

February 18, 2024

Saint Robert's Church

Lent.
A SEASON OF RENEWAL



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**We will continue to live-stream our Masses except
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Youtube**

**Rev. Arnold Zamora, Pastor
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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.

Today's readings remind us why we partake in this 40-day Lenten journey — to prepare our hearts for the resurrection of Christ on Easter.

St. Peter reminds us in our Second Reading of the blessings we receive from Christ's passion, death, and resurrection — "Christ suffered for sins once... that he might lead you to God." And again, "[Baptism] is... an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ."

To receive the blessings more readily from Christ's passion, death, and resurrection, we too are called to endure 40 days "in the desert." In our Gospel, Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert where He was tempted by Satan. Jesus was called to face trials and to confront evil. During this time, He committed to intense prayer and fasting. It was not necessary for Jesus to go into the desert so that He might be purified, but rather, to endure the temptations of man for our sake. He was fully man, and experienced temptations just like us, yet responded to them perfectly, never falling into sin.

We should strive to fully participate in this Lenten season by mirroring Jesus, the model steward by Whom we are called to imitate. Through our time in the desert, we will confront evil by weeding out the roots of sin in our lives through fasting. And we will be sustained and nourished in the desert by prayer.

Let us strive to purify our hearts so that we might be ready to receive the glorious gift of Christ and partake in the riches that pour forth from this Gift



Ash
Wednesday

FEBRUARY 14, 2024
MASSES AT 8:15 AM AND 7:00 PM



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAY'S AT 6:00 PM

GABRIEL PROJECT

St. Robert's will start working with the Archdiocese of San Francisco on The Gabriel Project to help pregnant women in need in our area. If you would like to lend a hand and become a Gabriel Project angel volunteer, or if you have any questions about volunteering, please contact Caroline, our new Gabriel Project Coordinator at 650-521-1541.



**Our sincere sympathy to the family of
Fidelina Dean
Who passed away recently.**

February

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday-February 19

Mass Intention 8:15 Remy Fernandez -
& Children (living)

Tuesday-February 20

Mass Intention 8:15 George Fanucchi †

Wednesday-February 21

Mass Intention 8:15 Auntie Norma Tanegato (L)
7:00 People of St. Roberts

Thursday-February 22

Mass Intention 8:15 George Fanucchi †

Friday-February 23

Mass Intention 8:15 Trish Harrington †

Saturday-February 24

Mass Intention 8:15 People of Saint Roberts
4:30 Catherine Fenech †
4:30 Joe Muscat †

Sunday-February 25

Mass Intention 7:30 People of Saint Roberts
9:30 Maria Sanchez-Chan (Living)
9:30 Jeffrey Magpusao (Living)
11:30 Rudy Mazzetti †
5:00 People of St. Roberts

PASTOR SCHEDULE FEBRUARY 24 & 25

**Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass-In person
Presider: Fr. Stewart**

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

**Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass-In person
Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta**

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

**Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass-In person
Presider: Fr. Boie Espeleta**

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
- Kristi Boatwright
- Mary Campbell
- John Chan
- Hugh Coffey
- Rafael Flores
- Jeannie Ray
- Juanita Gheno
- Wendi Gianni
- Elenor Guastavino
- Patrick Henley
- Jackson Kalbhen
- Mary Kelly
- Timothy King
- Modesto Lacaro
- Helen Mantler
- Helen McGinty
- Dennis McKenna
- Jay Morena
- Mary Murphy
- Dolores Patterson
- Frank Marinos
- Francisca Perez
- Diego Quintana
- Anthony Ricate
- Juan Razo
- Paul Roelofsen
- Gabriel Solano
- Anna Villalobos
- Caleb Wolper

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 1st to January 21st(goal)	\$320,000.00
July 1st to February 4 (actual) (including E Contributions)	\$251,677.27
July 1st to January 28th(goal)	\$330,000.00
July 1st to February 11 (actual) (including E Contributions)	\$261,084.11
7/01/23—6/30/24 Weekly Goal	\$ 10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 02/04/24)	5,286.35
7/01/23—6/30/24 Weekly Goal	\$ 10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 02/11/24)	6,053.54
E Cont for month of January)	\$17,717.31
Thank you for your generosity	

OFFICE CLOSED

**The Parish Office will be closed
Monday, February 19th in observance of
Presidents' Day**

MARY'S WIDOWS LUNCHEON

February 27th at 11:30 am at Red Robin located at 1274 El Camino Real, San Bruno .. To RSVP or for more information please call Marilyn Dachauer @ (650) 583-7633.

Class of 1974 Reunion

Saint Robert's class of 1974 would like to invite all graduates to a 50 year REUNION to be held on Saturday May 25th, 2024.

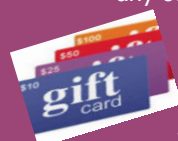
Please contact Janet Monaghan for more information
415-696-1048.



Dear Saint Robert Parish Community,

We are excited to be just a few months away from one of our school's biggest fundraisers of the year! We would love the whole community to participate in this event! We are currently looking for families and businesses who would like to sponsor the event. If this is something you are interested in or know someone who is interested in sponsoring our event please email Vanessa Sittauer vanessamitzi@gmail.com or srauction2024@gmail.com. Any donation big or small will help us make this event successful. We thank you in advance for your generosity. Please see the attached letter for more information.

We are also starting to gather items for our silent and LIVE auction. If you would like to donate please reach out to Christina Qatami at cdabis77@yahoo.com or email srauction2024@gmail.com. Any and all items are welcome. If you have a vacation rental, sporting event tickets or any other big ticket items please reach out to srauctin2024@gmail.com



We have just started our Gift card drive. If you would like to donate a gift card



from VISA, Amazon or BevMo, we would greatly appreciate it! Students are in a contest for the most gift cards donated, so if you would like to give credit to an SR student for a gift card donation please make sure to include their name and grade on the envelope. All envelopes can be sent to the school office.

We appreciate your support!

Sincerely Your 2024 Auction Chairs,
Maureen Faherty, Melanie Kuhls and Michelle Schaukowitch



Memorial Easter Flowers

Easter Flowers will decorate the Church during the Easter Season. If you would like to make a donation of \$10 toward their purchase in memory of or in honor of a loved one, please fill out the form below and return it by

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024

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