



March 13th, 2022

2nd Sunday of Lent

11802 Pacific St. Omaha, NE 68154

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A Eucharistic people seeking the face of Christ.



SRB-YG Lenten Dinner Take & Bake 2022

Our Youth Group and Youth Parent Council will be hosting a Lenten Dinner Take & Bake for the SRB-Parish community! **This will be a pick-up only event because of COVID.** Order ahead or call the day of! Pick up your dinner, and enjoy an evening with family or friends watching some basketball!



USE THE QR CODE TO PRE-ORDER until Wednesday, March 16th. Ends at 10 pm (the pasta dishes are only available for pre-order).

PICK-UP Friday, March 18th between 3pm – 7:30pm (last order must be placed by 6:30 pm). Call to order day of starting at 1:30 pm at 402-709-0662 (day of orders are only pizza and salad options; other add-ons possible as quantities allow).

MENU: Cheese Pizza \$18 Veggie Pizza \$24 Shrimp and Garlic Pizza \$25 Spicy Buffalo Shrimp Pizza \$25

-(ONLY PRE-ORDER) Quarter Pan Mac & Cheese (serves 3-4 people): \$14

-(ONLY PRE-ORDER) Quarter Pan Pesto Pasta (serves 3-4 people): \$14

Single Salad: \$3.50 Family Salad (serves 4 people): \$12

(6) Breadsticks: \$4 Half Dozen Cookies: \$4

Liter of Pop (choice of Sprite, Coke, Diet Coke, Dr. Pepper): \$2



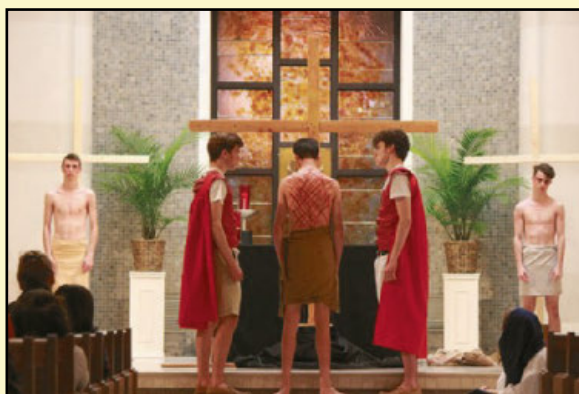
We accept cash, check, or credit cards at pick-up. After submitting your order, pick-up directions will be sent to you. All proceeds go back to Youth Group planning and programming!

Please contact Lauren at lmohatt@stroberts.com with any questions! Scan the QR code or visit our website for the order form <https://www.stroberts.com/youth-ministry>. Thank you for your support!

Save the Date! Living Stations of the Cross is scheduled to return after two years of virtual renditions. Our youth are excited to share this beautiful experience with our parish community in-person once again!

Friday, April 8th @ 2:00 pm (School Performance)

Sunday, April 10th @ 3:00 pm (Parish Performance)



See p. 3 for Lent and Holy Week 2022 at St. Robert Bellarmine

PARISH OFFICE

11802 Pacific St., Omaha, NE 68154
402-333-8989

Hours: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Mon -Thurs
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM - Friday

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EDUCATION CONTACTS**SCHOOL 402-334-1929**

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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Lauren Mohatt

Bulletin Deadline:

Tuesday by 12:00 PM

Send Items to: bulletins@stroberts.com
& barbb@stroberts.com

Parish Registrations:

Register in Parish Office/stroberts.com

HELPFUL INFORMATION**Priests**

Rev. Dave Reeson, Pastor
Rev. Mark McKercher, Associate Pastor
Rev. Andy Alexander, S.J.,
Weekend Celebrant
Rev. Rob Scheibhofer,
Weekend Celebrant
Rev. Harold Buse, In Residence

Deacons

Michael Fletcher
Joe Laird
Dick Petersen

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 8:30 AM, 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM, 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM,
11:00 AM, 12:30 PM
Daily: 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM, 5:30 PM

Live Webcasts www.stroberts.com

Sunday Masses 9:30 AM, Daily 8:30 AM
Rosary - Mon-Sat 8:09 AM, Sun 9:09 AM
Following Mass on:
Tuesday ~ Mary of Perpetual Help Novena
Friday ~ Parish Chaplet to Divine Mercy

Liturgy of Hours

Daily: 6:00 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00-5:30 PM &
7:30-8:30 PM
Thursday:
(Before First Fridays)
4:30-5:30 PM, 7:00-8:00 PM

Baptisms

Sundays: 1:30 PM
Make arrangements with
Parish Office 402-333-8989

Marriages

Date needs to be set at least
six months before the wedding.

Sick Calls

Communion Calls will be made
to those confined to home.
Please notify the parish office
of a serious illness and hospi-
tal confinement. Priests will
visit hospitalized parish mem-
bers.

DEVOTION

"Can you not watch with me for one hour?" (Matt 26:40) **Adorers are needed!**
Please contact the Perpetual Adoration Captains if you can sign up for an hour.

Sunday Joann Holtz jholtz6@cox.net 402-630-2702

Monday Jenni & Dan Owens dowensfamily@gmail.com 402-330-1993

Tuesday Suzie Lawler suzielawler@cox.net 402-492-9749

Wednesday Theresa Howell theresahowell@cox.net 402-334-9634

Thursday Beth Jareske 2jareskes@cox.net 402-431-0505

Friday Kate Brennan 402-333-6086

Saturday Jan Brannen jsb505@cox.net 402-334-9533

Perpetual Adoration 24 hours in the Adoration Chapel

Nocturnal Adoration

10:00 PM-6:15 AM starting on Saturday, before the first Sunday of the month.

Mary of Perpetual Help Novena Tuesday after the 8:30 AM Mass

Divine Mercy Fridays after 8:30 AM Mass

Rosary Mon-Sat at 8:05 AM Sundays at 7:40 AM, 9:10 AM, 10:40 AM, 7:00 PM

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

March 13, 2022

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/
Lk 9:28b-36

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Marcia, Bob R., Nick Camero, Pattie Ries, J.S.K., Benedetta M., St. M. Joseph, M.C., Kerri, Cory C. (military), Carol K., Bob, Mary Kuhse, Maryanna, Betty Winther, Tom Erker, Madeline Starr, Tom Selzle, Doug, Norma, M. Brooks, Leona Schmidt, Drake, Stephen, Mary Mornin, John Kresl, Marilyn Montoya, Lindsey Schultz, Fran B., Matt N., John P., Barb Frans, Pat H., John F., Michael V., Baby Brock, Pat L., Lisa C., Al H., Irene D., Ilene Mann, Carol K., Doug H., Crystal L., Danielle & babies, Marilyn, Easton R., Marjorie K., Duane Chamberlain, Joe, Dawn A., Larry R., Geri, Susan Harr, Charlotte G., Pat & Tom Waltz, Judy Estee, Jeff, Chris Wheeler, Mark Johnson, Brian Finn, Cheryl Galvin, Jim Hyland, Kay Chelberg, Belinda Bauer, Dee Fell, Joe Gollobit, Midge Stanley, J., Melissa, Maureen, Kelly, and everyone in need of our prayers. Call the Parish Office 402-333-8989 by **Tuesday at noon** to place names on the prayer list for the following Sunday.

OUR DECEASED

Bill Lenihan, brother of Rita Hermsen
Fr. William Kalin, uncle of Bill Mattern

St. Robert's Lent and Holy Week 2022

Stations of the Cross

Fridays during Lent

2:15 p.m. – March 4 - April 1

6:00 p.m. – March 4 - Mar. 8

Living Stations of the Cross

Friday, April 8 – 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 10 – 3:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays – 4:00-5:30 p.m., 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 9 – 10:30 a.m.-Noon,

4:00-5:30 p.m., 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Parish Reconciliation Service

Sunday, April 3—2:00 p.m.

Monday, April 4 – 6:30 p.m.

www.stroberts.com

Lenten Holy Hour Respect Life

Sundays during Lent—6:30-7:30 p.m.

Exposition - Prayers - Rosary

Holy Thursday, April 14

Mass of the Lord's Supper – 7:00 p.m.

Adoration – from end of Mass until Midnight

Good Friday, April 15

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

3:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil, April 16

7:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday Masses, April 17

6:00 a.m. Son-Rise, 7:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m.,

9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

(no 12:30 p.m.)

MASS INTENTIONS

(AND CELEBRANTS)

Monday March 14th

6:30 am† Wally Lefebvre *Fr. Rob*

8:30 am† Charlene Hill *Fr. Harry*
Anniversary

5:30 pm† Joan Pitner *Fr. Mark*

Tuesday March 15th

6:30 am† Mary Jo Dendinger *Fr. Rob*

8:30 am† Joan Pitner *Fr. Dave*
Unit Mass

5:30 pm† Joseph Edney *Fr. Harry*

Wednesday March 16th

6:30 am† Michell Martin *Fr. Dave*

8:30 am† John Powers *Fr. Harry*
Unit Mass

5:30 pm† Linda Kopfle *Fr. Mark*

Thursday March 17th

6:30 am† Ardes Brau *Fr. Rob*

8:30 am† Bernie Stock *Fr. Mark*
All School Mass

5:30 pm† Attilio Rindone *Fr. Dave*

Friday March 18th

6:30 am† Art Bennett *Fr. Mark*

8:30 am† Raul Osuna *Fr. Dave*
Unit Mass

5:30 pm† Joe Holewinski *Fr. Harry*

Saturday March 19th

8:30 am† Molly Brennan *Fr. Mark*

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. *Confessions*

3rd Sunday of Lent

5:30 pm† Mary Ann Everitt *Fr. Dave D Petersen*

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. *Confessions*

Sunday March 20th

7:00 am† Steve Kouba *Fr. Dave M Fletcher*

8:00 am† Art McCarty *Fr. Dave M Fletcher*

9:30 am† Frank Hoing *Fr. Harry D Petersen*

11:00 am People of St. Robert's *Fr. Mark J Laird*

12:30 pm† Mary Beth DeJoy *Fr. Mark J Laird*

Deacon preaching in blue.

See p. 9 for other reconciliation service opportunities at neighboring parishes.

A WORD

Veiled Glory, Revealed

The world is infused with the glory of God, and yet we are largely unaware of it. At the end of the Preface at Mass, we proclaim, "Heaven and earth are full of your glory..." In those moments when we become aware of God's presence, or in an unexpected coincidence, or in a stunning nature scene, we receive a glimpse of the glory of the beyond. If we are attentive and reflective in these moments, life can take a decisive turn.

For the Apostles, this revealing took place dramatically in their experience of the Transfiguration. They had walked and talked with Jesus for nearly three years. They had listened to His powerful words, they knew the authority in His voice, and they were awed by His signs and miracles. As far as they could, though often in a confused and incomplete way, they believed and thought they knew the person of Jesus.

Yet on Mt. Tabor, the blinders fell away for a brief time and they beheld Jesus in all His glory and dazzling beauty. The Apostles could truly see the glory of Jesus, restrained and hidden until now by His physical appearance. So moved by the memory of this experience, Peter, some thirty years later, will exclaim, "We were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For when he received honor and glory from God the Father and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory... we heard this voice... for we were with him on the holy mountain" (2 Peter 16-18).

There is another kind of glory that is ordinarily hidden from our perception, but is no less present. It is the dignity and value of each person, of our neighbor, and even of our enemy. This glory is that of Christ within us. He dwells at the center of our being in silence and hiddenness, giving life to us at every moment, and holding us in existence. This glory of Christ who is within us longs for the hour when He can reveal Himself to us.

We miss seeing the face of Christ in our neighbor through blinders of judgmentalism, but often more through condescension. Accidents of intelligence, good appearance, affluence, or good fortune lead us to think that we have a right to these qualities, not realizing they are gifts entrusted to us for the sake of others.

How do we see the glory of Christ revealed in each other? First by searching for the face of Jesus reflected in the countenance of the other (even if by faith). And by praying that we can come to see everyone through the eyes of Jesus. This happens best when we greet one another with a demeanor and smile of joy, generosity, and charity. Excessively so!



SCHOOL NEWS



St. Robert Bellarmine School Open for Enrollment FOR ALL GRADES

St. Robert Bellarmine is welcoming new students in all grades for the 2022-2023 school year! SRB students live their faith, practice service, achieve excellence and become leaders of all to Christ. Our school is a dynamic, faith-filled community. Please contact the school office to schedule a tour. We look forward to meeting new families and sharing the excellence of St. Robert Bellarmine School! Please call the school office at 402-334-1929 or email Assistant Principal Patricia Ahlgren at pahlgren@stroberts.com for more information or to set up a tour.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



- March 16th** - Sacrament classes 6:00 p.m.
 - March 16th** - Student and Lenten Family Confession 6:15 p.m.
 - March 23rd** - 7th & 8th Grade Sacrament class
 - March 30th** - NO scheduled classes! 5th Wednesday
- ?s about Religious Education, Cheryl Erker cerker@stroberts.com



Ash Wednesday - Cadence was the winner of the closest guess for the pretzel sticks representing St. Bernadette. The Piotrowski, Leise and Lenagh families helped celebrate Ash Wednesday by learning more about their faith.

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Thank you to our 2022 Bella Festa sponsors!

PARISH INFORMATION

LADIES GUILD

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Join the St. Robert's Prayer Shawl Ministry on Tuesdays in Mtg. Rm. 3 at 1:00 p.m. All levels of knitting & crocheting are welcome. Parishioners, RCIA, St. Paul VI mothers, hospice, homeless, & more receive our hand made items. If you know someone who's going through rough times & want to give them a prayer shawl, or have ?s, contact Rita Wolfe at 402-812-0016. Donations are needed & can be left in or by the marked basket in the left side of the coat closet.

BLOOD DRIVE



Did you know that donating blood can save up to 3 lives? Take advantage of an opportunity to make a difference! The next St Robert's Blood Drive is today, Sun., March 13th, 7:30am-1:00 p.m. in the Mainelli Center. To schedule: www.redcrossblood.org (search sponsor code STROBERT) or contact Marie Kozel via text/phone at 402-680-0182. Walk in donors accepted the day of the drive if the drive does not fill.

CIRCLE 2

We'll celebrate St. Pat' Day early and have dinner at Maloney's Irish Pub on Monday, March 14th. Meet at the north parking lot at St. Robert's at 5:30 p.m. to carpool.

Any questions, call Jan Brannen or Karen Merwald.

ST. ROBERT'S PRAYER GARDEN



Our early emerging crocus may be in for a surprise when the cold weather returns, but they will still survive. Lots of new little green shoots are popping up all over the Garden. The tall brick walls inside the Garden retain heat on sunny days, so plants thrive in the wonderful little micro climate.

Daylight savings time takes affect this weekend, but the hours in the Garden remain the same, 7 AM to 9 PM daily.

BLESSING FOR NEW MOMS

Blessing for expectant mothers and their families is next weekend, March 20th, after all Sunday Masses. Please feel free to come forward after Mass to receive the blessing.

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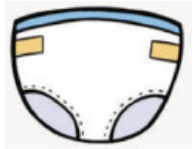
Did you know there are 2 upcoming event sponsored by the Ladies Guild?

1) **Lenten Morning of Reflection - March 31st** - The speaker is Fr. Chris Kubat on "Praying In the Spirit" and a \$10 entrance fee covers breakfast and the cost of the speaker. Volunteers are needed to assist with set up and clean up in addition to checking in attendees before the event. Register via email to Sermomof7@gmail.com or text 402-926-6293.

2) Lenten Reconciliation Reception following Reconciliation Services on Sunday, April 3rd, at 2:00 p.m. and Monday, April 4th, at 6:30 p.m. - be on the lookout for additional details and volunteer needs!

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Diaper Drive - Catholic Daughters are asking for diaper donations for St. Augustine Indian Mission March 26-April 3. All sizes are acceptable. Boxes will be at all church entry doors. Thank you for your generosity. ?s call Mary Ann 402-551-4376.



SENTINELS OF THE DAWN

Routines can be everything. Faithfulness to a spiritual routine is especially fruitful. It brings countless personal benefits and provides a sure anchor in the blustery and swirling winds of the world. An excellent routine is the **Sentinels of the Dawn Morning Prayer Group** at St. Robert's. They meet daily at 6:00 am by the Mary statue in the church to pray Morning Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours. They finish by 6:15am or so—in time for 6:30am Mass or for time to get to work. The Liturgy of the Hours is prayed by priests, nuns, other religious, as well as lay people all over the world. After the Mass, it is the "Prayer of the Church." Morning Prayer consists of Psalms, prayers, and intercessions—prayed for ourselves, for families and friends, for the parish, and for the world. Become part of this daily offering of hearts and minds in prayer that rises like incense to the throne of God. Members of the group will help orient to the pattern of prayer. Extra prayer books are also available. Contact the Parish Office if you have questions.

ROSARY MAKERS NEEDED!

Our next meeting is Wednesday, March 16th in Meeting Room 3 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The rosary is said at 11:30 a.m. & you can stay as long as you want. Light refreshments provided. We can teach you how to make cord rosaries. It is an easy craft to learn! We provide all the materials you need to take home to make rosaries in your spare time. We can also provide individual instruction at other times to fit your schedule. Questions call Lynette Schaffer 513-999-0678, Carol Zuroske 402-330-4898, or Rita Wolfe 402-812-0016. Sponsored by the Legion of Mary.



PASTORAL MINISTRY

RCIA 2021/2022

3/16 - The Creed with John Lingo
 3/19 – First Scrutiny at 5:30 p.m. Mass
 on Saturday
 3/23/22 – Retreat Experience
 ?s - Debbie dmarcil@stroberts.com

CAN YOU HELP?

Our Funeral Ministry Team is looking for 4 or 5 people who are able to take the leftover food from funeral lunches to a shelter. This would be on an as-needed basis – will take an hour of volunteer time. Questions, call Debbie at 402-333-8989. Thank you for all your support for our families during this difficult time.

PRO LIFE

Pro Life Radio - Parishioner Cullen Herout hosts Ready To Stand: Pro-Life Radio every Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday at 5:30 p.m. on Spirit Catholic Radio.

For more information ~

[//www.spiritcatholicradio.com/readytostand](http://www.spiritcatholicradio.com/readytostand).

LENTEN HOLY HOUR RESPECT LIFE



Please join us on Sundays during Lent from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in Church for Exposition, Prayers, and the Rosary.

Questions contact Lindsay Harm
 at 402-208-3812

DIVINE MERCY MINISTRY

The Divine Mercy Ministry is in need of disciples to share the message Jesus gave to St. Faustina in the 1930s for the sick and dying in Care Centers. Our Divine Mercy Ministry Disciples go to various Senior Care Centers to pray with residents. We need substitutes to help during illness, vacations, etc. More info: joholloway@cox.net or 402-690-9551.



PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Second Sunday of Lent – March 13, 2022

“This is my beloved Son, hear him.” Is our Lord asking you to follow him in tending His flock as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? Call Fr. Andy Roza at 402-557-5575 or email ajroza@archomaha.org

HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS & SEMINARIANS

The Serra Club of West Omaha invites all the faithful to join us for a special *Holy Hour for Priests and Seminarians* on Monday, March 21st, at St. Robert's. Join us in the Narthex at 6:00 PM for a Welcome Reception and at 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary for the Holy Hour. The Presider will be Fr. Frank Baumert, Sr. Associate Pastor of St. Thomas More and St. Joan of Arc, and Chaplain of the Serra Club of West Omaha. During the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, together we will pray a Rosary for Priests and Seminarians, followed by the Litany for Priests. We will spend time in silent adoration as we pray for all our Priests and Seminarians who are part of the Archdiocese of Omaha. As our Archdiocese faces a shortage of priests amid a challenging time for our Catholic Church and our culture at-large, now more than ever, we need to support our Priests and Seminarians with fervent and ongoing prayer. Please show your support and invite your family, children, youth, friends, and neighbors to join us. Let's fill the church!



Any ?s contact us at westomaha@serrainternational.org. All are welcome!

"The priesthood is the love of the Heart of Jesus. When you see a priest, think of our Lord Jesus Christ." ~ St. John Vianney ~

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

St. Robert's days for 40 Days For Life are Monday, March 14th and Thursday, April 7th. Join us at Planned Parenthood to pray for an end to abortion and for a conversion of hearts of abortion workers and government officials. Stop by for any amount of time. Everyone is welcome!

To sign up, contact Lindsay Lindsayfittoliv@gmail.com, 402-208-3812, or sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4ea4a929abf4c25-srb40days>.

40
DAYS
FOR
LIFE

FORMER ABORTION WORKERS TELL US
 THAT THE ABORTION APPOINTMENT
 NO-SHOW RATE GOES AS HIGH AS

75%
 WHEN PEOPLE ARE
 PEACEFULLY PRAYING OUTSIDE.

WEEKLY OFFERING

St. Robert Bellarmine Weekly Offertory	3/6/2022
Budgeted for the Week	\$45,852
Sunday Offering Received	\$53,038
Weekly Variance - positive or (negative)	\$7,186
Budgeted Year-To-Date (YTD)	\$1,751,571
YTD Received	\$1,849,920
YTD Variance - positive or (negative)	\$98,349

“Teach us to give and not count the cost.”

St. Ignatius de Loyola

New expanded tax benefits – Deductions up to \$600 available *even if you don't itemize!* *consult your tax professional

Questions? Kelly Vazquez kellyvazquez@stroberts.com (Stewardship & Development) or Patrick Flanery (Business Office) business@stroberts.com, or call 402-333-8989.

CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING!

Tired of writing checks? Donate easily online through the Parish website <https://www.stroberts.com/> and click on the large **green Online Giving** button on the right side of the home page. In a few easy steps you can set up automatic recurring contributions or make a one-time donation to a special cause.

Need help? Patrick can do this for you! Please click on the link and get this done now!

<https://www.myowngiving.com/Default.aspx?cid=1100>

For more information, please contact Patrick Flanery at the Parish Office ~ business@stroberts.com or 402-333-8989.

LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join the Institute for Priestly Formation for their Annual Lenten Morning of Reflection on Saturday, March 19th at Christ the King Church. The morning begins with Mass at 8:15am, a continental breakfast, a presentation from the IPF staff and prayer time. The event concludes at noon and there is no charge for the event. Register online:

priestlyformation.org or call Tina 402-280-2901

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, March 14, 2022

- 1:00 p.m. Mah Jongg, MR3
- 6:00 p.m. PEO meeting, CR
- 6:30 p.m. GriefShare, Mainelli Center
- 7:00 p.m. Omne Brass Quintet, Music CH
- 7:00 p.m. Ladies Guild Circle 2, MR3

Tuesday, March 15, 2022

- 8:00 a.m. Youth Frontiers Courage Retreat, Mainelli Ctr.
- 8:30 a.m. Mater Filius, Conf. Rm.
- 1:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry, MR3
- 4:30 p.m. Kindermusik, M1
- 6:00 p.m. Team Omaha Taekwondo, WGYM
- 6:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, CAF, CR & MR4
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, MR1
- 7:00 p.m. 4th Degree K of C, MR3

Wednesday, March 16, 2022

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Guild Book Club
- 9:00 a.m. Rosary Makers
- 9:15 a.m. Kindermusik, MR1 & MR2
- 6:00 p.m. Religious Ed
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Group, CR
- 6:30 p.m. RCIA, Mainelli Center or MR3
- 7:00 p.m. Living Stations practice, CH

Thursday, March 17, 2022

- 9:00 a.m. Bible Study, CR
- 9:30 a.m. Kindermusik, MR1 and MR2
- 5:00 p.m. Kindermusik, MR2
- 6:00 p.m. Team Omaha Taekwondo, WGYM
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study, CR
- 7:30 p.m. AA Meeting, MR3

Friday, March 18, 2022

- 9:00 a.m. Moms of Faith, MR3
- 9:30 a.m. Kindermusik, MR2
- 2:15 p.m. Stations of the Cross, CH
- 6:00 p.m. Stations of the cross, CH

Saturday, March 19, 2022

- 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study, CR & MR2
- 9:30 a.m. Kindermusik, MR1 and MR2
- 12:00 p.m. Park Birthday Party, CR
- 12:00 p.m. Hutton Baby Shower, MR3
- 1:00 p.m. Robotics, CAF
- 3:00 p.m. Robotics, CAF
- 6:00 p.m. K of C St. Patrick's Day party, Mainelli Ctr.

Sunday, March 20, 2022

- 8:00 a.m. Lassek shower, Mainelli Center
- 6:30 p.m. Respect Life Holy Hour, CH

DAILY PRAYER THIS WEEK



During this second week of Lent we continue to try to make use of more reflective time each day. We are using all the resources available to us to practice new habits and patterns. We are still in the beginning stages of that process, so we shouldn't be discouraged if it takes more practice.

It is good to begin by being reminded that God is rich in mercy to us and that we should therefore be merciful to others. It is great to remember that exalting ourselves is dangerous and that there will be consequences for our mistreatment of the poor. We are like tenants of our Father's gifts to us. We can ask ourselves if we use them gratefully and return the fruits that our Lord desires, or do we reject the prophetic words that come to us? Do we reject Jesus himself?

This can all be part of the background of our busy, daily life. Each morning, when our feet hit the floor, if only for a few moments, we can ask for a simple grace. At first, it might only be, "Dear Lord, help me today." As we brush our teeth, wash and get dressed we might specify our prayer more: "Dear Lord, give me the grace to recognize my impatience, anger and judgment today. Help to soften my heart to hear your love. I need your healing, Lord." Or we might get even more concrete, "Lord, Pat is such a struggle for me. Help me to remember how much you love me when I see Pat today. And, when I'm tempted to be impatient or angry, just help me pause and give that over to you, in gratitude for your love."

Each of us will be able to grow in our ability to have brief conversations with our Lord. Whether driving or shopping, doing laundry or paying bills, working in our office or walking down the hall to the bathroom, we can use brief "background" moments to connect with our Lord. These moments of "contemplation in action" will give a character and shape to our day. Lent becomes a living reality for us when our days are spent with the Lord, listening to his love for us, calling us to gratitude and freedom.

<https://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/Prayer/C2-L-02.html>

NEW LIFE GROUP

Celebrate the luck of the Irish by dining with the New Life Group on Sunday, March 20th. We'll meet at Fernando's Mexican Restaurant at 380 N. 114th St. at 5:00 p.m. We invite all widows and widowers to join us. For reservations, contact Sharon at 402-391-3259 or Dorie at 402-333-6127. We look forward to seeing you there!

AN INVITE FROM OUR STUDENT AMBASSADORS

The 8th grade St. Robert's Student Ambassadors invite you to their monthly breakfast on Friday, March 18th, in the Mainelli Center after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Please join us for coffee and conversation. All parishioners are welcome!

SAINT OF THE DAY

St. Cyril of Jerusalem C. 315 - March 18, 386



The crises that the Church faces today may seem minor when compared with the threat posed by the Arian heresy, which denied the divinity of Christ and almost overcame Christianity in the fourth century. Cyril was to be caught up in the controversy, accused of Arianism by Saint Jerome, and ultimately vindicated both by the men of his own time and by being declared a Doctor of the Church in 1822.

Raised in Jerusalem and well-educated, especially in the Scriptures, he was ordained a priest by the bishop of Jerusalem and given the task during Lent of catechizing those preparing for Baptism and catechizing the newly baptized during the Easter season. His *Catecheses* remain valuable as examples of the ritual and theology of the Church in the mid-fourth century.

There are conflicting reports about the circumstances of his becoming bishop of Jerusalem. It is certain that he was validly consecrated by bishops of the province. Since one of them was an Arian, Acacius, it may have been expected that his "cooperation" would follow. Conflict soon rose between Cyril and Acacius, bishop of the rival nearby see of Caesarea. Cyril was summoned to a council, accused of insubordination and of selling Church property to relieve the poor. Probably, however, a theological difference was also involved. He was condemned, driven from Jerusalem, and later vindicated, not without some association with and help from Semi-Arians. Half his episcopate was spent in exile; his first experience was repeated twice. He finally returned to find Jerusalem torn with heresy, schism and strife, and wracked with crime. Even Saint Gregory of Nyssa, who was sent to help, left in despair.

They both went to the Council of Constantinople, where the amended form of the Nicene Creed was promulgated in 381. Cyril accepted the word *consubstantial*—that is, Christ is of the same substance or nature as the Father. Some said it was an act of repentance, but the bishops of the Council praised him as a champion of orthodoxy against the Arians. Though not friendly with the greatest defender of orthodoxy against the Arians, Cyril may be counted among those whom Athanasius called "brothers, who mean what we mean, and differ only about the word *consubstantial*."

Reflection Those who imagine that the lives of saints are simple and placid, untouched by the vulgar breath of controversy, are rudely shocked by history. Yet, it should be no surprise that saints, indeed all Christians, will experience the same difficulties as their Master. The definition of truth is an endless, complex pursuit, and good men and women have suffered the pain of both controversy and error. Intellectual, emotional, and political roadblocks may slow up people like Cyril for a time. But their lives taken as a whole are monuments to honesty and courage.

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-cyril-of-jerusalem>

Sunday Schedule

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March 19/20, 2022	5:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
		<i>Deacon preaching in red</i>				
Priest	Fr. Dave	Fr. Dave	Fr. Dave	Fr. Harry	Fr. Mark	Fr. Mark
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Ushers	T McGuire	M Thieman	T Bartholet	R Kuncl	G Liebenritt	R McWilliams
Rosary (Sorrowful)			Classe	McCarthy	Ries	
Security Patrol	5:15pm J Long	7am-9am M Vazquez	9am-11am J Blumel	11am-lot empty J Zook		


Memorialize a loved one by purchasing an Easter lily! Suggested donation \$10 each. Return your donation and loved one's name to the Parish Office.

Easter Lily (Lilies)

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RECONCILIATION SERVICES

In addition to our own reconciliation services, listed below are plentiful opportunities to attend reconciliation frequently throughout Lent at our neighboring parishes. Have a blessed and restorative Lent! *-Father Dave*

- March 16 – St. John Vianney 4:30pm and 6:30pm
- March 24 - St. Wenceslaus 7:00pm
- March 28 – St. Leo's - 7:00pm
- March 29 – St. Leo's - 1:30pm
- March 29 - Mary Our Queen 7:00pm
- March 30 – St. Pius - 6:30pm
- **April 3 – St. Robert's - 2pm**
- **April 4 – St. Robert's - 6:30pm**
- April 11 – St. Elizabeth Ann 7:00pm (And ½ hour before every Daily Mass Mon - Sat)
- April 12 – St. John Vianney 7:00pm
- April 13 – St. John Vianney 1:30pm

MOMS OF FAITH

Calling all Moms! Fridays (alternating weeks) from 9:30am - 11:00am. Attend as you can. If you are a mother of any age, please consider joining us for prayer, fellowship, & fun, as we support each other in our common vocation of motherhood. Children are welcome. Celebrating our 8th year of MOF at St. Robert's! Questions ~ Sarah Ryland 402-926-6293 or srbmomsoffaith@gmail.com

- March 25 -Lenten Study "Dwell"
- April 1- Lenten Study "Dwell"
- April 8- Lenten Study "Dwell"
- April 22 - Coffee and Fellowship
- April 29 - TBA

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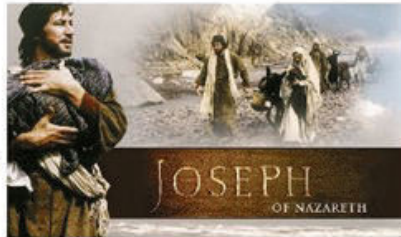
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March 13, 2022

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JOSEPH OF NAZARETH: THE STORY OF THE MAN CLOSEST TO CHRIST

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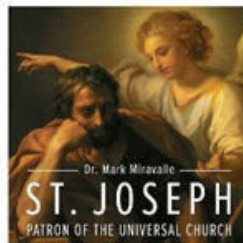
As foster father of Christ and virginal husband of Mary, St. Joseph fully gives himself to both his family and to God. Explore how we can emulate this gift of self in this episode of our Beloved series!

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ST. JOSEPH: PATRON OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH BY MARK MIRAVELLE

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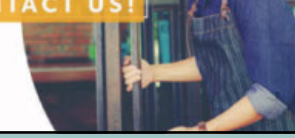
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RENEW your commitment to Parish Stewardship!

Recently, I met with Jean and Tim Goerger, new parishioners at St. Robert's. I asked them, "What made you decide to join St. Robert's Parish?" They replied, "We went to three different parishes around Omaha. No one seemed to smile or say a good morning as we came to church and we didn't feel welcomed. However, when we came to Mass at St. Robert's, we were greeted with a smile and a "Good Morning". People seemed genuinely warm and we felt very welcomed! We knew we found the right parish and we are so happy to be part of our new parish community."

- Kelly Vazquez – Director of Stewardship & Development

Pillar - Hospitality – Christian Kindness

"When I was a stranger, you welcomed me" (Matthew 25:35). The Gospel teaches that whenever we welcome the least of our brothers or sisters, we welcome Christ himself. That is why the first mark of a stewardship parish is hospitality. Being friendly is one of the first ways we can be Christ-like toward others.

Modern Catholic parishes are often so large & have so many Masses that many parishioners do not know one another.

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**Smile and greet others as you enter and exit the Church to create a sense of community.
Let's try harder than ever to be a welcoming community!**

"People come, seeking to join the Catholic Church for all sorts of reasons. I get to witness to them the joy I have found in this parish and offer hospitality and friendship along the way."

-- Mary Ann Pavich

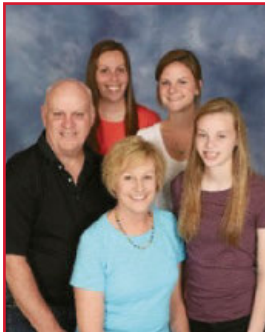


Everyone in our parish is very welcoming and I have enjoyed being a part of many different committees and groups. "St. Robert's is really a special place!"

--Katie Witt

"It is important to be involved in your parish," shared Chris, "opening your hearts to others is a big part of stewardship, and helps us grow in our faith."

--Chris Wheeler



"Nothing is possible without stewardship," Kathryn says. "It is the heart of our parish."

--Kathryn Grieb

What is Stewardship?

Stewardship is a response we make in gratitude to God for what He has given us. It is an intentional, planned proportionate giving of your time, sharing your talents and treasures. At St. Robert's, we believe it is a way to Build our faith, Serve others, and Give of your time and/or treasure.

Permission was given to Fr. Dave Reeson by Msgr. James Costigan on the "Four Pillars" of stewardship to share with our parish community. Each week the "Four Pillars" will be shared to encourage parishioners to reflect how they might grow in their stewardship commitment during this Lenten Season. I hope you enjoy Msgr.'s Pearls of Wisdom. – Fr. Dave Reeson - Pastor, St. Robert Bellarmine