

Saint Robert's Church

June 3, 2018



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Mrs. Margo Wright, Principal**

**PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (CCD) - 588-0477
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,

I'm happy to have another opportunity to thank you for your prayers, cards, gifts and the encouragement that you've been blessing me with for 16 years! Pentecost Sunday, two weeks ago, was a day I'll never forget. Thank you for your goodness. Thank you for truly being a loving community which cares about each other and "the least among us." Over the years, several of the adults who decided to become Catholic or to receive Confirmation have commented that they had been to many different parishes and found that ours was one they wanted to belong to because they felt welcome here. We are fortunate to have people of many ethnicities, diverse age groups, differing family configurations and various professions. We seem to have absorbed Jesus' practices of welcoming back those who have been away for a while and reaching out to those in need of healing from illness or losing a life partner. The kingdom of heaven is present in our parish!

Today is the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Mark's gospel tells of Jesus during the Passover meal, blessings, breaking bread and giving it to the disciples as he declares, "Take it; this is my body." Then he takes a cup, gives thanks and says, "This is my blood of the covenant which will be shed for many."

For us who are not Jewish, it may be helpful to recall two aspects of Jesus' action. The annual Passover celebrated God's deliverance of the Jews, then called Israelites, from slavery under the Egyptian Pharaoh through the crossing of the Red Sea (Exodus 14.15-15.1). Blood, symbolizing life, sealed the covenant, an agreement of faithfulness, between a community and its deity. We as Christians see Jesus giving of himself to the disciples - and us - as the symbol of his total self-giving on the cross. His blood poured out for us and the people of all times and places sets us free from slavery to sin and seals his covenant with us. He promises to be with us through the Spirit in a covenant that can never be broken, no matter what we do.

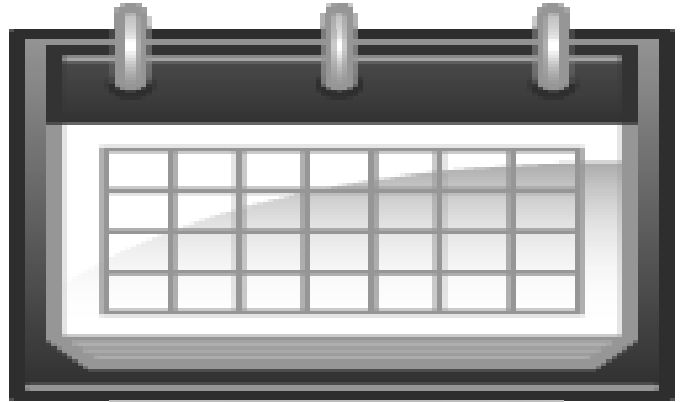
But we aren't just one with Jesus, but with everyone else who is partaking of the Body and Blood of the Lord. St. Paul gives an inspiring and challenging sense of what this means in 1 Corinthians 12. Lots of food for thought (and action) here!

Speaking of actions, please be aware that our voting rules have changes in this county. You can now register to vote the same day at any voting center in the county. Please go to smcacre.org/currentelection for more information. Tuesday is election day.

May God bless us, one and all, as we head into summer!

Sr. Sheral

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-June 4th

Mass Intention 8:30 John Monaghan †
Men's Club 6:00pm Hall

Tuesday-June 5th

Mass Intention 8:30 Sister Ita Cleary †
Adult Rel Ed 9:15am Rectory
Legion of Mary 7:00pm Rectory

Wednesday-June 6th

Mass Intention 8:30 Mary Daly †

Thursday-June 7th

Mass Intention 8:30 Adolph Fambrini †
Grief Consolation 9:00am Church

Friday-June 8th

Mass Intention 8:30 Don Alchera †
Inbetweeners 6:30pm Hall

Saturday-June 9th

Mass Intention 8:30 Angela Ramos †
4:30 Rosa & Natalio
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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.



As a community of faith, we pray for all who are graduating. May the Holy Spirit guide them on the right path as they enter a new phase in their 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

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



STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to May 27th (goal)	480,000.00
July 1st to May 27th (actual) (including E Contributions)	437,883.24
7/1/17—6/30/18 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 05/20)	7,614.62
(E Cont for month of April)	7,521.50
Thank you for your generosity	

Thank you for your generous donation of **\$2,107.82** to Catholic Communications.

2018 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of 5/30/18

Total Pledge to Date \$ 41,853.70
Total Cash Donations to Date \$ 39,103.70
Archdiocese tax Due \$121,212.00

Thank you in advance for your generous donation.

Sister Patricia O'Sullivan Retires

Our Pastoral Associate for the sick and the homebound for the past 16 years, Sister Patricia O'Sullivan, is retiring. She will continue to live here with her fellow Sisters of the Presentation.

We are so grateful for all of Sister's dedicated work to our parish family. She has coordinated our ministry to the sick and homebound, our grief and consolation group, and our Legion of Mary.

A Reception for Sister Pat will be held after the 11:30 am Mass on Sunday, June 24th, in Hennessy Hall.

God bless Sister Patricia on her well-deserved retirement.

Reception for our school Principal Margo Wright

A farewell reception for our Principal, Margo Wright, will be held at the entrance of the church on the last day of school; Friday, June 8th, after the 8:30 am Mass.

This a great opportunity for us to thank Mrs. Wright for 7 years of dedicated service to our school and parish community.

It has been an honor to have her with us. Congratulations on your retirement, and may God Bless you always.

Convent Rental

We will be renting our old convent this summer to the Archdiocese of San Francisco. They will be using it to house seminarians for part of June and July.

We will be cleaning and preparing the convent for the rental during the next few weeks.

IF YOU ARE NEW TO ST. ROBERT'S, fill out a registration form and drop it either in the collection basket, the mail, or at the parish office.

June 9-10 Sister Kathleen Curtin, PBVM will be with us to share her Mission experiences in Guatemala, Central America.

Employment Opportunities

Saint Robert Catholic School has two employment opportunities. If you or anyone you know would consider working in the school kitchen on a part-time basis, please contact the school at 650-583-5065. This position would be two to three days a week, for three to four hours, helping prepare lunch for our students.

Our second opening is for a full time Junior High Math/Algebra Teacher, who would also teach 6th grade homeroom subjects. If interested, or if you know of anyone who might be, please reach out to us at 650-583-5065 or at mwright@srbears.org.

Thank you! Mrs. Wright

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.

Consolation/Grief Ministry

Saint Robert's Grief and Consolation will meet on Thursday, June 7, 2018 after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the Reconciliation Room. If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, spouse, parent, child, sibling or grandparent, you are invited to come and pray, support, share, and grieve with us. The Consolation Committee is offering these monthly sessions to help you on your grief journey and to share with you some helpful coping skills. If you plan to attend and/or for more information e-mail Sister Patricia O'Sullivan -- posullivan3@juno.com or call 650-763-8822.

Presentation on Travels to the Holy Land

Mary Hile-Nepfel, St. Robert's parishioner and member of the RCIA team, will be giving a presentation on Thursday, June 7 @ 7:30pm and Sunday, June 10 after the 9:30am Mass on her recent trip to the Holy Land. She will share her powerful experiences through stories and pictures of traveling to the actual places where Jesus walked and lived. It is a wonderful opportunity to enliven and deepen our faith! The presentation will be at the Church rectory and is open to all. For more info contact Father Tony Vallecillo @ 650-589-2800 x23 or fathertony@saintroberts.org

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

MINISTER SCHEDULE/JUNE 9TH & 10TH

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Carolyn H. (C)

Jean W., Marie N., Rob A.

Lectors: Cathy A. and Christina C.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Alonzo L. (C)

Brian M., Emil R., Kathy H., Nora R.

Lectors: Brijit L. and JoMarie M.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Alex L. (C)

Gus S., Michael Q., Ruby V.

Lectors: Cydney S. and Kristi L.

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen H. (C)

Joyce M., Marie S.

Lectors: Carmen P. and Doug H.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Ken S. (C)

Dodi T., Veronica R.

Lectors: Sheral M. and Bambi T.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-June 4th

Readings: 2 Pt 1:2-7 Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday-June 5th

Readings: 2 P 3:12-15a, 17-18 Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday-June 6th

Readings: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 Mk 12:18-27

Thursday-June 7th

Readings: 2 Tm 2:8-15 Mk 12:28-34

Friday-June 8th

Readings: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9

Eph 3:8-12, 14-19 Jn 19:31-37

Saturday-June 9th

Readings: 2 Tm 4:1-8 Lk 2:41-51

Sunday-June 10th

Readings: Gn 3:9-15 2 Cor 4:13—5:1

Mk 3:20-35