

# SAINT ROBERT'S CHURCH



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## MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday)  
Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 5:00 pm  
Holy Days: Please consult weekly bulletin.  
**Weekdays:** Masses are on Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 6:30 a.m. and Monday through Saturday at 8:30 a.m. *Communion Services* are held Wednesday and Thursday at 6:30 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.

**Schedules for Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Altar Servers are also available on the web at [www.saintroberts.org](http://www.saintroberts.org).**

**Dear Parishioners,**

Peter and his brother Andrew as well as James and his brother John were following in their fathers footsteps as fishermen. One day these brothers will take over the family business. They learned the family trade at an early age. Being a fisherman was the only thing that they knew in life. Fishing was all they cared about. There was nothing else they wanted to be. They were cut out for the job. It was in their blood.

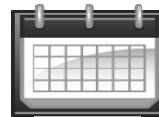
They knew all the tricks of the trade in being exceptional fishermen. Being a fisherman gave them security and a good life. They had something to show for given all their hard work. Most likely, Peter, Andrew, James, and John were the very best fishermen around. Nobody was better. They were proud to be fishermen. At times they probably bragged about how good they were at the local tavern. In life, everything comes to an end.

Everything came to an end for these four fishermen when Jesus arrived on the scene. For Peter, Andrew, James and John were called by Jesus. They were commanded to come after Jesus. They responded immediately. They abandoned and left everything behind to follow Jesus. Now their future was uncertain. Now their future was not so secure. Peter, Andrew, James, and John will learn and experience things they never have before. Their most important work will be done for their true father, God. In a real sense, they turned out to be true fishermen, fishers of men. Jesus will show them how to cast the net of the Word of God to haul in and not lose the "Big Ones."

When we respond with faith to Jesus' call, our lives are consequently changed forever. In following Jesus, we do not know what lies ahead. Life is uncertain. Anything and everything can happen. This no doubt is a scary thing for most of us. No matter what happens to us, we are called to put our faith and trust in God. Our true father is God. Our true life's work is doing the work of God. Hopefully we are willing to abandon our fears, anxieties, way of life, and security to follow Jesus wherever he may lead us. There is no greater work than to work in the kingdom of God.

**God Bless Fr. Paul**

## THE WEEK AHEAD



### Monday-January 24th

Mass Intention 6:30 Joseph Vinal †  
8:30 Frances Friedman †

### Tuesday-January 25th

Mass Intention 6:30 Margaret Casey †  
8:30 John P. Murphy †  
**Adult Rel Ed 9:15 am Mary's Chapel**  
**Rel Education 3:30pm Church & Hall**  
**Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library**  
**Rel Ed/Jr. High 7:00pm Hall**

### Wednesday-January 26th

6:30 Communion Service  
Mass Intention 8:30 Farrante Brothers †  
**Choir Practice 7:00pm Church**  
**Grownups 7:00pm Library**

### Thursday-January 27th

6:30 Communion Service  
Mass Intention 8:30 Joseph Vinal †  
**School Open House 7:00pm School & Hall**

### Friday-January 28th

Mass Intention 6:30 Esta Reyes †  
8:30 Joseph Vinal †

### Saturday-January 29th

Mass Intention 8:30 Sister Anna Mary  
O'Reilly †  
4:30 James Smandra †  
**AA 9:30am Mahoney Room**  
**Inbetweeners**  
**Cioppino Dinner 6:30pm Hall**

### Sunday-January 30th

Mass Intention 7:30 Antoinette Skalko †  
9:30 Joseph Vinal †  
11:30 Anthony Yaquinto †  
5:00 Kathleen Sullivan †

### \*\*\* DINNER DANCE /AUCTION NEWS \*\*\*

Please join us for "A night at the Oscars"  
March 5<sup>th</sup> 2011 So. San Francisco Convention Center.  
You may purchase your tickets this weekend after  
9:30 & 11:30 Sunday Mass or by calling Carolyn Uroz  
At 650-302-8850. Adults- \$ 75.00 / Seniors- \$65.00



AS A PARISH COMMUNITY, WE PRAY FOR... OUR NATION. MAY WE BECOME THE LAND OF THE LIVING, RESPECTING THE SANCTITY OF ALL HUMAN LIFE FROM THE FIRST MOMENT OF CONCEPTION UNTIL NATURAL DEATH.



Our sincere sympathy to the family of Lidia Molina who died recently.



### St. Patrick's Seminary and University

Today's second collection is for St. Patrick's Seminary and University, the Seminary of the Archdiocese of San Francisco. Proceeds from the collection will provide the seminary with much-needed funds to sustain its quality priestly formation programs. Envelopes and flyers are available in the pews/ vestibules. Please be generous in supporting this important collection.

#### SANCTITY OF LIFE:

Now is one of the saddest moments in history. Abortion, partial-birth abortion, assisted suicide and euthanasia are becoming acceptable practices in our nation and throughout the world. What can we do to reverse this trend? We can cease to be timid when these subjects come up in conversation and express our views on the sanctity of all life. We can send letters to our leaders in government, asking them to reach deep within their hearts before they make decisions on life issues. We can give of ourselves to those in need, especially to women who are pregnant. Every human life is holy and needs the protection, appreciation and love that God asks us to give. Let us continue to pray that we will see one another as God sees us and love one another as God loves us

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

July 1st to Jan 16, 2011 (goal)	275,740.00
July 1st to Jan 16th (actual)	255,455.53
7/1/10-6/30/11 Weekly Goal Collection (actual 1/16)	10,490.00 8,987.73

Thank you for your generous donation of **\$3,944.50** to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal

### KINDERGARTEN APPLICATION

Applications for Kindergarten for the 2011-2012 school year will take place in the school office January 24th through January 28th from 8:30-2 p.m. Your child must be 5 years of age by September 1, 2011. You will need a copy of your child's birth and baptismal certificates, social security card, and a family picture.

### OPEN HOUSE

St. Robert School will hold its annual Open House on Thursday evening, January 27th from 7-8 p.m.

### NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

*St. Robert School, mindful of its mission to be witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students of any race, color and national and/or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at this school. St. Robert School does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color and national and/or ethnic origin in administration of education policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, athletic and other school administered programs.*

### WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

David & Franziska Bui & Family  
Brian Collins & Diane Cruz & Family  
Marc & Kari Crosina & Family  
Julian & Cecile Quesada & Family

### 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. We will send you a new Parishioner Packet with information about the parish, its organizations and groups. If you chose, you can register online at: [www.saintroberts.org](http://www.saintroberts.org).

### Annual Juvenile restorative Justice Minister's Training

Saturday, January 29, 2011  
(8:00 am to 5:00 pm)

**St. Brendan's Church**  
San Francisco

Please contact Julio Escobar (415 224-5594) for an interview.

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/JAN 29 & 30

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

**Presider:** Fr. Obet

**Eucharistic Ministers:** R. Hanley (C)

D. Hageman, T. Dachauer, A. Ciraulo, M. Murphy,  
J. Brooks, R. Aveson

**Lectors:** M. Dachauer and P. Scannell

**Altar Servers:** C. Lynch and P. Lynch

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

**Presider:** Fr. Ring

**Eucharistic Ministers:** R. Vassallo (C)

E. Ruggiero, R. Jardin, R. Lahoz, F. Reyes

**Lectors:** S. Heaney and J. Moresco

**Altar Servers:** S. Jensen and A. Cronin

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

**Presider:** Fr. Obet

**Eucharistic Ministers:** R. Valdez (C)

J. Kelly, S. Murray, M. Lynch, T. Jones, T. Casey,  
M. Quilici

**Lectors:** Student Lectors

**Altar Servers:** D. Rodriguez, A. Kucsak and C. Shick

**Children's Liturgy:** Mark & Hilda and Bob & Karen

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

**Presider:** Fr. Paul

**Eucharistic Ministers:** V. Valle (C)

D. Murphy, H. Mantler, E. Sanchez, V/L Piccinini,  
A. Maron, C. Forsell

**Lectors:** H. Valle and D. Maron

**Altar Servers:** D. Arellano and F. Valle

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

**Presider:** Fr. Paul

**Eucharistic Ministers:** M. Salvato (C)

U. Uniacke, B. Pace, M. Santiago, J. Semeniuk,  
M. Aberoutte, T. Estelita

**Lector:** N. Buencamino and M. Innes

**Altar Servers:** R. Uniacke and K. Uniacke

### **WEEKLY READINGS**

#### Monday-January 24th

Readings: Heb 9:15, 24-28 Mk 3:22-30

#### Tuesday-January 25th

Readings: Acts 22:3-16 Mk 16:15-18

#### Wednesday-January 26th

Readings: 2 Tm 1:1-8 Mk 4:1-20

#### Thursday-January 27th

Readings: Heb 10:19-25 Mk 4:21-25

#### Friday-January 28th

Readings: Heb 10:32-39 Mk 4:26-34

#### Saturday-January 29th

Readings: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Mk 4:35-41

#### Sunday-January 30th

Readings: Zep 2:3, 3:12-13 1 Cor 1:26-31 Mt 5:1-12a

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### **Mission Hospice & Home Care**

Missions Hospice & Home Care will be holding a seminar for anyone interested in becoming a volunteer on Tuesday February 15, 2011 from 12 to 1 pm. and 5:30 to 6:30 pm.

For more information and application visit [www.missionhospice.org](http://www.missionhospice.org) or call Hank Nouse at 650-554-1000.

### **WORLD DAY OF THE SICK MASS**

**Archbishop George Neiderauer**

Principal Celebrant

**Saturday, February 12th, 2011,**

**Noon**

Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption

### **AIDS LUNCH –Feb. 9th**

The second Wednesday of the month is our donation day. If you can help by providing your favorite dish for up to 12 people that would be great. Please put in a non-returnable container and leave in the little church room in the vestibule of the Church by 9:30 am. Frozen items are acceptable.

***Thank you for your continued assistance.***



### **Living Liturgy**

The Call to Unity

The first reading may sound familiar to you; the second part of it is a section of the Christmas Midnight Mass reading. The Jewish people of Isaiah's time were in horrible straits and yet, he speaks as though all is wonderful. He is remembering all the times God has been faithful and is asserting that God will continue to be with them even though they aren't experiencing that presence at the moment. As we often do when trying to encourage a friend or colleague going through hard times, he wants them to know that things will get better.

Paul's words in the second reading admonish a divided Christian community to "be united in the same mind and in the same purpose" and to put aside their rivalries. Their common ground and source of their unity is the gospel and their baptism into Christ Jesus. Some parishes experienced tensions due to the changes in the Church from Vatican II. What is the proper balance between the authority of the pastor and the consultative authority of the parish council? What kind of music is more appropriate: guitar or organ? Though I wasn't here in those early days of "the changes," it seems to me that we have been blessed with the unity Paul speaks of, at least at this point in our parish history.

President Obama's address to the people of Tucson invites us as citizens to the same unity. Regardless of our political positions, we need to treat each other with respect. "We can question each other's ideas without questioning each other's love of country...our task, working together, is to constantly widen the circle of our concern." (I have the whole text on line if anyone would like to read it.) The debate on the health care bill will be a good indication of whether or not congresspersons have taken the President's words to heart.

Are we able to hear both Paul's words and President Obama's as addressed to ourselves? Haven't we all been guilty sometimes of presuming bad will on the part of those with whom we disagree? Jesus preaches repeatedly, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." Surely, our listening to each other with open hearts and open minds would be a wonderful taste of the kingdom present in our midst. With all the noise around us and technology distracting us constantly, speaking from our hearts and finding someone to truly listen would surely be a gift of God. May we try to be that gift to each other this week. **Peace, S. Sheral**

# HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY



## WOMEN'S GUILD and MEN'S CLUB

Come be a part of the spirit and fun of St. Roberts!

The St. Robert's Men's Club will be hosting our Women's Guild/Men's Club joint meeting and dinner. This is our first joint meeting in a few years and it will be held on a Friday night!!! This can be the beginning to a great date night.

We hope to see you !!

**Friday, February 11th 6:30 p.m.**

**Hennessy Hall**

DINNER: \$20.00 per person (OPEN BAR)

RSVP TO: SRWOMENSGUILD@YAHOO.COM



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1. MARK YOUR CALENDARS - January 2<sup>nd</sup> through January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011.
2. Purchase any of the select thousands of items marked with the school bus tags.
3. Our group will receive 10% of the purchase price.



- ✓ Look for a message that prints on your receipt between Jan 27 – Feb 22.
- ✓ Turn in your receipts to [Rectory or School](#)
- ✓ **Even Better** –Go to [www.escrip.com](http://www.escrip.com) right now and sign up to support our group with your Club Card – This way, we will receive the contribution

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