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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
Ms. Diana Powell, Director of RCIA
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 5:30 p.m.
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.
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.

SIXTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

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
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.
Psalm 1

COLLECTIONS
February 7, 2010
First Collection $ 5,765.50
Latin Mass $ 463.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is to
PLEGE YOUR DONATION
to the Archbishop’s Annual Appeal &
our Parish Improvement Fund.
Our Second Collection next Sunday
is for our Helping Hands Fund.

Thank you for your generous support!

DAY | TIME | MASS INTENTIONS | PRIEST
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SUN | 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. | Kathleen Dunleavy (D) People of the Parish Sophia Aquilina-Chamorro (L) | BC MP BC
MON | 8:00 a.m. | Frances Broock (D) | BC
TUES | 8:00 a.m. | Kuzma & Mary Mirkovich (D) | BC
WED | 8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. | Joseph Milnarich (D) Paul Dominiconi (D) Monsignor John Heaney (D) | BC BC MP
THUR | 8:00 a.m. | Vocations | BC
FRI | 8:00 a.m. | Priest’s Intention | MP
SAT | 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. | Minda Fernandez (L) Jovita Guajardo (D) | BC

THE THEME OF THE LITURGY:
Divine favor rests on those who trust in
God’s love and mercy

First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-8
Cursed is the one who trusts in human beings; blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12,16-20
Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

Blessed are you who are poor, hungry, weeping. Woe to you who are rich, filled, laughing.

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: Cliff Chase, Dawn Hassinger, Dorothy Lake, Olga Montoya, and Marlo Taguas.

OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH THEM.

Happy Valentine’s Day!

Happy President’s Day!
Our Rectory Office will be closed on Monday, February 15th, in honor of President’s Day.
Dear Friends,

I’m sorry to inform you that all-day adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on First Friday has been cancelled. Everyone wanted to have all-day adoration, but when push came to shove, only a very few people signed up to participate. The new schedule for First Friday is as follows: 8:00 a.m. - Mass; 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. - Adoration; 10:30 a.m. - Benediction.

We will be having Soup Supers in the Parish Hall at 6:00 p.m. during the Fridays of Lent, followed by Family Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. I hope you can join us. The first Soup Supper and Stations will be this coming Friday, February 19th.

Everyone fourteen years of age and older is bound to abstain from meat on ASH WEDNESDAY, GOOD FRIDAY and the FRIDAYS of Lent.

Everyone eighteen years of age and older, but under the age of sixty, are also bound to fast on ASH WEDNESDAY and GOOD FRIDAY. On these two days, the law of fast allows only one full meal a day, but does not prohibit taking some food during the day, so long as this does not constitute another full meal. Drinking liquids during the day is permitted. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. If you are in doubt concerning fast or abstinence, please call the Rectory Office.

In the spirit of penance, the faithful should not lightly excuse themselves from this obligation.
Have a nice week!
Father Brian

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2nd Annual “40 Days for Life” Campaign
Mater Dolorosa’s Day is Saturday, March 27, 2010
Mater Dolorosa will be participating in this campaign on March 27th at Planned Parenthood, 2211 Palm Ave., San Mateo (near 25th Ave.) Please consider signing up for an hour of a peaceful, prayerful vigil in front of the Planned Parenthood building during the vigil hours. You will find a sign-up sheet in the vestibule of the church.

May God bless you for all your help in the “40 Days for Life” Campaign

DEACON ALEX ARAGON’s 15 YEAR ANNIVERSARY of ORDINATION
Sunday, February 28th—12:00 p.m. Mass
Please join us at the 12:00 Mass followed by a lunch reception in the Parish Hall to honor Deacon Alex Aragon’s 15 year anniversary as a Deacon. We are very lucky to have Deacon Alex at Mater Dolorosa, with his contributions to the CFF Confirmation Program, Simbang Gabi, Second Harvest Brown Bag Distribution, preaching at Mass, The Baptism Class, and much more! Join us that day to thank Deacon Alex for his many years of dedication to his calling, our parish community, and to our Catholic faith.

We are in need of volunteers to help decorate, serve food, and clean up. If you can help out that day, please call Fran at the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131. Thank-you!

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Child Faith Formation News
Please Note These Upcoming Dates:
Any adults who are interested in helping with the Children’s Liturgy of the Word once a month are encouraged to join the children and the Catechists in the school lobby during the Children’s Liturgy of the Word. We need your help! We also need a Religious Education teacher on Wednesday nights at 7:30 p.m. for the Confirmation One level. If you can help out one night a week, please call Rachael Smit at 650-588-8175 on Tuesdays.

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 on Tuesdays.

REMINDER:
Wednesday, February 17th is Ash Wednesday. Ashes will be distributed at all the Masses.
The Mass times are:
8:00 a.m.
12:00 Noon &
7:30 p.m.