

Saint Robert's Church

Sept. 13, 2015



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Sister Antonio Heaphy, PBVM
Sister Vianney Buckley, PBVM
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Mrs. Judy DeMartini, **589-2800**
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Ms. Joanne Bartolotti - Director
Mrs. Leslie Fong, Office Manager

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Mr. Kevin Imbimbo

MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday)
Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 5:00 pm
Holy Day Masses: 8:30 am and 6:00 pm

Weekdays: Masses are 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,

Our almost unbelievable Pope Francis has done it again! He keeps being like Jesus, doing things no other prophet or teacher or leader of the world's billion Catholics has ever done. Jesus shocked everyone by touching those who were considered unclean or great sinners and Francis keeps reaching out to ordinary people with their complicated and often sorrowful lives. If you don't have a computer, go to the library or to a relative's or friend's house. If you didn't see it on Sept. 3, go to <http://abcnews.go.com/US/fullpage/pope-francis-people-33178200> and be amazed at the interaction with the Pope and unsuspecting people in three U.S. cities. Through technology, they and the Pope have marvelous conversations and include all of us in their honest and emotional exchanges.

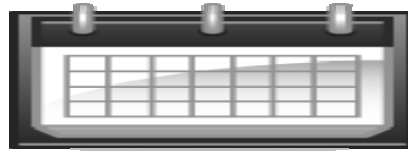
The second reading from St. James includes the declaration, "Faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead." Seeing this video, we have a clearer sense of why Pope Francis has declared Dec. 8 onward a Year of Mercy. It is obviously the main focus of his leadership, following the Good Shepherd and encouraging the rest of us to do the same with every opportunity he has.

Who among your circle of family and friends needs you to show the mercy of Christ? How might you show mercy to yourself when you are stressed out or in need of some refreshment? May the Spirit of God and the example of Francis guide us in the coming week! S. Sheral

COMMUNION SERVICES

We will have a Communion Service every Monday at 8:30 am during Fr. Greene's vacation (through October 5th).

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-September 14th

St. Vincent de Paul 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Tuesday-September 15th

Mass Intention	8:30	Joe Chetcuti †
<i>Adult Rel Ed</i>	<i>9:15am</i>	<i>Church</i>
<i>Rel Ed (Gr 1-5)</i>	<i>3:30pm</i>	<i>Hall & Church</i>
<i>Legion of Mary</i>	<i>6:30pm</i>	<i>Library</i>
<i>Pope's Encyclical</i>	<i>7:00pm</i>	<i>Mary's Chapel</i>

Wednesday-September 16th

Mass Intention 8:30 Ray Capella †

Thursday-September 17th

Mass Intention 8:30 Paul & Rosina Vella †

Friday-September 18th

PARISH FESTIVAL

Mass Intention 8:30 Bill & Nancy Curtis †

Saturday-September 19th

PARISH FESTIVAL

Mass Intention 8:30 Phillip Lopez †
4:30 Steven Morena †

Sunday-September 20th

PARISH FESTIVAL

ALTAR SOCIETY - MARTHA'S

Here at St. Robert's, we find ourselves in need of a few more ladies to join our Martha's. As a Martha, your duties are to: dust the altar, ambo, piano and organ; remove wax from candle holders and polish them; keep the sanctuary clean and tidy; take home altar linens; wash and iron them. Your commitment will be only 4 mornings for one month each year. If you feel the desire to serve Jesus and His people in this way, please call Anna May at 589-7087. We need you!

COMMUNITY



As a Parish Community we pray for all children who are going through some illness. May God give them and their parent's strength.



WE CONGRATULATE
THE NEWLY MARRIED

Allison Jimenez & Gerard Socco III



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
Fr. Vincent Ring
Soccy Morales
Gianna DeMartini

Our sincere sympathy to the family of
Debra Burke
who died recently



ALTAR FLOWERS

To The Love of My Life Whom I
Married on September 11, 1943
Deacon Jack Bourne

FR. GREENE'S VACATION

Every priest in the Archdiocese receives one month vacation. Usually I take two weeks at a time at two different times of the year. This year I am unable to do this. As you know, I have been alone at Saint Robert's since before Easter. We no longer have an associate pastor. Because of the wedding schedules in August and October, the only time I can take my vacation is in the month of September.

Unfortunately, because of this, I will not be here for the Parish Festival. I feel very bad about this, but I hope you will understand. It is also the only time I can find priests to cover our Masses. Fr. Stewart has generously agreed to live at Saint Robert's during my vacation. We also have four other priests who will help on the weekends. I will be gone from September 6th to October 7th.

Thank you for your understanding.

Fr. John L. Greene
Pastor

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to August 30th (goal)	98,000.00
July 1st to August 30th (actual) (including E Contributions)	94,994.94
7/1/15—6/30/16 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 8/30)	8,218.80
E Cont for month of August	6,447.50

Thank you for your generosity

2015 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 8/20/15 \$71,948.37

has been pledged.

Our Archdiocese tax for 2015 is \$95,600

Thank you in advance for your generous donation.

Thank you for your generous donation of
\$1,887.13
to our School, CCD and Confirmation Programs.

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

RCIA

We will begin our RCIA program in October. Any adult 18 and over who wishes to be baptized or would like to become a Catholic is invited to join this class. Any Catholic who wants to make their First Communion or Confirmation is invited to attend this class. For more information please call Sr. Sheral or Fr. Greene at 650-589-2800.

St. Robert's Grief and Consolation Group will meet on Saturday, September 26, 2015. We meet every other Saturday @ the Convent, 349 Oak Ave. San Bruno from 3:00 - 4:15 p.m. All are welcome whether your loss is very recent or you are suffering grief for some time. For more information e-mail posullivan3@juno.com or call Sister Patricia (650-763-8822).

MINISTER SCHEDULE/SEPT 19TH & 20TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Diane I.

Albert C., Katie B., Ken S., Rob A.

Lectors: Christina C. and Cathy A.

Altar Server: Haylee K. and Jacqueline K.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. David

Eucharistic Ministers: Agnes D.

Ann B., Marcela S., Rose V., Sean Q.

Lectors: Alexandra C. and Al R.

Altar Server: Diego C. and Luca K.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Una U.

Alex L., Joanne B., Margo W., Zulma T.

Lectors: Kristi L. and Joanne B.

Altar Servers: Grace T., Milo C. and Sophia G.

Children's Liturgy: Lisa and Ben

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. David

Eucharistic Ministers: Encar S.

Anacrina M., Catalina M., Charlie A., Marie S.

Lectors: Josh L. and Victoria G.

Altar Servers: Michelle B. and Victoria G.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Dodi T.

Antonio N., Gerry H., Lorena A., Mary D.

Lectors: Henry L. and Gigi P.

Altar Server: Claudia S. and Elissia M.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-September 14th

Readings: Nm 21:4b-9 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17

Tuesday-September 15th

Readings: 1 Tm 3:1-13 Jn 19:25-27

Wednesday-September 16th

Readings: 1 Tm 3:14-16 Lk 7:31-35

Thursday-September 17th

Readings: 1 Tm 4:12-16 Lk 7:36-50

Friday-September 18th

Readings: 1 Tm 6:2c-12 Lk 8:1-3

Saturday-September 19th

Readings: 1 Tm 6:13-16 Lk 8:4-15

Sunday-September 20th

Readings: Wis 2:12, 17-20 Jas 3:16—4:3 Mk 9:30-37



WANTED



WILD WILD WEST FESTIVAL

Sept 18-20th

T-shirts only \$12 Reusable Bags \$3

Sold after most masses on Sundays or
send orders to Shannon Rohatch

C/O: Zachary in 5th or Presley in 2nd

ALL STUDENTS K-5 NEED A SHIRT FOR THEIR
FESTIVAL PERFORMANCE!

Checks payable to "St Robert"

INFO: Shannon 650-823-2147 srohatch@aol.com

ST. ROBERT'S ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL "WILD, WILD WEST" SEPTEMBER 18, 19, 20, 2015

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 always needed to work in these very popular booths and everyone from the parish is welcome to help. Most shifts are for 2 hours, but you are welcome to work for as many hours/days that you wish.

If you would like to help in any of these booths or can help in any way, please contact Louise & Ray Downs or Raquel & Jeff Downs by phone at 650-355-1927 or by email at noniepapadowns@att.net.

MISSION TRIP

Join St. Robert's Family on Saturday, October 3rd on a trip visiting 3 Missions/Shrines in Santa Cruz & Santa Clara. The bus leaves from SR at 8am and returns at approximately 7pm. Light refreshments are served at 7am, and a delicious lunch at the Santa Cruz Wharf at Gilda's. Total cost including morning refreshments and lunch is \$100. Join us for a tour of historic missions. For more info, please call the Marilyn 650) 583-7633. All are welcome!

WOMEN'S GUILD PRESENTS

Saddle Up FOR 2015-2016



ALL WOMEN OF ST. ROBERT CHURCH & SCHOOL ARE WELCOME

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2015
AT 6:30 PM**

HENNESSEY HALL

**\$15 PER PERSON
\$1 RAFFLE TICKETS (OPTIONAL)**



**SERVING:
BBQ SANDWICHES
AND ALL THE FIXINS**

**SPECIALTY COCKTAIL:
HOP, SKIP & GO**

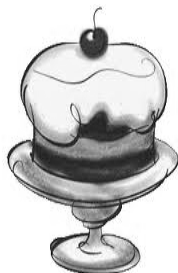
RSVP ON OUR NEW WEBSITE:
<https://sites.google.com/site/srwomensguild/home>

HAVE A QUESTION?

Email us at our new address: srwomensguild@gmail.com

FESTIVAL CAKE BOOTH

CAKES, COOKIES, BROWNIES, YOUR SPECIALTY NEEDED!



It's your generous donations that make the Cake Booth a Festival favorite and successful every year. Please be a part of this amazing community tradition and drop off your donations Friday, Sept 18 at 8am and noon at Hennessy Hall. We also welcome and encourage your delicious treats to be dropped off at the Cake Booth throughout the Festival.

Please contact Dina Thompson at 650-692-5277 with any questions.

Thank you and Happy Baking!

Wine & Cheese Booth Donation Request

School families and Parishioners:

Bring your donations to the school office, we can pick them up from you or you can bring them to the Wine and Cheese Booth during the festival. Please leave your name with your donation. We will gladly accept: Gift cards for: Trader Joe's, Safeway, Mollie Stone's, BevMo, Lunardi and Lucky



Reds: Cabernet, Pinot Noir, Zinfandel, etc. **Whites:** Chardonnay, SauvignonBlanc, Pinot Grigio, etc.

Cheese Options: 4 ounces to 1 pound BabyBell, Brie, RomaHavarti, Parmesan, Cambazola, Tubs of shredded, crumbled or grated cheeses, Blocks of Cheddar, Swiss, Monterey Jack
Packages of sandwich slices.no, Gorgonzola,

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL

Alexis Shaughnessy ajshaughnessy@sbcglobal.net 650-703-0471

Sonya Cacianti slcacianti@sbcglobal.net 650-773-5322



September 20, 2015

BINGO

Y'all come join Nanna Jo and Grandma Carmon
Sunday, September 20, 2015

Doors open at noon
Bingo starts at 1:00 PM in Hennessy Hall
Free drawing every ½ hour
Children Welcome

Bring this coupon and get a free game!

