

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!

St. Robert Parish Life Team

The volunteer Parish Life Team assists Fr. Mike in the leadership of the parish. Each member of the PLT is listed with his or her particular area of focus.

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OUR SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass	
Saturday Vigil	5 PM (English)
Sunday	8 AM & 10 AM (English) 12 Noon (Spanish)
Weekday Mass	8:30 AM (English)
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 occurring in August. Please contact Arturo.

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 Arturo.

RCIA / RICA

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

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 Arturo.

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 Arturo.

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 Arturo.

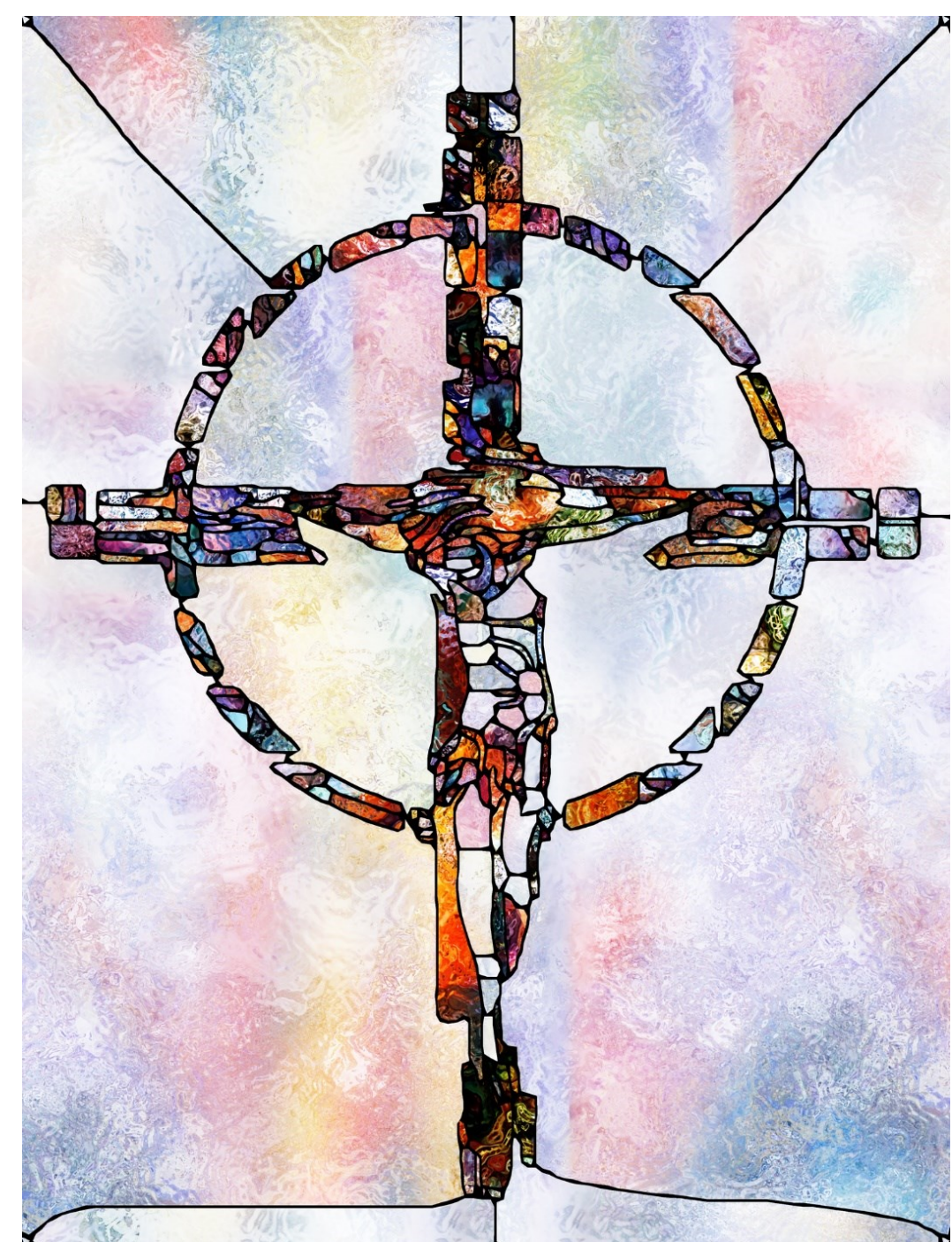
Wedding / Matrimonios

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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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. Mike 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 give the parish office a call at 916-451-1475 Ext. 1.

Parish Dinner and Dance

St. Robert Parish is hosting "Hot August Nights" — a Dinner BBQ and Dance on Saturday, August 19, 2023. Dinner will be served from 5–6 P.M. and dancing will continue until 10 PM. Tickets are \$35 for dinner and dancing, and to-go dinners are available for \$25. Kids dinner tickets are \$10. Tickets are available at the church or by contacting Jessica Nieves at 916-396-8907, Gabriel Nieves



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

Mass Intentions for the Week

<i>Saturday, July 22</i> 5:00 PM	Vilma Seno, deceased Tatha Wiley, deceased
<i>Sunday, July 23</i> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12 Noon	Intentions of St. Robert Parishioners Arturo & Teresa Arroyo, special intention Elvis Giovanni Umanzor Sanchez, deceased
<i>Monday, July 24</i>	
<i>Tuesday, July 25</i>	Luisa Mabanag, deceased
<i>Wednesday, July 26</i>	
<i>Thursday, July 27</i>	
<i>Friday, July 28</i>	Marcos Diaz, deceased



RENEW Question for Sharing

Today's Gospel passage from Matthew is filled with lessons both cautionary and consoling for the Christian steward as Jesus uses several parables to describe the kingdom of heaven and our role in it. First, He compares it to a field where both wheat and weeds have been sown. Next, He says the kingdom of heaven is like the small portion of yeast that is mixed in with flour for the making of bread. Similarly, He compares the kingdom of heaven to a mustard seed, "the smallest of all the seeds." Our offering to God often seems small — but He turns it into something big.



For adults and children:

Have you ever done something "small" for someone only to learn how "big" it was to them?

LEARN

Show me your ways, Lord,
teach me your paths.
Psalms 25:4

World Youth Day 2023 Stateside Retreat for Young Adults

Get a glimpse of the global World Youth Day by experiencing it locally with a Stateside Retreat. Calling all Catholic young adults (ages 18-39) to renew their faith in Christ and prepare themselves for the work of the new evangelization as we celebrate World Youth Day here in the Diocese of Sacramento. Joining us as our keynote speaker is Catholic singer/songwriter, Jon Manongdo, who has served in Catholic ministry for 20+ years. Cost is only \$25 per person for a grace-filled overnight experience. Register at <https://catholic.formstack.com/forms/wydstateside>.

Children's Faith Formation

"LET THE CHILDREN COME TO ME" (Matthew 19:14)

Faith Formation classes for children will start on Sunday, September 24. In catechesis, children learn the fundamental truths and contents of the Catholic faith, about God and the Church, the believer's basic prayers, the meaning of the sacraments, but, above all, it is a time dedicated to getting to know Jesus, namely, that he loves us, and that he is our friend. In our parish, the process of formation of the Catechesis for children (Pre-Communion, Communion, pre-Confirmation, and Confirmation) begins with registration on August 1st. For more information, we invite you to visit or call our parish office at (916) 451-1475.

"DEJAD QUE LOS NIÑOS VENGAN A MI" Mateo 19:14.

La catequesis para niños iniciará el Domingo 24 de septiembre. En la catequesis los niños aprenden las verdades y contenidos fundamentales de la fe católica, sobre Dios y la Iglesia, las oraciones básicas del creyente, el significado de los sacramentos, pero, sobre todo, es un tiempo dedicado a conocer a Jesús, a saber, que Él nos quiere, y que es nuestro amigo. En nuestra parroquia de San Roberto de Newminster, el proceso de formación de la Catequesis para niños (Pre-Comunión, Comunión, pre-Confirmación y Confirmación), inicia inscripciones el 1º de agosto del 2023. Para más información, les invitamos a que acudan o llamen a nuestra oficina parroquial al número (916) 451-1475.

Retiro de Retrouvaille

Con Retrouvaille hay esperanza de sanar, perdonar y restaurar su relación. Dese la oportunidad de vivir con Retrouvaille San Francisco-Español un fin de semana en pareja y des cubrirán que todavía vale la pena luchar por su matrimonio. Nuestro fin de semana se llevará a cabo los días 4, 5 y 6 de agosto del 2023 en Milpitas California. ANIMENSE, SE MERECE UNA NUEVA OPORTUNIDAD! Para más información comunícate con al (408)417-4953 ó (408) 794-9941o retrouvaillesfespanol@yahoo.com. Contacte a Moises De Leon: Mdeleon@scd.rog or 916-733-0133

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.
1 Peter 4:10

We Hope You Will Consider Serving

Christianity is not a passive faith. Instead Scripture is clear in calling each of us to active service: "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms." (1 Peter 4:10)

We have many opportunities in which you can share your talents with our parish. **We would love to have more greeters to welcome people before Mass begins!** Go to www.saintrobertsac.org/serve and you can make your choice online or email stewardship@saintrobertsac.org.

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 July 16, 2023:
\$5,179



Thank you for your generosity!

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. Please click the "Donate" button on our parish website or scan the QR code to the right.

