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July 20, 2014



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Msgr. John R. Pernia, In Residence
Rev. Fr. Angel Quitaig, J.C.L., In Residence
Rev. Fr. Vito Perrone, C.O.S.J., Weekend Assistant
Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Mr. Romeo Cruz, Permanent Deacon
Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager
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
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. &
Eucharistic Adoration 6:00—7:00 p.m.
Healing Mass at 7:00 p.m.
Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15—4:45 p.m.
Latin Mass in the
Extraordinary Form: Monday through Friday 12:00 Noon.
Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

*First and Third Sunday of the Month: Children's Liturgy of the Word.

◆ 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.

◆ MARRIAGE ◆

Please contact the Rectory Office at least *6 months prior* to your wedding date to allow time for Marriage Preparation.

◆ RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ◆

C.F.F.— Child Faith Formation. Programs nurturing children's growth and forming their baptismal faith from Grade 1 to Grade 12. 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

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

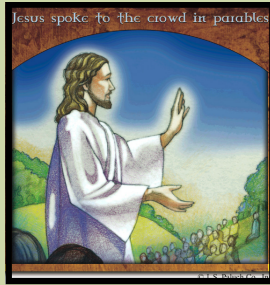
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Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Psalm 86;
Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43

PATIENTLY AWAITING JUDGMENT

Matthew, more than any other evangelist, talks about Jesus leaving and returning home. Often Jesus leaves the house because crowds have assembled outside and want to be taught. Today, after having taught and dismissed the crowds, his disciples follow him home, seeking further explanation of what seem to be, at least to us today, pretty straightforward parables.

For both Matthew and Mark, when Jesus is in the house with his disciples it signals a special teaching moment, and it should cause us today to perk up our ears. Usually it is Jesus giving commonsense advice about what it will mean to follow him. Today is no different. To follow Jesus means to be ready to encounter the followers of evil, to have to live and work and preach among them. It means patiently awaiting the judgment that can only come from God, the judgment of justly deciding who will be thrown into the flame and who will live to be a brightly shining saint. Let us heed this house-teaching, for it will be the same for us who follow Jesus Christ today.



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COLLECTIONS



July 13, 2014

First Collection \$ 4,908.00
Parish Improvement \$ 1,912.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
our Helping Hands Fund.

Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for
Mission Appeal.

Please note: Our July 27th collection for Special
Projects will instead be for
Mission Appeal.

*Thank you for your generous donations towards
the continued support of your Church!*

**Please keep all those who are sick
in our parish family in
your prayers, especially:**



Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Joe Buenavista, Trude Buntger, Jacinto Cabillo, Emeliana P. Cariaga, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Joe Duenas, Rosie Fanese, Luz Gopez, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, Manuel P. Paat, Dorothy Pruett, Eugenia Reyes, Eleanora Rivera, Maria Luisa Sarra, and Tony Yee.

**We pray that they find peace, comfort and
healing in Jesus Christ, our Divine Healer.**

*Please say a prayer for our many sick, homebound
and hospitalized parishioners who
are unable to attend Mass.*

DAY	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS: July 21 —July 27	PRIEST
MON July 21	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Cristina Carnero (D) Priest's Intention</i>	JP VP
TUE July 22	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Pearl Valencia (D) Priest's Intention</i>	AC VP
WED July 23	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Joaquing Ong, Sr. (D) Priest's Intention</i>	JP JH
THU July 24	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Gregory Fuse (L) Priest's Intention</i>	AC VP
FRI July 25	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Lisa Gomes (D) Priest's Intention</i>	JP JH
SAT. July 26	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Esperanza Salvador (D) Efren Meneses (D) Sr. Celeste Arbuckle (L) Flor Nicolas (L) Lourdes Franco Rodriguez (D)</i>	JP AF
SUN July 27	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Erlinda Valdez (D) People of the Parish Aida Ryan (L) Priest's Intention</i>	AF JP AF JH

MATER DOLOROSA'S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Mon. July 21	Latin Mass RCIA	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Tues. July 22	Second Harvest Kids Now Program Latin Mass	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
Wed. July 23	Legion of Mary Latin Mass Choir Practice Latin Mass Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thurs. July 24	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.
Fri. July 25	Latin Mass Choir Practice	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sat. July 26	Legion of Mary "Junior Kick-Off" Oblate of Mary Legion of Mary Family Presidium	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sun. July 27	Knights of Columbus Meeting Hospitality: Knights of Columbus Youth Group Meeting Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Legion of Mary Latin Mass	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.

CHILD FAITH FORMATION



Now is the time to let us know about your incoming 1st Graders to prepare for the sacrament of first communion! Please note, there is a two year preparation requirement for receiving the First Eucharist. Also, for students seeking confirmation in 9th grade (or above), participation in Confirmation I class (8th grade & above) is required.

Enroll early for the Child Faith Formation (religious education/CCD) 2014-2015 school year. Please pick up registration form with information from the vestibule, the Rectory Office or from the website at <http://www.mdssf.org/ccd/ccd.htm#top>. The CFF office is closed in July, please call 650-588-8175 to make appointment or leave a message in the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131.

There will be Children's Liturgy of the Word on Aug. 3rd, 10:00 a.m. Mass. This Liturgy is a concerned and sensitive way of presenting the Word of God to the children (Pre-K to grade 4) in order to participate actively in the formal worship experience of the community. Beginning with the proclamation of the scripture readings, children are invited to come forward to the altar by the priest. They are then quietly led to the parish center by Catechists. Children will rejoin their family in the church during the Offertory of the Mass. Anyone interested in helping to proclaim the Word of God to the children every first and third Sunday of the month, please contact the CFF or Rectory Office.

Question of the Week:

The gospel story tells us much about the justice and mercy of God. Even though the weeds are present in our world, the wheat is growing and will prosper in the end. The grace of Christ will triumph!

Lower Level:

*How have you experienced God's mercy and justice in your life?
How can you show mercy and justice to others?*

Higher Level:

If you look carefully, you might find some "weeds" inside your own heart. What is Jesus' attitude toward them? How will you deal with them?

NEW GARDEN For Our LOBBY ALCOVE

Please stop by the Lobby Alcove and take a look outside at the beautiful garden area. We thank James and Eleanora Rivera for the landscaping, the potted flowers and for all their hard work to beautify this area for our church.



2015 JOURNEY MATER DOLOROSA presents

"GREECE - TURKEY" with REV. FR. ANGEL QUITALIG

May 10 - 24, 2015 For details: Estela Nolasco 650-867-1422

Join Rev. Fr. Angel Quitalg and Friends from Mater Dolorosa Parish

- Day 1. May 10 - Board your overnight flight
 - Day 2. May 11 - Arrival - Istanbul - Nicaea
 - Day 3. May 12 - Istanbul - Assos - Alexandria Troas
 - Day 4. May 13 - Pergamum - Thyatira - Izmir
 - Day 5. May 14 - Izmir - Sardis - Philadelphia - Pamukkale
 - Day 6. May 15 - Pamukkale - Ephesus - Izmir
 - Day 7. May 16 - Kusadasi - Patmos
 - Day 8. May 17 - Crete - Santorini
 - Day 9. May 18 - Athens - Corinth - Athens
 - Day 10. May 19 - Athens - Delphi - Kalambaka
 - Day 11. May 20 - Meteora - Veria - Thessaloniki
 - Day 12. May 21 - Thessaloniki - Philippi - Kavala
 - Day 13. May 22 - Kavala - Istanbul
 - Day 14. May 23 - Istanbul - Full Day Tour
 - Day 15. May 24 - Istanbul - Departure
- * Optional 2 day tour to Cappadocia

MISSION APPEAL

A Message from Father Al Furtado

The weekend of July 26 & 27, we invite you to be part of the Missionary work of the Holy Ghost Fathers also known as Spiritains. This Congregation was founded 1703 in France to work in the Mission fields of Africa and the French colonies. There are 3,000 Spiritains, both priests and brothers, working in Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Ghana, Sierra Leone, Ethiopia, Malawi, Zambia, Brazil, New Guinea, Mauritius, Pakistan and India. Our missionaries are also working in Refugee camps in East and Central Africa. I have worked for 21 years in Tanzania and Kenya, I will speak about my present work and the founding of an African clergy on this weekend. Over 2000 of our missionaries are buried on African soil and today we see the fruits of their labor by the formation of an African clergy with its own Cardinals, Archbishops, Bishops and Priests. When I worked in East Africa our main funding was from the Propagation of Faith in Rome, which you are invited to contribute to. Your contribution also goes to our African seminaries, schools, orphanages and health-centers. Hence, in a special way, you share in the fruits of the Missionary work of the Church. God is never outdone in generosity: you will be rewarded for your contribution a hundredfold.

God Bless you, Fr. Al Furtado C.S.Sp.

Father Al will be speaking to us next weekend, July 26th & 27th. This collection will replace Special Projects.



PASSPORT TO HEAVEN

It's still vacation time for many, time to fire up the grill, weekends away, visiting or hosting relatives. We shed those heavy clothes in favor of hot weather informality. Sunday Mass is still important as ever. As we are freer in the summer, try different Mass times, visit a neighboring parish or experience a new parish while on vacation (check <http://www.masstimes.org> for mass times). Let us get out of our "pew" and experience the



Church from a different perspective. CFF families, please make sure to bring your child's "Passport to Heaven" and take a picture of the church or altar you visited or attended Mass. The children of the Faith Formation program will share their pictures and stories of the Catholic identity from many different cities and/or countries on October 5th during hospitality. If you do not have children in the CFF program, you too are welcome to share photos of churches you may have visited this summer on October 5th. Our Mater Dolorosa "Passport to Heaven" made it to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception this summer. The 'National Shrine' towers above the Northwest quadrant of Washington D.C., with its 30-story tower and colorful dome, proudly claiming the title of largest church in the Western Hemisphere and the eighth largest church in the world. It is the Patronal Church of United States Catholics and America's preeminent Marian Shrine. It is a place of pilgrimage and prayer visited by hundreds of thousands of people annually. This majestic church is not only renowned for its beautiful sacred art, but also for its unique architecture and richness in Catholic and American culture.

DO YOU KNOW...

a child or teenager under 18 years old who has not been baptized, received Communion or Confirmation? Please pick up a CFF program flyer and registration form to enroll in our program. Questions? Call the CFF office at 650-588-8175. Your calls will be returned.