

MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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April 3, 2016



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Msgr. John R. Pernia, In Residence
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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

◆ 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

Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

April 3, 2016

Acts 5:12-16; Psalm 118;
Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:1-9

JOINING THE COMPANY OF BELIEVERS

What will help you to believe? Today's scripture readings tell of faith and doubt.

They offer stories "recorded to help you believe," as the passage from John's Gospel (20:31) remarks today. There is an urgency about this. On this Second Sunday of Easter we are challenged to join the company of believers—countless men and women who witnessed the power of the apostles' faith.



There is no doubt that this power comes from Jesus Christ. The second reading, from the book of Revelation, reports John's mystical vision of the Son of Man, who proclaims, "Once I was dead, but now I live" (Revelation 1:18). The Gospel gathers everyone but Thomas to see the Risen Jesus and receive the Holy Spirit from him. Like Thomas, we who have come along later must have faith so that we can have life.

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Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Apr. 2	Adult Bible/Faith Study Legion of Mary Family Presidium Divine Mercy Novena	9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Sun. Apr. 3	Divine Mercy Sunday (please see schedule on following page) Children's Liturgy of the Word Hospitality: Altar Society Youth Group COSJ Choir Latin Mass Divine Mercy Novena Hospitality	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Mon. Apr. 4	Latin Mass Divine Mercy Novena	12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Tue. Apr. 5	Second Harvest/Kids Now Program Latin Mass CFF Classes Divine Mercy Novena	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:45—8:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Apr. 6	Legion of Mary Latin Mass Divine Mercy Novena COSJ Choir Baptism Class Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Th. Apr. 7	Latin Mass MD Ladies Club Meeting Divine Mercy Novena Adult Bible/Faith Study MD Choir Practice	12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Fri. April 8	Latin Mass COSJ Choir Divine Mercy Novena	12:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

COLLECTIONS



FOR March 20, 2016

First Collection \$ 5,852.00
Catholic Relief \$ 2,345.00

FOR March 24, 2016

Holy Thursday \$ 1,620.00

FOR March 25, 2016

Good Friday (Holy Land) \$ 3,330.00

FOR March 27, 2016

Easter Collection \$10,999.00

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

Our Collection Next Sunday is for
The Parish Maintenance & Improvement Fund.

*Thank you for your continued support of your parish and
our Catholic Church!*

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



Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Trude Buntger, Janie Bustos, Larry Casey, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, George Garibaldi, Luz Gopez, Joan Lopiccolo, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, John Paat, Sr., Derk Padilla, 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 FOR THE WEEK	PRIEST
Sat. Apr. 2	5:00 p.m.	Tom Reardon (D)	JP
Sun. Apr. 3	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish Bienvenido & Azucena Angeles (L) Jack Madamba (D) People of the Parish Priest's Intention	AQ JP RD RD JH
Mon. Apr. 4	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Steven Balestrieri (D) Priest's Intention	JP VP
Tues. Apr. 5	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Pedro Rabelas, Jr. (D) Priest's Intention	AQ VP
Wed. Apr. 6	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Pedro Rabelas, Sr. (D) Priest's Intention	JP VP
Thurs. Apr. 7	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Jorge Grivas (D) Priest's Intention	AQ VP
Fri. Apr. 8	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Ignatius Deltario Nicolas (L) Priest's Intention	JP JH
Sat. Apr. 9	8:00 a.m.	Elvira Pillazar (D) Yoshio Fuse (D) Abelardo & Hortensia Rodriguez (D)	RD

**CHILD FAITH FORMATION
at MATER DOLOROSA**

CFF classes will resume on April 05. There will be a CFF family meeting on April 19th at 6pm for all families. Childcare will be provided.



ATTENTION: Parents of students in grades Kinder to 3 – If you did not attend the parent orientation meeting for the Child Safety program, please contact the CFF office. All new families are required to have this orientation. If you have been with our CFF program for 2+ years and have already attended this orientation in previous years, please contact the CFF office.

SACRAMENTAL CLASSES: First Communion class: There will be a parent meeting on Apr 5 at 6pm. Lessons 1, 2 & 3 should be submitted. Save the Date: Apr. 23 8:30am-12noon – Family Retreat day. Attendance is required of student and parent.

Questions of the Week:

John's account of that first Easter night is filled with drama. Jesus appears through locked doors and gives his disciples his peace. Thomas, who misses out on this experience of Jesus, refuses to believe unless he can touch Jesus' wounds. He is remembered in the Church as "doubting Thomas." Yet, Jesus respected his doubts, and answered them in a beautiful way. Thomas did not keep his doubts to himself. He shared them with the community and with Jesus.

What can you do when you have a doubt or a question about something? How do the disciples feel when Jesus appears among them?

Elegant Tea & Dance at Mater Dolorosa

Saturday, April 9, 2016

12:30 to 3:30 P.M.

Dancing from 12:30-1:30 & 2:30-3:30

Free Lesson!

Tea & Small Bites at 1:30

Dance Hosts and Hostesses Available

Dressy Casual

Adults only please!

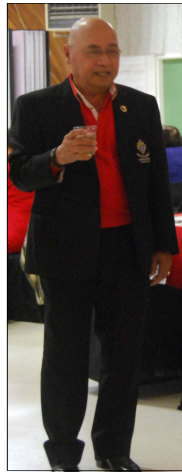
DONATION: \$15 advance, \$20 at door

For Ticket Info: Al or Sandee (650) 872-3816



Sponsored by the Ballroom Dancing Group & The MD Ladies Club

PARISHIONER of the YEAR



This year's Parishioner of the Year is Ricardo Carlos. Ric has served his parish this year in many ways, some of which include serving as our Sacristan, working for years beautifying the altar as a member of the Altar Society, assisting in many repairs and maintenance for our church and buildings. In addition, Ric is an active member of the Knights of Columbus, he guards the safety of our children in the parking lot when CFF is being held, he is an Extraordinary Minister and is our photographer for many of our events! We thank Ric for his dedication to our parish and to God.

Our Lady of Manaog in the Bay Area

Location: Mater Dolorosa Church

Date: April 16, 2016

Time: 12:00 Noon—Holy Rosary/Divine Mercy

1:00 p.m.— Holy Mass

2:00 p.m.—Procession/Reception in Parish Hall

Mass Celebrants: **Rev. Mark Reburiano,**

Pastor, St. Isabella Church

Rev. Rolando De la Rosa,

Pastor, Mater Dolorosa Church



For more information please contact:

Emely Grivas (650) 553-9819

or

Lily Villaluna (650) 862-8149

**Divine Mercy Sunday
at MATER DOLOROSA**

April 3, Divine Mercy Sunday

Vigil Mass - 5:00 p.m.

Masses at 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 Noon.

Prayers at Pieta Garden - Following the 12:00 Noon Mass

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Prayers - 2:00 p.m.

Reconciliation - 2:00 to 2:50 p.m.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 3:00 p.m.



THANK YOU ST. PATRICK'S DINNER

Many thanks to everyone for making our St. Patrick's Day party so successful! We're waiting for the final figures, but the estimate looks like the event raised approximately a \$1400 profit! This was a joint effort between K of C and Ladies Club and the proceeds and expenses will run through the parish accounts. We net about \$200 on the raffle and made a small profit on the bar. Vem, Rufo, Nessa and Renato did a great job in the kitchen- the food was really excellent! You are all honorary Irishmen now. The Ladies Club did a lovely job with the set up, decorations and all the homemade Irish soda bread. Our Youth Group did a great job as servers, as usual. And the Celtic Choir, we thank our very own "leprechaun", and the musicians and singers were outstanding! The Murphy Irish Dancers are always a treat. John & Cathy, thanks for being so organized throughout all the planning. The Knights did a great job with the set up and clean up. It was a wonderful night!