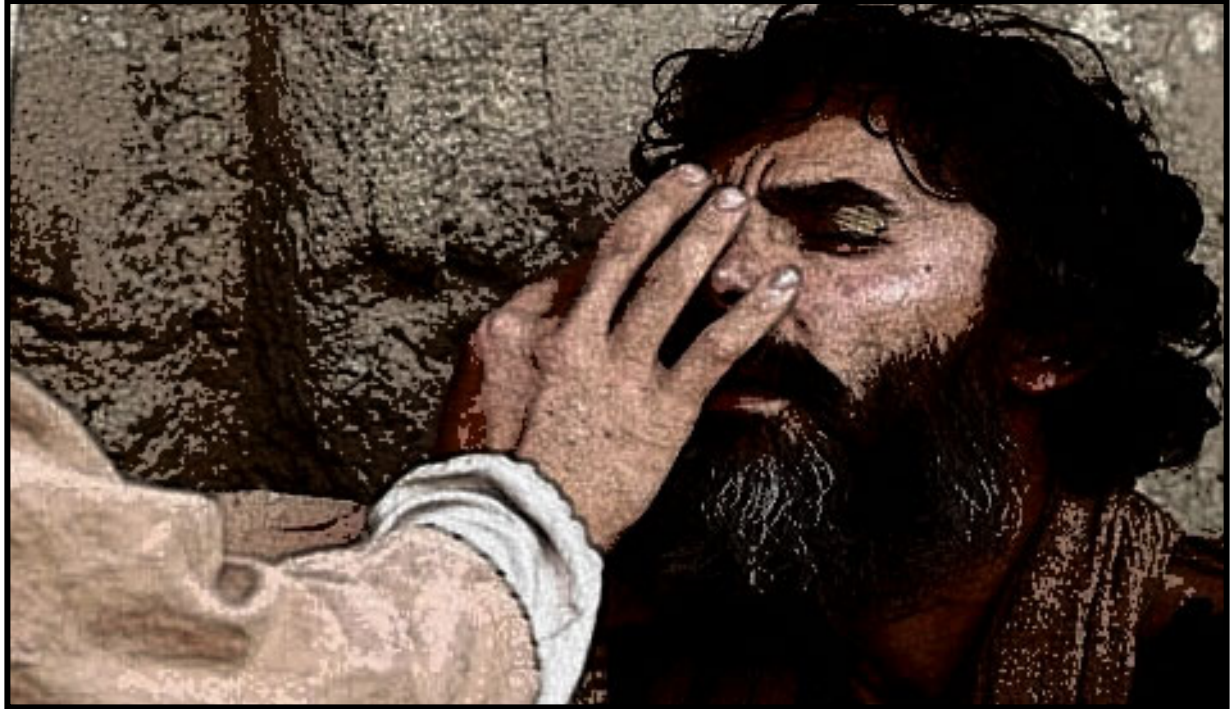


Saint Robert's Church

March 6, 2016



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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 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,

If you have moved, changed your name, or turned 18, you need to re-register or register to vote. You can do it online at www.sos.ca.gov/elections or at 1-800-345-VOTE (8683). As our former Auxiliary Bishop Robert McElroy (now Bishop of San Diego) reminds us in a Feb. 15th [America](#) article:

[Pope] Francis noted that "building a future of freedom requires love of the common good and cooperation in a spirit of subsidiarity and solidarity." Citing the figure of Dorothy Day and her thirst for justice in the world, the pope emphatically demanded that...all economies must serve justice comprehensively, with special care for the poor. Finally, invoking the legacy of Martin Luther King Jr., Pope Francis urged the nation's political leaders to deepen America's heritage as a land of dreams: "Dreams which lead to action, to participation, to commitment. Dreams which awaken what is deepest and truest in the life of a people." This same spiritual and moral identity is also emblazoned upon the most foundational act of citizenship in our society, that of voting for candidates for office.

Please do it soon, so that you can help shape the future direction of our country.

I'll be leading a retreat morning next Saturday, March 12 beginning with 8:30 am Mass and concluding with lunch at noon. The theme is "Change Our Hearts" and will include presentations, time for quiet reflection and some small group sharing. It will help me with the planning to have a sense of who is coming and how many we'll be. Could you please let me know by this Tuesday if you're coming? Thanks very much.

May the Holy Spirit continue to change our hearts as we prepare to renew our baptismal promises on Easter!

S. Sheral

SVDP Needs A Monday Cook

Café St. Vincent in South San Francisco is looking for a Monday morning cook from 8 am to 10 am. If you can respond to this need, please contact Lisa at 650-589-9039

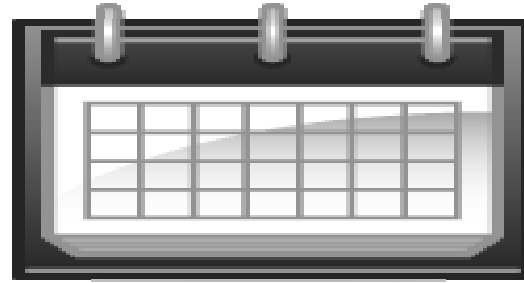
Grief/ Consolation Meeting

St. Robert's Grief and Consolation Group, will meet on Saturday, March 19, 2016. 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).

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS

Spring forward. Turn the clocks ahead one hour next Saturday night, March 12th.

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-March 7th

Mass Intention 8:30 Charles & Rita Agius †
Men's Club Mtg 6:00pm Hall

Tuesday-March 8th

Mass Intention 8:30 Tom Dachauer †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Rectory
Rel Ed (Gr 1-5) 3:30pm Hall & Church
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Library
Rel Ed/Jr. High 7:00pm Hall & Church

Wednesday-March 9th

Mass Intention 8:30 Barbara Donohue †
6:00pm

Thursday-March 10th

Mass Intention 8:30 Kevin Olmo
Caregiver's Mtg 7:30pm Church

Friday-March 11th

Mass Intention 8:30 Michael & Carmen
Ryan †

Saturday-March 12th

Mass Intention 8:30 Sr. Ita Cleary
4:30 Michael David Yanke †
AA Mtg 10:00am Mahoney Room
Grief Support Mtg 3:00pm Convent

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE

The distribution for Second Harvest Food Bank at Mater Dolorosa Church, 307 Miller Ave., South San Francisco needs volunteers to serve as baggers or drivers to provide food to low income families and shut-in seniors. We meet every Tuesday from 8:30 to 10am. If you can help, please contact Mary Beaudry at cell # 650-219-6689 or Ken Sweeney at klsween@pacbell.net. Thank you.

2016 TAXES

If you would like a letter regarding your 2016 donations, please call the Rectory at (650) 589-2800.



As a Parish Community we pray that we will go outside of ourselves with generosity and an attitude of mercy so that God's mercy may enter our hearts.

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
Mary Bourne
Pedro Padilla

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN

The 40 Days for Life Campaign began on Ash Wednesday and ends on Palm Sunday, March 20. St. Robert's Day is Wednesday, March 16 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. and consists of praying the rosary in front of Planned Parenthood, 35 Baywood Ave., San Mateo. We do not confront those approaching nor do we carry signs or placards. We only pray. If you are available to sign up for an hour or two, please contact Mary Nunnery at 588-6349 or mary.nunnery@hotmail.com

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to February 28th (goal)	339,500.00
July 1st to February 28th (actual) (including E Contributions)	349,505.05
7/1/15—6/30/16 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 2/28) (E Cont for month of February)	9,591.96 6,721.50
Thank you for your generosity	

2016 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 02/25/16

Total Cash Donations To Date **\$10,942.40**
Archdiocese tax for 2016 **\$112,560.00**

Thank you in advance for your generous donation.

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

Our New Organ

Our new pipe organ will arrive this Monday, March 7th. The Reuter Organ Co., who rebuilt the organ, will be bringing the organ from Lawrence, Kansas. It will take about two weeks to install and tune the new organ. They will also return after Easter to make sure everything is working correctly.

We will play the organ for the first time on Easter so that everyone can enjoy hearing it.

We want to express our thanks to the anonymous donor who gave the organ in memory of Doris Elmore.

There will be a procession of organ pipes at all Masses next Sunday to celebrate the organs installation.

Fr. John Greene

Evening Lenten Mass

We will be having a New Lenten evening Mass every Wednesday at 6pm during Lent. This is to help working people attend Mass during the weeks of Lent.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

We will have our annual Anointing of the Sick Mass during the 11:30 am Mass on Sunday, March 6th. Anyone who is physically or mentally ill or anyone over the age of 65 years of age can receive this Sacrament of the Anointing. Children normally do not receive this sacrament.

We hope that you can experience the saving power of the sacrament and find healing and peace.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS—Every Friday evening at 6 pm—except for Good Friday.

Men's Club Dinner / Meeting

Monday, March 7th
 Traditional Corn Beef and Cabbage
 Hennessy Hall - Doors Open at 6 PM
 Open to all men of the parish

MINISTER SCHEDULE/MAR 12TH & 13TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Euch. Ministers: Katie B.

Carolyn H., Judy S., Marie N., Pamela G.

Lectors: Paul S. and Marilyn D.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Euch. Ministers: Sean Q.

Brian M., Marcela S., Mary N., Tom M.

Lectors: Jomarie M. and Al R.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Euch. Ministers: Trish C.

Amparo S., Helen M., Liz C., Ray T.

Lectors: Chris M. and Jen C.

Children's Liturgy: Esperanza and Haydee

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Euch. Ministers: Anacarmina M.

Catalina M., Cynthia M., Joyce M., Rose B.

Lectors: Mario B. and Doug H.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Stewart

Euch. Ministers: Donna F.

Andy F., Antonio N., Marci E., Mary D.

Lectors: Gigi P. and Henry L.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-March 7th

Readings: Is 65:17-21 Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday-March 8th

Readings: Ez 47:1-9, 12 Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday-March 9th

Readings: Is 49:8-15 Jn 5:17-30

Thursday- March 10th

Readings: Ex 32:7-14 Jn 5:31-47

Friday-March 11th

Readings: Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday-March 12th

Readings: Jer 11:18-20 Jn 7:40-53

Sunday-March 13th

Readings: Ez 37:12-14 Rom 8:8-11
Jn 11:1-45

Women's Guild welcomes you to a



LUCKY

FIESTA



Monday March 14, 2016 at 6:30 pm

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Hennessy Hall

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\$15/person

Serving PACO'S TACOS for dinner

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RSVP Online on the Women's Guild webpage
<https://sites.google.com/site/srwomensguild/home>

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Come and cast your vote for Woman of the Year

GOOD NEWS

Dear Parishioners,

I just wanted to let you know that I had my CA-125 blood test last week and got good news. There is no indication of any cancer cells anywhere! Thank you for your prayers and support which have seen me through these 4½ months of chemo. I will be having this blood test quarterly and seeing either my cancer doctor or my regular gynecologist afterwards for the next two years. If the tests are negative, then the following three years, I only go through that process yearly. I am most grateful to God and to you!

Thank you. S. Sheral

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 or in honor of a loved one, please fill out the form below and return it by Friday, March 18th. Please make checks payable to St. Robert's.

My Gift in Memory of: _____

My Gift in Honor of: _____

Given by: _____