

Saint Robert's Church

November 10, 2019



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Deacon John Meyer, Pastoral Associate
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Mr. Kevin Imbimbo

PARISH SCHOOL - 583-5065

MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday)
Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 5:00 pm
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.
Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.**

Dear Friends,

I sit here gazing at Gene's garden, sipping Earl Grey tea, remembering that October day, ten years ago, when Jesus took my husband Gene home to be with Him in heaven. My daughter Jeannie and I sat in our living room watching the sun rise. The sky turned a bright crimson. It hadn't rained in many months; yet, above a fluffy little white cloud, both of us saw a glorious rainbow – God's sign of hope! At that time, I wondered: "How can I ever live without Gene?" I am still here! God gives us the hope and the strength we need to go on. He lives within us, loving us and showing us the way.

We have just celebrated the Feast of All Souls. November is the month in which we remember and honor those we love who have gone before us. Truly they are not really gone. Love never ends. Because of our love for one another, they remain always with us. Now is the time to remember the joy they brought into our lives; the moments we shared; the kind and loving things they said and did; the twinkle in their eyes; their contagious smile and the touch of their hand. Before Jesus ascended into heaven, He told us: ***"I go now to prepare a place for you so that where I am you too shall also be."***

When sadness fills our hearts, let us remind ourselves of what Our God has promised us:

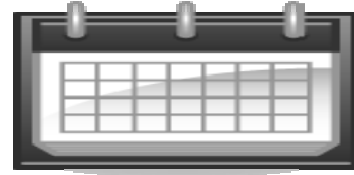
"Our tears will be turned into laughter." One day, we will be together. May the peace of Our Lord be with you now and forever.

Anna May

VETERAN'S DAY

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, November 11th, in observance of Veteran's Day.

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-November 11th

Mass Intention 8:30 All Souls †
St. Vincent de Paul 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Tuesday-November 12th

Mass Intention 8:30 Sister Ita Cleary †
Rel Ed (Grades 1-5) 3:30pm School & Hall
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Rectory
Rel Ed (Jr. High) 7:00pm Hall

Wednesday-November 13th

Mass Intention 8:30 Dan Williams †
Choir Practice 7:00pm Church
RCIA 7:00pm Rectory

Thursday-November 14th

Mass Intention 8:30 Charles & Rita Agius †
Children's Choir 3:00pm Hall

Friday-November 15th

Mass Intention 8:30 Graham Patterson †
Inbetweeners 6:30pm Hall

Saturday-November 16th

Mass Intention 8:30 Milan Kovacevic †
4:30 Pietro Malatesta †
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room

Two Reminders

We're all busy with many tasks to occupy our days and nights, but the safety power outages and our local elections have brought us two opportunities to recall important happenings in the future. The loss of power for 40+ hours for many of our households might be a wake-up call to get us ready for the earthquake which may be coming. We'll need to be self-sufficient for 3 days and there are several websites with essential items recommended.

Even though the election primary is some months away, it's not too early to register or re-register to vote if you've changed your name or political party or moved. You need to be a U.S. citizen and 18 or older by election day. You can check your status online or find further information at sos.ca.gov/elections. College students may use either their home away from home address or their traditional home address.



As a community of faith, we pray for all those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. May Jesus console them with his love.

We congratulate the newly baptized

*Isabella Marie Colline
Adelina Victoria Rosaia*

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

- Don Bisagno
- Kevin Bohn
- Vicente Flores
- Bob Lockwood
- Barbara Massini
- Anna May May
- Joan Murphy
- Francisca Perez
- Catherine Roelofsen
- Jennie Stewart
- K. Maafu Tuuhetoka



Our sincere sympathy to the family of

Mercedes Rendon
who died recently



STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to November 3rd (goal)	190,000.00
July 1st to November 3rd (actual) (including E Contributions)	128,466.26
7/1/19—6/30/20 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 11/03)	8,087.55
(E Cont for month of October)	9,279.94
Thank you for your generosity	

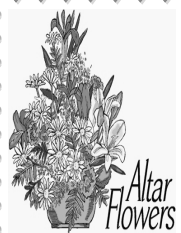
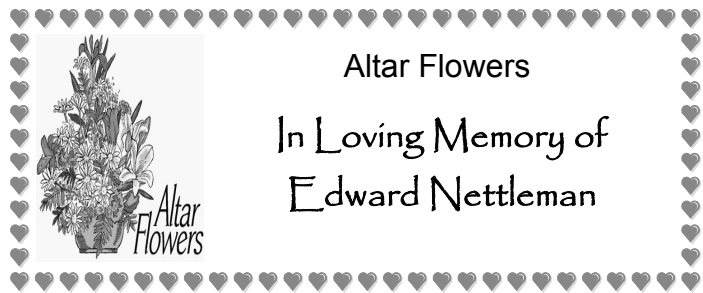
Thank you for your generous donation of **\$1,975.25** to our School, CCD and Confirmation Programs.

2019 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 11/5/19

Archdiocese tax Due	\$ 119,261.00
Total Pledges	\$ 81,638.60
Total Donations to Date	\$ 80,710.60
STILL NEEDED	\$ 37,622.40

Thank you for your generous donation.



Altar Flowers

In Loving Memory of
Edward Nettleman

Fr. Greene Is Doing Well

Fr. Greene's surgery went well and he is making a good recovery. He will be doing therapy for the next two weeks and hopes to be back by the second week in November. Please continue to keep him in your prayers. He is grateful for all your cards, flowers, candy gifts and prayers.

A FAMILY BLESSING

Lord of all, Bless our families.
Be they formed by blood or by circumstances,
Make them holy.

May we find you in our relationships.
In our marriages, in our families,
In our households, in our communities,
In our global humanity.

May we look across all that divides us
And see family, And embrace as a family does.
And love as a family ought to.

For where two or three gather in your name,
There are you. Amen

Catholic Relief Services

ALTAR FLOWERS

Would you like to donate flowers for the altar in memory of a loved one or for a birthday or anniversary? The name or occasion will be highlighted in the bulletin for the week you make the donation for the flowers. For dates and more information, please call the parish office at 589-2800.

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.

Kindergarten Tours

If you are thinking about sending your child to Saint Robert Catholic School, for Kindergarten, now is the perfect time to schedule a Wednesday tour. Come take a walk around the school with the Principal, Dr. Patrick Sullivan, and learn about the many wonderful curriculum choices and activities at your Parish School. Please call 650-583-5065 to schedule a tour. Your child must be five by September 1, 2020 in order to apply for Kindergarten.

Saint Robert Catholic School KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS -2020-2021 School Year

Information and applications for Kindergarten are available now at the school office or at www.saintrobert-school.org. Please personally bring completed Kindergarten applications to the school office by January 15th, 2020, between 8:00am - 3:00 pm.

Applicants must be 5 years of age by September 1, 2020. Please be sure to include with your child's application, a copy of their birth and baptismal certificates, a family picture, and the application fee. Thank you for your interest in our school!

Open House

Saint Robert Catholic School will hold its annual Open House on Sunday, January 26th, 2020, from 10:30am to 12:30pm, after the 9:30am Mass. All are Welcome!

Non-Discrimination Policy

Saint Robert Catholic 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. Saint Robert's Catholic 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.

Men's Club Events

Nov 13th - Cooking for the American Legion members for their November meeting to give our thanks and appreciation to our local veterans at the San Bruno Post on San Mateo Ave in San Bruno. For question for more info please call Rico at 650-869-5009 or e-mail ricomedinasanbruno@yahoo.com

MINISTER SCHEDULE/NOV 16TH & 17TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Albert C. (C)

Barbara R., Erica G., Jean W., Judy S.

Lectors: Christina C. and Paul S.

Altar Servers:

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Brian M. (C)

Elosia C., Sean Q., Tom M., Tricia P.

Lectors: Janet A. and Jomarie M.

Altar Servers: Joaquin C. and Reina C.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Boie

Eucharistic Ministers: Roselle N. (C)

Jorge A., Maryann S., Michael Q., Ruby V.

Lectors: John V. and Michael N.

Children's Liturgy: Kristen and Veronica

Altar Servers: Cristiana K., Tamer M., Tessa C.

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Boie

Eucharistic Ministers: Cynthia M. (C)

Catalina M., Margot G., Rose B., Veronica R.

Lectors: Mario B. and Heidi B.

Altar Servers: Kassidy P. and Makaela P.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Haydee M. (C)

Antonio N., Ken S., Mike S., Zulma T.

Lectors: Neil B. and Robert N.

Altar Servers: Gabriel C. and Paulina M.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-November 11th

Readings: Wis 1:1-7 Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday-November 12th

Readings: Wis 2:23-3:9 Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday-November 13th

Readings: Wis 6:1-11 Lk 17:11-19

Thursday-November 14th

Readings: Wis 7:22b-8:1 Lk 17:20-25

Friday-November 15th

Readings: Wis 13:1-9 Lk 17:26-37

Saturday-November 16th

Readings: Wis 18:14-16, 19:6-9 Lk 18:1-8

Sunday-November 17th

Readings: Mal 3:19-20a 2 Thes 3:7-12
Lk 21:5-19