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FEBRUARY 9, 2020



◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Vito Perrone, C.O.S.J., Weekend Assistant
Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon
Mr. Ricardo Carlos, Sacristan
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
Mr. Michael Malabed, Youth Minister

◆ 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 Parish Center 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 Parish Center 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

FEBRUARY 9, 2020

The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 58:7-10; Psalm 112;

1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Matthew 5:13-16

In today's Gospel, we need to consider what salt and light meant in Jesus' time. Salt and light are every day commodities for us, so we may not realize how special both were in ancient Israel. Salt was so valuable it was part of the pay of Roman soldiers. Light came only in the form of fire or small oil lamps. In both cases, salt and light were valuable. So Jesus is telling us in this week's Gospel that we must be valuable signs of God's love and grace for the world. We need to season and preserve the world like salt and illuminate the darkness of sin and despair like a light in the night. But how do we do that? It's not enough to just go to Mass each Sunday and then hide out the rest of the week under the barrel of daily life. We have to learn how to take our faith out of the box of the church and bring it into the world. We have to live every moment of our lives as true witnesses to our Faith. This is more than just a good idea. It's one of Jesus' basic instructions on how we are to live as children of God.



We mourn the passing of *Francis Cianciolo* on February 1st.

Frank was a founding parishioner along with his wife Mary. He and Mary served the parish in countless ways, but namely, Frank was our sacristan for many years, serving under most of our priests here at Mater Dolorosa. He was devoted to his Church, his faith and his family. Please keep Frank in your prayers; he will be missed.



MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK

DAY	TIME	Name	PRIEST
Sat. Feb. 8	5:00 p.m.	<i>Enrico Martin (L)</i>	RD
Sun. Feb. 9	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i> <i>Raul Triunfo (D)</i> <i>Elena Embang (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD RD RD JH
Mon. Feb. 10	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Robert Esterday (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD VP
Tues. Feb. 11	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Lorenza Tanguilut (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD
Wed. Feb. 12	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Raymundo & Benilda Nolasco (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD JH
Thu. Feb. 13	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Mario Cid (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	RD VP
Fri. Feb. 14	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Hermie Moscardon (D)</i> <i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>	VP VP
Sat. Feb. 15	8:00 a.m.	<i>Emiliano Aquino (D)</i> <i>Phillip Sellick (L)</i>	VP

COLLECTIONS

February 2, 2020



First Collection \$ 5,326.00
Religious Ed \$ 1,921.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for **Maintenance & Improvement Fund**
Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for **Our Special Projects Fund**

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:

Carlos Avendano, Jason Bell, Nieves Calara, Cleo Brazier, Marlene Caballero, Ambrose Calonsag, Annalie Davanzo, Lucy Delahoussaye, Phil Dow, John Dresser, Laura Duran, Mario & Elsa Evangelista, Rosie Fanese, Rodolfo Flores, Luz Gopez, Taylor Hardley, Nicky Mabee. Leonila Magalued, Amy Marston, Walter Marston. Marisol Meneses, Sunshine Ortiz, Lulu Ramos, Melchor Realino, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, Laura Skaff, Ken Sweeney, Jaiden Tolosa, 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. Feb. 8	Bible Study Music Ministry Legion of Mary Family Presidium Karaoke Night	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 9	Children's Liturgy of the Word Hospitality: Hospitality Ministry Latin Mass	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
Mon. Feb. 10	Latin Mass A Capella Music Ministry	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Tue. Feb. 11	Second Harvest/Kids Now Latin Mass CFF Classes	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:45 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 12	Legion of Mary Ballroom Dancing	8:30 a.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thur. Feb. 13	Morning Hospitality Latin Mass MD Choir	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 14	Latin Mass	12:00 p.m.



CHILD FAITH FORMATION

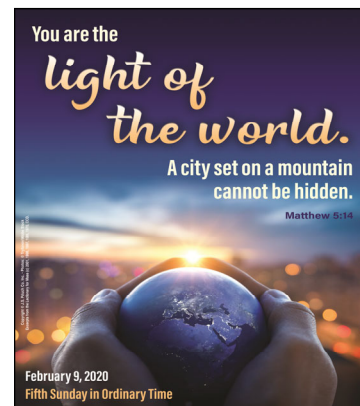
Family = the Domestic Church. It is the smallest body of gathered believers in Christ. For the next few weeks we will offer ideas/tips to help strengthen your domestic church. This week we will focus on family prayer. Learning how to pray together as a family takes time and commitment. Here are some ideas to pray together as a family. Create a prayer center, a place where the entire family can gather to pray. It can be a small dedicated space in your home. It should have things like a statue or image of Our Lady, a crucifix and a Bible. If space is limited, you can always create a prayer box with these items in them so that you can assemble your prayer center anywhere in the home when it's prayer time. Create a prayer routine. Agree as a family to incorporate prayer into your routines. Look at what you do as a family in the morning, afternoon and evening and find times where you can pray together. It might be in the car or in your home. Where ever it might be, creating a prayer routine will make prayer the center and heart of your family life. If you have questions or would like to learn more about our Faith Formation programs, please contact Felisa Cepeda 650-583-4131 x2 or email cff@mdssf.org

SACRAMENTAL CLASS REMINDERS: First Communion classes: **SAVE the DATE!** First Reconciliation Practice: Tuesday, Feb 18 from 4pm-7pm (includes attending class at 5:45pm) There will be a parent meeting at 6pm in the parish hall. First Reconciliation Family Retreat: Saturday, Feb 22, 8:30 a.m. - 12noon - Parents and children are required to attend. Celebration of First Reconciliation - Feb 29 at 10am. Children are asked to meet in the Parish Center lobby no later than 9:30am. Older Communion Sunday classes: Next class will be on Mar 1 and Mar 8 - please meet in the Our Lady of Fatima room. Confirmation 2 families: Make-up service activity - Handicapables Service - Feb 22 at 10:30am to 2pm. This is for those who did not attend the Advent Service activity on Dec 17. Waivers will be sent home this Tuesday, Feb 11.



Community Wedding

The Legion of Mary is sponsoring a community wedding at Mater Dolorosa Church. We are inviting all couples of our parish, who have not received the Sacrament of Marriage. We encourage you to join this wonderful and spiritual event. Our Pastor and the members of the Legion of Mary will assist you in the preparation and inform you about the necessary documents. For more information, please call the office at (650) 583-4131.



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SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK (Cycle A)

WATCH: Opening the Word for the 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (2/9/2020), then answer these REFLECTION QUESTIONS:

CHILDREN— Jesus says that we, his followers, are the light of the world. When we do good deeds, we glorify God and we show that we are the light. What are some ways you can show you are the light of the world?

TEENS—In the Gospel, Jesus gives a specific reason why we must let our light shine before others. What is that reason?

ADULTS—In the stillness of your being, ask Jesus to reveal to you a way that you can become a light to the world. What comes to mind? Is it something you are currently doing or something new that you are being called to do?

Pick of the Week: Movie—Bernadette

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This week, check the calendar at

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for adult, teen, and children programs/movies/talks/ebooks.

There are many entertaining and informative options for:

2/11 Our Lady of Lourdes

2/14 Sts. Cyril and Methodius

GOD'S CALL

The person who has been "saved," who has "heard the good news of salvation," still lives in an unsaved world, a world sadly oblivious to the presence of God. Today's readings outline how the disciple is present in the world.

The outline begins with Isaiah: "Share your bread . . . shelter the oppressed . . . clothe the naked" (Isaiah 58:7). Those who hear the word of salvation are not insensitive to the urgent needs of others. Then Paul reminds his flock that he brought Christ to them not in eloquence or wisdom, but by being with them in the "weakness and fear" of their daily lives (1 Corinthians 2:3). Finally, Jesus tells his disciples to go out into the gloom and darkness of the streets of the world and let God's light shine through their good deeds.

We disciples don't save the world. To the extent, however, that we have heard the word of God and been awakened to God's presence, we may spread that word and bring that presence to others. Copyright © J. S. Palluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS:

First Reading — If you share your food with the hungry, provide housing for the homeless, then light shall break forth upon you. (Isaiah 58:7-10).

Psalm — The just man is a light in the darkness to the upright (Psalm 112).

Second Reading — My message to you, says Paul, was the proclamation of Christ crucified (1 Corinthians 2:1-5).

Gospel — You are the salt of the earth, the light of the world. In your good deeds your light shines before others, leading them to glorify God. (Matthew 5:13-16).

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