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♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
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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
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.
Healing Mass at 7:00 p.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

October 21, 2012
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

October 21, 2012

Isaiah 53:10-11; Psalm 33;
Hebrews 4:14-16; Mark 10:35-45

THE HUMANITY OF JESUS CHRIST
All three readings today support—each in its own way, of course—a reflection on the humanity of Jesus Christ and how that humanity played a key role in the drama of our salvation. Although not chosen specifically to coordinate with the other two readings, today’s second reading does in fact carry forward the theme of Christ’s humanity in a remarkable way. The author of the Letter to the Hebrews highlights the solidarity that exists between Jesus and us, precisely because in his human nature Jesus has known the same sufferings and testing that are our own experience. Because he can “sympathize with our weaknesses,” we can “approach the throne of grace to receive mercy.” For the author of Hebrews, the humanity of Jesus was an essential requirement for his redemptive death, as well as an invitation to us to find in Jesus someone with whom we can identify in our daily struggles.

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially:

Please pray that they find comfort and healing in Christ.

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MATER DOLOROSA’S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

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<td>WED, Oct. 24</td>
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<td>THURS, Oct. 25</td>
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<td>Forward in Faith</td>
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<td>FRI, Oct. 26</td>
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<td>COSI Practice Choir Rehearsal</td>
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<td>SAT, Oct. 27</td>
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<td>Conf. 2 Family Meeting Golden Chordsmen</td>
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<td>SUN, Oct. 28</td>
<td>11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Hospitality Hosted by: The Legion of Mary Youth Group Mtg. Legion of Mary</td>
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MON     8:00 a.m.  Nenar & Flor Nicolas (L)   AQ
TUE     8:00 a.m.  Felicisima Nicolas (D)   AQ
WED     8:00 a.m.  Eileen Morraity (D)   AQ
THU     8:00 a.m.  Pearl Valencia (D)   AQ
FRI     8:00 a.m.  Pearl Valencia (D)   RD
SAT     8:00 a.m.  Solomon Balingit (D)  Ricardo Calica (D)  Connie Anderson (D)  Renato Mendoza (D)  RD
SUN     8:00 a.m.  People of the Parish Johnny J. Anguiano (D)  Augusto Malinis (D)  VP  RD  RD
CHILD FAITH FORMATION

There will be a meeting for our First Communion families on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd to go over the guidelines in preparation for the children’s First Reconciliation. It will be held in the parish hall during your child’s class time.

Questions of the Week.

Lower Level (4-6): What does Jesus tell us about helping others?
Higher Level (7 and above): What must James and John do to drink the cup Jesus drinks? How does Jesus define greatness?

FIRST FRIDAY at MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH

November 2, 2012
Eucharistic Adoration at 8:30 a.m.
Benediction at 10:30 a.m.
Healing Mass 7:00 p.m.
The Contemplatives of St. Joseph, with Father Vito Perrone, celebrates a Healing Mass at 7:00 p.m.

CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF FAITH

In honor of the 50th anniversary of the Second Vatican Council and the 20th anniversary of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Pope Benedict XVI has announced a Year of Faith, starting October 11, 2012 and ending November 24, 2013

The chairman of the Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis of the USCCB, Bishop Ricken, offers ten ways Catholics can live the Year of Faith.

The 10 Ways Catholics Can Live the Year of Faith:
1. Participate in Mass
2. Go to Confession
3. Learn About the Lives of the Saints
4. Read the Bible Daily
5. Read the Documents of Vatican II
6. Study the Catechism
7. Volunteer in the Parish
8. Help Those in Need
9. Invite a Friend to Mass
10. Incorporate the Beatitudes Into Daily Life.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

God Has Created Me: I Have a Mission!

Do you know the date of your baptism? On that day, you became a missionary, called by our Lord to share your faith with those around you—and to be part of the Church’s mission to the world. WE ARE ALL MISSIONARIES!

We are not all able to travel to foreign lands as St. Francis Xavier did. However, we can all make an effort in our daily lives, through prayer and sacrifice, to support those men and women who are called to leave their homeland and preach the Good News of the Lord in a foreign land.

On World Mission Sunday, October 21, we have the opportunity to be part of the Church’s missionary work in Latin America, Asia, Africa, and the Pacific Islands through our prayers and generous help offered to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Please give generously.

THE SAN MATEO GOLDEN CHORDSMEN

Proudly Presents a Dinner Show
ALL NEW BARBERSHOP SHOW
OCTOBER 27, 2012
Mater Dolorosa Church
Chorus and Guest Quartets
Four Course Dinner ● Costumes ● No Host Bar
Adults $35.00—Seniors (65+) $30.00—Children (3-12) $25.00
Doors Open at 6:00 p.m., Dinner at 7:00 p.m., Show 8:00 p.m.
Tickets are very limited! On Sale at the Rectory Office.

SIMBANG GABI at MATER DOLOROSA

The Simbang Gabi Committee requests your support for the upcoming Christmas Novena Masses (Simbang Gabi) from Dec. 15th to Dec. 23rd. If you would like to sponsor, volunteer, or get more information, please email mdsimbanggabi@gmail.com

LADIES CLUB RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies Club Rummage Sale on October 6th was a success; we raised $806.50! Our thanks to all those who set up, cleaned up, and worked during the sale. We enjoyed working together, and another’s company, while earning money for our church needs. Thank you to those who took the time to donate much needed items. We all worked together as a parish community, earned money, and had fun!

GROWING IN FAITH

The Archdiocesan Council of Catholic women welcomes women to a conference, “Growing in Faith” celebrating the Year of Faith, on Saturday, October 27th at St. Mary’s Cathedral beginning at 8:30 a.m. The program will present speakers discussing, “What it Means to Grow in Faith”, “Living the Faith Amid Challenges to Religious Freedom” and, “Faith Inspires a New Christian Feminism.” Following the faith sharing session, a Mass at 12 Noon will be celebrated by Bishop Robert McElroy with lunch following. For further information and registration, please call Mary Ann at (415) 664-1700 or Ginny at (650) 369-6529.