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♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Msgr. C. Michael Padazinski, J.C.D., In Residence
Rev. Fr. Vito Perrone, C.O.S.J., Weekend Assistant
Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon
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 ♦
We welcome your child to be baptized at Mater Dolorosa Church. Parents should contact the rectory 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.

♦ 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:
May the darkness of sin be dispelled by the Christ who comes to bring sight to the blind and light to the world.

First Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a
As the prophet Samuel anointed David with oil, the spirit of the Lord rushed upon David and remained with him from that day forward.

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14
You who were once darkness are now light in the Lord. Live as children of light.

Gospel: John 9:1-41
The man who was blind from birth proclaimed: The one called Jesus made clay with his saliva, anointed my eyes with it, and told me to wash. When I washed, I was able to see!

MATER DOLOROSA'S—HUGE RUMMAGE SALE!
Our Annual Rummage Sale will take place on May 21st & 22nd. We are asking for new or used items to be donated from now until May 20th. You may call the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131 to arrange to drop of your donations. SORRY, NO CLOTHING. We would love your kitchen items, furniture, electronics, books, children’s toys, holiday items, and all your used or new treasures! So clean out your closets, and donate those items to be sold for our stained glass fund. Your junk is our treasure. Please call the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131 for more information. Thank you!

BISHOP-ELECT THOMAS A. DALY NAMED FIRST AUXILIARY BISHOP FOR SAN JOSE DIOCESE
Pope Benedict XVI has appointed Archdiocese of San Francisco vocations director Father Thomas A. Daly as auxiliary bishop for the Diocese of San Jose. “I ask for your prayers as I come to serve the people of the Diocese of San Jose,” the bishop-elect said. The people of Mater Dolorosa congratulate Bishop-elect Daly on his appointment, and we will certainly keep him in our prayers.

Fourth Sunday of Lent
The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
Psalm 23

March 27, 2010
First Collection $  5,403.00
Black & Indian Home Missions $  1,768.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for our Religious Education Programs.
Our Second Collection next Sunday is for Catholic Relief Services.
Thank you for the generous support of your parish!

DAY TIME MASS INTENTIONS PRIEST
SUN 8:00 a.m. Norma Wong (D) RD
10:00 a.m. Lauren Bocobo (L) MP
12:00 p.m. Abelardo & Hortensia Rodriguez (D) CD
MON 8:00 a.m. Tim Murray (D) MP
TUE 8:00 a.m. Maria Rebrovic (L) RD
WED 8:00 a.m. Donald Riker (D) MP
THU 8:00 a.m. Laura Moffatt (D) RD
FRI 8:00 a.m. Adela Diaz (D) MP
SAT 8:00 a.m. Clodualdo Carpio (D) RD
5:00 p.m. Monsignor Padazinski (L) VP

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: Henry Broock, Cliff Chase, Stella DeCesare, Pat Garibaldi, Sam Lake, Helen Minotti, Leona Pizziconi, and Maria Vergara.
May they know the healing touch of Jesus.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE
Mater Dolorosa is sponsoring a DAY OF PRAYER in front of the Planned Parenthood in Redwood City on Saturday, April 9th from 7:00 to 7:00 p.m. There will be a sign-up sheet and table in the vestibule this weekend for you to volunteer for an hour to attend this peaceful prayer vigil during this Lenten season. Let’s make this day of prayer successful in our hope to save lives.
Please call Eleanora Rivera at 992-6718 for information.
MATER DOLOROSA’S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Sunday, April 3rd
- First Communion Prep. Class
- Children’s Liturgy of the Word
- Youth Group
- Latin Mass
- Knights of Columbus Meeting

9:00 to 10:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
5:30 p.m.
5:30 p.m.

Monday, April 4th
- St. Vincent de Paul Meeting
- RCIA

6:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 5th
- Second Harvest Brown Bag Distribution
- CFF Classes
- 50th Anniversary Meeting

9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
3:45 AND 6:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 6th
- Legion of Mary
- Children’s Bible Study
- Ballroom Dancing

8:30 a.m.
4:00 to 5:00 p.m.
8:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 7th
- RCIA Seder Meal
- Mater Dolorosa Ladies Club Meeting

6:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.

Friday, April 8th
- Choir Practice
- Soup Supper hosted by CFF
- Stations of the Cross

6:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 9th
- Mater Dolorosa’s 40 Days of Prayer in Redwood City
- Adult Bible Study

9:00 a.m.

Mater Dolorosa Sends Donations to Japan
Thank you for your contributions to Japan relief. We were able to send a check in the amount of $3,393.00 to help the unfortunate people of Japan who are in need of our aid and our prayers. Once again, the generous people of Mater Dolorosa have contributed with giving hearts to the less fortunate.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY IS MAY 1st
Mater Dolorosa will have its Second Annual Divine Mercy Celebration

Would You Like to Help Promote It?
Please contact Diana Powell at dianapowell222@hotmail.com.

Everyone needs God’s Divine Mercy

Mark your calendars for the Youth Group’s Silent Auction following all the Masses on Sunday, April 10th. Proceeds will go to upcoming 50th Anniversary Events.

Catholic Relief Services
How will you help JESUS IN DISGUISE?
Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. This Collection supports six Catholic agencies benefiting millions of vulnerable, displaced, and impoverished families and individuals around the world. From direct humanitarian service to helping victims of human trafficking and working to reunify families, the funds from this collection make a real difference in lives across the globe. How will you help? Next week, please support The Catholic Relief Services Collection and Jesus in Disguise.

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This Lent, please support our Confirmation candidates as they lead our parish food drive during the Lenten season. The food drive is for the Northern Peninsula Pantry and Dining Center in Daly City. You will find barrels to donate non-perishable items in the vestibule. Thank you.

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