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JANUARY 14, 2018



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor

Rev. Fr. Angel Quitelig, J.C.L., In Residence

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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

Ms. Elsa Agasid, Director of Music

Mr. Marlon Evangelista, Associate Director of Music

◆ 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.

Every Sunday: Children's Liturgy of the Word, 10:00 am Mass.

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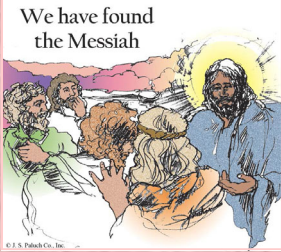
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- New Parishioner
- New Address
- New Phone Number
- Moving/Remove Name

THE SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 14, 2018

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



**THE LAMB OF GOD
"Behold the Lamb of God!"**

We hear this phrase every Sunday at Mass, but there's a good chance that many Roman Catholics do not know who in the Bible originally spoke it. The phrase appears only in the Gospel of John, on the lips of John the Baptist, who utters it twice. In today's Gospel reading, John proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God, and two of John's own disciples then follow Christ. A little bit later Andrew, who heard John and then followed Jesus, brings his brother Simon to be re-named Cephas, or Peter. A careful look at these Bible verses shows us the mission of everyone baptized into the Body of Christ: we must always proclaim our faith in Christ, so that others will follow him. We may not know how the will of God might work through those we bring to Christ; that is not the point. The point is that our ongoing mission as a church is to bring others to Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

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COLLECTIONS

For 1/7/2018



First Collection \$ 5,080.00
Religious Projects \$ 1,578.00

Our Collection this Sunday is for
Parish Maintenance & Improvement

Our Second Collection next Sunday is for
Special Projects

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, Jason Bell, Trude Buntger, Lucy Delahoussaye, Phil Dow, Mary Dunleavy, Elsa Evangelista, Mel Feliciano, Luz Gopez, Walter Heim, Barbara Lagomarsino, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Timothy McGrew, Richard Menendez, Karen Ramirez, Robert Reid, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, Laura Skaff, Jim Toomey, Luis Torres, Kit Fong Woo and Donald Wood.

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.

Our Rectory & CFF Offices will be closed on Monday, January 15th in honor of Martin Luther King Day.



Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. Jan. 13	Bible Study Legion of Mary Family Presidium	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Sun. Jan. 14	Children's Liturgy of the Word Hospitality: Hospitality Ministry Latin Mass	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
Mon. Jan. 15	Latin Mass Rectory & CFF Offices Closed	12:00 p.m.
Tue. Jan. 16	Latin Mass CFF Classes	12:00 p.m. 5:45—9:00 p.m.
Wed. Jan. 17	Legion of Mary Meeting Latin Mass Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thu. Jan. 18	Morning Hospitality Latin Mass COSJ Music Practice Bible Study Mater Dolorosa Choir Practice	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan. 19	Latin Mass COSJ Choir Practice	12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.

DAY	TIME	Mass Intention	PRIEST
Sat. Jan. 13	5:00 p.m.	<i>Diane Dooley (L)</i>	AC
Sun. Jan. 14	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish Florentina Quitugua (D) Gregoria Zapanta (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC LR AC JH
Mon. Jan. 15	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Agnes Maria San Pedro (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC VP
Tues. Jan. 16	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Gregorio Samson (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC VP
Wed. Jan. 17	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Susan Holquin (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC JH
Thu. Jan. 18	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Diane Dooley (L) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC VP
Fri. Jan. 19	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Raymundo & Benilda Nolasco (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	AC JH
Sat. Jan. 20	8:00 a.m.	<i>Diane Dooley (L) Ralph Lindsey (D)</i>	AC



14th ANNUAL WALK FOR LIFE
SATURDAY, January 27, 2018
Civic Center Plaza, San Francisco
Rally 12:30 p.m. Info Faire: 11:00 am.
To register, or for more information call 415-658-1793
Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street and ends at Justin Herman Plaza/Ferry Building



CHILD FAITH FORMATION

SAVE THE DATE: Family meeting Jan 30 @ 6pm in parish hall. All parents are required to attend.
SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES REMINDERS
First Communion: Parent meeting – Jan 16, 2018 @ 6pm in parish hall. Parents of Level 2 and Older communion students are required to attend. Confirmation 1: The Blessed Virgin Mary essay due Jan 16
Confirmation 2: Sponsor & Candidate Activity: Jan 17, 6:30pm -8:30pm OR Jan 21, 1:00pm – 3:00pm.

Questions of the Week

In this Sunday's Gospel, we see how the disciples learned about Jesus from others, but then got to know Jesus for themselves. When the people came to Jesus, they learned for themselves who Jesus was, and then they wanted to be his followers. This is one of the most important aspects of our faith. No one is a disciple of Jesus alone. To be a follower of Jesus is to be part of a community of disciples. Today we call that community the Church.

From whom did the disciples first learn about Jesus? What did John the Baptist call Jesus? What did Jesus say when the disciples asked him where he was staying? How can you get to know Jesus?

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION of COMMUNION of the BLOOD OF CHRIST

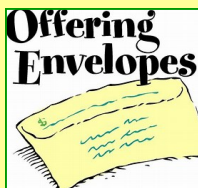


Effective immediately, Mater Dolorosa is temporarily suspending the dispensing of the Precious Blood of Christ, due to the FLU SEASON, until further notice. If you are experiencing cold or flu symptoms, you may refrain from Mass attendance until you are well. According to the Memorandum from the Office of the Archbishop *"It is important to remind the faithful that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass does not apply to those who are ill, especially those who suffer from contagious disease. It is a sign of consideration for others that those with flu-like symptoms remain at home. For the convenience of those who are homebound, or unable to attend Mass because of illness or infirmity, Mass is broadcast each Sunday morning at 6:00 AM on Channels 8, 20 (Comcast), KTSF 26."*



Thank you for your consideration in this matter, and take care!

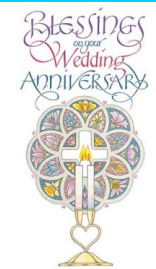
New Offering Envelopes for 2018



You will notice a change in your offering envelopes which are delivered to your home. If you are registered at Mater Dolorosa Church, and have requested envelopes, you will now receive them monthly. Although the envelopes look beautiful, they are more cost-effective for our parish. Please contact the rectory office if you would like to receive envelopes for your Sunday and holiday donations.

CELEBRATE YOUR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The Archdiocese of San Francisco will offer our annual Wedding Anniversary Mass on February 3, 10:00am, at the Cathedral. All couples celebrating '5 year anniversaries' (5 years, 10, 15, 35, 40) or over 40 years, in 2018, are invited to celebrate with us. Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone will be the principal celebrant. Register at www.anniversarymass.net.



Fundraiser for Sunshine Ortiz
January 20th & 21st

It is with humble hearts that we seek your assistance in helping the family of Bernardo and Susan Ortiz. Bernardo, a member of Mater Dolorosa's maintenance crew, has served our church wonderfully for three years. Susan is a member of the Legion of Mary, a group of devout parishioners who dutifully serve God and our church. Their daughter, Sunshine Ortiz, needs to undergo a kidney transplant in Manila, Philippines. Unfortunately, due to financial limitations, Sunshine does not have medial insurance and is unable to pay for this live-saving procedure. The estimated cost is 1,500,000 Philippine Pesos or \$30,000. As you can imagine, this enormous amount would be difficult for most people to come up with but is especially difficult for their family. To assist them, the Legion of Mary, the Knights of Columbus and the Ortiz's family and friends will have a Hot Dinner/Hot Lunch Event after the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, January 20th and after the 10:00 a.m. and the 12:00 p.m. Masses on Sunday, January 21st. We hope you will consider purchasing delicious meals at \$7.00 per plate, which will include BBQ chicken, BBQ ribs, rice, green salad, and bottled water. Thank you for your support of this cause.

