

# Saint Robert's Church

June 2, 2019



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**Rev. Stewart Wilber, Sunday Assistant**  
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**Deacon John Meyer, Pastoral Associate**  
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Mr. Kevin Imbimbo

**PARISH SCHOOL - 583-5065**

Dr. Bruce Colville, Interim Principal

**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,

I sit here in Gene's big blue chair, sipping Vanilla Chai tea, wondering what it would be like to be on the Mount of Olives, forty days after Jesus had risen from the dead, watching Him ascend into the clouds. Would our hearts be filled with sadness? Having seen Jesus ascend into Heaven, His Apostles returned to Jerusalem **"with great joy"**. Through the eyes of faith, they understood that, although He had been removed from their sight, Jesus stays with them and with us forever. We don't have to look far to find Him. Jesus has not left us alone. He is truly present to us in the Eucharist. Each time we come to Mass and receive His Body and Blood, we become one with Him and with all His holy church.

The meaning of the Ascension is that Jesus is triumphant over death. One with the Father, He has begun a new life with Him. Jesus opened the path for us as He pulls us up to Himself and leads us into Our Father's heavenly kingdom. We can live in the hope and consolation of one day being with Him forever in the place He has prepared for us. If we entrust our life to Him and let ourselves be guided by Him, we are in the safe hands of our Savior. He supports us, loves us and intercedes for us to Our Father.

We are invited to find in Jesus the strength to spread His Gospel and to witness to it in our every day life as Christians. Together we pray: JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!

Anna May

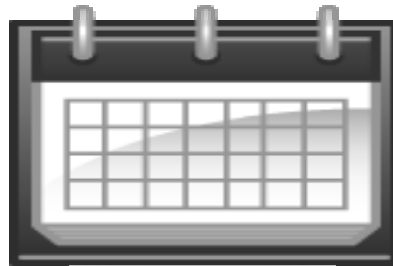
### **Vacations**

Fr. Boie will be away on his vacation from May 14th to June 14th.

### **Consolation/Grief Ministry**

Saint Robert's Grief and Consolation Ministry will meet on June 6, 2019 after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the Reconciliation Room. If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, spouse, parent, child, sibling or grandparent, you are invited to come and pray, support, share, and grieve with us. The Consolation Committee is offering these monthly sessions to help you on your grief journey and to share with you some helpful coping skills. If you plan to attend and/or for more information e-mail Sister Patricia O'Sullivan -- [posullivan3@juno.com](mailto:posullivan3@juno.com) or call 650-763-8822.

## **THE WEEK AHEAD**



### **Monday-June 3rd**

Mass Intention 8:30 Tina Nazzal †  
**Men's Club Meeting 6:00pm Hall**

### **Tuesday-June 4th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Claire O'Neill †  
**Legion of Mary 6:30pm Rectory**

### **Wednesday-June 5th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Louis Parenti †

### **Thursday-June 6th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Don Alchera †  
**Grief Consolation 9:00am Church**

### **Friday-June 7th**

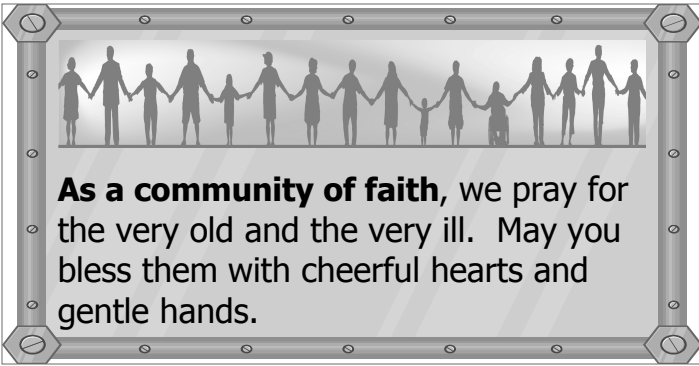
Mass Intention 8:30 Adolph Fambrini †

### **Saturday-June 8th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Annette Cruz †  
4:30 Ricky Sheppard †  
**AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room**

### **Thank You from Catholic Charities**

On behalf of the families and individuals we are blessed to serve, Catholic Charities wants to thank each of you for your generous support of the recent Catholic Charities Sunday second collection. To learn more about the work and impact of Catholic Charities, and ways you can get involved, visit us at <https://www.catholiccharitiessf.org>



**As a community of faith,** we pray for the very old and the very ill. May you bless them with cheerful hearts and gentle hands.

**We congratulate the newly baptized**

*Isabella Rose Merlano Sittauer*



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***

- Vicente Flores
- John Franzella
- Sara Roche-Killeen
- Barbara Massini
- Joan Murphy
- Vince Nola
- Matt Padgett
- Francisca Perez
- Dennis Petty
- Amparo Solis



**Our sincere sympathy to the families of**



Richard Alfred Bin  
Anthony Geraldi  
**who died recently**

**STEWARDSHIP**

July 1st to May 26th (goal)	470,000.00
July 1st to May 26th (actual) (including E Contributions)	442,789.47
7/1/18—6/30/19 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 5/26)	6,450.95
(E Cont for month of April)	7,934.00
<b>Thank you for your generosity</b>	

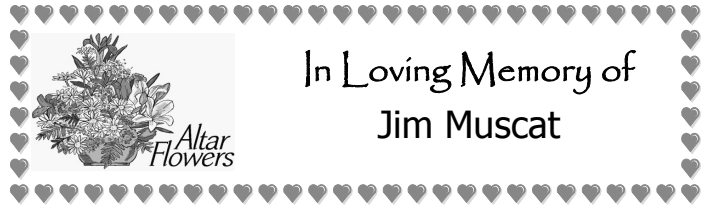
**2019 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

**As of 5/10/19**

**Total Pledge to Date**                   \$ 39,434.53  
**Total Cash Donations to Date**       \$ 35,834.53  
**Archdiocese tax Due**                 \$ 119,261.00

***Thank you for your generous donation.***

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



In Loving Memory of  
**Jim Muscat**

**Fr. Kyle's First Mass**

Fr. Kyle's first Masses at Saint Roberts will be this weekend on Saturday, June 1, at 4:30 pm and Sunday, June 2, at 11:30 am. There will be a reception for Fr. Kyle after the 11:30 am Mass in Hennessy Hall. All are invited.

Fr. Kyle's first assignment will begin July 1st at St. Pius Parish in Redwood City.

**The Easter Season Is Coming to a Close**

The Feast of Pentecost is next weekend when we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit to guide us. It is also the conclusion of our 50 days of reflecting on what Jesus' life, death and resurrection means for our daily lives. Next Monday, the 10<sup>th</sup> we'll be taking down the environment of Easter as we move into what's called Ordinary Time, which lasts until Advent! If you're available after the 8:30 am Mass that Monday, we'd be happy for your help.

Thank you. Sr. Sheral



Some of our parishioner and volunteers are receiving text and emails allegedly from Fr. Greene asking for gift cards to help a friend of his that has cancer. This is a scam, Fr. Greene or any of the staff, will never ask for money or gift cards for anyone. Do not reply to these false request and do not purchase gift cards to give to them.

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

Would you like to donate flowers for the altar in memory of a loved one or for a birthday or anniversary? The name or occasion will be highlighted in the bulletin for the week you make the donation for the flowers. For dates and more information, please call the parish office at 589-2800.

**PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN**

If you believe you are a victim of clergy sexual abuse, please call our hotline at 415-614-5506. For more information visit [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org).

### **Men's Club Meeting**

Monday, June 3rd - Philly Cheesesteak  
Sandwiches

Doors open at 6:30 PM

Open to all Men of the Parish

### **Confirmation, Anyone?**

Many of us adults, for a variety of reasons, never got confirmed or made our First Communion when we were growing up. If you are one of those people and would like to prepare for and receive your Confirmation and / or First Communion, the RCIA process was designed for you! Weekly sessions begin in September and go through early May. Please contact Sr. Sheral at the rectory at

### **Do You Have Young Ones?**

Every Sunday, including the summer, parishioners take the little ones out to the small rooms in the vestibule and talk about the readings at their level. That way, they can begin to understand what Jesus said and did. You are most welcome to come out with them and see how they do! And if a given Sunday, they don't want to go out, that's fine, too. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, you may contact Haydee Marshall at [jeazul@yahoo.com](mailto:jeazul@yahoo.com) or 650-274-9636.

### **Want to Volunteer at St. Anthony's?**

As St. Robert's parishioners have been doing for years, we'll be volunteering again this summer, once each month of June, July and August. They are blest with many volunteers who serve monthly or weekly, as well as many employees of the tech companies and other large businesses. But they take vacations, too, so they're always happy for us to step in! I'll put out dates in the bulletin and also in the announcements, but if you'd like a personal invitation, please send me an e-mail at [sheralmar@saintroberts.org](mailto:sheralmar@saintroberts.org) and I'll gladly let you know our dates as soon as I have them. The shift is 9:15 am to 1:45 pm and I'm asking for both Saturday and weekday shifts.

Thank you for your interest! Sr. Sheral

### **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](http://www.saintroberts.org) and click on the link to sign up.

**IF YOU ARE NEW TO ST. ROBERT'S**, fill out a registration form and drop it either in the collection basket, the mail, or at the parish office.

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/JUNE 8TH & 9TH

## **Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass**

**President: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Jean W.**

Joe Y., Mary N., Sophia C., Virginia Y.

**Lectors:** Barbara R. and Christina C.

## **Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass**

**President: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Marcela S.**

Brian M., Emil R.

**Lectors:** Janet A.

## **Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass**

**President: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Michael N.**

Liz C., Roselle N., Sophia L., Trish C.

**Lectors:** Brent V. and Chris M.

**Children's Liturgy:** Cyndy/Kimberly

## **Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass**

**President: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Margot G.**

Marie S., Maureen H., Pia C., Veronica R.

**Lectors:** Doug H.

## **Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass**

**President: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Ken S.**

Lorena A., Roisin U., Una U., Zulma T.

**Lectors:** Henry L. and Neil B.

## **WEEKLY READINGS**

### **Monday-June 3rd**

Readings: Acts 12:1-8 Jn 16:29-33

### **Tuesday-June 4th**

Readings: Acts 20:17-27 Jn 17:1-11a

### **Wednesday-June 5th**

Readings: Acts 20:28-38 Jn 17:11b-19

### **Thursday-June 6th**

Readings: Acts 22:30, 23:6-11 Jn 17:20-26

### **Friday-June 7th**

Readings: Acts 25:13b-21 Jn 21:15-19

### **Saturday-June 8th**

Readings: Acts 28:16-20,30-31 Jn 21:20-25

### **Sunday-June 9th**

Readings: Acts 2:1-11 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13  
Jn 20:19-23