

Saint Robert's Church

NOVEMBER 5, 2023

Be Humble

MATTHEW 23:1-12

**Rectory Office: 1380 Crystal Springs Rd.
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**We will continue to live-stream our Masses except
Sunday, 7:30am and 5:00 pm masses
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Youtube**

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**PARISH SCHOOL - (650) 583-5065
Mr. Edgar Ceja, Interim Principal**

**YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY - (650) 589 2800 X 27
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,

We were born in one day. We will die in one day. We can change our fate in one day. So value each "one day" of your life.

A Reminder: " One day, we will all travel in a journey free of cost.

Don't worry about seat reservation- it is confirmed;

The flight is always on time.

Our good deeds will be our luggage.

Humility will be our passport.

Kindness will be our visa.

And,

lots of love will upgrade us to business class."

-Fr. Arnold



1. I am happy to announce the key leaders of the **Implementation Team** of the **Next Generation Parish** project. Taking on the 3 parish priorities identified by our Envisioning Team are: **Cecile Sabater** for Evangelization; **Una Uniacke** for Communication, and **Kevin Nerney** for Participation. We thank them for accepting this important role and responsibility. Pray for these 3 new leaders who will take us to the next phase of the program.

2. I just came back from a 3-day gathering of the National Association of Filipino Priests - USA where about 380 Filipino priests from different parts of the US were assembled in Rutherford, New Jersey. We had a concelebrated solemn pontifical Mass at the St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York, considered as America's parish church. With 4 other bishops, the Mass was presided by Most Rev. Edmund Whalen, auxiliary bishop of New York. We also had a Mass at the Cathedral - Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark, presided by the Most. Rev. Gabriel Caccia, the Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations. There were 7 other bishops in attendance. At the opening ceremony, I got the chance to perform the theme song, "One in Christ," that I co-wrote with Fr. Ricky Manalo. It was also sung at all the Masses!

We congratulate the newly baptized!



Nikko Evangeline Sierra



Altar Flowers
In memory of
Alex Roledher



November

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-November 6

Mass Intention All Souls †

Tuesday-November 7

Mass Intention All Souls †

Wednesday-November 8

Mass Intention 8:15 All Souls †

Thursday-November 9

Mass Intention 8:15 All Souls †

Friday-November 10

Mass Intention 8:15 All Souls †

Saturday-November 11

Mass Intention 8:15 All Souls †
4:30 Benito Dakoza †

Sunday-November 12

Mass Intention 7:30 Angelito Cruz †
9:30 Walter DeLucchi †
11:30 Trudy McKenna †
5:00 Maria Sanchez-Chan (Living)
Heather Frank

PASTOR SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 11 & 12

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

President: Fr. Stewart

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

President: Fr. Boie Espeleta

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

President: Fr. Arnold Zamora

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

President: Fr. Boie Espeleta

Sunday/5:00 Mass-In person only

President: Fr. Arnold Zamora

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
 Tony Avalos
 Alfredo P.
 Al & Marie Basler
 Mary Campbell
 John Chan
 Hugh Coffey
 Rafael Flores
 Jeannie Ray
 Juanita Gheno
 Wendi Gianni
 Elenor Guastavino
 Patrick Henley
 Jackson Kalbhen
 Mary Kelly
 Helen Mantler
 Helen McGinty
 Jay Morena
 Mary Murphy
 Dolores Patterson
 Frank Marinos
 Francisca Perez
 Diego Quintana
 Anthony Ricate
 Juan Razo
 Paul Roelofsen
 Anna Villalobos
 Caleb Wolper



Our sincere sympathy to the families of Al Bianchi, and Daniel Forestiere who both passed away recently.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 1st to October 29 (goal)	\$170,000.00
July 1st to October 29 actual (including E Contributions)	\$122,778.08
7/01/23—6/30/24 Weekly Goal	\$10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 10/29)	\$ 7,831..48
(E Cont for month of September)	\$13,108.53

Thank you for your generosity

2023 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL As of 8/29/2023

Archdiocesan Tax Due:	\$ 103,208.00
Total Pledge:	\$ 75,910.54

SAVE THE DATE



On November 18, 2-4pm, St Robert Youth Ministry is hosting a Bagged Lunch Drive as a community service opportunity for our students. We will be making bagged lunches to donate to the Catholic Workers House in San Bruno for any brothers or sisters in less fortunate situations. This event was a major success last year as we were able to donate over 200 meals to those people in need of the support. It would be

amazing for our young people to come together and serve not only our Church, but communities that need help. For this we are asking donations of the following: Bread, Lunch meat, Peanut butter, jelly, water bottles, factory-sealed individual snacks, gloves, napkins. If you opt for a cash donation, please turn that into the Rectory in an envelope marked "Youth Ministry". Money will be used for the purchase of any supplies not accounted for. Students looking for community service hours, you will receive 2 from this event.

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 Friday tour! Come take a walk around the school with the Principal, Mr. Edgar Ceja, 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, 2024 in order to apply for Kindergarten.



Our St. Robert's Saint Vincent de Paul Society Conference will be having a Thanksgiving Food Drive. You can drop off your donation in the Food Basket displayed in front of the Ambo. Items needed are canned fruit, carrots, mixed vegetables, canned sweet potatoes, cake mixes, frosting, peanut butter (28oz or smaller), and jam (17oz). Lucky Script is also welcomed. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!

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



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