

MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.,

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January 31, 2016



◆ 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. Ricardo Carlos, 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

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 31, 2016

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19, 8-10; Psalm 71;
1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13; Luke 4:21-30

THE GREAT HYMN TO LOVE

It is doubtful that Saint Paul, when he sat down to write what we now know as the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians, knew that he was penning what was to become one of the keystones of Christian ethics. In this brief passage, he set down ideals about love that have held fast through the centuries. Sometimes we may think that because these are ideals to which we aspire, we are excused from them in our daily living. But what Paul was writing was a letter to his friends, providing them with some sound advice about what it meant—and still means—to live in love, day by day, as a follower of Christ. We find in his words to his friends a broadening of the great commands of Jesus to love God and neighbor. Today we hear what this love must look like in our own actions, and how it ought to guide our relationships with others.

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Thank You Frances Cianciolo

Frances (Frank) Cianciolo has served Mater Dolorosa Church in countless ways over the years, and most especially in recent years, as our Sacristan. Recently, Frank has retired his volunteer position after many years of service. We thank him, as a parish community, for his dedication to this ministry.



Please welcome **Ricardo Carlos** as our new Sacristan.

Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Jan. 30	Adult Bible/Faith Group Youth Mass Legion of Mary Family Presidium	9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sun. Jan. 31	Hospitality: St. Vincent de Paul Legion of Mary Latin Mass Hospitality	11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Mon. Feb. 1	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.
Tue. Feb. 2	Second Harvest/Kids Now Program Latin Mass CFF Classes	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:45 to 8:30 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 3	Legion of Mary Latin Mass COSJ Choir Practice Baptism Class Ballroom Dancing	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thu. Feb. 4	Latin Mass Adult Bible/Faith Group	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 5	Eucharistic Adoration Benediction Latin Mass Eucharistic Adoration Healing Mass Choir Practice	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

COLLECTIONS



FOR January 24, 2016

First Collection \$ 4,751.00
St. Patrick's Seminary \$ 2,032.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for St. Vincent de Paul.

Our Second Collection Next Sunday is for Our Religious Education Programs.

Thank you for your generous support of your Mater Dolorosa Parish and our Catholic Church through your continued donations!

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

Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Marilyn Bugler, Trude Buntger, Janie Bustos, Larry Casey, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Kevin Dresser, Tillie Ferris, George Garibaldi, Luz Gopez, Heidi Ibisate, Gary Andrew Lacanilao, Joan Lopiccolo, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, John Paat, Sr., Mary Anne Padilla, Dorothy Pruett, Florentina Quitugua, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, and Gladys & Luis Torres.



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

Please pray for our many sick, homebound and hospitalized parishioners who are unable to attend Mass.

DAY	TIME	Mass Intentions	PRIEST
Sat. Jan. 30	5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish (D)	AQ
Sun. Jan. 31	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Joe Duenas (D) Charles & Anne Zink (D) Abelardo & Hortensia Rodriguez (D) Priest's Intention	AQ RD JP JH
Mon. Feb. 1	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Nympha Sarte Sy (D) Priest's Intention	AQ VP
Tues. Feb. 2	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Nila Benetti (D) Priest's Intention	JP VP
Wed. Feb. 3	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Jovita Triunfo (D) Priest's Intention	RD JH
Thurs. Feb. 4	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Jovita Alcantara (D) Conrad & Emie Battolome (L) Priest's Intention	AQ JH
Fri. Feb. 5	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Antonio Alonzo (D) Priest's Intention	JP VP
Sat. Feb. 6	8:00 a.m.	Jovita Alcantara (D)	RD



CHILD FAITH FORMATION

Lent is 11 days away. CFF families and students are required to attend our Lenten activity on Feb 9 at 6pm. Attendance will be taken. SACRAMENTAL CLASSES: First Communion class: Please work on Lesson 4 in your Together with Jesus folder for

Reconciliation preparation. Lesson 1, 2 & 3 are due next week Feb 2. The parent guide for lessons 4, 5 & 6 will be distributed on Feb. 2nd. Questions? Please call or email the CFF office.

Questions of the Week:

In this reading from the Gospel, the people do not listen to Jesus. They did not really believe he was the Messiah, because they had known him all their lives. To them, Jesus was "Joseph's son" and nothing more. But Jesus never gave up, either. Jesus knew that his Father was with him always.

Have you ever felt like "giving up"? How can you remember to be like Jeremiah and Jesus?

What do you know that will help you not to give up?



Mater Dolorosa Knights of Columbus Presents Valentine Dinner and Dance

Mater Dolorosa Parish Hall

307 Willow Avenue, So. San Francisco, CA 94080

Saturday, February 13, 2016

6:00 pm Doors open

7:00 pm Dinner: Baked salmon, rice pilaf, vegetables, salad and dessert...free drinks

8:00 – 11:00 pm Dancing!

Donation \$30 per person

For more information contact:

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Knights of Columbus Family and Knights of the Month



Family of the Month : **Lady Lydia and Brother Ed Pomposo** (December) for their quick action when a parishioner collapsed in church, contacting his wife and providing assistance to the parishioner and medical information to the paramedics allowing for better treatment.

Knights of the Month: **Deacon Alex Aragon**

(December) for his leadership in the Los Posadas, Our Lady of Guadalupe, and Simbang Gabi celebrations.

Knight of the Month: **Brother William Bosque** (November) for his support and participation in the Silent Auction and involvement/ dedication as a choir member.

DIAPER DRIVE at MATER DOLOROSA

Starting February 1st thru February 28th Mater Dolorosa Church will have its 3rd Annual "Diaper Drive". We are asking for the following to be placed in the box in the church's foyer: diapers, formula, new and in good condition baby clothes ages 1 month to 10 years, strollers, car seats, socks, blankets, good condition cribs, etc. At the end of the month James and Eleanora Rivera will deliver the collection to Alpha Pregnancy Program on Mission Street in San Francisco.



GIVE DRINK TO THE THIRSTY

"Faith, if it has not works is dead" (James 2:17). Following Jesus' instructions and Church tradition, Catholics are called to practice the "Corporal Works of Mercy." Each week we will feature a Corporal Work of Mercy to reflect upon. Water is a gift from God, without which no life is possible. Yet many people all over the world lack clean drinking water. Treat water with reverence and respect, and as an act of love share it with those around you:



- ◆ Conserve water at every opportunity. Don't let the faucet run while you brush your teeth.
- ◆ Help ensure that the sick or elderly have enough to drink.
- ◆ Offer something to drink to everyone who enters your home, guests, workers, visitors.
- ◆ Give to organizations such as Catholic Relief Services that have programs to enable villagers to design and construct safe and clean drinking systems.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Mater Dolorosa Church will host a day of prayer vigil from 7:00 am through 7:00 pm at the Planned Parenthood facility, 35 Baywood Drive, San Mateo on Saturday, February 20, 2016. There will be a sign up table available in the vestibule next to the foyer for two weeks prior the vigil. We must have at least two or more parishioners per hour. Any questions, contact James or Eleanora at 650-992-6717.



LET'S TRAVEL and HAVE FUN!

Please join us in our church's fund-raising bus trip to Yellowstone, Mt. Rushmore and Las Vegas on June 4th to June 11, 2016. Flyers with more information are available in our church's vestibule.

