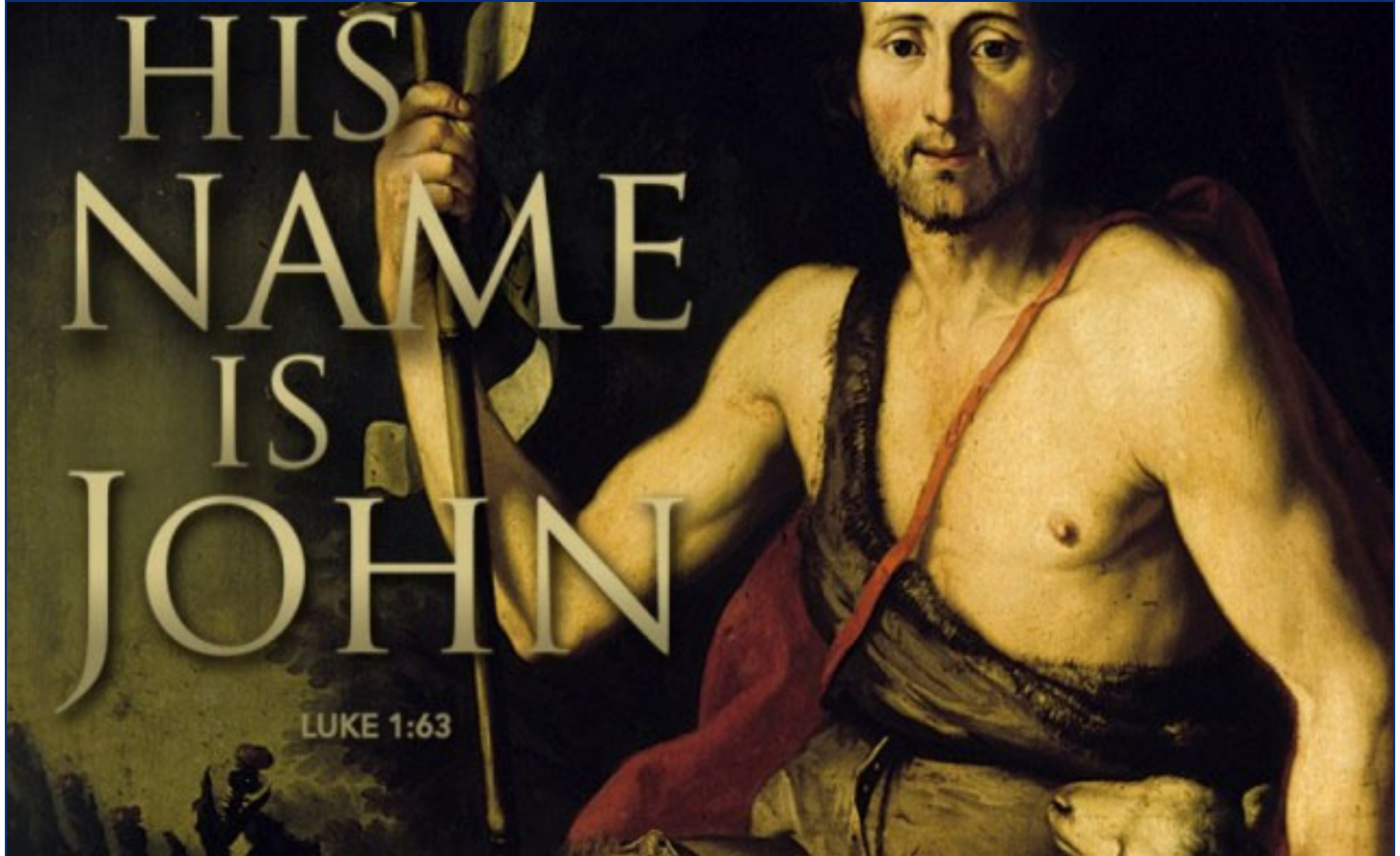


Saint Robert's Church

June 24, 2018



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Mrs. Margo Wright, Principal

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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 Friends,

I sit here on our deck, sipping Vanilla Chai tea and thinking about what this date has meant to Gene and to me. Today is the birthday of our daughter, Rosemary, and also the second birthday of her great-grandson Cedric (who is our great-great grandson). Beside these two very special loved ones, this is also the celebration of the birth of Jesus' cousin, John the Baptist.

We first hear of John in the Gospel of Luke. The angel Gabriel tells Mary that Elizabeth is going to have a baby. Mary hastens to be with Elizabeth. When she hears Mary's voice, Elizabeth's infant John, leaps within her womb. Even before his birth, John recognizes and reacts to the baby Mary carries under her heart, Jesus, the Son of God.

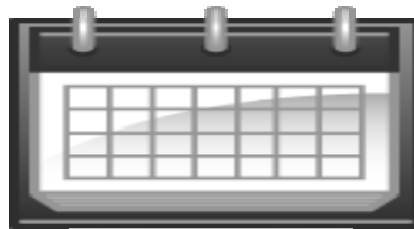
Thirty years go by and Jesus and John meet again. Once more, John recognizes who Jesus truly is. He calls Him the Lamb of God who would take away the sins of the world. Wonder if they met in between these two times! Did they play together as little boys?

Our Father created John for a special purpose – to prepare the people for the coming of Christ. God assigned us to be born of our mother and father in a certain place, at a certain time. We too are part of God's plan. Like John, we were loved into being for a special purpose – to do things that no one else could do. We look the way we look; speak the way we speak; love the way we love. We were chosen by our God to bring Jesus to everyone we meet. When David sings: **"I am fearfully, wonderfully made."** He is speaking not just of himself, but of each of us. We may not think we are wonderful or do great things during our time here on earth; but only God knows what is really great. **"Little things mean a lot!"** It may be just a friendly smile at a stranger; hugging someone who is sad; the touch of our hand; a word of encouragement, the sharing of ourselves with those who need us. These simple gestures bring Jesus and His love to others. Though we don't eat locust and wild honey; or wear garments made of camel hair, being who we are - a beloved child of God - really does make a difference in the lives of our sisters and brothers.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, ROSEMARY, CEDRIC AND JOHN!

Anna May

THE WEEK AHEAD



Monday-June 25th

Mass Intention 8:30 Giuseppe Pignati †

Tuesday-June 26th

Mass Intention 8:30 Alfredo Dealca †
Legion of Mary 7:00pm Rectory

Wednesday-June 27th

Mass Intention 8:30 Nello Tonegato †

Thursday-June 28th

Mass Intention 8:30 Phil Olmo

Friday-June 29th

Mass Intention 8:30 Victoria Morales Healy †

Saturday-June 30th

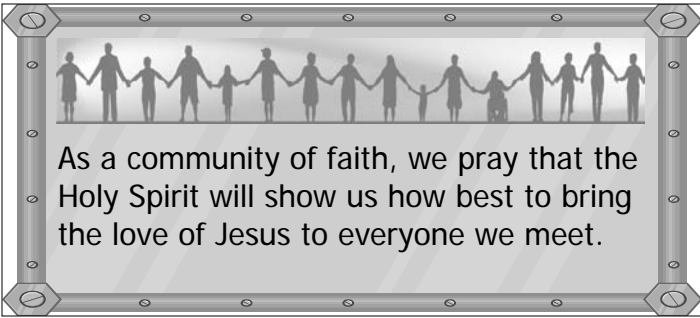
Mass Intention 8:30 Carol Galletta †
4:30 Fr. John Ring †
AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Room

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.

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 that the Holy Spirit will show us how best to bring the love of Jesus to everyone we meet.

We congratulate the newly baptized

Gabriel Antonio Durazo
 Isabel Girasol Durazo
 Santino Gabriel Lim Gomez
 Emilia Cynthia Zermeno



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



Eamon Bowler
 Tom Bridgman
 Walter Capella
 Mary Falzon
 Josephine Gaedeke
 Mary Gilbert
 Tina Maria Guerrero
 Bob O'Donnell
 Alejandra Maldonado
 Anna May May
 Melissa McNichol
 Francisca Perez
 Myriam Sargent
 Alexander Sepulveda
 Chris Sigillo

Our sincere sympathy to the family of

Eva Fisher
who died recently

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st to June 17th (goal)	510,000.00
July 1st to June 17th (actual) (including E Contributions)	476,755.18
7/1/17—6/30/18 Weekly (Goal)	10,000.00
Weekly Collection (actual 06/17) (E Cont for month of May)	6,923.25 7,927.50
Thank you for your generosity	



In Loving Memory of
 Joanne Ryan

Parish Finance/Parish Council Meeting

Our next Parish/Finance Council meeting will be Thursday, **June 28th at 7:00 pm** in the rectory. All members are asked to attend.

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 **this Sunday, June 24th**, in Hennessy Hall.

God bless Sister Patricia on her well-deserved retirement.

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.

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.

THANK YOU

To Father Greene and the Parishioners of St. Robert's Church, I am overwhelmed by your generous response to the Mission Appeal on June 9-10. Thank you for being our partners in Mission.

My sincere gratitude,
Sister Kathleen Curtin, PBVM

Opportunities for the Summer

I'll be arranging for a group of us to volunteer at St. Anthony's on one weekday and one Saturday during July or August, so if you'd like to join us, please send me an e-mail to sheralmar@saintroberts.org and I'll respond to you as soon as I have the dates. The shift is from 9:15 until 1:45 and involves a lot of walking, so is not appropriate for young children. Confirmation candidates are most welcome! We'll carpool from the rectory, leaving at 8:30 am and returning here around 2:30.

As always, thank you for your donation of toiletries for our homeless neighbors who come to St. Anthony's. Everyone who comes to their Clothing Program receives some of them.

The grocery program at Belle Air School continues throughout the summer. We're especially grateful for new volunteers since some of the regulars will either be gone on vacation or have visitors coming here. June 28 is this month's distribution; July 26 and August 23 are the other summer dates. We gather at Belle Air about 1:30 and usually finish about 4:30 or so. Even if you can only come for an hour or two, we are happy to have you.

Thank you! Sr. Sheral

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.

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

MINISTER SCHEDULE/JUNE 30TH & JULY 1ST

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Judy S. (C)

Albert C., Christina I., Marie N.

Lectors: Paul S.

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Emil R. (C)

Alonzo L., Ann B., Brian M.

Lectors: JoMarie M. and Brijit L.

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Tony

Eucharistic Ministers: Ruby V. (C)

Amparo S.

Lectors: John V. and Sophia L.

Children's Liturgy: Julia (Combined)

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

President: Fr. Greene

Eucharistic Ministers: Ancarina M. (C)

Catalina M., Devi S., Margot G.

Lectors: Thelma T. and Carmen P.

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

President: Fr. Stewart

Eucharistic Ministers: Dodi T. (C)

Veronica R.

Lectors: Bambi T. and Marie B.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-June 25th

Readings: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18 Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday-June 26th

Readings: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36
Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday-June 27th

Readings: 2 Kgs 22:8-13, 23L1-3 Mt 7:15-20

Thursday-June 28th

Readings: 2 Kgs 24:8-17 Mt 7:21-29

Friday-June 29th

Readings: Acts 12:1-11 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18

Saturday-June 30th

Readings: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 Mt 8:5-17

Sunday-July 1st

Readings: Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15 Mk 5:21-43