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♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
Reverend Brian Costello, Pastor
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Mrs. Rachael Smit, Director of Religious Education
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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.

♦ RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ♦
C.F.F.—Child Faith Formation. 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:
Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.

First Reading: Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10
Ezra read from the book of the law of God to the assembled people. They understood and accepted the law.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-30
As the body with its many parts is still one body, so it is with Christ.

While attending worship in the Nazarean synagogue, Jesus reads from the prophet Isaiah and declares himself to be the fulfillment of the prophecy.

Day of Recollection at Mater Dolorosa
February 6, 2010
THE MYSTICAL HUMANITY of CHRIST
Presented by: Father Vito Perrone and the Contemplatives of St. Joseph, with Mr. Mike McDevitt.
10:00 a.m.—10:00 p.m.
Come for the day, or come and go as your schedule allows.
See the flyer in next week’s bulletin for more details.

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: Emma Ca- cao, Cliff Chase, Patrick Dunleavy, Dawn Hassinger, Dorothy Lake, Olga Montoya, Helen Minotti, Jack Pacheco, and Marlo Taguas.

OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH THEM.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.
Psalm 19
Most Reverend William Justice
Cordially extends an invitation to all married couples
of Northern California
to a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration and Renewal of Vows
February 27th 2010
Mary of The Assumption Cathedral
1111 Gough St.
San Francisco, CA

Special honor will be shown to those who are celebrating their 25th, 50th, or 50+ wedding anniversary. Registration forms are available in the Rectory Office.

Mark your calendar with a HEART on February 13!
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #14818
Cordially invites you to our
VALENTINE’S DAY DINNER-DANCE
& INSTALLATION of OFFICERS & DIRECTORS at
MATER DOLOROSA PARISH HALL
7:00 p.m.—until 12:00 Midnight
Tickets are $15.00 per person or $20.00 after Feb. 8th
Tickets will be sold following all the Masses on Jan. 24th, Jan. 31st and Feb. 7th (tickets limited to 200 so purchase early)!
Semi-Formal Attire
Singles Welcome
COCKTAILS—DINNER—DANCING
For more information contact:
Jim Rodriguez at 873-2167 or
Fran at the Rectory Office at 583-4131.

Holy Days of Obligation for 2010:
August 15:
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
December 8th:
The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
December 25th:
The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)

Attention Parishioners:
Your End-Of-Year Contribution Letters will be mailed out on January 28, 2010. Please look for your letter with your contribution totals in the mail. If you do not receive a letter, or if you have any questions, please call Fran in the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131.

Child Faith Formation News
Please Note These Upcoming Dates:
February 23rd is the Parent’s Meeting for First Reconciliation. February 28th will be a mini-retreat for the youth sponsored by OREYM. It will be required for Confirmation 1 & 2. March 6th will be an all-day retreat for Confirmation 2. March 13th is First Reconciliation Day. March 16th is a Parent’s Meeting for First Communion. April 1st—Holy Thursday and First Communion for the older children. April 24th will be a mini retreat for First Communion children and their parents. May 1st at 10:00 a.m.—First Communion for the 2nd Graders. For more information please contact Rachael Smit at 650-588-8175.

Reminder: The First Sunday 10:00 a.m. Mass is “Children’s Liturgy of the Word”