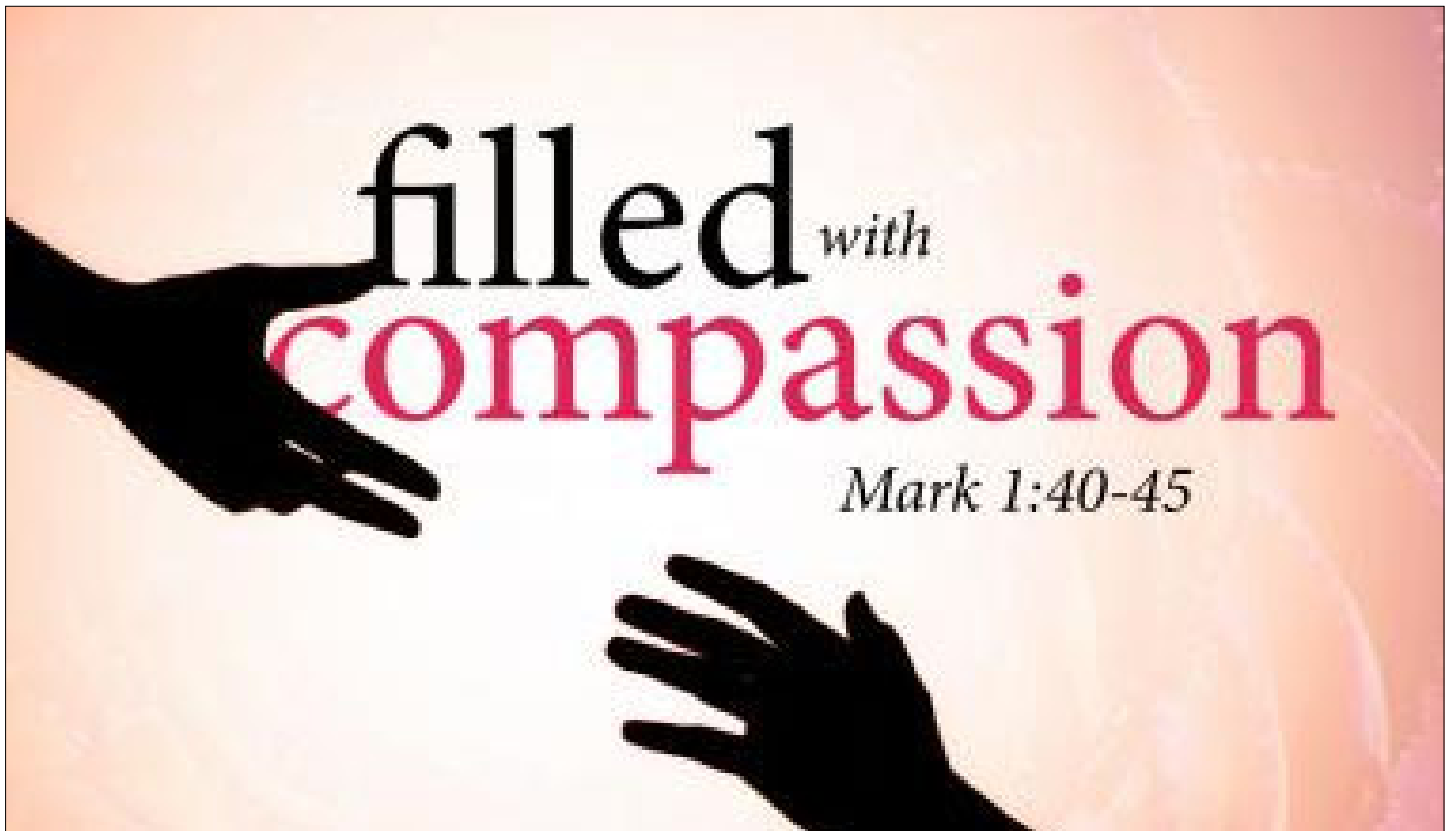


# Saint Robert's Church

February 14, 2021



Rectory Office: 1380 Crystal Springs Rd.  
San Bruno, CA 94066 Phone: (650) 589-2800  
FAX: (650) 588-9628  
Web Site: [www.saintroberts.org](http://www.saintroberts.org)

All Masses will be livestream on  
[www.facebook.com/saintrobertssanbruno/live](https://www.facebook.com/saintrobertssanbruno/live)  
and Youtube

Rev. Arnold Zamora, Pastor  
Rev. Boie Espeleta, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Stewart Wilber, Sunday Assistant  
Deacon Rusty Duffey, Pastoral Associate  
Deacon John Meyer, Pastoral Associate  
Sister Sheral Marshall, OSF,  
Pastoral Associate for Liturgy  
Ms. Rose Aragon - 589-2800  
Office Administrator  
Mrs. Judy DeMartini - 589-2800  
Parish Receptionist/Bookkeeper

PUBLIC SCHOOL RELIGION CLASSES (CCD) - 588-0477  
Ms. Joanne Bartolotti - Director  
Mrs. Leslie Fong, Office Manager

PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY – 589-2800  
Mr. Kevin Imbimbo

PARISH SCHOOL - 583-5065  
Dr. Patrick Sullivan, Principal

## MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday) **Online**  
Sundays: 9:30 am, 11:30 am **Outdoors**  
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.**

All Masses will be livestream on  
[www.facebook.com/saintrobertssanbruno/live](https://www.facebook.com/saintrobertssanbruno/live) and Youtube

Dear Friends,

Not able to go to Mass on Sunday because of the pandemic, I decided to sit in Gene's big blue chair and pray. After half an hour, I ran out of words and remembered something Pope Francis had said: "Spend time with God without asking, without thanking, even without praising; only adoring and worshipping." That sounded like a very good idea.

After a few minutes of silently sitting with eyes slightly shut, along came these encouraging thoughts: "I have called you by name; you are Mine. You are precious to Me. I love you with all that I am for I am Love. I created you in My image for a purpose that no one else can fulfill. At the moment of your conception, I infused you into tiny seeds of my love. I ask that you seek Me; find Me; come to know Me; spend time with Me; love Me. "I, My Father, and My Holy Spirit live within you. Talk to me as you talk to your best friend; listen to Me. Know that I am with you always; I will never leave you. Bring Me your worries and fears, I really do care. Trust Me. When you realize how powerful and merciful My love is, your heart too will overflow with love. Then you will joyfully reach out to everyone I bring to you.

"I ask that you have mercy upon one another just as I have mercy upon you. If your sister or brother has hurt you, forgive them as I have forgiven you. If you see someone sorrowing, comfort them as I comfort you. Smile at everyone you meet - a smile is a beautiful sign of my love. If they are hungry, give them food to eat. If they are thirsty, give them water to drink. If they need shelter, help them find a home. If their clothes are worn and ragged, give them some of yours. By your mercy and love, you will show them My mercy and love. They will come to Me and be refreshed. Their joy will be complete and your joy will be complete."

JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!

Anna May

### **Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Roberts,**

**Even the little things we give away in love and kindness, will eventually return to us as blessings in some other forms.**

**The love of God we freely share will surely reap rewards beyond measure.**

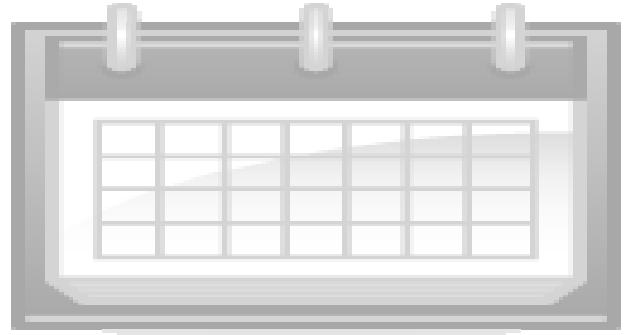
**Let's never get tired of serving others for God's greater glory.**

**"Never stop doing little things for others. Sometimes those little things occupy the biggest part of their hearts."**

**May God bless your week!**

**Fr. Zamora**

## **THE WEEK AHEAD**



### **Monday-February 15th**

Mass Intention      8:30    People of St. Robert's

### **Tuesday-February 16th**

Mass Intention      8:30    People of St. Robert's

### **Wednesday-February 17th**

#### **ASH WEDNESDAY**

Mass Intention      8:30    Zacarias Mendoza †  
7pm    People of St. Roberts

### **Thursday-February 18th**

Mass Intention      8:30    People of St. Robert's

### **Friday-February 19th**

Mass Intention      8:30    People of St. Robert's

### **Saturday-February 20th**

Mass Intention      8:30    Luisa Razo †  
4:30    Rudometkin & Morena  
Family

### **Sunday-February 21st**

Mass Intention      9:30    People of St. Robert's  
11:30    People of St. Robert's



**As a community of faith**, we pray  
 For all women, especially those who are  
 victims of violence. May they receive the  
 love, respect and help they deserve.

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  
 Christopher Aiden  
 Jose Antonio Perez  
 Francisca Perez  
 Rafael Flores  
 Maria Christina  
 Carol Mancia  
 Jeanie Stewart  
 Francine Spanali

**Our sincere sympathy to the families of**



Ellen Donnelly  
 Louise Duchi  
**who died recently**

# STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 1st to February 7th (goal)	320,000.00
July 1st to February 7th (actual) (including E Contributions)	222,756.52
7/1/20—6/30/21 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 02/07)	4,992.30
(E Cont for month of January)	12,556.50
<b>Thank you for your generosity</b>	

**2020 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

As of 2/2/21

Archdiocese tax Due	\$ 119,462.00
Total Pledges	\$ 94,346.84
Total Donations to Date	\$ 94,221.84
<b>STILL NEEDED</b>	<b>\$ 25,115.16</b>
<b><i>Thank you for your generous donation.</i></b>	

**Installation Mass**

**I received a letter from the Archbishop's office that the Archbishop himself will formally install me as your pastor on March 7, 2021, at the 11:30 AM Mass. The Rite of Installation is usually done no later than four months upon assuming the position, but because of Covid we were hoping for a better day. Nowadays, you just have to make the best of every day.**

**Convent**

Our **parish convent** which is older than our church has experienced some deterioration of galvanized pipes that caused the constant leaking and clogging of water from multiple sinks. Since the place had been vacated for many years with no one residing, rust had built up and the metal particles blocked the pipes. Russ Christiansen, our plumber, came several times this week and yesterday he and his son used a "snake" 25"-30" long to clear the blockage even cutting some pipes to resolve the problem. All is good for now!

**Archdiocesan Annual Appeal**

We already received the assessment for our **2021 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal** in the amount of **\$101,451**, lesser compared to last year's \$119,000. The assessment goal is a percentage of the ordinary income of the previous year. As in the past, any amount raised above the goal will be returned to the parish. The assessment goal percentage for all parishes is set to 20%. We are still awaiting the Task Force decision on what to do with many parishes that have not completed their 2020 assessment.

**2020 TAXES**

If you would like a letter regarding your 2020 donations, please call the Rectory at (650) 589-2800 or email us at

### **E-Bulletin**

Stay in contact with Saint Robert's with our Ebulletin through J.S. Paluch, e-Publications is a simple way to communicate with our parishioners

If you would like to receive our E Bulletin from JS Paluch please sign up at

<https://ebulletin.jspaluch.com> or <https://www.jspaluch.com/Subscribe>

### ***IF YOU ARE NEW TO ST. ROBERT'S***

Welcome! We're a very diverse parish with people from many countries of origin – Registration forms are in the vestibule or you can register online at [saintroberts.org](http://saintroberts.org). Fill out a registration form and drop it either in the mail, or at the parish office.

If you'd like to know more about what we have going on, please go to our website or contact Sr. Sheral at 650-589-2861 or [Marsheral@gmail.com](mailto:Marsheral@gmail.com). We are happy to have you with us!

Welcome to Saint Roberts  
Mr. & Mrs. Aldric and Issa Baquiran  
And Mr. & Mrs. Jason and Yvette Kern

### **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.

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

"If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go with others." African proverb

# MINISTER SCHEDULE FEB 20th & 21st

**Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass LIVESTREAM ONLY**

**Presider: Fr. Stewart**  
**Lectors: Paul S**  
**Eucharistic Minister: Angelica N**

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

**Presider: Fr. Zamora**  
**Lectors: Jan T**  
**Eucharistic Minister: Maureen H**

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

**Presider: Fr. Boi**  
**Lectors: Carmen P**  
**Eucharistic Minister: Sheral M**

## **WEEKLY READINGS**

### **Monday-February 15th**

Readings: Gn 4:1-15, 25 Mk 8:11-13

### **Tuesday-February 16th**

Readings: Gn 6:20-5-8, 7:1-5, 10 Mk 8:11-21

### **Wednesday, February 17th**

Readings: Jl 2:12-18 2 Cor 5:20-6:2  
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

### **Thursday-February 18th**

Readings: Dt 30:15-20 Lk 9:22--25

### **Friday-February 19th**

Readings: Is 58:1-9 Mt 9:14-15

### **Saturday-February 20th**

Readings: Is 58:9b-14 Lk 5:27-32

### **Sunday-February 21st**

Readings: Gn 9:8-15 1 Pt 3:18-22  
Mk 1:12-15