

**MATER DOLOROSA
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Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.,
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

January 31, 2021



◆ 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, Religious Education Aide

◆ 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. See page 4 of this bulletin.

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

January 31, 2021

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Sunday's Readings:

Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm: 95;
1 Corinthians 7:32-3; Mark 1:21-28

FALSE PROPHETS, TRUE PROPHETS

In Deuteronomy today we hear that God's very words will fill the mouth of a true prophet, but a false prophet will, in a manner of speaking, put mere mortal words into God's mouth. In Mark's Gospel, we see Jesus teaching and healing as a true prophet, one filled with the authority of God's own voice, the Holy One of God.



The whole history of our church is filled with both true and false prophets. But in today's Gospel we learn that Jesus' fame spread because he taught with authority; he wasn't an authority because he was popular or famous. We also learn from him, in his desert temptation confrontations with Satan, that anyone can quote scripture, even against God's purposes. And today we hear that his authority was not like that of the scribes, who held the official positions of religious authority in his day. Our work is to do our best to discern the true prophets in our midst, and to be true prophets as well. The psalmist tells us how to do this: by not hardening our hearts when God speaks. If we truly listen to God, it will be God's very words filling our mouths. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

If Mass is not celebrated in person, or if it is open to public attendance, the names of those who have Mass Intentions are combined at the Sunday Masses. The priest who celebrates the Mass, has the names of the intended.

For now, 8:00 a.m. Mass Intentions are celebrated at 12:00 Noon.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



DAY	TIME	Name
Sat. Jan. 30	5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sun. Jan. 31	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Andrew Angeles (L) Lloyd Horton (D) Frank Cianciolo (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Mon. Feb. 1	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Roland Myint (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Tues. Feb. 2	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Angel Abagat, Jr. (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Wed. Feb. 3	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Rebneil Borreros (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Thurs. Feb. 4	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Nieves Calara (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Fri. Feb. 5	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Louis Michel (D) Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)
Sat. Feb. 6	8:00 a.m.	Heidi Caparro (L)

COLLECTIONS



January 24:

First Collection: \$ 1,517.00

Second Collection: \$ 337.00*

*Includes Miscellaneous Second Collections.

Thank you for your continued support of your parish!



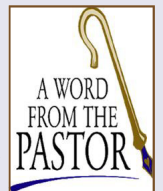
Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially:

Jason Bell, 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, Amy Marston, Marisol Meneses, Mark Andrew Nicer, Sunshine Ortiz, Lulu Ramos, Melchor Realino, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra, Laura Skaff, Ken Sweeney, Kit Fong Woo and Donald Wood.

We pray that they find peace, comfort and healing in Jesus Christ, our Divine Healer.

Dear Parishioners,

I hope you are healthy and safe. COVID-19 has posed many challenges to our parish. Your offertory gifts support salaries of parish staff members, programs and ministries, maintenance of our buildings and grounds, and many other vital components of our parish life. I ask you to continue financially supporting our parish during this time. You can give online by visiting <http://www.sfarch.org/lifeline> or by mailing in your giving envelope, or by dropping it in the mail slot at the parish office. Please indicate 'Mater Dolorosa Parish' in the Designation, Parish field. All gifts, regardless of amount, are greatly appreciated and very beneficial.



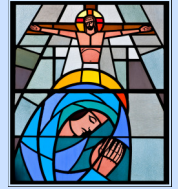
Thank you, Father Roland.

Mater Delarosa's Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

Sun. Jan 31	Mass 10:00 a.m. Live Stream Virtual Youth Gathering 11:00 a.m. Outdoor Mass 12:00 p.m.
Mon. Feb. 1	Outdoor Daily Mass 12:00 p.m. Latin Mass 12:00 p.m. No in-person attendance.
Tue. Feb. 2	Outdoor Daily Mass 12:00 p.m. Latin Mass 12:00 p.m. No in-person attendance. Virtual CFF Classes—5:45 & 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 3	Outdoor Daily Mass 12:00 p.m. Latin Mass 12:00 p.m. No in-person attendance.
Thur. Feb. 4	Outdoor Daily Mass 12:00 p.m. Latin Mass 12:00 p.m. No in-person attendance.
Fri. Feb. 5	12:00 p.m. Outdoor Mass Latin Mass 12:00 p.m. No-in person attendance.
Sat. Feb. 6	Outdoor Daily Mass 12:00 p.m. Outdoor Reconciliation 3:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

LIVE STREAM MASSES at MATER DOLOROSA

San Mateo County has shut down public Masses until further notice. Obviously it is due to the rising Covid-19 cases in our county. We are live streaming the Sunday Mass at 10:00 a.m. You may access this Mass by logging on to Face Book (even if you do not have an account), and go to: <https://www.facebook.com/mater.dolorosa.5688>, and click on the link, or from the Mater Dolorosa website, MDSSF.ORG, and click the live stream button on the Home Page. In the meantime, Father Roland will continuously say Mass privately as it was before. During Masses, they will offer the Mass intentions made by our parishioners. Our thanks to our live-stream technical team, who live stream the weekend Mass, on Sunday at 10:00 a.m. for you to take part of. Check our Website for more updated information, and our bulletin for information regarding outdoor Masses. *May you be richly blessed for your participation.*



FEAST OF FAITH - I Confess

One form of the penitential rite at the beginning of Mass is the traditional Confiteor, or “I confess,” a prayer that was formerly prayed by the priest alone at the foot of the altar, but which is now prayed by the entire assembly. The Confiteor is at once personal—“I confess”—and communal, prayed aloud, together. We recognize that sin does not just separate us from God; sin comes between us and others, isolating us. We acknowledge that sin has many dimensions, individual and communal: sins of thought, sins of speech, sins of action, sins of omission. Sin is not something that happens to us; sin is something we do. In the Confiteor, we take responsibility for our own actions. The repeated insistence on our “fault,” with the ritual gesture of striking the breast, an ancient sign of penitence, is not meant to lower our self-esteem. Rather, it acknowledges our human instinct to transfer the blame whenever we can (“The devil made me do it!”). This prayer

stops us short. We take responsibility for ourselves, our actions, our failure to act. Then we cry out to God in those ancient words, Kyrie, eleison—Lord, have mercy. For the sinner who repents, there is mercy. This truth is at the heart of our faith, and it is where the Mass, our feast of faith, begins. —Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

FIRST READING — MOSES SPOKE TO ALL THE PEOPLE, SAYING: “A PROPHET LIKE ME WILL THE LORD, YOUR GOD, RAISE UP FOR YOU”.

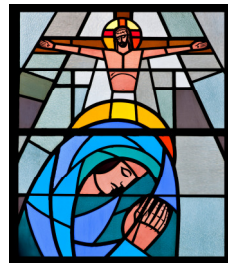


PSALM — IF TODAY YOU HEAR HIS VOICE, HARDEN NOT YOUR HEARTS.

SECOND READING — BROTHERS AND SISTERS: I SHOULD LIKE YOU TO BE FREE OF ANXIETIES.

GOSPEL — THE PEOPLE WERE ASTONISHED AT JESUS’ TEACHING; HE TAUGHT THEM AS ONE HAVING AUTHORITY

OUTDOOR MASS AT MATER DOLOROSA



Outdoor Mass will be celebrated every day at 12:00 Noon, outside of the parish center. You may also attend Outdoor Mass on Sundays at 12:00 p.m., followed by Holy Communion.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week

Tuesday: The Presentation of the Lord; Blessing of Candles; Groundhog Day

Wednesday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; Blessing of Throats

Friday: St. Agatha; First Friday

Saturday: St. Paul Miki and companions; First Saturday



Mass Intentions

MASS INTENTIONS at MATER DOLOROSA

You may schedule Mass Intentions at Mater Dolorosa Church by emailing Frances@mdssf.org, or by calling the parish office at 650-583-4131 (choose option #1), and leave a message. Please give the full name and spell it, if the intention is for living or dead, and your name and your phone number. Your call or email will be returned with a confirmation, or an alternative date if necessary. You may make a donation by mail.

We mourn the passing of our parishioner, Maria Nieves Calara, who passed from this life to Eternal Life this month.

May God rest her soul.