

Saint Robert's Church

October 5, 2025



Faith as a grain of mustard seed

**Rectory Office: 1380 Crystal Springs Road
San Bruno, CA 94066 Phone: (650) 589-2800
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Website: www.saintroberts.org**

**We will continue to live-stream our Masses except
Sunday, 7:30am and 5:00 pm masses
www.Facebook.com/Saintrobertssanbruno/live and
Youtube**

**Rev. Arnold Zamora, Pastor
Rev. Boie Espeleta, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Stewart Wilber, Sunday Assistant
Deacon John Meyer, Pastoral Associate
Deacon Michael Smith, Pastoral Associate
Mrs. Lisa Gonzalez – Parish Secretary**

**ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (OCIA)
Kimberly Welch - Director-(650) 400-4559**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL RELIGION CLASSES (CCD)
(650) 588-0477
Ms. Joanne Bartolotti - Director
Mrs. Leslie Fong, Office Manager**

**PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY – (650) 589-2800 X 112
Gianpaolo (GP) Eleria**

**PARISH SCHOOL - (650) 583-5065
Ms. Katie Franco, Principal**

**YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY - (650) 589-2800 X 107
Travis Wingate**

MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday) Indoor and Live-stream
Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am Live-stream
& 5 pm

Holy Day Masses: 8:15 am and 7:00 pm
Indoor and Live-stream

Weekdays: Masses are
Monday through Saturday at 8:15 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Pre-Baptismal class for parents and godparents every 2nd
Saturday of the month at 1:00 PM. Please contact the
parish office to register.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays 3:30– 4:15 PM

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

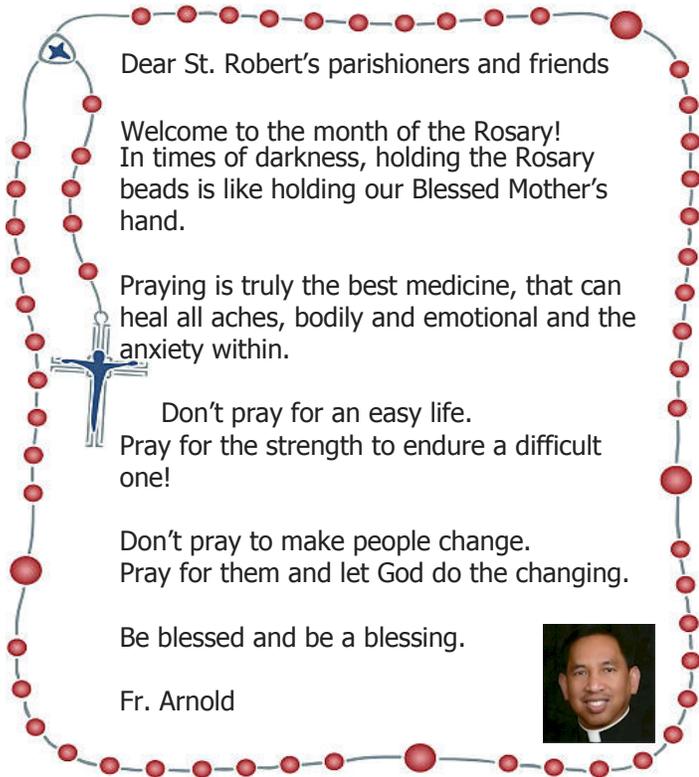
There is a six month period of preparation for the
celebration of this Sacrament. Please contact the rectory to
make arrangements

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

Youth Confirmation is a two-year process. Students need to
be in 7th grade or higher to participate. Please contact the
Religious Ed Office for more information.



Dear St. Robert's parishioners and friends

Welcome to the month of the Rosary!
In times of darkness, holding the Rosary beads is like holding our Blessed Mother's hand.

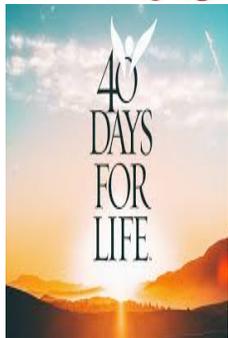
Praying is truly the best medicine, that can heal all aches, bodily and emotional and the anxiety within.

Don't pray for an easy life.
Pray for the strength to endure a difficult one!

Don't pray to make people change.
Pray for them and let God do the changing.

Be blessed and be a blessing.

Fr. Arnold



40 DAYS FOR LIFE - 2025

This Fall's campaign began on Wednesday, September 24 and will end on Sunday, November 2. If you are able to spend an hour to pray the rosary at Planned Parenthood in Redwood City, please log on to:
40daysforlife.com/redwoodcity
Your prayer and presence can possibly save a baby.

Due to popular demand, we are having our second Fil-Am Parol Making Party! Save the date: Saturday, October 4 from 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. at Hennessy Hall. Refreshments will be served. Make this Christmas more festive with your own hand-made parols (Christmas lanterns). Bring the whole family. Please register to ensure we have enough supplies by calling Edita Cruz at (408)835-2292



Greece - in the Footsteps of St. Paul

w/ Spiritual Director Fr. Boie Espeleta

9 Days: April 14 - 22, 2026

Package Price: Roundtrip Airfare & land out of SFO: \$3,845
(Minimum of 25 pilgrims) Price includes: Airfare, centrally located hotels with daily breakfast, lunch & dinner, transportation, tour guide, and all entrance fees. Single room available at a supplement of \$600.



GIVE ELECTRONICALLY

To give electronically, visit www.saintroberts.org and click on the link to sign up.

**October
Mass Intentions**

Monday-October 6

8:15 Noida Brodek (Living)
8:15 Virginia Espeleta †

Tuesday- October 7

8:15 Jim Diggins †

Wednesday-October 8

8:15 Walter Santilli †

Thursday-October 9

8:15 David Sarchett †

Friday- October 10

8:15 Anica Kovacevic †

Saturday-October 11

8:15 Pia Carrion †
4:30 John Paul Marra, Sr. †
4:30 Jose Ante †

Sunday-October 12

7:30 Jordan Chavez †
9:30 George Lynch †
9:30 Ligeya Munoz (Living)
11:30 People of St. Robert's
5:00 Aaron Marquez (Living)
5:00 Virginia Espeleta †

**Mass Presider Schedule
for October 11 & 12**

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass-In person

Presider: Fr. Stewart Wilber

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass-In person only

Presider: Fr. Arnold Zamora

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass-In person

Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass- In person

Presider: Fr. Arnold Zamora

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass-In person

Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta

We congratulate the newly baptized!



Sophia Batrez

May God hold you in the palm of his hand!

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:



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| Patti Arsenault | Jackson Kalbhen |
| Tony Avalos | Lucy Kalucava |
| Alfredo P. | Mary Kelly |
| Damien B. | Timothy King |
| Al & Marie Basler | Modesto Lacaro |
| Nicole Barros | Dolores Patterson |
| Kristi Boatwright | Frank Marinos |
| Consuelo Bravo | Colby Mcelroy |
| Mary Campbell | Jay Morena |
| John Chan | Mary Murphy |
| Connor Coffey | Peg O'Sullivan |
| Louise Downs | Francisca Perez |
| Rafael Flores | Paul Roelofsen |
| Jeannie Rae Giovannoni Cronin | Gabriel Solano |
| Juanita Gheno | Anna Villalobos |
| Wendi Gianni | Terry Walker |
| Jose Gomez | Caleb Wolper |
| Elenor Guastavino | |

G.P.'s Music Corner

The *Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi* invites us to think about how we can bring God's peace into the world. It asks us to answer hatred with love and to bring light where there is darkness. I grew up with dogs, and caring for them taught me responsibility and gave me a daily example of loyalty. Through that experience, it became easy to understand that nature is a gift from God. This connects to the Blessing of Animals we just celebrated, when our parish and school gathered to honor the creatures that remind us of God's love. St. Francis showed that caring for animals is part of caring for creation, and that love for God is reflected in the way we treat the world around us.

Pope Francis continued to share this vision through his teaching on creation. In *Laudato Si'*, he encouraged us to take care of the earth and to pay attention to the harm caused when creation is neglected. Singing the *Prayer of St. Francis* this Sunday reminds us that the words are not only something we say but something we live. We are called to practice peace and to reflect God's love in the way we act each day, especially in how we care for creation.

FRIENDS IN FAITH
IF YOU THINK YOU KNOW HOW TO PRAY THE ROSARY...THIS EVENT WILL FURTHER ENLIGHTEN YOU! JOIN US
Tuesday 10/7- 9:30 AM- Rectory
Author, Brent Villalobos will be introducing his new book: "A Practical Guide to Our Most Powerful Prayers"
 SHIRLEY SISNEROS: 650-588-7138
 or BETTY GONZALEZ: 650-588-9614

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

NEW FISCAL YEAR 2025-26

July 1st to June 30 (goal)	\$ 130,000.00
July 1st to June 30 (actual)	\$ 112,415.84
(including E Contributions)	
Weekly Collection (Actual 9/28/2025)	\$ 7,875.31

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

2025 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL As of 9/22/25

Archdiocesan Tax Due:	\$ 112,069.00
Total Pledge:	\$ 5,202.00
Total Donation to Date:	\$ 66,379.00

We are still in need of your generous donations of \$40,488

October is Respect Life Month

During the month of October, the "Red Rose Banner" will be displayed. The red rose is a symbol of life and love. Sunday, October 5, is observed as Respect Life Sunday. During October, please pray that this belief will be strengthened and honored by all as the precious gift given to us by our Lord. As Catholics we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are Most vulnerable, from conception to natural death. Put a few minutes aside and pray your rosary.



Getting Ready for All Souls

We at St. Robert's have a tradition of creating a Wall of Remembrance each November to prayerfully remember our loved ones who passed away. Please, submit the NAMES and FULL DATE OF DEATH for any of your family members, friends, neighbors or anyone who has no one to remember them that passed away from November 2024 to October 2025 to Judy Kerrigan -- wallofremembrance0@gmail.com -- or drop the names off at the Parish Office. To make sure that we have the correct spelling, we would appreciate getting the names typed in CAPITALS!!

Our special Memorial Mass will be offered on SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2m 2025 @ 7:00PM