

MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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February 1, 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 FOURTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

February 1, 2015

Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm: 95;
1 Corinthians 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28

AUTHORITY FROM GOD

According to Moses, the people decided they didn't want to hear God's voice directly any more. It was much too frightening. Why couldn't God send human teachers, prophets, instead? God agreed, but with a warning. The people had better listen to those teachers, because they spoke in God's name.

That arrangement, though, had its own problems, for them and for us. How do I know this teacher is truly from God? And if the teacher is from God, are all parts of the teaching meant for me? We have the Church and scripture to help us with those questions, but still there are always a few loose ends.

That is the powerful significance of the sentence in today's Gospel: "The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes." The people knew that this Jesus was authentic—truly a teacher sent by God. They knew it by hearing him.

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We mourn the death of our beloved **Bob Valencia**, who passed away peacefully at his home on Saturday, January 24th. Bob was a long-time Mater Dolorosa parishioner, a daily Communicant, and a big part of parish life. The funeral Mass is at Mater Dolorosa on Thursday, Feb. 5th at 1:30 p.m. May he rest in eternal peace with our Lord.



Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Jan. 31	Legion of Mary Family Presidium	7:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 1	Hospitality: Altar Society Youth Group Latin Mass	11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
Mon. Feb. 2	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.
Tues. Feb. 3	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. Feb. 4	Legion of Mary Latin Mass Choir Practice Baptism Class No Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Thu. Feb. 5	Latin Mass Ladies Club Meeting	12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 6	Eucharistic Adoration Benediction Latin Mass COSJ Choir Practice Eucharistic Adoration Healing Mass Choir Practice	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

COLLECTIONS



FOR January 25, 2015

First Collection \$ 5,137.00
St. Patrick's \$ 3,432.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Our Religious Education Programs

Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for
Parish Maintenance & Improvement

***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, Trude Buntger, Larry Casey, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Joe Duenas, Mrs. John Duran, Gloria Flores, 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. 31	5:00 p.m.	<i>Vincent Gatt (D)</i>	AQ
Sun. Feb. 1	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Ernesto & Juanita Ortiz (D) Jim & Angela Rodriguez (L) People of the Parish Priest's Intention</i>	JP RD RD VP
Mon. Feb. 2	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Edelwiza Nunez (D) Priest's Intention</i>	RD VP
Tues. Feb. 3	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Godofrdo Enano (D) Priest's Intention</i>	AQ VP
Wed. Feb. 4	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Paula Ramos (D) Priest's Intention</i>	RD JH
Thurs. Feb. 5	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Glen Watson (D) Priest's Intention</i>	AQ VP
Fri. Feb. 6	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Rosalinda Ledesma (L) Priest's Intention</i>	RD JH
Sat. Feb. 7	8:00 a.m.	<i>Susan Masciovechi (L)</i>	JP

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2015

In February, you will receive in the mail your envelope and brochure for AAA 2015, along with a letter from Father Roland regarding our Archbishop's Annual Appeal for 2015. This year our assessment is \$54,100.00. Father Roland will be talking to us about this the weekend of February 21st & 22nd. That weekend's collection will be dedicated to our annual appeal! Please consider making a donation of \$540.10 and join our One Percent Club, however, all donations count and any amount is a generous blessing to your parish. Any amount that we receive over our assessment amount goes back to Mater Dolorosa to be used for parish projects. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this appeal!

CHILD FAITH FORMATION



Thank you to Confirmation 2 students and their sponsors for sorting the coats donated by the parish community on the week of the Feast of Epiphany of the Lord! Attn: Parents of students in Kinder to Grade 3: If you did not attend the parent orientation meeting on Jan 20th, please contact the CFF office. The child safety and protection training for students in Kinder to grade 3 will be held on Feb. 10 and Feb 24 during class time. Parents who do not want this training for their children must sign a waiver to ensure compliance with the Archdiocese of San Francisco and for your child to be excused from attending the class. Please see the CFF office for more information. Our next Children's Liturgy of the Word will be on Feb 15th at 10:00am.

Questions of the Week:

Today's gospel reading Jesus teaches and acts with authority. In this first miracle recorded by Mark, Jesus shows his power over the forces of evil. We should learn to trust in Jesus and his loving care for us. We should listen each day for his quiet voice in our hearts, urging us to trust him and to do what he asks.

Levels 1-6: *What drives Jesus? What does he stand for?*

Level 7 & Confirmation classes: *What are our attitudes toward authority in our lives? Are our attitudes toward Jesus the same as or different from our attitudes toward other authorities?*

WORLD DAY of the SICK MASS

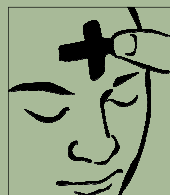
Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone, Principal Celebrant

Saturday, February 7, 2015, 11:00 a.m., Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption, 111 Gough St. at Geary, San Francisco

"A special time of prayer and sharing, of offering one's suffering for the good of the Church and of reminding everyone to see in his sick brother or sister the face of Christ who, by suffering, dying and rising, achieved the salvation of mankind."

- John Paul II

ASH WEDNESDAY February 18, 2015



Mass Times:

8:00 a.m.

12:00 Noon

7:30 p.m.



DIAPER DRIVE

Alpha Pregnancy Center at 5070 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94112, Phone No. 415-584-6800 is having a "Diaper Drive" for one whole month to help women in a pregnancy crisis. Last year was a huge success in that Mater Dolorosa collected more than 2,500 diapers which were delivered to the Alpha Pregnancy Center. Mothers who are pregnant need our prayers but also our action in God's providence for them not to abort their babies. Please donate diapers, baby clothes, strollers, blankets, bottles, formula, or monetary gifts. You will find a collection bin in the vestibule of our church this month.



Please support this worthy cause to promote life!

GIFT CARD PROGRAM

Our Gift Card Program is an on-going project, not just seasonal! Please support this fund-raising program for our parish by purchasing gift cards for your favorite stores and services. Please make sure you place your order before the 15th of every month. Order forms are always available in the vestibule and may be placed in the collection basket, or turned into the Rectory Office.