Welcome!

Since the parish was created in 1955, the strength of St. Robert Parish has been its people – its diverse, welcoming, and caring parishioners of all ages and all walks of life.

We strive to be a community of intentional stewards, grateful and generous in all we do.

We are excited to welcome you, whoever you are and wherever you are on the journey God has in store for you.

We are grateful you are here! Upcoming Events

March 15/16- Second Sunday of Lent: The Transfiguration (Luke 9:28-36)

March 19- Wednesday Adoration in Spanish (Oracion) 6:30pm

March 20- Thursday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9am-1pm

March 21- Friday Station of the Cross: English 6pm Español 7pm

(6:30pm Soup at the Parish Hall)

March 22/23- Third Sunday of Lent: The Fig Tree (Luke 13: 1-9)

March 26- Wednesday Adoration in Spanish (Oracion) 6:30pm

March 27- Thursday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9am -1pm

March 28-12 Hours Adoration and Confession (9:30am-9:30pm)

Friday Station of the Cross: English 6pm Español 7pm

OUR SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 5 PM (English)

8 AM & 10 AM (English) Sunday

12 Noon (Spanish)

8:30 AM (English) Weekday Mass

Monday & Wednesday Rosary after Mass

Tuesday Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursday Exposition & Adoration after mass until 1pm

Friday Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Confessions 4 PM on Saturday or by appointment

Baptism / Bautizo

Baptisms are scheduled every 4th Saturday of the month at 10 AM. Please contact Mayra to register for the pre-baptismal class. (in English)

Los bautismos están programados cada 2^{do} sábado del mes a las 10 AM. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Mayra para inscribirse en la clase pre-bautismales. (En español)

Faith Formation / Formación en la Fe

Children's Faith Formation classes in both English and Spanish begin each September with registration occuring in August. Please contact the office.

Las clases de Formación en la Fe para Niños en inglés y español comienzan cada septiembre, y la inscripción ocurre en agosto. Por Favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina.

OCIA / RICA

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program that assists adults into full acceptance into the Catholic Church. Please contact the office.

El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos es un programa que ayuda a los adultos a la plena aceptación en la Iglesia Católica. Por favor, Póngase en contacto con la oficina.

Adult Confirmation / Confirmación de Adulto

This class is for those who have been baptized Catholics and may have received First Holy Communion and are seeking to deepen their faith with the sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact the office.

Esta clase es para aquellos que han sido bautizados católicos y pueden haber recibido la Primera Comunión y están tratando de profundizar su fe con el sacramento de la Confirmación. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina.

Wedding / Matrimonios

Weddings are scheduled by appointment, with six months notice. Please contact Mayra.

Las bodas se programan con cita previa, con seis meses de antelación. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Mayra

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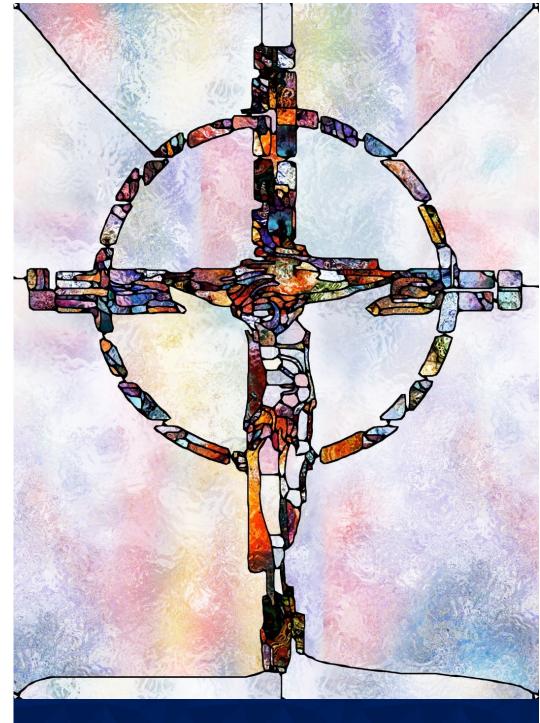
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BELONG

... let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers. *Galatians 6:10*

Are You New to St. Robert?

If you are new to our faith community, we would love to get to know you better. Fr. Lester is always excited to be able to meet with members who are considering joining our parish. Please set a time to visit with him through the parish office.

Would you like information about faith formation or the school ministry? Can we help you find a place to serve in ministry? Please connect with us via the parish website, or feel free to email us at office@saintrobertsac.org or give the parish office a call at 916-451-1475.

Year End Contribution Statements

If you would like to receive a statement showing your total contributions to the parish for the year, please contact Mayra at the parish office.

Statements will not be mailed this year unless requested. Thanks to everyone for your support of the parish.

PRAY

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Philippians 4:6

Marco Antonio Ruelas, deceased

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, Mar. 15

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Sunday, Mar. 16	
8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Intentions of St. Robert Parishioners Norberto Lintao Gozzip, deceased
12:00 Noon	Benigna Jimenez, deceased

Beatriz Garcia, deceased

Josue Macias, birthday

Monday, Mar. 17 Ronald Feil, deceased

Tuesday, Mar. 18 Nancy Paez, deceased

Wednesday, Mar. 19 Michael Chambers, deceased

Thursday, Mar. 20 Edgar Ferrer, deceased

Friday, Mar. 21 Healing of the sick

RENEW Question for Sharing

"Their minds are occupied with earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ." Philippians 3:19-20

It's hard to live on this earth and not have our minds occupied with earthly things – our jobs, soccer schedules, traffic, what to have for dinner tonight, etc. But God's concerns are not earthly; His concern is about His Kingdom; and His desire for us is to view our earthly needs in the context of His bigger kingdom. When we truly place all our faith in the Lord's dominion over our lives, our earthly worries fade and we focus on our eternal life in heaven.

For adults to consider:

What burdens you? What can you imagine God telling you if you shared this burden with him?

For children to consider:

What will you tell God when you meet him in heaven?



Almsgiving during Lent season for Loaves and Fishes

St. Robert's Social Ministry is asking for your generosity in donating toiletries, undergarments (for men's and women's) socks & backpacks. These are some of the needed essentials for our homeless folks.

Collection box will be available in the Church lobby during Lent. Thank you for your donations!

LEARN

Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths.

Psalm 25:4

Confirmación para Adultos

Nuestro grupo ministerial de Confirmación para Adultos de nuestra parroquia iniciará sesiones de formación para recibir el Sacramento de Confirmación a partir del **Miércoles, Abril 23** del año en curso. Para más información, favor de contactar Mayra llamando al

(916) 451-1475 o a través del correo electrónico: mayra@saintrobertsac.org.

Adult Confirmation

Confirmation for Adults "The Sacrament of Confirmation strengthens us with the gifts of the Holy Spirit, thus completing the work of Baptism" (CCC 1285). Our Adult Confirmation ministry group in our parish will begin classes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation starting on **Wednesday**, **April 23**. For more information, please contact Mayra at our parish office by calling (916) 451-1475 or through the email: mayra@saintrobertsac.org.

SERVE

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.

Jubilee Year | Pilgrims of Hope

For this Jubilee Year Pilgrims of Hope, Bishop Soto has expressed three themes to focus our reflections throughout the year. The first theme is To See God for "We shall see him as he is," (1 John 3:2). What happens when we feel hopeful for something? St. Thomas Aquinas describes hope as that passion (or emotion) that we feel when an arduous future good seems possible to attain. In other words, when we have to work hard to achieve a goal or end state, but we are confident that we can overcome obstacles to that goal, we experience hope as a passion or emotion. In everyday life, we might feel it when our favorite team is about to complete an epic comeback in the final minutes of a game, or when we are on the final ascent of Half Dome in Yosemite, just moments away from experiencing one of the most unique and breathtaking views of natural beauty. The goal seems reachable, and we know that we have the strength and ability to get there. Living a life of hope means drawing strength from the continuous reminders of God's love for us, especially the sacraments, which are the ordinary means of sanctifying grace. When we approach the sacraments, especially Holy Communion, let us be mindful that what we receive is not simply nourishment and strengthening for our bodies now, but as St. Thomas calls it, "a pledge of future glory."

GIVE

You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and ... your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.

2 Corinthians 9:11

Our Stewardship of the Treasure the Lord has Entrusted to Us

Collection for March 9, 2025: \$4,868

Building Collection: \$1456



Upcoming Second Collections

This Weekend: No Second Collection
Next Weekend: No Second Collection

Online Giving

St. Robert Parish now offers online giving, so you can make a one-time or recurring gift from your credit card or checking account.

