

# Saint Robert's Church

July 20, 2014



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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 Parishioners,

As I watched the news ten days ago of the thousands of children crossing our southern border without documents, I was appalled by the scene of people in Murrietta, Southern California with signs reading, "Go Home!" and yelling, "USA! USA!" These children had just travelled 1500 to 2000 miles on train roofs, risking their lives to be greeted in this way. I can't imagine how desperate their parents must have been to decide that sending their children north where they at least have a chance for a safer life is better than the certain danger from drug gangs and violence.

Some may blame this influx on a misunderstanding of President Obama's announcement over a year ago of the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals status for young people brought here as children by their parents. Perhaps, "coyotes" who smuggle immigrants into the country have spread this rumor. Or perhaps, some of the children actually do have relatives here and parents cannot imagine their not being able to stay with them because of the real and present danger in Guatemala, Honduras and El Salvador. Or perhaps, some, like the 15 year old who died of dehydration in the desert, went north in spite of their parents' pleading.

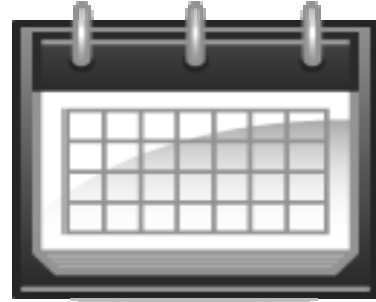
Drug trafficking and the gang warfare it causes would not be so terrible were it not for the thriving market for illegal drugs here and in Europe. Do we not bear some responsibility for those conditions pushing young people north? Unless we have Native American roots, does not our heritage as immigrants ourselves, either recently or generations ago, influence our response?

Let us pray that this "crisis on the border" as it has been called may help us to respond with fairness and compassion to these children. And may we address the comprehensive immigration reform which our bishops and many other faith-based groups have called for.

Peace, S. Sheral

Please remember Saint Robert's Church when making a will or trust.

## THE WEEK AHEAD



### Monday-July 21st

Mass Intention 6:30 Presentation Sisters  
8:30 Burton Hart †

### Tuesday-July 22nd

Mass Intention 6:30 Sister Annunciata  
Murtagh †  
8:30 Eugene Cacas †

### Wednesday-July 23rd

Mass Intention 8:30 Walter Santilli †

### Thursday-July 24th

Mass Intention 8:30 Msgr. Nnanna †

### Friday-July 25th

Mass Intention 6:30 Sister Winnie Kirwan †  
8:30 Rita Fambrini †

### Saturday-July 26th

Mass Intention 8:30 Rosa & Natalio  
Cademartori †  
4:30 Msgr. Bruce Dreier †

### ST. ROBERTS ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL "Mardi Gras" September 19, 20, 21, 2014



Mark your calendars for this year's annual parish festival. Once again the BBQ, Food and Garlic Fry Booths are in need of your help. Several people are needed so if you would like to help in any of these booths or can help in any way, please contact Louise and Ray Downs or Raquel and Jeff Downs at noniepapapdowns@att.net or 650-355-1927.



As A Parish Community, we pray that all Christians will be led by the Holy Spirit to form one Holy Church committed to sowing the compassion, mercy and love of Jesus to every corner of the earth.

**WE CONGRATULATE  
THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**

*Conor Michael Fabel  
Ella Marie Mutto  
Enrique Emilio Zavala*



*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***

*Linda Costa  
Rick Gibeau*

**Our sincere sympathy to the family of Cheryl Kramer who died recently**



# STEWARDSHIP

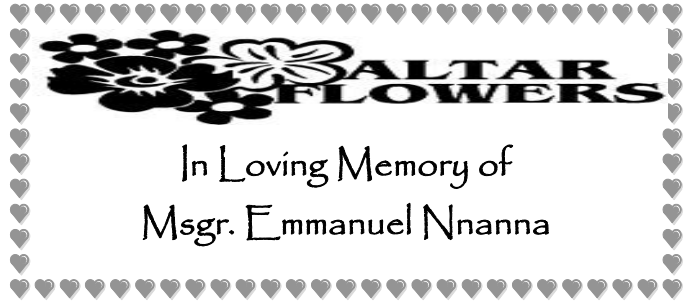
## Summer Support

Thanks to all of you for your continued financial support during the summer months.

July 1st to July 13th (goal)	19,400.00
July 1st to July 13th (actual), (including E Contributions)	14,395.98
7/1/14—6/30/15 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 7/13)	6,911.95
E Cont for month of June	6,241.00
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of **\$2,459.22** to our St. Vincent de Paul Society.

**2014 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**  
As of 07/15/14 \$69,755.04 has been pledged.  
Our Archdiocese tax this year is \$94,300  
**Thank you in advance for your generous donation**



In Loving Memory of  
Msgr. Emmanuel Nnanna

### Jesus: A Pilgrimage

This is the book by James Martin, SJ which the Tuesday morning group will be reading when we resume in September. We meet in Mary's Chapel after the Our Lady of Perpetual Help devotions around 9:15 am. He is a marvelous writer with the gift of connecting Catholic spirituality with our everyday lives. You are cordially invited to join us for our sharing! If you'd like to order a book, even if you're not able to join us, please send me an e-mail and I'll be happy to order one for you. I don't know what the cost will be since I'll order them from Amazon and it depends on what they have available. The Kindle version is \$14 and the hardcover ones are about \$17 at the moment. Thanks. Sheral (sheralmar@aol.com)

### MARY'S WIDOWS

If you are a widow, we cordially invite you to join our Mary's Widows Group. Some have been widowed for many years; others are new widows. We meet for lunch once a month to offer each other support. For further information and the time and place of our next meeting, please call Anna May at 589-7087. Life is good - Mary's Widows makes it even better!

### Grocery Program

We're always happy for the help if you're available on Wednesday, July 23 from 1 to 4:45 pm for the monthly Second Harvest grocery distribution at Belle Air School. Wear your old clothes and closed shoes and enjoy the smiles of the children and "thank you s" from so many parents who rely on this food to see them through the end of the month. Even if you can't stay the entire time, you're most welcome. Service hours gladly given! Contact Sr. Sheral if you have questions at 589-2800. Thank you.

### 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](http://www.saintroberts.org).

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/JULY 26TH & 27TH

## **Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass**

**Presider:** Fr. Stewart  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** J. Waldvogel  
J. Beltrano, C. Holland, R. Aveson, Z. Tamayo  
**Lectors:** C. Aveson and C. Bonner  
**Altar Servers:** M. Rodriguez and P. Toomey

## **Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass**

**Presider:** Fr. Greene  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** B. Mullins  
A. Buelow, K. Healy, L. Reyes, R. Vassallo  
**Lectors:** A. Reyes and A. Cotroneo  
**Altar Servers:** D. Caoili and J. Cordero

## **Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass**

**Presider:** Fr. Greene  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** A. Brugnara  
A. Solis, K. Martinez, L. Cesca, M. Saisi  
**Lectors:** S. Kho and J. Co  
**Altar Servers:** C. Clifford and G. Thompson  
**Children's Liturgy:** Family Mass

## **Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass**

**Presider:** Fr. Mike  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** M. Sorhouet  
E. Sanchez, A. Reid, J. Mallia, L. Sing  
**Lectors:** Z. Coronel and R. Hill  
**Altar Servers:** J. Guevara and C. Madrigal

## **Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass**

**Presider:** Fr. Mike  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** A. Navarro  
H. Marshall, J. Cutler, K. Sweeney, M. Elmore  
**Lectors:** G. Picazo and N. O'Reilly  
**Altar Servers:** S. Godfrey and P. Newman

### WEEKLY READINGS

#### Monday-July 21st

Readings: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8 Mt 12:38-42

#### Tuesday-July 22nd

Readings: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

#### Wednesday-July 23rd

Readings: Jer 1:1, 4-10 Mt 13:1-9

#### Thursday-July 24th

Readings: Jer 1:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 Mt 13:10-17

#### Friday-July 25th

Readings: 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28

#### Saturday-July 26th

Readings: Jer 7:1-11 Mt 13:24-30

#### Sunday-July 27th

Readings: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12 Rom 8:28-30 Mt 13:44-52