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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.

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.

Who Do The People Say that I am?

Jesus once asked His disciples who did people say that He was? There were a variety of opinions. Some said He had come to prepare the way for the Messiah, some thought He was a prophet, still others thought He was John the Baptist come back to life. No one, however, said He was the Son of God. That was too much for them to believe.

This is the reason Jesus tells them not to tell anyone about their vision of Him in today's gospel until He has risen from the dead. They can't truly believe He is the Son of God until He proves it by rising from the dead. It is only then that Thomas says to Jesus "You are my Lord and God."

There are many opinions about Jesus today ranging from seeing Him as a myth to proclaiming Him as the Divine Son of God. Things haven't changed very much. Jesus is still controversial, and many believe but many do not.

How about us? Faith is never automatic, nor should it be unquestioning. Our faith like the apostles can gradually deepen as we know and understand Jesus. When we read the scriptures; when we learn from His example and compassion; when we come to know Jesus in prayer, when we deepen our experience of Him in the sacraments, we too can say., "You are My Lord and my God."

Congratulations



Congratulations to all our 80 young people who made their First Reconciliation last Saturday. Thanks also to all the teachers who prepared them.

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-March 17th

Mass Intention 6:30 Eddie Kho †

8:30 Sullivan Family †

Passion Play Reh 7:00pm Church

Tuesday-March 18th

Mass Intention 6:30 Ralph Carrillo † 8:30 John Cesca †

Adult Religious Ed 9:15am Mary's Chapel Rel Ed (Gr 1-5) 3:30pm Hall & Church Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library Confirmation Yr 1 7:00pm Hall

Wednesday-March 19th

Mass Intention 8:30 Michael Spadaro †

Youth Group 6:00pm Hall
Choir Practice 7:00pm Church
Bible Study 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Thursday-March 20th

Mass Intention8:30Sister Mauren Walker †School Board Mtg7:00pmMahoney Room

Friday-March 21st

Mass Intention 6:30 Pauline "Babs" Attard †

8:30 John Cesca † 6:00 pm Church

Stations of the Cross

Saturday-March 22nd

Mass Intention 8:30 Sister Felicitas

Kahler PBVM †

Steven Morena †

4:30 Steven Morena † **AA Meeting** 10:00am Mahoney Room

Dinner Dance Offsite

Sunday-March 23rd

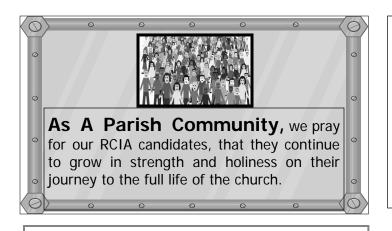
Passion Play Reh 7:00pm Church

Adult Scripture Study

In Advent we covered chapters 1-39 of Isaiah, as a preparation for Christmas. We will meet Wednesday evenings during Lent to cover the rest of the book.

<u>Place</u>: Mahoney Room from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. For more information call Fr. Mike 650-873-3356 or

mkonopik@earthlink.net



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 parish prayers, please call the Rectory at 589-2800

> This week we pray for Eva Maria Stanley

Our sincere sympathy to the families of



Maureen Fitzgerald Jean Hood who died recently



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.

STEWARDSHIP

End of Year Tax Statements

If you would like a letter regarding your 2013 donations, please call the Rectory at (650) 589-2800.

July 1st to March 9th (goal) July 1st to March 9th (actual), (including E Contributions)	358,200.00 355,576.51
7/1/13—6/30/14 Weekly (Goal) Weekly Collection (actual 3/9) E Cont for month of February	9,700.00 7,680.00 5,824.00
Thank you for your generosity	

2013 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 03/11/14 \$21,545.24 has been pledged. Our Archdiocese tax this year is \$94,300

Thank you in advance for your generous donation

Lent

- Station of the Cross every Friday at 6:00 pm
- Fr. Greene's mini-retreat Monday, April 7th beginning with 8:30 am Mass and concluding with lunch.
- Sister Sheral's mini-retreat Saturday, March 29th from 8:30 am until noon and concluding with lunch.
- Lenten Reconciliation Service Tuesday, April 8
 @ 7:00 pm

SR Women's Guild Mardi Gras Dinner Dance & Auction March 22, 2014

"Let the Good Times Roll" and join us for our biggest school fundraiser of the year! So. San Francisco Conference Center 5 p.m. to Midnight \$75 per person, Dinner and Dancing (No host bar)

Come and enjoy a great dinner and dancing as you bid on many great items. Your support is what makes this event such a success each year!! Contact: Carolyn Uroz (urozfmly@aol.com) for tickets.

Any and all donations would be greatly appreciated, i.e. gift cards, services like landscaping or painting, any item to use in gift baskets.

Please contact: Sandra Salazar (ssalazar@sanbrunocable.com) for donations or drop off at the rectory.

Respect for Life

The 40 Days for Life Campaign will kick off on Weds. March 5 and end on Sun. April 13 (Palm Sunday). The rosary will be recited in front of Planned Parenthood at 35 Baywood Ave., San Mateo. St. Robert's day to participate is Weds., March 26, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. To sign up for an hour or two, please contact Mary Nunnery at 588-6349 or www.40daysforlife.com/sanmateo.

Maintenance Committee Meeting

Our Parish Maintenance Committee Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 19th, has been cancelled and will be rescheduled for a later date.

MINISTER SCHEDULE/MARCH 22ND & 23RD

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: C. Holland (C)

P. Guiney, N. Jussaume, A. Ciraulo, D. Interdonato

Lectors: C. Clarke and C. Aveson

Altar Servers: A. Herrera and M. Rodriguez

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike

Eucharistic Ministers: R. Vassallo (C) E. Ruggiero, J Aldinger, A. Buelow, K. Healy

Lectors: T. Clifford and L. Clifford

Altar Servers: V. Borghello and B. Borghello

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: T. Casey (C)

M. Wright, J. Bartolotti, M.A. Saisi, M. Quilici

Lectors: Student

Altar Servers: P. Newman, I. Birkmyer and M. King

Children's Liturgy: Family Mass

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike

Eucharistic Ministers: B. Chester (C)J. Mallia, C. Morgan, C. Mariategue, A. Mariategue

Lectors: J. Puchbauer and S. Puchbauer Altar Servers: A. Jay and N. Uroz

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: G. Huddleston (C) K. Sweeney, K. Ibarra, F. Gomez, L. Aviles

Lectors: G. Picazo and H. Lowood

Altar Servers: P. Uniacke and O. Uniacke

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-March 17th

Readings: Dn 9:4b-10 Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday-March 18th

Readings: Is 1:10, 16-20 Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday-March 19th

Readings: 2 Sm 7:4-51, 12-14a, 16 Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22

Thursday-March 20th

Readings: Jer 17:5-10 Lk 16:19-31

Friday-March 21st

Readings: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a Mt 21:33-43,45-46

Saturday-March 22nd

Readings: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday-March 23rd

Readings: Ex 17:3-7 Rom 5:1-2, 5-8 Jn 4:5-42