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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 R.C.I.A.
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
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

July 14, 2013

Deuteronomy 30:10-14; Psalm 69;
Colossians 1:15-20; Luke 10:25-37

LIVING GOD’S COMMANDS

The first reading forms part of Moses’ farewell discourse, a call to
the people to return to God. It is not
a legalistic summons; rather, it is
an appeal to heart and soul. It out-
lines a command that is not impos-
sible to follow, or too difficult to
undertake, or too expensive. Look
into your hearts, says Moses; there
you will find what to do.

Paul sees Jesus Christ as the image of God, the agent of
creation and preservation. We sense, in his words, things pro-
found: “dominions or principalities or powers.” But in the
midst of that, Paul keeps his attention on Jesus Christ, head of
the church. It is in Christ that we find fullness and reconcilia-
tion—in the blood of the cross.

Luke’s Gospel illustrates the double commandment of love
with the story of the Good Samaritan. The story is a radical one,
for it comes to focus on the question of who my “neighbor” is.
That neighbor is not identified with any group, but rather by
the scope of our compassion.

MATER DOLOROSA’S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

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**Thank you to our Volunteer Gardeners**

You may have noticed a big improvement in our garden areas surrounding the church, rectory and the Monastery. The weeds have been pulled, the soil is cleaned up, the trees and shrubs are trimmed and flowers are blooming everywhere. The rectory courtyards have been given a "make-over" with new flowers, trimmed rose bushes and concrete repairs. In particular we wish to thank the following people: Mario & Lilia Avendano, Olive Diecklett, Tillie Ferris, James & Eleanor Rivera, Irene & Peter Unsinn, and Bob Valencia. Please contact the Rectory Office if you would like to volunteer to help out with upkeep and gardening. We can always use the extra hands.

**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 July 31st. 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.

**Silent Auction**

SUNDAY, July 21st

Please come to the Silent Auction on Sunday, July 21st, following all of the Masses, and take a look at the treasures, gifts, books, jewelry, glassware, and much more! You will find some great items and support the youth of our parish at the same time. The date for donations has been extended and will be accepted through July 19th in the school building (please no clothes or shoes).

**Thank you for your generosity!**

**Thank you Knights of Columbus**

The Knights of Columbus, and their helpers, gave generously of their time on Saturday, July 6th to replace lights in our church and the altar area. We thank them for this difficult and much needed task in our church.

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The CFF office is closed for summer, please call to make an appointment if you need to speak with Mrs. Smit or Mrs. Cepeda.

**Question of the Week:**

What is Jesus’ message in today’s Gospel?

If you truly understand Jesus’ message, how could you carry it out in your own neighborhood, or parish?