

# MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

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### Rectory Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



### ◆ PASTORAL STAFF ◆

Reverend Brian Costello, Pastor  
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Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager  
Mrs. Rachael Smit, Director of Religious Education  
Mr. Francis Cianciolo, Sacristan  
Mrs. Angelita Pasamba, Choir Director

### ◆ MASS SCHEDULE ◆

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., & 12:00 Noon  
First Sunday: Traditional Latin Mass at 6:30 p.m.  
Daily: 8:00 a.m.  
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon, 7:30 p.m.  
First Fridays: All day Adoration:  
8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
Holy Hour and  
Benediction: 7:30 p.m.  
Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15—4:45 p.m.

### ◆ BAPTISM ◆

Parents are expected to be registered and practicing Catholics witnessing to their faith by regular attendance at Mass. Parents should contact the rectory at least three months prior to the desired date of 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 Eighth Grade.

### ◆ CHILD FAITH FORMATION ◆

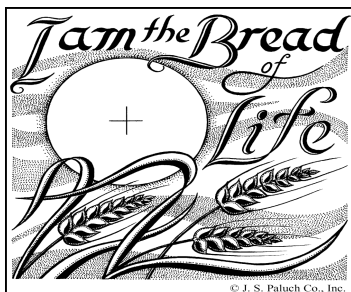
C.F.F.—Echoing God's Word. Programs nurturing children's growth and forming their baptismal faith from Grade 1 to Grade 9. Classes are on Tuesday afternoons and evenings beginning in September.

**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.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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



**THE THEME OF THE LITURGY:**  
*Do not work for food that perishes  
 but for food that endures for eternal life.*  
 - John 6:27a

**First Reading: Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15**  
 The people of Israel receive bread from heaven in response to their grumbling.

**Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24**  
 Put on the new self that has been created in God's way.

**Gospel: John 6:24-35**  
 I am the bread of life;  
 whoever comes to me will never hunger.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY in  
 ORDINARY TIME  
 The Lord gave them bread  
 from heaven.  
 Psalm 78

**COLLECTION TOTALS**  
**July 26, 2009**  
 First Collection Total \$ 3,732.00  
 Special Projects \$ 1,852.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for Religious Education. Our Second Collection next Sunday is for our Parish Improvement Fund.

*Thank you for supporting your parish  
 and your Catholic Church!*

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

*Cliff Chase, Jillian Costello, Olga Montoya, and Marlo Taguas.*

*Our prayers are with them,  
 and those who care for them.*



DAY	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS For the coming week: August 2—August 8	PRIEST
SUN	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	John Marin (D) Vernon Reber (D) People of the Parish Vocations	BC BC BC WY
MON	8:00 a.m.	Dee Marie Munoz (L)	BC
TUES	8:00 a.m.	Guina Grivas Tablante (D)	BC
WED	8:00 a.m.	Mary Richter (D)	BC
THUR	8:00 a.m.	Marie Marini (D)	BC
FRI	8:00 a.m.	Mercedes Valencia (D)	BC
SAT	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Maximina Bagin (D) Camille Vergel de Dios (D)	BC BC

We are so busy! Most of us have more than one job to do, and we never seem to have enough time. We are workers, volunteers, parents, friends, and most of us are more than one thing at a time. But which of these is the work of God?

We seldom view our ordinary work as being the work of God. We may think that we have to be ministers or priests, missionaries or charity workers, engaged full-time in works formally identified as being "God's work." But everything we do with a faithful heart and with love for others is God's work. We each have our own role to fill in the world, and many gifts are necessary. We cannot always see the direct connection of our daily work to the plan of God. But we trust and we believe that God leads us to do what is needed, where it is needed. What is "God's work?" This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent.

A Letter from Most Reverend George Niederauer, Archbishop of San Francisco

*Dear Father,*

*On May 1, 2009, I wrote to you about the outbreak of swine flu here in California, across the country, and around the world. As a consequence, I put in place for all public Masses in the Archdiocese of San Francisco a liturgical adaptation affecting the offering of Holy Communion under both Species, the distribution of Holy Communion on the tongue, the Sign of Peace, and the practice of holding hands while praying the Our Father.*

*In recent weeks, many priests have asked me to re-consider the imposition of this adaptation. I have consulted with medical experts who agree that, in the present circumstances, it would be reasonable to remove this adaptation, effective immediately. With this letter I am informing you of the removal of this adaptation.*

*However, you probably know from frequent news reports that the number of swine flu cases continues to grow throughout this country and around the world, and it is generally expected that this flu may return in the fall.*

*Indeed, a swine flue vaccine is being readied for use later this year.*

*As you explain this present decision to your parishioners, please make clear to them that, if changing circumstances indicate, the adaptations may be re-imposed. Of course I urge you to continue the ordinary precautions listed in my earlier letter in order to protect your own health and that of others.*

*Let us pray for all of those who have suffered and died from this illness. May God bless you and your parishioners, and keep you always in His loving care.*

*Fraternally in Christ,  
Most Reverend George Niederauer  
Archbishop of San Francisco*

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
MASS at MATER DOLORSA  
AUGUST 23rd—10:00 a.m.**

Mater Dolorosa Council #14818 is officially chartered by the Supreme Office of the Knights of Columbus, based in New Haven, CT, the birthplace of the Order. We are happy and proud to have this fine Catholic group with us here at Mater Dolorosa. Please join us in congratulating Jim Rodriguez as Charter Grand Knight and the other elected officers:

Grand Knight—Jim Rodriguez	Warden—John Dooley
Deputy Grand Knight—Brian Dunleavy	Inside Guard—James Rivera
Chancellor—Nestor Cu	Outside Guard—Edward Teakle
Recorder—Rick Karlegan	Trustee One Year—Romeo Quevedo
Financial Secretary—Hermie Afuang Sr.	Trustee Two Years—Bradley Roxas
Treasurer—Eduardo Palomar	Trustee Three Years—Joey Lopez
Lecturer—Larry Narvaez, Father Brian Costello	Chaplain—Father Brian Costello
Advocate—Steve Banez	

The next Council meeting will be on August 23rd following the 10:00 a.m. Mass in Mater Dolorosa's classroom 3.



*On Saturday, October 17th, we will be having a Silent Auction and a Dinner Dance (more details will follow in future bulletins) to raise funds to pay for the drainage problem that was repaired in the old Kindergarten classroom. Our next planning meeting will be held on Monday, August 3rd, at 6:30 p.m. in the school library. If you would like to help out in any way, please plan to attend.*