

Saint Robert's Church December 18, 2022



ST. ROBERT'S PARISH CHRISTMAS 2022

Christmas Eve

Saturday , December 24

4:00 pm, 6:00 pm and 9:00 pm

Christmas Day,

Sunday, December 25

7:30 am, 9:30 am & 11:30 am

No Evening Mass

Dear Lord,
 Don't let us miss You this Christmas season. Help us to simplify our activities and traditions so we can focus our celebration on Your birth. Thank You for being the Prince of Peace, and I ask You for that supernatural peace to reign in our hearts. Thank You for the simple but life-changing message of Your love for us. In Jesus' name, Amen.”

MELANIE CHITWOOD

Adopt a FAMILY for Christmas

Adopt A Family Tree Thank You - Thank You for supporting the Adopt-A Family Tree. Due to your generous support, we were able to make Christmas a little brighter for families in our area. St. Vincent de Paul, Catholic Worker San Mateo Family Services and St. Anthony's of Padua are all very grateful. St. Roberts is blessed with so much generosity. Rob Aveson

Saint Vincent de Paul Society is again thanking all of those who have donated food for our poor families.

MORNING MASS FROM 8:30 TO 8:15 AM

Attention - Daily Mass attendees! Starting January 2, 2023, the daily Mass from Monday to Saturday is being changed from 8:30a.m. to 8:15a.m. This will allow those who start their work at 9a.m. to be able to make it to Mass, better coordination with the school. Our students go to Mass every Friday, this change will allow them to make it back on time for their class instructions and will allow parents to go straight to Mass after they drop off their kids to school.


E-Bulletin

If you would like to receive our E Bulletin from JS Paluch please sign up at <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 download the register form at saintroberts.org. Fill out a registration form you can drop it either in the mail, the parish office or in the collection basket.

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-December 19
 Mass Intention 8:30 Jim Olmo †

Tuesday-December 20
 Mass Intention 8:30 Encarnacion Cruz †

Wednesday-December 21
 Mass Intention 8:30 Adelberto Castillo †

Thursday-December 22
 Mass Intention 8:30 Maria Sanchez Chan (Living)
 7:00 PM Simbang Gabi

Friday-December 23
 Mass Intention 8:30 Heather Frank †
 7:00 PM Simbang Gabi

Saturday- December 24
 Mass Intention 8:30 Manuel & Mary Falzon †
 4:00 People of Saint Robert's
 6:00 People of Saint Robert's
 9:00 People of Saint Robert's

Sunday-December 25
 Mass Intention 7:30 People of Saint Robert's
 9:30 People of Saint Robert's
 11:30 People of Saint Robert's
 NO EVENING MASS

PASTOR SCHEDULE DECEMBER 24 & 25

Saturday/4:00 P.M. Mass-In person
 Presider: Fr. Arnold Zamora

Saturday/6:00 P.M. Mass-In person(Simbang Gabi)
 Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta

Saturday/9:00 P.M. Mass-In person(Simbang Gabi)
 Presider: Fr. Arnold Zamora & Fr. Boie Espeleta

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

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass-In person
 Presider: Fr. Fr. Arnold Zamora

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass- In person
 Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta

No Evening Mass

The Parish Office will be closed
 December 23rd - 26th. We will reopen on
 Tuesday, December 27th.

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

- Mary Aragon
- Jeff Babb
- Al & Marie Basler
- Mary Campbell
- John Chan
- Matthew Coates
- Rafael Flores
- Jean Fung
- Juanita Gheno
- Wendi Gianni
- Elenor Guastavino
- Patrick Henley
- Mary Kelly
- Helen Mantler
- Mary Murphy
- Dolores Patterson
- Frank Marinos
- Francisca Perez
- Pablo Raza
- Catherine & Paul Roelofsen
- Anna Villalobos
- Caleb Wolper

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 1st to November 27th (goal) July 1st to November 27th (actual) (including E Contributions)	TBA Dec 25th
7/1/22—6/30/23 Weekly (Goal) Weekly Collection (actual 11/27) (E Cont for month of October)	TBA Dec 25th
Thank you for your generosity	

Pastoral Associate Needed

We have published our job opening in the archdiocese for a Pastoral Associate for Parish Life and Communication. If you or someone you know is interested in this job, please let us know.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Practicing Roman Catholic in full communion with the Church
- Education, training, experience in theology, faith formation and liturgy
- Leadership skills
- Strong verbal, written, and technology communication skills and knowledge on computer software and applications
- Strong organizational, interpersonal and collaboration skills
- Compassionate presence

GIVE ELECTRONICALLY

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.



St. Roberts Fil-Am Group is celebrating the traditional Simbang Gabi, a nine-day novena of Masses in preparation for Christmas, Dec. 15th thru Dec. 23rd, 7:00 PM. Simbang Gabi expresses the cultural and religious heritage of the Filipinos to prepare and celebrate the birth of Jesus, our Lord. Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend. Our Simbang Gabi culminates on Dec. 23rd with the annual FilAm Christmas party at the Hall. Join us to continue this joyous tradition and celebrate with us with our Savior's birth. For information, food donations, Mass sponsorship, please call Albert Reyes: 650 238-4923, or Thelma Tannis 650 483-2466, or Chris Gandeza 650 245-4040.

**Saint Robert Catholic School
KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS
-2023-2024 School Year**

Information and applications for Kindergarten are available now on line at saintrobert-school.org, under the Admissions tab. Please drop off your completed Kindergarten applications to the school office from January 9th - January 20th.

Applicants must be 5 years of age by September 1, 2023. 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 29th, 2023, 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.

**Communion to the Sick
Volunteers Needed**

If you have a relative or neighbor who is homebound or recuperating from surgery and would like to receive Holy Communion, or if you would like to volunteer, please call Communion Ministry for the Sick, Homebound/Elderly : contact Jeanie Munich 1-650-952-0534

MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Christmas flowers will decorate the church during the Christmas Season. If you would like to make a donation of \$10 toward their purchase in memory or in honor of a loved one, please fill out the form below and return it to the rectory by Tuesday, December 22nd. Please make checks payable to St. Robert's.

My Gift in Memory of: _____

My Gift in Honor of: _____

Given by: _____