

Saint Robert's Church

March 28, 2021



Holy Week Schedule 2021

Palm Sunday - March 28

Saturday evening Vigil Mass, 4:30 pm

Sunday Masses 9:30 am

11:30 am and 5:00 pm

Monday - Wednesday March 29-31

Mass 8:30 am

Holy Thursday - April 1

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm

Adoration in Church till 9:30 pm

Good Friday - April 2

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

3:00 pm

Holy Saturday - April 3

No Morning or 4:30 pm Masses

Confessions 3:00 - 4:30 pm

Easter Vigil Mass 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday - April 4

7:30 am, 9:30 am

11:30 am

What Have We Learned?

They shouted with praises, reaching the sky, pushing and shoving to see Jesus pass by. Crying, 'Hosanna, hosanna, glory to the King! He comes to us today, great joy He doth bring.'

They threw down palm leaves, covering the way, Clearing the way for His entrance that day. Raising joyful voices, as praises filled the air, The day had come, God answered their prayer!

But, in a short time they changed their chant, from joyful noise, to a mob's hate-filled rant.

From Hosanna, hosanna, as when He was praised; To crucify Him! Crucify Him, as their anger blazed!

In disbelief we might question why they turned? But maybe the question is, 'What have we learned?'

Written by Loyd C Taylor, SR.

Holy Thursday

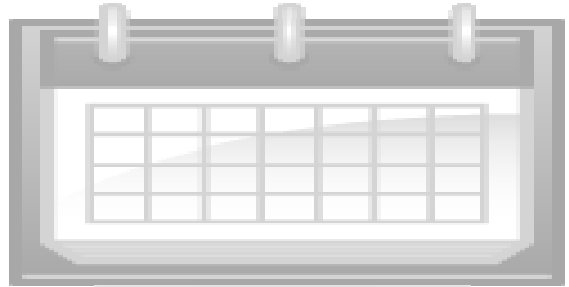
If you have calla lilies, orchids or other flowers blooming, please bring them to the rectory by Wednesday, March 31 so they can be used to decorate the sanctuary for the Holy Thursday Mass.

Thank you.

"I am both weak and sinful, but this I surely know: The Lord came down to save me because he loved me so."

Emily Huntington Miller

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-March 29

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

Tuesday-March 30

Mass Intention 8:30 Bruce Chester †

Wednesday-March 31

Mass Intention 8:30 Mary Moore †

Thursday-April 1

Mass Intention 7:30 PM

Friday-April 2

Good Friday 12:00 PM

Office Closed

Saturday-April 3

Holy Saturday 8:00 PM

Sunday-April 4

Mass Intention 7:30 People of St. Robert's

9:30 People of St. Robert's

11:30 People of St. Robert's

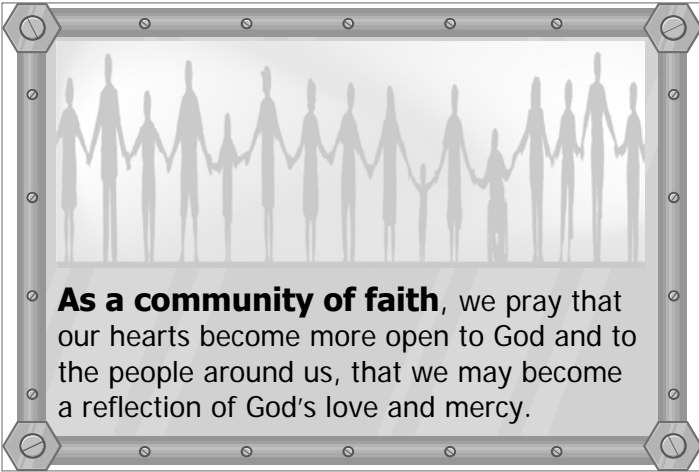
MEMORIAL EASTER FLOWERS

Easter Flowers will decorate the Church during the Easter Season. If you would like to make a donation of \$10 toward their purchase in memory of or in honor of a loved one, please fill out the form below and return it by Friday, April 2. Please make checks payable to St. Robert's.

My Gift in Memory of: _____

My Gift in Honor of: _____

Given by: _____



As a community of faith, we pray that our hearts become more open to God and to the people around us, that we may become a reflection of God's love and mercy.

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

- Jose Antonio Perez
- Francisca Perez
- Rafael Flores
- Karina Flores
- Maria Christina
- Carol Mancía



Confessions

We will resume our regular schedule Confessions every **Saturday at 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM**. Since we are to be masked, please speak loudly so the priests can hear your confession.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 1st to March 11th (goal) July 1st to March 11th (actual) (including E Contributions)	To be reported On April 11th
7/1/20—6/30/21 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 03/07)	5,990.00
(E Cont for month of February)	10,817.00
Thank you for your generosity	

2020 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 3/10/21 to be updated on 4/11/2021

Archdiocese tax Due	\$ 101,451.00
Total Pledges	\$ 5,142.00
Total Donations to Date	\$ 5,142.00

STILL NEEDED

Thank you for your generous donation.

Holy Saturday

If you have some time on Saturday, April 3 to help us clean and decorate the church for Easter, please come! Please email me at marsheral@gmail to let me know you're coming. Service hours gladly given! Thank you!

Sister Hope

The Archdiocesan Mental Health Ministry is pleased to offer Sister Hope to people of the Archdiocese.

What is Sister Hope? Sr Hope is a 'chatbot' – it is an AI (artificial intelligence)-driven response to text messages from anyone experiencing anxiety and depression, especially given the additional stress and isolation imposed by Covid. It will respond to text messages, and offer suggestions and positive feedback, and help you think of ways to improve your situation. Sister Hope is a new 'religious' version of a program that has already been in use - in a secular version - by millions of people.

How do I get access to Sister Hope? There are two ways:

1. Text **1-478-999-1080** - or -
2. Go to Facebook, search for @SisterHopeSF, and select the icon that looks like a nun

Your communication with Sister Hope is completely private and HIPAA compliant.

School Auction is May 14-16th Help Needed

The Annual School Auction is May 14-16th and this year it's entirely online. Members of the Parish are invited to participate!

We are currently holding a Gift Card Drive to help us build our baskets through March 8th. If you have any unused gift cards you're willing to part with, please place them in an envelope labeled "Virtual Auction" and drop in the school mailbox. We would especially appreciate cards to Amazon, Target, Lowes or HomeGoods or your favorite local restaurants, but will gladly take any and all. Stay tuned for instructions on how to register to bid on fantastic items such as luxury Airbnb stays, outdoor experiences, one of a kind art projects, baskets and much more!

Opening night of Auction, Friday, May 14th there will also be a Dinner Delivery service with proceeds benefiting the school. We've partnered with some fantastic local companies to provide the meal and delivery! Don't cook, Bid instead!

2020 TAXES

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

INDOOR & LIVESTREAM MASSES
Shelter in His place!

Weekdays at 8:30 AM
Confessions Saturday 3:30 to 4:15 pm
Saturday at 4:30 PM
Sunday at 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

Again, just a gentle reminder that those who are sick should not attend Mass, even if it's "just a cold" and they feel well enough to attend, and that the dispensation from the Sunday Mass obligation remains in place for now. The elderly and others at high risk from COVID, as well as those who care for them, may choose in good conscience to remain at home.

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. 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.

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 APRIL 3 & 4

ALL MASSES ARE INDOOR & LIVESTREAM

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Lectors: N/A

Eucharistic Minister: N/A

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Zamora

Lectors: N/A

Eucharistic Minister: N/A

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Zamora

Lectors: N/A

Eucharistic Minister: N/A

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Boi

Lectors: N/A

Eucharistic Minister: N/A

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-March 29

Readings: Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday-March 30

Readings: Is 50:4-9a Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, March 31

Readings: Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25

Thursday-April 1

Readings: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18
1 Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15

Friday-April 2

Readings: Is 52:13—53:12 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9
Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday-April 3

Readings: Gn 1:1—2:2 Ex 14:15—15:1
Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 Is 55:1-11 Rom 6:3-11

Sunday-April 4

Readings: Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Col 3:1-4 Jn 20:1-9