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January 18, 2015



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Msgr. John R. Pernia, In Residence
Rev. Fr. Angel Quitalig, 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. Felisa Cepeda, 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

THE SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

January 18, 2015

1 Samuel 3:3-10, 19; Psalm: 40;
1 Corinthians 6:13-15, 17-20; John 1:35-42

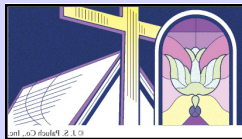
WATCHING FOR THE MESSIAH

Today's Gospel story of John and his disciples seeing and following Jesus sounds so simple and casual, it's easy to miss the significant acts of faith that are made.

John points to Jesus: "Look," he says, "there is the Lamb of God." John's faith in Jesus is evident, so evident that John's disciples immediately leave his side to follow this Jesus.

The two disciples make their own act of faith. They follow Jesus, spend time with him, and are quick to spread the good news of their discovery: "We have found the Messiah."

It is easy to forget that the expectations of generations, the hopes of many ages of faithful people were being fulfilled in these simple acts of faith. The Lamb of God, the Messiah, foretold by the prophets, had finally come. Nearly everyone among the Jewish people was watching for the Messiah back then; who in our own society watches for signs of the presence of the Messiah today?



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Martin Luther King, Jr.



Our CFF and Rectory Offices will be closed on Monday, January 19th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Jan. 17	Youth Mass Knights of Columbus Crab Fest Legion of Mary Family Presidium	5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sun. Jan. 18	Hospitality: Legion of Mary Latin Mass	11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
Mon. Jan. 19	Latin Mass Rectory & CFF Offices Closed	12:00 p.m.
Tues. Jan. 20	Second Harvest Kids Now Program Latin Mass CFF Classes	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:45—8:15 p.m.
Wed. Jan. 21	Legion of Mary Latin Mass Choir Practice Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thu. Jan. 22	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan. 23	Latin Mass Knights of Columbus State Officer's Meeting COSJ Choir Practice Choir Practice	12:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

COLLECTIONS



FOR January 11, 2015

First Collection \$ 5,638.00
Parish Maintenance \$ 1,052.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Helping Hands

Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for
St. Patrick's Seminary

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

*please
pray for
the sick*

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: *Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Trude Buntger, Larry Casey, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Joe Duenas, Luz Gopez, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, Dorothy Pruett, Maria Luisa Sarra, Gladys & Luis Torres, and Ernie Ventura.*

**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.*

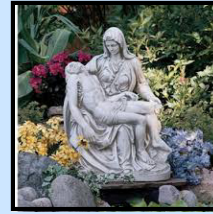
You are welcome to call the Rectory Office to add a name to be included in our prayers for the sick.

DAY	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS	PRIEST
Sat. Jan. 17	5:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i>	RD
Sun. Jan. 18	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Teodolfo Quijano (D) Linda T. Mizzi (D) Michael Leveroni (D) Priest's Intention</i>	RD AQ JP VP
Mon. Jan. 19	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Primitiva Carlos (D) Priest's Intention</i>	AQ VP
Tues. Jan. 20	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Juanita Ortiz (D) Priest's Intention</i>	JP VP
Wed. Jan. 21	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Peregrina Villasica (D) Priest's Intention</i>	RD JH
Thurs. Jan. 22	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Father Joseph Richard (L) Priest's Intention</i>	AQ VP
Fri. Jan. 23	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Pablo Calara, Jr. (D) Priest's Intention</i>	JP JH
Sat. Jan. 24	8:00 a.m.	<i>Joe & Paula Gutierrez (L)</i>	RD

As of now, we have received a total of \$22,141.00 in donations for our **PIETA Garden Project**.
Our gratitude goes to the following donors:

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Construction is going on right now. Please know that donations are still welcome. Thank you and may our Mother Mary continue to embrace us in her motherly care and love.

CHILD FAITH FORMATION



The Confirmation 2 candidates and their sponsors are overwhelmed by your support and generosity towards the winter coat drive. THANK YOU again for your generosity. Save the Date! Jan 27 @6PM - CFF parents/guardians, please mark your calendars for our family meeting on Jan 27 at 6:00pm in the parish hall. Childcare will be provided. Parents of students in grades 1 to 3 must attend a Child Safety training orientation this Tuesday, Jan 20th during your child's class session in the parish hall. Attention: Conf 2 families: There will be a Sponsor and Confirmation 2 candidate session on Jan 21st at 6:30pm in the Confirmation classroom. There will be scripture readings and reflections followed by sorting through the coats donated during the Christmas season. Any questions, please contact the CFF office or email.

Questions of the Week:

In the Gospel reading, we hear about the call of the first disciples. One of them was Simon. Jesus told him that he would be called Peter, or Cephas, a Greek word for "rock." One day the Church would be built on the rocklike faith of Peter.

Levels 1-6: *Why do Simon and Andrew follow Jesus? Who do you follow?*

Level 7 & Confirmation classes: *What positive pressure from your peers do you feel? If you were in Simon and Andrew's place, what might persuade you to follow Jesus?*

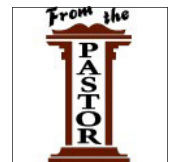
WALK FOR LIFE WEST COAST—2015

Join us for the Walk for Life West Coast on January 24, 2015 where tens of thousands of Catholics and non-Catholics alike share the gospel of life which is the gospel of Christ. This year will mark the 11th annual Walk for Life West Coast. There will be a Mass at 9:30 a.m. at San Francisco's Cathedral of Saint Mary of the Assumption prior to the Walk for Life. To learn more, you may call (415) 658-1793 or visit the website at walkforlifewc.com.



As we conclude Christmas season on this Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, I wish to thank those of you who had had made our Christmas liturgies beautiful and more meaningful. Together with our social activities they built up our familial community and deepened our faith.

On behalf of the parish clergy and staff, please accept our gratitude and appreciation for all your kind words and generosity that you have done to us. May Jesus our Lord and Savior continue to shine His light upon us as we continue our journey of life.



Fr. Roland



SAVE THE DATE for our **Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner** on Friday, January 30th at 6:00 p.m. If you have been a volunteer for Mater Dolorosa please call the Rectory Office to make your reservation for this appreciation Dinner by Friday, January 23rd, so we can be sure to count you in! Thank you.

We hope everyone can attend!

