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♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
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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 12. 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
First Collection  $ 4,695.00  
CFF   $ 1,911.00  
Latin Mass  $    455.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for 
our Parish Improvement Fund.  
Our Second Collection next Sunday is 
for our Special Projects Fund.  

Thank you for  your generosity 
and your continued support!

Please keep all those who are sick in 
our parish family in your prayers, es-
pecially: Cliff Chase, Ennes Gatt, 
Jack Jacini, Eileen McHugh, Inez 
Marcial, Helen Minotti, Archbishop 
George Niederauer, Leona Pizziconi, 
Andrew Seul, Luis Torres, 
Pearl Valencia, and Mildred Wreden.  

Pray that they may find comfort and healing in 
our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Thank you Priest’s Retirement

Thank you for your generous support of the special collection to support our Archdiocesan Priests’ Retirement Fund.  
I’m pleased to report that our parish has raised $3,398.00.  
The Archdiocese of San Francisco is blessed to have 90 retired priests.  Many of these men, continue to give of themselves in countless ways of service for which we are grateful.  
Your support of this collection helps our parish express its gratitude to senior priests for their many years of service to our Catholic faithful.

May God bless you and your loved ones abundantly,  

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
Father Roland

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The Lord be with you . . . .
. . . And with your Spirit

SAVE THE DATE!
Saturday Morning Workshop with Ricky Manalo, CSP
THE THIRD EDITION of the ROMAN MISSAL: NEW WORDS, DEEPER MEANING
MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2011, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

On November 26th & 27th, 2011, we will no longer respond “And also with you,” but replace these words with “And with your Spirit.” Some of the words to the Gloria to God, the Creed, the Holy, Holy, and the Memorial Acclamations will also be nuanced and changed. Why all these changes? The reason is that the Roman Missal has been translated again and the new text is set to take effect on the First Sunday of Advent. In preparation for these changes, Mater Dolorosa will be hosting a workshop led by liturgical composer, Fr. Ricky Manalo, CSP. Join us in the morning as we learn about the history of the relationship between the Eucharist and prayer texts, explore the deeper theological and spiritual meanings behind the new translation, and prepare for the implementation date.

MATER DOLOROSA’S PARISH PICNIC
Thank you to all who worked to make our parish picnic fun for all. The “hats and hams” were delicious, as was the lechon, and all the pot luck food that was shared. The games were enjoyed by many and everyone had a chance to relax and enjoy the good company. Our thanks to the Knights of Columbus and their helpers for their hard work and organization, and to those who brought their favorite dishes. Everyone had a great time!

The Golden Chordsmen at Mater Dolorosa
Saturday, October 29th
Mater Dolorosa Parish Hall—7:00 p.m.

The San Mateo Golden Chordsmen, a Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony, will provide an evening of entertainment with a Halloween theme, and dinner for us on Saturday, October 29th. Tickets are $30.00 per person and will go on sale soon. Please plan to attend for the opportunity to hear the Golden Chordsmen, a singing group, at their finest.

CHILD FAITH FORMATION

For grade 4 and above, please take the safety on-line training at www.shieldthevulnerable.org and submit the certificate of completion to the catechist. A representative from the Archdiocese of San Francisco will be teaching on children’s safety with regards to bullying, on Tuesday, Oct. 25th at 6:00 p.m. All parents and their children in JR High School, of our parish community, are invited. It is a required class for CFF students.

Catechists and parents/guardians of our CFF program are expected to attend the workshop on the 3rd edition of the Roman Missal on Oct. 22nd at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall. This workshop will support our partnership in teaching the children on the deeper meaning behind the new translation of the word during the Mass.

Question of the Week:
How will I respond when I hear God’s invitation?
How do I invite others through my faith response?

Respect Life Month