

MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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JANUARY 15, 2017



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
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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
Ms. Elsa Agasid, Music Coordinator
Mr. Marlon Evangelista, Music Coordinator

◆ 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.
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.

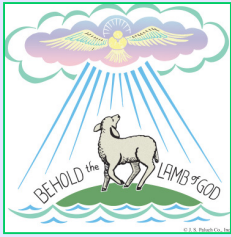
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- New Parishioner
- New Address
- New Phone Number
- Moving/Remove Name

SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

January 15, 2017



Isaiah 49:3, 5-6; Psalm 40;
1 Corinthians 1:1-3; John 1:29-34

THREE MISSIONS

Today we begin with one of the "servant songs" from the book of Isaiah, a song prophetic of Jesus' ministry of service. Isaiah's mission is not only to bring

back the children of Jacob to gather in Israel; it is also to be "a light to the nations" (Isaiah 49:6). Jesus Christ, as servant, will be the fulfillment of the ancient prophecy and the basis of the new.

This Sunday we begin a series of readings from Paul's letter to the Corinthians. Here Paul is identified by his mission: he is an apostle of Jesus Christ. The church at Corinth to whom he addresses this letter is also identified: it is part of the universal church of God. The Corinthians are called to holiness, as are all Christians.

Though the feast of the Baptism of the Lord was celebrated last Monday, today's Gospel also alludes to the importance of that event. The reading emphasizes that Jesus "outtranks" John: his baptism in the Spirit will eradicate sin. Jesus accepts John's baptism, even though it is he himself who is the Lamb of God.

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PLEASE NOTE

January 22, 2017 Second Collection

*The Second Collection for next weekend will be taken in support of Saint Patrick's Seminary. There will not be an envelope for this collection in your packets, but offering envelopes will be placed in the pews. Thank you.

Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Jan. 14	Legion of Mary Family Presidium	11:00 a.m.
Sun. Jan. 15	Children's Liturgy of the Word Hospitality: Legion of Mary COSJ Choir Latin Mass Hospitality	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Mon. Jan. 16	Latin Mass RCIA CFF & Rectory Offices Closed	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Tue. Jan. 17	Second Harvest Kids Now Program Latin Mass	10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
Wed. Jan. 18	Legion of Mary Latin Mass Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thu. Jan. 19	Morning Hospitality Group Latin Mass MD Choir Adult Bible Study	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan. 20	Latin Mass COSJ Choir Practice Volunteer Appreciation Dinner	12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.



COLLECTIONS

FOR 12/25/16
Christmas Collection \$ 19,483.00

FOR 1/8/17
First Collection \$ 3,794.00
Parish Maintenance \$ 1,793.00

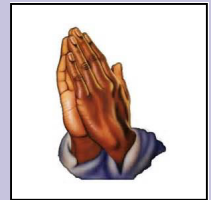
Our Collection this Sunday is for
Our Helping Hands Fund.

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

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:

Liz Alvaro, Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Jason Bell, Trude Buntger, Larry Casey, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Elsa Evangelista, Luz Gopez, Walter Heim, Barbara Lagomarsino, Joan Lopiccolo, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Mel Feliciano, Richard Menendez, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, Florentina Quitugua, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, Laura Skaff, Luis Torres and Kit Fong Woo.



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. 14	5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish	AQ
Sun. Jan. 15	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Emeliana P. Cariga (D) Martin Keane (D) Abelardo & Hortensia Rodriguez (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	AQ RD RD JH
Mon. Jan. 16	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Gregorio Samson (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	RD VP
Tues. Jan. 17	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Edelwiza Paulette Nunez (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	AQ VP
Wed. Jan. 18	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Margea Lugod (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	RD JH
Thurs. Jan. 19	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Michael Fuse (L) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	AQ VP
Fri. Jan. 20	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Yoshio Fuse (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)	RD JH
Sat. Jan. 21	8:00 a.m.	Lily Aquilar (L) Peregrina Villasica (D) Primitiva Carlos (D)	AQ

CHILD FAITH FORMATION

SAVE THE DATE – Jan 31st – 6PM – Parent/Guardian family meeting. All parents and guardians are required to attend. SACRAMENTAL CLASSES: First Communion class (Level 2 & Older Communion class): Reconciliation home lesson 1 due on Jan 17. Parents who DID NOT attend the Jan 10 meeting, please make an appointment with Ms. Felisa to pick up your information and home lessons. Confirmation 2 class: There will be a sponsor and Confirmation 2 candidate session on Jan 18 at 6:30pm or Jan 21st at 1:00pm. There will scripture readings and reflections followed by sorting through the coats donated during the Christmas season. If you have questions about these reminders please call or email the CFF office.

Questions of the Week:

In this Sunday's Gospel, John the Baptist announces the beginning of Jesus' ministry. John's witness gives us a picture of who Jesus is and what his mission is. In his testimony, he says that he saw the Spirit descend upon Jesus. By this sign John knew that Jesus was the one who is to come after him.

Who does John the Baptist testify Jesus is?

What is he doing to prepare the people for the Messiah?

ANNUAL VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER at MATER DOLOROSA

Please join us for our Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner for all those who have worked as a volunteer, or belong to a ministry for Mater Dolorosa Church. The dinner will be held on Friday, January 20, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in our parish hall. Please call the Rectory Office to make your reservation for the evening before January 15th, (you may leave a message.) See you there!



MARTIN LUTHER KING HOLIDAY

Our CFF and Rectory Offices will be closed on Monday, January 16th, in observance of Martin Luther King day.



COAT DRIVE at MATER DOLOROSA

Warm someone's heart this winter. Donate NEW or gently used men's, ladies, or children's coats. Collection barrels can be found in the vestibule of the church or in the school lobby through this weekend, January 14th & 15th. Donations will benefit the Catholic Worker Hospitality House Shelter in San Bruno and Samaritan House. **Thank you for your generosity.**



Helping Hands Ministry at Mater Dolorosa

Helping Hands volunteers provide a number of services to our parishioners. Some of those services include: Funeral reception in the parish hall for founding parishioners—set up, clean up, serve and provide coffee and cookies, rides to the doctor, a ride to Mass, and dinner three times per week for first 30 days following hospitalization for those homebound in need. If you are in need of Helping Hands services, please call rectory office and our helpers will contact you.

The Annual Walk for Life West

Coast



The Annual Walk for Life West Coast will take place on Saturday, January 21, 2017. The Walk continues to grow and attract large numbers of participants from our local communities, as well as busloads of people who travel from all parts of the West Coast and beyond. This is an effective way to bring our message to the public's attention each year. It offers women, men, families and friends an opportunity to come together to express the value of human life.

As in the past, on the morning of the Walk for Life many bishops from around the state will join the Most Reverend Salvatore J. Cordileone, Archbishop of San Francisco, to celebrate a special 9:30 AM Mass at Saint Mary's Cathedral to ask Our Lord's blessing on all who will participate, as well as all who will witness our peaceful and prayerful procession. After Mass, please gather at Civic Center Plaza where the Information Faire and Rally will take place, before the 1.3-mile walk down Market Street to the waterfront at Justin Herman Plaza. You may wish to consider sponsoring a parish bus to the Walk or carrying a banner to identify your parish. Please support the Walk for Life West Coast on January 21, 2017 to proclaim to the world that we are a people of life.