

# MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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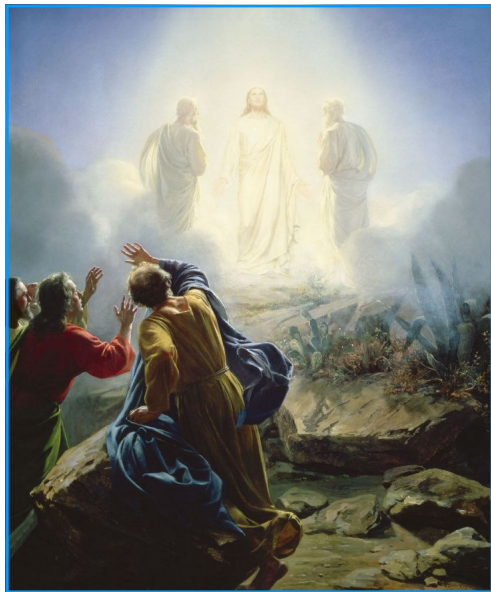
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### Rectory Office Hours:

Monday—Friday  
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.



### ◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor  
Rev. Msgr. C. Michael Padazinski, J.C.D., In Residence  
Rev. Fr. Vito Perrone, C.O.S.J., Weekend Assistant  
Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon  
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Mrs. Rachael Smit, Director of Religious Education  
Ms. Diana Powell, Director of RCIA  
Mr. Francis Cianciolo, Sacristan  
Mrs. Angelita Pasamba, Choir Director

### ◆ MASS SCHEDULE ◆

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

### ◆ BAPTISM ◆

We welcome your child to be baptized at Mater Dolorosa Church. Parents should contact the rectory at least three months prior to the desired date of the 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 Ninth Grade.

### ◆ RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ◆

C.F.F.—Child Faith Formation. 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



**Second Sunday in Lent**  
*Lord, let your mercy be on us,  
 as we place our trust in you.*  
 Psalm 33

**THE THEME OF THE LITURGY:**  
 The Lenten scriptures issue the call for us to change, to be transfigured, so that we too, will soon share in the glory of God.

**First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a**  
 The Lord said to Abram: All the families of the earth shall find blessing in you.

**Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10**  
 God has called us to a holy life, not because of our works but according to grace.

**Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9**  
 Atop a high mountain, Jesus was transfigured before Peter, James, and John.

**Weekly Offering**

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**March 13, 2010**

First Collection	\$ 4,602.50
Parish Improvement	\$ 2,124.50
Ash Wednesday	\$ 2,254.50

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for our Special Projects Fund.  
 Our Second Collection next Sunday is for Black & Indian Home Missions.

*Thank you for the generous support of your parish!*

Please pray for our Music Ministry/Choir members as they go on retreat on April 2nd at Mercy Center in Burlingame. They will be praying and reflecting upon their ministry of song and prayer together as a parish group. We wish for them to be refreshed and renewed and we thank them for their gift of song to Mater Dolorosa Parish.



**MATER DOLOROSA LADIES CLUB**  
 Our Annual Rummage Sale will take place on May 21st & 22nd. We are asking for new or used items to be donated from now until May 20th. You may call the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131 to arrange to drop of your donations. **SORRY, NO CLOTHING.** We would love your kitchen items, furniture, electronics, books, children's toys, holiday items, and all your used or new treasures! So clean out your closets, and donate those items to be sold for our stained glass fund. Your junk is our treasure. Please call the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131 for more information.



DAY	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS For the coming week: March 20th — March 26th	PRIEST
SUN	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	James & Thelma Egan (D) People of the Parish Violeta Carnero (L)	MP RD MP
MON	8:00 a.m.	Ruth Rosenthal (L)	RD
TUE	8:00 a.m.	Maria Carpio (L)	RD
WED	8:00 a.m.	Tim Murray (D)	MP
THU	8:00 a.m.	Agapito Valencia (D)	MP
FRI	8:00 a.m.	Traves Durkee (D)	MP
SAT	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Daniel Gracia (D) Lucie Augustyn (D)	RD VP

**Give them eternal rest**  
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We mourn the passing of George Ferris who died March 10, 2011. George was a long-time parishioner at Mater Dolorosa and will be missed by all. George leaves behind his wife Tilly, and a lovely family.  
*May Perpetual Light shine upon him.*



Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially:  
 Henry Broock, Cliff Chase, Stella Decesare, Pat Garibaldi, Sam Lake, Helen Minotti, Leona Pizziconi, James Rivera, Maria Vergara and Barbara Wiggs.

*May they know the healing touch of Jesus.*



Dear Friends,

The St. Patrick's Day Dinner was enjoyed by everyone who attended last Saturday night. The traditional corned beef and cabbage dinner was delicious and the sing-a-long was a big hit! Thank you to all who volunteered to make this event fun for all and a big success. A special thanks to Cathy Rosaia & Brian Dunleavy for their hard work, great decorations, tickets sales and wonderful food. Thank you to all the people who set up the parish hall and decorated, those of you who worked in the kitchen, attended the bar, the youth of our parish for serving and the clean-up crew. Many thanks to all!

May God bless you,  
Father Roland

### MATER DOLOROSA'S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Sunday, March 20th	First Communion Prep. Children's Liturgy of the Word Youth Group	9:00 to 10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
Monday, March 21st	RCIA	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, March 22nd	Second Harvest Brown Bag Distribution NO CFF Classes	9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 23rd	Legion of Mary Children's Bible Study Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Friday, March 25th	Soup Supper hosted by the Knight of Columbus Choir Practice Stations of the Cross	6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 26th	Adult Bible Study	9:00 a.m.

### THE SOLEMNITY of the ANNUNCIATION of the LORD

Friday, March 25, 2011

The faithful are not bound to abstain from meat on Friday, March 25th because the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Annunciation on that day. In order to remain mindful of the penitential nature of Lent, the faithful are encouraged to voluntarily select another day during that week as a day of abstinence.

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### CHILD FAITH FORMATION

Congratulations to the children who made their first reconciliation on March 12th. Thank you to the parents, Deacon Alex, catechists and their assistants for preparing the children for this sacrament. There will be NO classes on Tuesday, March 22nd. All children are invited to the Lent activity at 6:30 p.m. on all the Fridays in Lent. We gather in classroom #2 to explore the Easter Story before going to Stations of the Cross.

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

What do Peter, James, and John see on the mountain top?

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Founder's Day Celebration at Mater Dolorosa Church

Honoring Venerable

Fr. Michael J. McGivney

Presented by Mater Dolorosa and

St. Augustine Councils

Saturday, April 2nd 8:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

The Knights of Columbus will provide morning refreshment & lunch



For more information call:  
GK, Jim Rodriguez 650-873-2167 or  
GK, Tony Peligrino 650-291-1279

*"Come celebrate  
the founding of our organization."*

### SILENT AUCTION at MATER DOLOROSA

SUNDAY, APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup> in the Parish Hall

AFTER 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, & 12:00 PM MASSES

Sponsored by the Mater Dolorosa God Squad Youth Group

Proceeds will benefit the 50th Anniversary events.

Accepting new or gently used items in the school building until April 2nd. All donations of books, bags, kitchen items, jewelry, recycled gifts, etc. (no clothes please) are welcome. For more information please call Angi Rodriguez at 650-703-2251.

### THANK YOU KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

A big thanks to all of our parishioners who supported their parish by attending the Valentine's Day Dinner Dance hosted by the Knights of Columbus. The Knights donated \$500.00 from the proceeds towards the support our 50th anniversary celebration events that will be coming up throughout this year.

*Our thanks for your hard work and support.*