

Saint Robert's Church

Nov. 3, 2013



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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.

Dear Friends,

I sit here on our deck under the cool Autumn sun, remembering that Saturday in October when Jesus took my husband Gene home to heaven. I wondered, "How am I ever going to live without Gene?" Four years have gone by; I'm still here. God gives us the hope and strength we need to live on and to once more experience joy.

We have just celebrated the Feasts of All Saints and All Souls. November is the month in which we remember and honor those we love who have gone before us. Truly though, they are not gone - love never dies - these beloved ones remain always with us. Now is a special time to remember the happiness they brought into our lives; the moments we shared; the kind, loving things they said and did; the twinkle in their eyes; their contagious smile and the warm touch of their hand.

Before He ascended into heaven, Jesus told us: **"I go now to prepare a place for you so that where I am you too shall also be."** Gene lives forever in the presence of our God -That heaven isn't some place way up there. When sadness enters our hearts, let us remind ourselves of what God has promised: **"Our tears will be turned into laughter"**. One day we will be together forever. Let us keep the eyes of our hearts open – then we will find joy in our life.

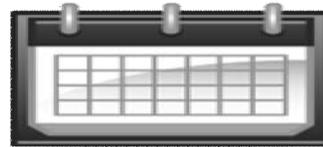
May the peace of Christ be with you always,

Anna May

SPECIAL THANKS

We would like to thank Jim Brown and his crew for changing all the lights in the church and fixing the light in the lower parking lot. Things are a lot brighter! Jim serves as the Chairman of our Maintenance Committee and we are very grateful to him for his generosity.

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-November 4th

Mass Intention 6:30 All Souls †
8:30 Thomas Santuccio †
Men's Club Mtg 6:00pm Hall
St. Vincent de Paul 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Tuesday-November 5th

Mass Intention 6:30 All Souls †
8:30 John Murphy †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Mary's Chapel
Rel Classes (Gr 1-5) 3:00pm Hall & Church
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library
Rel Ed/Jr. Hi 7:00pm Hall

Wednesday-November 6th

Mass Intention 8:30 All Souls †
Grief Support Mtg 9:00am Mary's Chapel
Youth Group 6:00pm Hall
Choir Practice 7:00pm Church
Scripture Study 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Thursday-November 7th

Mass Intention 8:30 All Souls †

Friday-November 8th

Mass Intention 8:30 All Souls †
6pm Donna Glass †

Saturday-November 9th

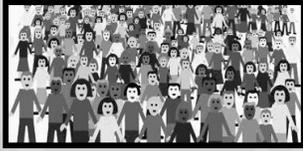
Mass Intention 8:30 All Souls †
4:30 John Galea †
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room
Grief Consolation 3:00pm Convent

Sunday-November 10th

Mass Intention 7:30 Bob McEachern †
9:30 All Souls †
11:30 People of St. Robert's
5:00 Giovanni & Dominica
Cotroneo †

THANKS

We are installing a new railing in the sanctuary of the Church to help our Eucharistic Ministers with the sanctuary steps. This rail is a generous gift from our parishioner Eleanor Ross. Many thanks, Eleanor!



As A Parish Community, we pray for those we love who have died. May they rejoice forever in the place Jesus has prepared for them.

Our sincere sympathy to the family of



Carolyn Brown
Madlyn Fletcher
Theresa Schembri
who died recently



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
Judy, Dan and Tony***

Permanent Diaconate Informational Evenings

Deacon John and Deacon Rusty would like to invite any men who might be interested in the Permanent Diaconate to contact us or plan to attend an informational meeting on Nov 18th in SF or Nov 25th in San Mateo. Single and married men between the ages of 30 and 60 may attend. If you are married please attend with your wife. For more information please see the flyer by the entrance to the church or contact Deacon Rusty at the rectory. We look forward to hearing from you.

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to Oct 27th (goal)	173,200.00
July 1st to Oct 27th (actual), (including E Contributions)	159,034.90
7/1/13—6/30/14 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 10/27)	8,661.66
E Cont for month of September	5,969.00
Thank you for your generosity	

2013 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

**As of 10/30/13 \$73,234.82
has been pledged.**

Our Archdiocese tax this year is \$87,300

*Thank you in advance
for your generous donation*

Tuesday Mornings

If you're free Tuesday mornings at 9:15, the adult religious education group will be discussing a book by Joan Chittister, OSB, *A Passion for Life, Fragments of the Face of God.* We've just begun and will be enriched by the lives of 29 holy people, some recognized saints and some not yet recognized. Please contact Sr. Sheral if you'd like to be part of the group at sheralmar@aol.com or call at 650-589-2800.

It's that time of year again

Please help us continue our Thanksgiving Tradition, as we share our blessings with those in need. St. Vincent de Paul volunteers will be delivering Thanksgiving food bags to needy families living in St. Robert's Parish. We will need items to ensure a good traditional Thanksgiving dinner. We need the following items: cranberry sauce, chicken broth, turkey stuffing, mashed potato mix, canned yams, and canned pumpkin. Please place your gifts in the baskets located on the altar steps.

Thanking you on behalf of the less fortunate.
St. Vincent de Paul Society

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

- Edgar & Wendy Martis
- Douglas & Geralynn Soga & Family
- Brian & Lisa Ayoob & Family
- Paul & Raquel Rose & Family
- Carl & Nicole Wind & Family
- Aaron & Elizabeth Duran & Family
- Josh & Cheryl Anne Napier & Family

***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.

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.

MINISTER SCHEDULE/NOV 9TH & 10TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Murphy (C)
N. Jussaume, D. Interdonato, J. Beltrano, J. Waldvogel
Lectors: V. Baca and C. Clarke
Altar Servers: J. Lucas and A. Zamattia

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene
Eucharistic Ministers: B. Mullins (C)
K. Healy, S. Quinn, A. Buelow, J. Aldinger
Lectors: S. McDonagh and A. Reyes
Altar Servers: M. Rodriguez and M. Jensen

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene
Eucharistic Ministers: U. Uniacke (C)
M. Bourne, T. Jones, A. Solis, K. Martinez
Lectors: J. Bartolotti and J. Valdez
Altar Servers: I. Birkmyer, J. Marty and A. Jay
Children's Liturgy: Mary Ann and Gus

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: R. Benavente (C)
D. Sosa, J. Mallia, B. Chester, F. Firpo
Lectors: T. Tannis and M. Benavente
Altar Servers: M. King and N. Uroz

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Dowden (C)
T. Estelita, M. Salvato, G. Lynch, H. Marshall
Lectors: B. Torres and N. Buencamino
Altar Servers: K. Patron and N. Estelita

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-November 4th

Readings: Rom 11:29-36 Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday-November 5th

Readings: Rom 12:5-16b Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday-November 6th

Readings: Rom 13:8-10 Lk 14:25-33

Thursday-November 7th

Readings: Rom 14:7-12 Lk 15:1-10

Friday-November 8th

Readings: Rom 15:14-21 Lk 16:1-8

Saturday-November 9th

Readings: 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 Jn 2:13-22

Sunday-November 10th

Readings: 2 Mc 7:1-2,9-14 2 Thes 2:16-3:5 Lk 20:27-38