gr 1-5) 3:30pm Hall & Church
Rel Ed/Jr. High 7:00pm Hall
Legion of Mary 7:00pm Library

Wednesday-September 27th

Mass Intention 8:30 Anna Delucchi †

Children's Choir 3:00pm Church
Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Church

Thursday-September 28th

Mass Intention 8:30 Juanita Infusino †

Friday-September 29th

Mass Intention 8:30 Fernanda Pignati †

Saturday-September 30th

Mass Intention 8:30 Annunciata Cleary †

4:30 Rose Larsen †

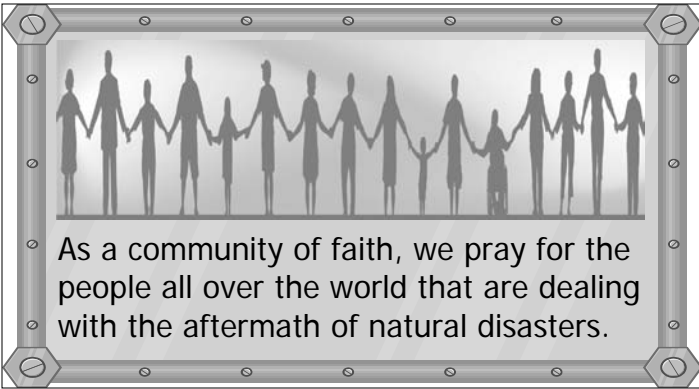
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room

Saturday-October 1st

Confirmation

Retreat 3:00pm Offsite

A Cake Booth THANK YOU! I would like to give my sincere thanks to everyone who baked for the Cake Booth this year. It is apparent that each and every baked good was made with love and creativity. I am so grateful to you all. Thank you for your spirit of giving. It is this generosity that makes me so proud to be a part of our Saint Robert community. Thank you again! Sincerely, Dina Thompson



As a community of faith, we pray for the people all over the world that are dealing with the aftermath of natural disasters.

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 prayers, please call the Rectory at 589-2800



This week we pray for

- Jim Crilly
- Edward DeLaTorre
- Carolina Lesca
- Chris Sigillo
- Alejandra Maldonado
- Sister Ita Cleary
- Alexander Sepulveda

Our sincere sympathy to the families of



- Patricia Arata
 - Verna Teresa Freed
 - Carlos Romero
- who died recently**

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to Sept. 17th (goal)	120,000.00
July 1st to Sept. 17th (actual) (including E Contributions)	110,904.68
7/1/17—6/30/18 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 9/17)	6,082.68
(E Cont for month of August)	7,179.50
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of
\$3,054.50
for the Priests' Retirement Fund.

2017 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 9/1/17

Total Pledge to Date	\$79,184.19
Total Cash Donations to Date	\$77,699.19
Archdiocese tax Due	\$122,729.00

Thank you in advance for your generous donation.

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



In Loving Memory of
James Halpin

Thanks

What a great Festival we had this part weekend! Everybody worked so hard and everyone had a great time!

I want to thank everyone who worked on the Festival, specially our chair people, and all who attended and supported the Festival.

Fr. John L. Greene

Saint Robert's Grief and Consolation

Meeting will be On October 5, 2017, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the Reconciliation Room. If you are grieving the loss of a spouse, child, parent, sibling or friend and need a support group you are welcome to come and join us and pray, share, comfort and be comforted. This is a drop-in group. For more information call (650-763-8822) or e-mail Sister Patricia (posullivan3@juno.com)

The Grownups are sponsoring a Korbel Wine tour and lunch on Oct 18, 2017. The cost of \$70.00 includes bus, tour, and lunch. Money due Sept 29, 2017 to Joe Yanke, 217 Elm St. San Bruno. For further info call 877-0800.

Save the Date

At long last, the date has been set for the blessing and dedication of our new pipe organ.

On **Sunday, November 5th** at 3:00 pm, Bishop William Justice will bless the new organ in a simple liturgy, and Mr. James Welch, the organist of Santa Clara University will play the dedication recital.

Mr. Welch is well known throughout the United States as a recitalist. He also serves as the Organist of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Palo Alto.

A reception will follow the recital in the Hall.

MINISTER SCHEDULE/SEPT 30TH & OCT 1ST

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Rob A. (C)

Christina I., Katie B., Al C.

Lectors: Cathy A. and Carol B.

Altar Servers: Giana C. and Clarissa W.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Reena C. (C)

Emil R., Mary N., Sean Q., Tricia P.

Lectors: Rocca C. and Brijit L.

Altar Servers: Sailosi M.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Trish C. (C)

Amparo S., Gina P., Maryann S., Michael Q.

Lectors: Janet T. and Brent V.

Children's Liturgy: Christine and Haydee & Alanna

Altar Servers: Tyler B. and Caira F.

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Thelma T. (C)

Charles S., Joyce M., Margo G., Marie S.

Lectors: Mario B. and Carmen P.

Altar Servers: Maverick M. and Sean Michael B.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Lorena A. (C)

Antonio N., Gerry H., Marie B., Una U.

Lectors: Marie B. And Henry L.

Altar Servers: Michael C.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-September 25th

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

Tuesday-September 26th

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

Wednesday-September 27th

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

Thursday-September 28th

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

Friday-September 29th

Readings: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 Jn 1:47-51

Saturday-September 30th

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

Sunday-October 1st

Readings: Ez 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-11

Mt 21:28-32