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Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
Reverend Brian Costello, Pastor
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Deacon Alex Aragon
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.
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 reception of 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 reception of 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
Twenty-Third Sunday in
ORDINARY TIME
Praise the Lord, my soul!
Psalm 146

THE THEME OF THE LITURGY:

Today’s readings call us to look more deeply to find where the will of God needs to be done, and has been done, on earth as in heaven.

First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7a
Say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God.

Second Reading: James 2:1-5
Show no partiality as you adhere to the faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37
Jesus makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.

COLLECTION TOTALS
August 30, 2009
First Collection Total $ 4,348.50
Mission Appeal $ 3,379.00
Our Second Collection this Sunday is for our Religious Education Programs. Our Second Collection next Sunday is for our Parish Improvement Fund.

Thank you for your generosity and support of Mater Dolorosa Church!

DAY TIME MASS INTENTIONS PRIEST
SUN 8:00 a.m. People of the Parish BC
10:00 a.m. Donald Riker (D) BC
12:00 p.m. Florante De Dios (L) MP
6:30 p.m. Vocations WY
MON 8:00 a.m. Paul Robinson (L) BC
TUES 8:00 a.m. Joseph Flores (D) MP
WED 8:00 a.m. Gerardo Garcia (L) BC
THUR 8:00 a.m. Crispin Munoz (D) BC
FRI 8:00 a.m. For All Those Who Died on This Day BC
SAT 8:00 a.m. Bob & Pearl Valencia (L) BC
5:00 p.m. Joseph Flores (D) BC

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: Cliff Chase, Jillian Costello, Dawn A. Hassinger, Olga Montoya, and Marlo Taguas. Our prayers are with them and those who care for care them.

We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Steven Hart, who was a Mater Dolorosa alumni (2001). Steven died unexpectedly on August 24th. Please keep the entire Hart family in your prayers during this very difficult time.

Immaculate Heart Radio On-Air Pledge Drive will be held at Mater Dolorosa from Tuesday, September 22nd through Friday, September 25th, from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Immaculate Heart Radio’s Live Studio.

Please volunteer to join the Immaculate Heart Radio Staff at our upcoming Pledge Drive. Meet Catholic Radio personalities, be interviewed live on the radio, pray the Rosary with our staff, participate in Adoration, enjoy fellowship with Catholics in your area, talk with listeners and witness their testimonies, and experience the joy and peace that comes from sharing your Catholic faith. Refreshments served all day.
Call Debra Heinrichs at 916-535-0500 ext. 221 or email her at dheinrichs@ihradio.org. Thank you!
COUPLES for CHRIST and
MATER DOLOROSA PARISH CHURCH
will jointly sponsor a
DINNER—DANCE FUNDRAISER with a SILENT AUCTION
A Light Dinner Will be Served
Saturday, October 17th
6:00 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.
Mater Dolorosa Parish Hall
307 Willow Ave. So. San Francisco
Attire: Semi-Formal     Music by: Rico Sanchez
Donation $25.00 per person
All proceeds go to Mater Dolorosa Parish Church

ENJOY A NIGHT OF FUN-FILLED MUSIC & DANCING!

Please contact: Nonong & Linda Marquez at (415) 533-6124
or Felix & Rose Aquino at (650) 579-1068 for ticket information.

Feast of our Lady of Sorrows
at
MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH
The Legion of Mary is inviting you to a nine-day prayer
following the 8:00 a.m. daily Mass (except Sundays)
September 6th through September 14th
Tuesday, September 15th—Feast Day
Fellowship after Mass in the Parish Hall
Please join us for this beautiful devotion to our Lady of Sorrows.

Year of the Priest
"At that hour of the sacrifice, at the words of the priest, the heavens are opened, and in that mystery of Jesus Christ, the choirs of angels are present, and things below are joined to things on high, earthly things to heavenly, and the service is both a visible and an invisible event." — St. Gregory the Great

Knights of Columbus
Knights of Columbus Council #14818 invites you to utilize your good nature and explore your possibilities. Make a difference in your community, church, and family—this is an easy way to observe and learn! On September 12th and 13th, please fill-out the cards located in the pews. For information contact Jim Rodriguez at 650-534-8009 or Brian Dunleavy at 415-225-7891.

SAVE THE DATE
COMING TO MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD
A DAY OF RECOLLECTION
"SILENT LOVE"
GIVEN BY FR. VITO PERRONE
LECTURES, MASS, EUCHARISTIC ADORATION, CONFERENCES, RECONCILIATION, VESPERS, FELLOWSHIP AND MORE. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW IN FUTURE BULLETINS.