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APRIL 21, 2019



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
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Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon
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Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager
Mrs. Felisa Cepeda, Director of Religious Education
Ms. Diana Powell, Director of RCIA
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.
First Saturdays: Marian Devotion 8:00 a.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 (PRINT) 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.

Mr. & Mrs. Ms. Mr. Miss _____

Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

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

EASTER SUNDAY

April 21, 2019

Acts 10:34, 37-43; Psalm: 118;
Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

HAPPY EASTER!

Happy Easter! Or as most other languages prefer: Blessed Pasch—Passover! Pasqua, Pascua, Páscoa, Pâques! Israel's Passover through the Red Sea to the Promised Land! Jesus' Passover through the Cross to resurrection! Our catechumens' Passover last night, and ours once upon a time, through Baptism's waters to our family's Eucharist! Welcome, everybody! As someone once said of the Catholic Church, "Here comes everybody!" So in this Jubilee of Mercy, we make our own Saint John Chrysostom's Easter welcome from fourteen hundred years ago: "Let everyone enjoy this radiant feast! You who fasted from Lent's beginning, and you who didn't fast at all, rejoice! The table's richly set! Come, take from it, everybody, no worries, no embarrassment! All of you, taste the banquet of faith! Enjoy the feast of forgiveness! Let no one grieve for having sinned again and again: pardon has risen from the tomb!" Happy Easter! Blessed Pasch! Welcome, everybody!



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First Reading: Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen!

Psalm: This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Second Reading: Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate with exaltation.

Gospel: Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each responds to the empty tomb.



MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK

DAY	TIME	Name	PRIEST
Sat. April 20	8:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i>	RD
Sun. April 21	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Lona Eichhorn (D)</i> <i>Christopher Marston (D)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	VP RD RD JH
Mon. April 22	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Aurea Karlstrom (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD VP
Tues. April 23	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Marcelo Meer (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD VP
Wed. April 24	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Shirley Hoster (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	MC VP
Thu. April 25	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Arielle & Genevieve Nicolas (L)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	MC RD
Fri. April 26	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Reymundo & Benilda Nolasco (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	JB MC
Sat. April 27	8:00 a.m.	<i>Teresa Villaluna (D)</i> <i>Peregrina Villasica (D)</i> <i>Pastor & Modesta Paiz (D)</i> <i>Demetrio & Purita Villaluna (D)</i> <i>Marlene Caballero (L)</i> <i>Taylor Hardley (L)</i>	JH

COLLECTIONS

Due to our publisher's schedule, some collection totals will be printed in an upcoming bulletin.



For April 7, 2019

First Collection \$ 5,152.00
Helping Hands \$ 2,073.00

Our Collection this Sunday is for

EASTER SUNDAY

Our Second Collection next Sunday is for
BLACK & INDIAN HOME MISSIONS

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

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

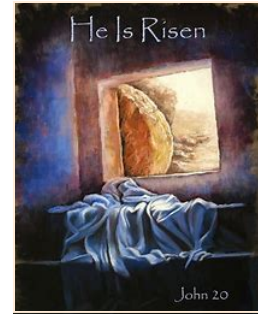


Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Carlos Avendano, Jason Bell, Cleo Brazier, Trude Buntger, Marlene Caballero, Lucy Delahoussaye, Gary DeMartini, Phil Dow, Elsa Evangelista, Rodolfo Flores, Luz Gopez, Taylor Hardley, Walter Heim, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Sunshine Ortiz, Melchor Realino, Barbara, Reid, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, Laura Skaff, 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.

Mater Dolorosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sat. April 20	Bible Study Legion of Mary Family Presidium	9:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.
Sun. April 21	Children's Liturgy of the Word Hospitality: Legion of Mary Latin Mass Hospitality	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Mon. April 22	Latin Mass RCIA	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Tue. April 23	Second Harvest/Kids Now Latin Mass CFF Classes	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:45 p.m.
Wed. April 24	Legion of Mary Meeting Latin Mass Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thu. April 25	Morning Hospitality Latin Mass MD Choir Practice Bible Study	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Fri. April 26	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.



CHILD FAITH FORMATION



CFF Family Meeting on April 23 at 6pm. All parents/guardians are required to attend. We will be discussing the new Faith Formation year 2019-2020 and how we can help you and your family on your faith journey. CFF classes will resume April 30. For questions about a CFF activity or event or our CFF program, please come by and visit the CFF office or call/email.



SACRAMENTAL CLASS REMINDERS:

First Communion (Level 2 & Older Communion): First Communion Family Retreat, Saturday, Apr 27 8:30-12noon. First Communion Practice, Apr 30 at 4pm. All children receiving First Communion are required to attend. Older Communion Sunday classes: There will be class on the following day Apr 28 – please meet in the Grade 2 classroom at 11am. Confirmation 1: Save the date: Parents meeting 5/7 at 7:30pm. Please meet in the parish hall. Confirmation 2: Save the date: Confirmation Practice May 2 at 6pm – Parent, Sponsor and Candidate attendance. Attendance required!

Questions of the Week:

In today's Gospel, the women report their experience at Jesus' tomb on Easter morning. Pay close attention to how the apostles describe the women's story.

What did the women find when they went to Jesus' tomb?

What was the reaction of the apostles when the women told them their story?

How is the women's story described?



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Over the centuries, the Church has demonstrated a wonderful ability to adopt a culture's favorite symbols and customs and assign them new meaning. Easter eggs have a very ancient pedigree: nature's perfect package, emblem of new life, dyed and decorated and given as gifts in ancient Egypt, Rome, China, and Persia. Just as the long hard winter is over, the egg bursts with promise of life and nourishment.

Long ago, Christians came to see the egg not as a symbol of spring's rebirth, but of ours, and as a sign of Christ's tomb. A Polish legend says that Mary, in compassion for the soldiers at the cross, gave them eggs, but that her tears stained their shells with brilliant color. Legends have their origin in tales told around a hearth, but they often contain a profound truth. The idea of Mary, the first Christian, engaged in a merciful act of forgiveness and tenderness even in the shadow of the cross, describes the age-old wish that Christ "Easter in us."

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PARISHIONER OF THE YEAR

JOHN DOOLEY

Please join us in congratulating **John Dooley** as our 2018 Parishioner of the Year. John is a Eucharistic Minister, is a member of the Knights of Columbus, the Parish Pastoral Council, St. Vincent de Paul, and volunteers for Second Harvest. He is always on hand to help out with many of our holiday dinners, events and activities. John will be honored at a breakfast on Sunday, April 28th at St. Veronica's Church at 9:00 a.m. Please call the Parish Center to make your reservation to attend. Congratulations John Dooley, and thank you!



CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES & REGISTERING at MATER DOLOROSA

Do you currently receive weekly contribution envelopes from Mater Dolorosa? Placing your check or cash donation in your personal numbered envelope, means we can better track your contribution, for more complete end-of-year statements, which are issued every January. Our new envelopes arrive monthly! You can call the parish center to add your name to the list, or you may register by filling out the box on the cover of this bulletin. Registering at Mater Dolorosa also ensures that you will receive holiday schedules, updates and weekly envelopes, if you choose. Please consider requesting envelopes for better accuracy!

