

# Saint Robert's Church

July 23, 2017



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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,

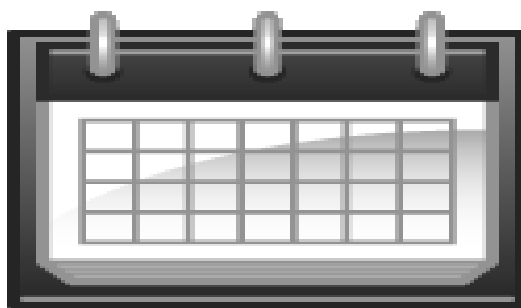
Sitting here on Gene's deck, in the warmth of the July sun, sipping Mango tea, I think about the Mercy of our God. Today we hear from the Book of Wisdom: ***"There is no god besides you who have the care of all....But though you are master of might, you judge with clemency, and with much leniency you govern us...And you taught your people, by these deeds, that those who are just must be kind."***

In the Responsorial Psalm, David prays: ***"You, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in kindness and fidelity."*** Our God is not just a loving merciful God – Our God **is** Mercy! Our God **is** Love! His mercy and His love are melded together; we can't have one without the other. We don't have to work to obtain God's mercy and love. All we have to do is to sit quietly and ask Him for it. Then we open our hearts to receive it. His mercy and love enter into us and fill us. The only thing God asks is that we don't just keep it for ourselves; but that we let it flow through us to our sisters and brothers by forgiving them as He forgives us; by helping them when they need us.

I awoke a few mornings ago to the sound of rushing water. I discovered that my garden hose had split and water was gushing out, boring a deep hole into my lawn. There was no possible way I could reach the faucet to turn off the water. My daughter Shirley and her husband Ken (who are always there for me when I need them) were away on vacation. It was not yet 6:00AM. Standing at my window, I prayed aloud: "O Jesus, who can I call at this early hour?" The moment these words were spoken, I saw my good neighbor Vicky crossing the street. When she went into her house, I phoned her. Without hesitation, Vicky hurried over and, wading through ankle-deep mud, turned off the faucet. Vicky, having received Jesus' mercy, lets His mercy flow through her to everyone who needs her. That morning, I surely did need her. "Thank you, Jesus, and thank you, Vicky."

*Anna May*

## THE WEEK AHEAD



### **Monday-July 24th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Diana Martinez †

### **Tuesday-July 25th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Rita Fambrini †  
***Legion of Mary 7:00pm Library***

### **Wednesday-July 26th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Henry Abalod †

### **Thursday-July 27th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Sr. Bernice Clifford †

### **Friday-July 28th**

Mass Intention 8:30 John Hickey †

### **Saturday-July 29th**

Mass Intention 8:30 Marijan Franov †  
4:30 Debbie Caughman †  
***AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room***

The Christmas Booth is coming back to the **St. Robert's festival** and we need your help to make it a success!

We are collecting new or like-new Christmas decorations, ornaments and hand-made items. If you have any donations, please contact Tina Ogden at 415-716-8745 or Beth Duran at [650-515-7788](tel:650-515-7788) or [erwduran29@yahoo.com](mailto:erwduran29@yahoo.com). Thank you for your support and generosity.

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



As a community of faith, we pray, having received God's mercy and love, we will become givers of mercy and love to everyone who comes into our life.

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 prayers, please call the Rectory at 589-2800

***This week we pray for***



- Jim Crilly
- Edward DeLaTorre
- Carolina Lesca
- Phil Lee
- Francisca Perez
- Jose Antonio Perez
- Gigi Picazo, Chris Sigillo
- Alejandra Maldonado, Sister Ita Cleary

**We congratulate the newly baptized**

- Amaya Jasmine Campos*
- Brooklyn Rose*
- Lincoln Wesley Rose*



**Our sincere sympathy to the families of**

- Lawrence Frank Conrad
  - Anthony Romero
  - Carmen Sandoval
- who died recently**



# STEWARDSHIP

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| July 1st to July 16th (goal)                                  | 30,000.00 |
| July 1st to July 16th (actual)<br>(including E Contributions) | 24,120.12 |
| 7/1/17—6/30/18 Weekly (Goal)                                  | 10,000.00 |
| Weekly Collection (actual 7/16)                               | 7,097.15  |
| (E Cont for month of June)                                    | 6,950.00  |
| <b>Thank you for your generosity</b>                          |           |

**2017 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

**As of 7/1/17**

- Total Pledge to Date**                   **\$68,369.38**
- Total Cash Donations to Date**   **\$69,437.88**
- Archdiocese tax Due**               **\$122,729.00**

***Thank you in advance for your generous donation.***

# Altar Flowers



Would you like to donate flowers for the altar in memory of a loved one or for a birthday or anniversary?

The name or occasion will be highlighted in the bulletin for the week you make the donation for the flowers. For dates and more information, please call the parish office at 589-2800.

***FR. TONY ON VACATION***

Our Associate Pastor, Fr. Tony will be on vacation from July 17th to August 1st. Have a great vacation!

***MISSIONARY APPEAL***

Fr. Emmanuel Adams will preach at all the Masses this weekend. He will be asking our help for the Diocese of Ilorin in Nigeria. He appreciates your support and generosity. Welcome Fr. Emmanuel 1

**FESTIVAL BINGO  
NEEDS YOUR HELP!**

We are asking for gift cards or gifts of any kind to fill our baskets that you may have laying around. (new items only).

Please call Nanna Jo Muscat at  
(650) 583.5220

**Volunteers Needed**

Rev. Jennifer Block, the chaplain at Kaiser Hospital, South San Francisco, is asking for volunteers to bring Holy Communion to the sick. If you would be able to serve in this way between two to four times a month, please contact her directly at 650-742-3739.

# MINISTER SCHEDULE/JULY 29TH & 30TH

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

**Presider: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Katie B. (C)**

Carolyn H., Jean W., Pamela G.

**Lectors:** Marilyn D. and Carol B.

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

**Presider: Fr. Stewart**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Ann B. (C)**

Emil R., Nora R., Kevin M., Kevin TM

**Lectors:** Anthony C. and Colin C.

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

**Presider: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: John V. (C)**

Alex L., Haydee M., Ruby V., Sam M.

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

**Children's Liturgy:** Haydee

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

**Presider: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Ancarina M. (C)**

Catalina M., Joyce M., Margot G., Marie S.

**Lectors:** Heidi B. and Carmen P.

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

**Presider: Fr. Greene**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Antonio N. (C)**

Dodi T., Gerry H., Sr. Sheral

**Lectors:** Sr. Sheral and Bambi T.

### **WEEKLY READINGS**

#### **Monday-July 24th**

Readings: Ex 14:5-18 Mt 12:38-42

#### **Tuesday-July 25th**

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

#### **Wednesday-July 26th**

Readings: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15 Mt 13:1-9

#### **Thursday-July 27th**

Readings: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b Mt 13:10-17

#### **Friday-July 28th**

Readings: Ex 20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23

#### **Saturday-July 29th**

Readings: Ex 24:3-8 Mt 13:24-30

#### **Sunday-July 30th**

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