

# Saint Robert's Church

September 22, 2019



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#### **PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY – 589-2800**

Mr. Kevin Imbimbo

#### **PARISH SCHOOL - 583-5065**

#### **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.**

## Welcome to the celebration of St. Robert's Annual Festival!

Year after year the Parish has come to celebrate this big event. People have come to look forward to this celebration... and here we are!

This is my first year of experiencing such big activity in this Parish. (I am still 9 months old here at St. Robert's) I am hoping for a memorable and wonderful experience.

I have observed that the physical preparations have started two weeks ago or even more than that. Not only with the physical set-up but more so with the planning, which I believe as done in most cases, include the evaluation of the past celebrations and the introduction of new ideas and the implementation thereafter... and yes, here we are!

A lot of activities to partake and enjoy; food and drinks to taste and savor.

But wait, let us pause for a while and reflect. Looking back in the past, this was a future event then, by now it is a present realization.

The fulfillment and success in all of these endeavors are results of careful planning, foresight and smart implementation.

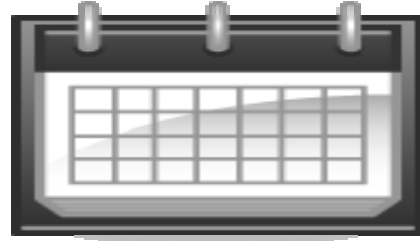
As much as the working committee (thanks and congratulations for their efforts) have been wise and smart in doing such, how about looking forward to another future event and situation.

Perhaps not only towards the next Parish Festivals but towards the Heavenly Festival where the fullness of joy and happiness will be shared by one and all. There we will be enjoying, tasting and savoring the eternal food of God's LOVE.

Our future which is heaven, about which we are about to be concerned, begins now. When should our interest and planning begin?

Fr. Boie

## THE WEEK AHEAD



### **Monday-September 23rd**

Mass Intention 8:30 Gerard Uniacke †

### **Tuesday-September 24th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Noel Dennehy †

***Rel Ed (Grades 1-5) 3:30pm School & Hall***

***Legion of Mary 6:30pm Rectory***

***Confirmation (Yr 1) 7:00pm Hall***

### **Wednesday-September 25th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Daniel Twomey †

***Choir Practice 7:00pm Church***

### **Thursday-September 26th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Teresa Penny †

***Children's Choir 3:00pm Hall***

### **Friday-September 27th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Tina Nazzal †

### **Saturday-September 28th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Teresa Rizzetto †

4:30 Jim Halpin †

***AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room***

### **Sunday-September 29th**

Mass Intention 9:30 Fernanda Pignati †

***Fil/Am San Lorenzo 6:00am Hall***

## BECOMING A CATHOLIC

If You Feel A Nudge to Become Catholic

Now is the time to get started! Sessions for adults begin in September and meet on Wednesday evenings from 7 pm to 8:30. The first step is to contact Sr. Sheral at 650-589-2800 or by email at [sheralmar@saintroberts.org](mailto:sheralmar@saintroberts.org). We will explore the basic aspects of the Catholic Church: who Jesus was and how we follow his example today, the sacraments, our understanding of the Bible, social and moral teachings, the everyday challenges of living as a Catholic and anything else which you've been wondering about. Whatever questions you bring will be welcomed. Sr. Sheral



**As a community of faith,** we pray that national and local civic leaders govern with justice and mercy.

**We congratulate the newly baptized**

*Alanna Michelle Christensen  
Jack Kenneth Stewart  
Savannah Michelle Wright*



**WE CONGRATULATE  
THE NEWLY MARRIED**



*Veronica Garcia & Ricardo Menjivar*

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***

- Don Bisagno
- Kevin Bohn
- Vicente Flores
- Barbara Massini
- Anna May May
- Joan Murphy
- Francisca Perez
- Catherine Roelofsen
- Jennie Stewart



**Our sincere sympathy to the families of**

Grant Lapuyade  
Margaret M. Ritner  
Amparo Solis  
**who died recently**



# STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to September 15th (goal)	110,000.00
July 1st to September 15th (actual) (including E Contributions)	108,268.29
7/1/19—6/30/20 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 9/15)	7,728.90
(E Cont for month of August)	8,117.00
Thank you for your generosity	



In Loving Memory of  
Else Rohleder

**ROSARY**

Please join us for the annual Our Lady of Fatima Rosary on the steps of the church at noon on Saturday, October 5th.

**NEW SOCIAL GROUP AT SAINT ROBERT'S  
NextGen SR**

Are you not ready for the Grown-Ups?  
Not quite an In-Betweeneer?

If your kids finished grammar school in 2000 or later, come out for a strictly social get-together on Friday, October 11th.

We are calling ourselves "NextGen SR", and we will plan to get together 3-4 times a year to catch up with those we don't see regularly anymore.

If interested please contact  
nextgensr19@gmail.com.

**Spread the word.**

Dinner and open bar will be \$15 per person and \$10 annual dues.

**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.

**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.

**2019 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

As of 8/26/19

Archdiocese tax Due	\$ 119,261.00
Total Pledges	\$ 61,918.42
Total Donations to Date	\$ 60,160.42
<b>STILL NEEDED</b>	<b>\$ 57,342.58</b>

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

## FESTIVAL

Saturday, September 21st

1:00pm Live Music - Sometimes Santi

3:00pm Performance by Spark of Creation Dance Studio

4:00pm Performance by Dancels Academy of Tae Kwon Do

4:30pm Games, Prizes, Crafts and more

5:00pm Performance by Murphy Irish Dancers

5:30pm Performance by Westlake School of Performing Arts

6:30pm Live Music - Sign Hill

8:30pm Live Music - No Static

Sunday, September 22nd

12:00pm - 5:00 pm Bingo (Hennessy Hall)

1:00pm The Mike and George Show

5:00pm Raffle Prizes Announced

345 Oak Avenue San Bruno, CA 94066

### CAKE BOOTH

The **CAKE BOOTH** is in need of baked goods for this year's annual Festival. Baking is an easy and fun way to **EARN YOUR SERVICE HOURS**. Please bake or purchase whatever your heart desires. Then, please bring it to Hennessy Hall Sept 20th at 8:00am or 12:30pm. Bake goods can also be dropped off any time during the Festival. Please try to bake at least one thing or recruit a friend or family member who just loves to bake and bring it on by. We truly appreciate your support. **THANK YOU IN ADVANCE!** Marissa Coughlin and Chantilli Reeder

### SVdP THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

We at Saint Vincent de Paul (SVdP) would like to get a jump start on the Thanksgiving Holiday and will be putting our Food Drive Basket on the Altar throughout the month of October. This donation assists us in providing food items to be distributed to the families that our SVdP Conference serves. Please bring donations of chicken broth, cranberry sauce, (canned vegetables, sweet potatoes, yams), rice, etc. Please inspect your donations carefully, as we cannot accept expired items. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.

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

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/SEP 28TH & 29TH

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

**President: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Jean W. (C)**

Albert C., Christina I., Mary N.

**Lectors:** Monica C. and Marilyn D.

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

**President: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Agnes D. (C)**

Kevin M., Kevin T.M., Tom M., Tricia P.

**Lectors:** Jomarie M.

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

**President: Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Brijit L. (C)**

Michael G., Patrick S., Ruby V., Trish C.

**Lectors:** Student

**Children's Liturgy:** Family Mass

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

**President: Boie**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Rose B. (C)**

Catalina M., Cynthia M., Marie S., Veronica P.

**Lectors:** Mario B. and Carmen P.

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

**President: Boie**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Dodi T. (C)**

Angelica N., Antonio N., Lorena A., Zulma T.

**Lectors:** Bambi T. and Marie B.

## **WEEKLY READINGS**

### **Monday-September 23rd**

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

### **Tuesday-September 24th**

Readings: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b-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