

MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

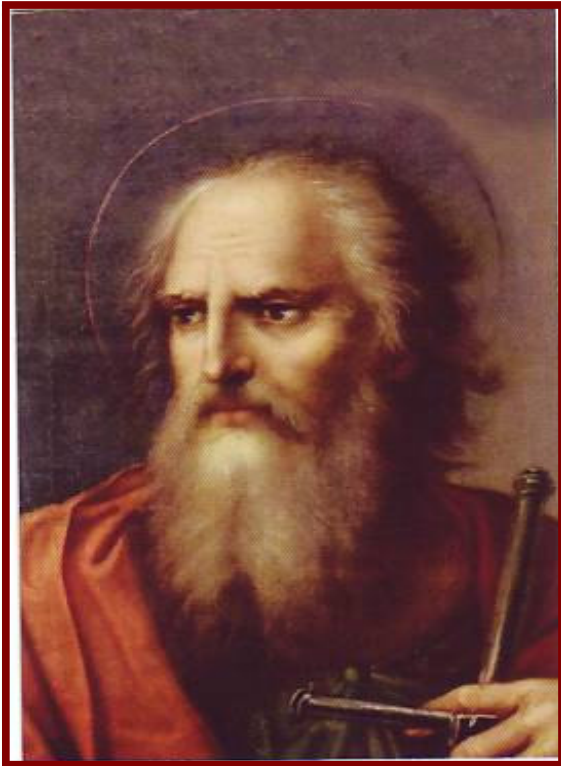
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Rectory Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Year of St. Paul

◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Reverend Brian Costello, Pastor
Very Reverend C. Michael Padazinski, J.C.D., in Residence
Deacon Alex Aragon
Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager
Mrs. Rachael Smit, Director of Religious Education
Mr. Francis Cianciolo, Sacristan
Mrs. Angelita Pasamba, Choir Director

◆ MASS SCHEDULE ◆

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., & 12:00 Noon
First Sunday: Traditional Latin Mass at 6:30 p.m.
Daily: 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon, 7:30 p.m.
First Fridays: All day Adoration:
8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Holy Hour and
Benediction: 7:30 p.m.
Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15—4:45 p.m.

◆ BAPTISM ◆

Parents are expected to be registered and practicing Catholics witnessing to their faith by regular attendance at Mass. Parents should contact the rectory at least three months prior to the desired date of Baptism, in order to allow sufficient time for the sacramental preparation.

◆ FIRST EUCHARIST/RECONCILIATION ◆

Children must be enrolled in the Faith Formation Class *one year prior* to the year of preparation for the Sacrament. In most cases, this sacrament is celebrated in Second Grade.

◆ CONFIRMATION ◆

Children must be enrolled in the Faith Formation Class *one year prior* to the year of preparation for the Sacrament. In most cases, this sacrament is celebrated in Eighth Grade.

◆ CHILD FAITH FORMATION ◆

C.F.F.—Echoing God's Word. Programs nurturing children's growth and forming their baptismal faith from Grade 1 to Grade 9. Classes are on Tuesday afternoons and evenings beginning in September.

WELCOME: We hope you get to know us and we get to know you. Please fill out the bottom portion and place it in the collection basket, or mail it to: 307 Willow Ave., SSF, CA 94080-1446. To complete the registration, we will mail you a registration form to fill out and return. Thank you.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

- New Parishioner
 New Address
 New Phone Number
 Moving/Remove Name



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THE THEME OF THE LITURGY:

You changed my mourning into dancing;
O Lord, my God, forever will I give you thanks.
- Psalm 30:13

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7,9,13-15

Your abundance should supply the needs of the others.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

Your faith has saved you.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
*I will praise you, Lord,
For you have rescued me.
Psalm 30*



**COLLECTION TOTALS
June 21, 2009**

First Collection Total \$ 3,905.50
Parish Improvement \$ 1,274.00

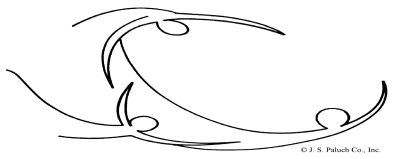
Our Second Collection this Sunday is for Peter's Pence. Our Second Collection next Sunday is for Religious Education.
Thank you for supporting your parish and your Catholic Church!

*Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially
Cliff Chase, Jillian Costello,
Pat & Catherine Dunleavy,
and Olga Montoya.
Our prayers are with them.*

| DAY | TIME | MASS INTENTIONS For the coming week: June 28 - July 4 | PRIEST |
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| SUN | 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. | Jim Lane (D) Jean & Murry Kelton (D) Jose & Cayetana Alonzo (D) | MP BC BC |
| MON | 8:00 a.m. | Jose Del Rosario (D) | MP |
| TUES | 8:00 a.m. | Emilita Nazario (D) | BC |
| WED | 8:00 a.m. | Jess Hernandez (D) | BC |
| THUR | 8:00 a.m. | Deceased Members of the Uccelli Family | BC |
| FRI | 8:00 a.m. | Father Bill Thornton (L) | BC |
| SAT | 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. | Asuncion Japson (L) John Marin (D) | BC BC |

O LORD, BE MY HELP

Today we encounter readings that draw us into the mystery of suffering and death. In the past few years we have witnessed the devastation of life and property through tsunamis and hurricanes. So many lifted their lament to God, simply asking, "Why?" This is an honest expression of anger toward a God who we believe is the giver of life. When we lose a loved one, we can wonder why the presence of Christ is not enough to make that person rise, even from death, as did the little girl in today's Gospel passage. Again, we raise our voices and ask, "Why?" At moments such as these, let us make the prayer of the psalmist our own: "Hear, O Lord, and have pity on me; O Lord, be my helper." Let us pray that our mourning will one day be turned into dancing.



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Heavenly Father, we come before you today to ask our forgiveness and to seek your direction and guidance. We know your word says, "Woe to those who call evil good", but that is exactly what we have done. We have lost our spiritual equilibrium and reversed our values. We have exploited the poor and called it the lottery. We have rewarded laziness and called it welfare. We have killed our unborn and called it choice. We have shot abortionists and called it justifiable. We have neglected to discipline our children and called it building self esteem. We have abused power and called it politics. We have bombed countries and called it justice. We have coveted our neighbor's possessions and called it ambition. We have polluted the air with profanity and pornography and called it freedom of expression. We have ridiculed the time-honored values of our forefathers and called it enlightenment.

Search us, Oh God, and know our hearts today; cleanse us from every sin and set us free.
Amen.

-Billy Graham's Prayer for our Nation



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Join us for the . . .
**MATER DOLOROSA
PARISH BBQ!**
SUNDAY, JULY 12TH
1:00 P.M.


Parish cookout

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| Chicken | \$5.00 a plate |
| Or | |
| Kalua Pork | |
| Hamburger | \$4.00 a plate |
| Hot Dog | \$3.00 a plate |

We especially welcome Mater Dolorosa School Alumni at the BBQ—pass the word!

Volunteers are always needed. If you would like to help out, please call Angi Rodriguez at (650) 575-7525. Thank-you!


**The Mater Dolorosa
Music Ministry Proudly Presents
A Mid-Summer Interlude
A Benefit Concert featuring :**



Wilfredo C. Pasamba, Cello
with the
**Mater Dolorosa
Hallelujah Chorale**
and
Angelita C. Pasamba, Assisting Artist

Saturday, July 11th
7:30 p.m.
Mater Dolorosa Church

Tickets are \$10.00 in advance, \$15.00 at the Door
Children 5 and Under—Free
Contact: The Rectory Office at 650-583-4131
Or
The Event Committee at 650-583-8717



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

RCIA at Mater Dolorosa for adults 18 years and older, will begin on Monday on August 10th 7:00 p.m. The meetings will be held in the multi-purpose room of the school. This is an invitation for those who want to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, and/or Confirmation. Please invite family, friends, and co-workers who may be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith; or you yourself might consider participating and learning more about our religion. If you have any questions about RCIA, or would like to help, please contact Diana Powell at Diana@mdssf.org, or call (650) 922-3941.

HAPPY



**FOURTH
OF JULY**

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Our Rectory Office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd for the holiday.