

Saint Robert's Church

May 6, 2018



Love one another
As I have loved you

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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,

These weekends after Easter have marvelous readings! We have shifted from gospel accounts of the resurrection to preparation for the feasts of the Ascension, Jesus' return to the right hand of God, and Pentecost, the sending of the Spirit. The words we hear are from the night before Jesus' crucifixion, much as a dying parent would remind the family of the most important values to continue living.

As Fr. Jude Siciliano, OP writes:

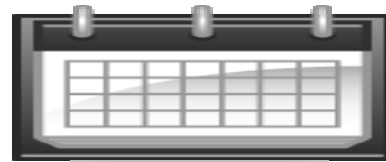
Before his departure, [Jesus] wants to make sure his disciples know they are his beloved, so loved by him that he will give his life for them... But the love he speaks of is not the love we feel for our closest friends or family members. His word is *agape* which means being willing to go out of the way for others... coming to their aid when they need help – even at our own expense. Jesus showed how far *agape* can take someone when he gave up his life for us. (“First Impressions,” 6th Sunday of Easter)

So what invitation does Jesus' example give to each of us? Who in our circle of friends, relatives or neighbors don't we love as we ought? And if what we value is determined by what we spend time, energy or money on, some important questions arise. How much of my time and energy is spent helping someone, even if all I can do sometimes is to pray for that person? In terms of finances, many of us are barely making ends meet. But for those of us who do have some “extra” money, what guides our choices in spending it? Obviously, we cannot respond to every letter seeking a donation. But perhaps, the next time I'm tempted to buy something I'd like, I could ask myself: Do I need this item more than someone in the global community needs shelter or food or medicine?

Of course, we need to take care of our own needs as human beings and those of our families. And some of us are tempted to do much too much for others, endangering our own mental and physical wellbeing. That's why we need the guidance of the Holy Spirit in our day to day efforts to respond to God's love for us through Jesus and to find a healthy balance in our lives between our needs and the needs of others.

Come, Holy Spirit!
Sr. Sheral

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-May 7th

Mass Intention 8:30 Rev. John Ring †
Men's Club 6:00pm Hall

Tuesday-May 8th

Mass Intention 8:30 Rose Larsen †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Rectory
Rel Ed (Gr 1-5) 3:30pm Hall & Church
Confirmation/Yr. 1 7:30pm Hall & Church
Legion of Mary 7:00pm Rectory

Wednesday-May 9th

Mass Intention 8:30 Jack Renault †
Children's Choir 3:00pm Church
Choir Practice 7:00pm Church

Thursday-May 10th

Mass Intention 8:30 Joselito Cruz

Friday-May 11th

Mass Intention 8:30 John Monaghan †
Inbetweeners 6:30pm Hall

Saturday-May 12th

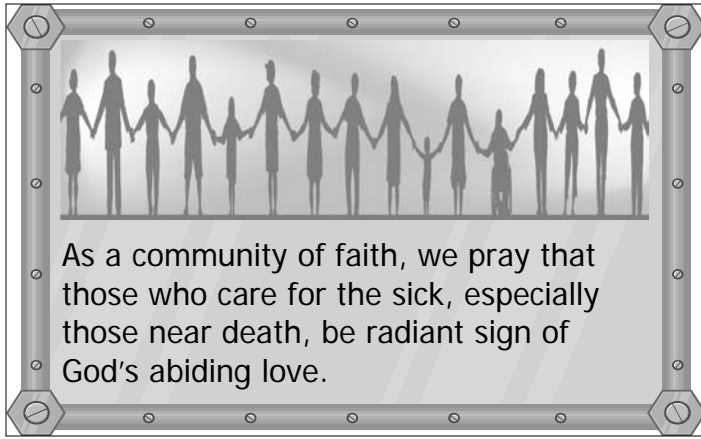
Mass Intention 8:30 Charles & Rita Agius †
4:30 All Mothers
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room

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 and click on the link to sign up.

Fr. Greene's Vacation

Our Pastor, Fr. Greene, will be returning from vacation on Sunday May 17th. Fr. Stewart and Fr. Vallecillo will be celebrating the Sunday and Weekday Masses while Fr. Greene is away.



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

- Chris Sigillo
- Alejandra Maldonado
- Alexander Sepulveda
- Mary Gilbert
- Tina Maria Guerrero
- Bob O'Donnell
- Anna May May
- Sol Padilla
- Francisca Perez
- Margo Wright
- Tom D.



Our sincere sympathy to the families of



- Joseph Richard Aliason
 - Karen Ann Peeff
- who died recently**

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to April 29th (goal)	440,000.00
July 1st to April 29th (actual) (including E Contributions)	415,438.01
7/1/17—6/30/18 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 04/29)	7,424.84
(E Cont for month of April)	7,521.50
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of **\$2,485.85** to the Black & Indian Missions.

2018 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL
As of 4/25/18

Total Pledge to Date	\$ 32,362.04
Total Cash Donations to Date	\$ 29,267.04
Archdiocese tax Due	\$121,212.00

Thank you in advance for your generous donation.

Please Come to My Jubilee Celebration!

I can't believe it either, but it's been 50 years since I first made vows as a Franciscan Sister! I really want to celebrate it here with you since you've been a big part of the past 16 years of my life. Please give me an opportunity to thank you for all your support and love. The 11:30 Mass on May 20, the Feast of Pentecost, will begin the celebration, which will be followed by lunch in the hall. Our community celebration will be at the closing of our annual gathering in Santa Maria on July 1. But that's a good five hours from here and I wouldn't expect you to make such a long trip. Thank you.
Sheral Marshall, OSF



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.

Men's Club Meeting

Monday, May 7th
Doors Open at 6 PM
All Men of the Parish are Welcome

Easter Donation

Thank you for your generous Easter donation of \$34,345.32.

Flores de Mayo

The Fil-Am Group is celebrating Flores de Mayo in honor of our Blessed Mother on May 6th, during and after the 11:30 Mass. Flower offerings to our Lady will begin the Mass. Children of the parish are encouraged and welcomed to participate. A reception and fellowship will follow after the Mass at the front of the church. All are welcome.

Someone Ill in Your Household?

If a member of your household is ill and not able to come to Mass on Sundays, you can take Communion to that person. Just see Sr. Sheral or Sr. Patricia and she will give you a small gold container for the host. At the conclusion of every Mass, the celebrant calls up those taking Communion to the sick. Father would give you the host which you take home with you for the one unable to be with us. If you'd like to bring Communion to someone in a skilled nursing facility, please contact Sr. Patricia at posullivan3@juno.com and she'll be happy to give you an orientation. Thank you.

The Grownups

The Grownups are sponsoring a Korbel Wine Tour and lunch on May 17. The tour includes bus, tour and lunch. The cost is \$70. RSVP by May 7th. For reservations and more information call (650) 588-7972.



Come play bingo on Monday May 21st in Hennessy Hall. Cost is \$20 for one adult and one child and includes dinner for both adult & child, and one bingo card. Additional child spot is \$10 and includes dinner and one bingo card. Additional bingo cards available for purchase that evening. (Note: Family Bingo Night is replacing the normal monthly Women's Guild Meeting for May.) For more information write to womensguild@gmail.com

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

MINISTER SCHEDULE/MAY 12TH & 13TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Judy S. (C)

Albert C., Carolyn H., Christina I., Jean W.

Lectors: Marilyn D. and Paul S.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Tom M. (C)

Kathy H., Kevin M., Kevin TM., Marcela S.

Lectors: JoMarie M. and Janet A.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Sam M. (C)

Maryann S., Michael Q., Tracey J., Trish C.

Lectors: Brent v. and Sophia L.

Children's Liturgy: Haydee and Esperanza

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen H. (C)

Cynthia M., Joyce M., Thelma T., Veronica R.

Lectors: Carmen P. and Mario B.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Gerry H. (C)

Dodi T., George L., Mike S., Sandy M.

Lectors: Henry L. and Marie B.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-May 7th

Readings: Acts 16:11-15 Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday-May 8th

Readings: Acts 16:22-34 Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday-May 9th

Readings: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1 Jn 16:12-15

Thursday-May 10th

Readings: Acts 18:1-8 Jn 16:16-20

Friday-May 11th

Readings: Acts 18:9-18 Jn 16:20-23

Saturday-May 12th

Readings: Acts 18:23-28 Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday-May 13th

Readings: Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23

Mk 16:15-20