**MATER DOLOROSA CHURCH**
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**Rectory Office Hours:**
Monday—Friday
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

♦ **PASTORAL STAFF**
Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Angel Quitalig, J.C.L., In Residence
Rev. Msgr. John R. Pernia, 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
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.

♦ **MARRIAGE**
Please contact the Rectory Office at least 6 months prior to your wedding date to allow time for Marriage Preparation.

♦ **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
FOURTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

July 7, 2013

Isaiah 66:10-14; Psalm 66; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

MISSION

Today’s first reading from Isaiah was occasioned by the return of the Jewish people from exile. The prophet visualizes the Holy City as a mother welcoming her children home. The people may now look forward to prosperity and comfort. In this post-Pentecostal season, the Church attributes this sense of fulfillment to the Holy Spirit.

Paul, on the other hand, speaks of “the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.” It is the single thing of which he will boast, for it is the means by which we are re-created. The comfort and prosperity promised in the first reading are here transformed by a deepening of the Christian paradox.

Luke’s Gospel describes the calling and the mission of “seventy-two others,” who are commissioned to bring in the “harvest.” The number is symbolic, since according to Jewish tradition the number of nations in the world is seventy-two. This then is a universal mission, a catholic mission to all the world.

Our prayers are with George McAsey who died on June 29th. George was a long-time parishioner, and an usher for many years. May God bless George as we hold him in our prayers, and his family.

There will be a Memorial Mass on Friday, July 12th at 11:00 a.m. at Mater Dolorosa.

COLLECTIONS

Weekly Offering

June 30, 2013

First Collection $4,826.00
Peter’s Pence $1,790.00

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**SILENT AUCTION**

**SUNDAY, July 21st**

**in the Parish Hall**

**Following all the Sunday Masses**

Please help us raise funds for leadership training for our youth and religious education by donating unused gift cards, books, bags, kitchen items, jewelry, recycled gifts, electronics, and in-kind offerings (no clothes please). We will also accept new or gently used items. You may bring your donations to the school building from now through July 8th. Please take a look at the tables on Sunday, July 21st. You will find some great items and support the youth of our parish at the same time. Thank you from the God Squad!

For more information contact: Angi Rodriguez at riuez.angelav@hotmail.com or 650-703-2251.

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**Archdiocese of San Francisco**

**Year of Faith**

**Marriage & Family Celebration**

Saturday, August 17, 2013

St. Mary’s Cathedral

9:30—10:30: Mass with Archbishop Cordileone

10:30—Noon: Conference

Speakers * Sharing * Resources

Please call the Rectory Office to register.

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**Journey to The Holy Land**

Come and explore The Holy Land on **October 14 - 27, 2013**

(Egypt, Israel, Jordan) Depart SFO starting at $3999 ~ A $300.00 per person deposit is required to secure reservations. Full payment is due by June 25th. Visas to Jordan and Egypt for U.S. citizens are included. Flyers are available in the vestibule. Contact: Rick Carlos at 650-766-3547 or Estela Nolasco 650-867-1422

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**WELCOME REVEREND MONSIGNOR JOHN ROBERTO M. PERNIA**

Msgr. Pemia is a retired Priest of the Archdiocese of San Francisco. After his retirement in 2004, he had resided at the Parish of Star of the Sea, San Francisco and just recently at Holy Angels Church in Colma.

He had served the Archdiocese for almost 18 years, having been assigned as Parochial Vicar in various parishes, namely, St. Brendan Parish (San Francisco) from 1986-1989, All Souls Church (South San Francisco) 1989-1992, and St. Paul Church (San Francisco) 1992-1996. In 1996 he was appointed Pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Daly City until his retirement.

Before coming to the Archdiocese of San Francisco he had served his former Diocese in Bohol, Philippines as Parochial Vicar in the Cathedral Church right after his ordination on March 22, 1958. Three years later, he was appointed as Professor at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Minor Seminary in Tagbilaran, Bohol for five years. In 1966, he had joined the Military Service of the Philippines as its Chaplain for almost 20 years. And it was during his military services that he earned his ecclesiastical honor as Reverend Monsignor in May 1978.

Msgr. Pemia was the first-born child of the nine children of the late Dr. Juan & Mrs. Petra Pemia from Bohol, Philippines. He has one brother - Fr. Antonio - who is a priest of the Divine Word Society. Fr. Antonio was the recent Superior General of his Order from 2000 to 2012.

Monsignor Pemia said that “even if he is already retired, he will still be available to administer sacraments for us here at Mater Dolorosa.”

Let us welcome Monsignor Pemia to our Mater Dolorosa parish community!

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**CHILD FAITH FORMATION**

Faith Formation (Religious education/CCD) classes will start on September 17th. The classes are every Tuesday, 3:45-5:00 p.m. or 6:00 -7:15 p.m. for all grades and 7:00 -8:15 p.m. for confirmation classes. Students preparing for the sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation, and Confirmation must be enrolled one year prior to the year of preparation for the sacrament. We MUST receive a copy of the child’s BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE and the registration form BEFORE your child is accepted into our program. If your child is older than 7 years old and haven’t been baptized, we have a one year preparation program for this age group. The baptism will be held on Easter Vigil.

Registration for the 2013-2014 school is now being accepted. Families interested in our program should call the CFF office at 650-588-8175 or the Rectory Office at 650-583-4131 for the registration materials. You may also get more information from the Rectory Office or the website - http://www.mdssf.org/ccd/ccd.htm#top. The CFF office is closed for summer, please call to make an appointment if you need to speak with Mrs. Smit or Mrs. Cepeda.

There will be Children's Liturgy of the Word on August 4th at the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

**Question of the Week:**

How are we carrying out Jesus' message of love and peace and justice and hope in our world today?

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**The Mater Dolorosa Ladies Club** will next meet at the Sizzler restaurant on Gellert Blvd. at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 1, 2013.