

# Saint Robert's Church

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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 Friends,

The sweet fragrance of Jasmine wafts over me as I sit here on our deck, sipping Vanilla Chai tea. Thank you, Gene, for planting it many years ago. In looking over today's readings, I find two of my favorite women - friends of Jesus, who happen to be sisters – Martha and Mary. Martha welcomes Jesus into their home. She is wearing herself out trying to make everything just perfect. She looks at her sister Mary sitting at Jesus feet, listening to Him. We hear Martha's frustration, saying to Jesus, **"Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving? Tell her to help me."**

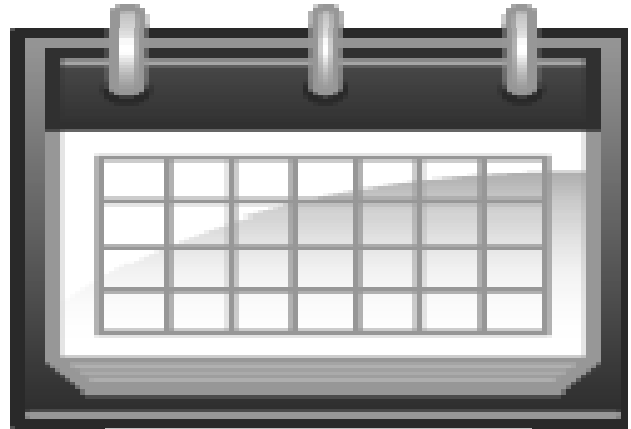
Probably this isn't the first time Mary has let Martha do all the work. Sisters (though raised by the same parents, in the same home) can be so different. They seldom understand each other and quite often resent one another. Sadly, this resentment can last throughout their whole life. (Tell your sister you love her; she needs to hear it.)

Jesus gently says, **"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."**

We each have some of Martha and some of Mary within us. The tasks we do can either exhaust us or fill us with joy. It all depends on whether we think of them as thankless drudgery; or perform them with love. For a life of contentment and peace, let's choose the better part – spend time with Jesus. He tells us, **"Come to me all you who are heavily burdened and I will give you rest."** If we are very busy, it may only be five minutes or so each day. We need not say a word – just sit quietly with Him, listening to Him as He speaks to our heart. We feel His arms around us; become aware of His love for us and His constant presence within us. We come away refreshed; ready to serve Him and others with a smile on our lips and a song in our heart. It is also truly life-giving to spend undivided time with our husband or wife, children, mother and father, sisters and brothers, listening to them and loving them. For when we spend time with and listen to those we love, we are listening to Jesus. He has told us, **"Whatever you do to the least of My brothers (and sisters) that you do unto Me."**

Anna May

## THE WEEK AHEAD



### Monday-July 18th

Mass Intention 8:30 Paul Curtis †

### Tuesday-July 19th

Mass Intention 8:30 Debbie Burke †  
**Legion of Mary 6:30p Library**

### Wednesday-July 20th

Mass Intention 8:30 Ivica Lukin †  
**Choir Practice 7:00pm Church**

### Thursday-July 21st

Mass Intention 8:30 Simon Family

### Friday-July 22nd

Mass Intention 8:30 John Lukin †

### Saturday-July 23rd

Mass Intention 8:30 Henry "Hank"  
Blodget, Jr. †  
4:30 Dr. Miguel &  
Dorothy Wee †  
**AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room**

### **The St. Robert's Festival**

will have a new booth this year!

It will be a Christmas themed booth and we need your help to make this booth a success. We are collecting new or like new Christmas ornaments, decorations and hand-made items. If you have any donations, please contact Tina Ogden at 415-716-8745 or Beth Duran at [650-515-7788](mailto:650-515-7788) or [erwduran29@yahoo.com](mailto:erwduran29@yahoo.com).

Thank you for your support.



As a Parish Community we pray that Jesus will help us give up any resentment we hold toward a member of our family and reconcile with them.



WE CONGRATULATE  
THE NEWLY MARRIED  
*Carolina Arauz & Jeffrey Ramirez*



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***



Terry Campbell  
John Catena  
Norma Dawoud  
George Young

**Our sincere sympathy to the families of**

**Diane Pinelli**



**John R. Sanchez  
who died recently**

# STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to July 10th (goal)	19,400.00
July 1st to July 10th (actual) (including E Contributions)	14,867.35
7/1/16—6/30/17 Weekly (Goal)	9,700.00
Weekly Collection (actual 7/10)	8,128.30
(E Cont for month of June)	6,437.00
<b>Thank you for your generosity</b>	

**2016 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

**As of 06/29/16**

**Total Pledge to Date**      \$ 64,804.01  
**Total Cash Donations to Date**      \$ 60,388.01  
**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.



In loving Memory of  
**W. Leroy Strong**

**Fr. Tony's Reception**

Fr. Tony, our new Parochial Vicar, will be honored at a welcome reception on Sunday, July 31st, after the 9:30 am Mass.

The reception will be in the parish hall.  
Please join us.

*Fr. John L. Greene*

**Grownup's**

Grownup's Summer Hot Dog Luncheon will be held on Sunday, August 7th, after the 11:30am Mass. The cost is \$8 per person. Call Bob Lockwood for reservations at [650-588-7972](tel:650-588-7972). Cut off date is July 29th. All are welcome.

**PARISH FESTIVAL  
"CALIFORNIA DREAMING"  
SEPTEMBER 16, 17 & 18**

Mark your calendars for this year's annual parish festival. Once again the BBQ, Food & Garlic Fry Booths are in need of your help. Most shifts are for 2 hours, but you are welcome to work for as many hours/days that you wish. If you can help in any way, please contact Louise & Ray Downs or Raquel & Jeff Downs at [noniepapadowns@att.net](mailto:noniepapadowns@att.net) or by calling Louise at (650) 355-1927.

**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](http://www.saintroberts.org) and click on the link to sign up.

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/JULY 23RD & 24TH

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

**Presider: Fr. Tony**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Carolyn H.**

Jean W., Judy S., Marie N., MaryAnn B.

**Lectors: Paul S. and Christina C.**

**Altar Servers: Melissa W and Alexa W.**

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

**Presider: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy H.**

Aleo B., Marcela S., Rose V., Francisco G.

**Lectors: Colin C. and Tony C.**

**Altar Servers: Colin C. and Thomas B.**

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

**Presider: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Tracey J.**

Alex L., Amparo S., Karen M., Donna M.

**Lectors: Kristi L. and Jayjay J.**

**Children's Liturgy: Family Mass**

**Altar Servers: Alyssa W., Ava C. and Deigo C.**

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

**Presider: Fr. Tony**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Catalina M.**

Aracarmina M., Charles A., Encar S, Margot G.

**Lectors: Jim P. and Sasa P.**

**Altar Servers: Michelle B. and Josh L.**

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

**Presider: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Haydee M.**

Dodi T., Ken S., Mary D., Marie B.

**Lectors: Bambi T. and Marie B.**

**Altar Servers: Teresa S. and Diego C.**

### **WEEKLY READINGS**

#### **Monday-July 18th**

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

#### **Tuesday-July 19th**

Readings: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Mt 12:46-50

#### **Wednesday-July 20th**

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

#### **Thursday- July 21st**

Readings: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 Mt 13:10-17

#### **Friday-July 22nd**

Readings: Jer 3:14-17 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

#### **Saturday-July 23rd**

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

#### **Sunday-July 24th**

Readings: Gn 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14

Lk 11:1-13