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Monday—Friday
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
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♦ PASTORAL STAFF ♦
Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Msgr. John R. Pernia, In Residence
Rev. Fr. Angel Quitalig, J.C.L., 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
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

July 21, 2013

Genesis 18:1-10; Psalm 15;
Colossians 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42

LISTEN

The first reading tells of the “annunciation” of the birth of Isaac. It is profoundly mysterious, beginning with the appearance of the “three men.” This reading illustrates God’s active role in our history.

The second reading treats a universal experience—suffering. Paul sees suffering as the mark of discipleship. He finds joy in the suffering he endures because it is for the sake of the church. Through his preaching he hopes all people will come to accept Christ.

The Gospel paints a lovely picture of Jesus at rest among his friends. Luke has placed the incident right after the parable of the Good Samaritan. But lest “activism” be seen as the only path, we now hear Jesus’ call to sit quietly and listen to the word of God. We have to be like both of the sisters. Even in our harried and noisy world, there is an insistent call to sit back quietly and listen to Jesus.

PART II

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially:
Trude Buntger, Jacinto Cabillo, Shirley Cotton, Carlos Dabu, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Rosie Fanese, Luz Gomez, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, George McAsey, Nellie Metzger, Fernandina S. Paat, John P. Paat, Sr., Dorothy Pruett, Maria Luisa Sarra, Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Luis Torres and Tony Yee. Please pray that they find comfort and healing in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

We mourn the passing of Father Felino Quitalig, uncle to Father Angel Quitalig, who passed away in the Philippines following an illness. Our prayers are with Father Felino Quitalig, that he may rest in God’s loving presence, and we pray for Father Angel Quitalig and his family, for peace and comfort at this difficult time.

COLLECTIONS
July 14, 2013

First Collection $ 4,437.00
Parish Improvement $ 1,948.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for our Helping Hands Fund.
Our Second Collection next Sunday is for our Special Projects Fund.

Thank you for your generous donations towards the continued support of your church!
Your weekly donations are greatly appreciated.

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DAY TIME MASS INTENTIONS: July 22—July 28 PRIEST

MON July 22 8:00 a.m. Gregory Fuse (L) RD
TUE July 23 8:00 a.m. Pearl Valencia (D) JP
WED July 24 8:00 a.m. Marciano Carnero (D) RD
THU July 25 8:00 a.m. Geraldine Tamburini (D) JP
FRI July 26 8:00 a.m. Caridad Luna (D) JP
SAT July 27 8:00 a.m. George McAsey (D)
5:00 p.m. Monica Rodriguez (D) RD VP
SUN July 28 8:00 a.m. Andrew Angeles (L) VP
10:00 a.m. Efren Meneses (D) JP
12:00 p.m. People of the Parish RD
**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 & Eleonora 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.

**Do you know**

A high school teenage who has not been baptized, received Communion or Confirmation? Please pick up a CFF program flyer and registration form to enroll in our program. Questions? Call the CFF office at 650-588-8175.

**PEACEFUL, PRAYERFUL PROTEST**

The pro-life ministry members of our parish invite any parishioners who wish to join them in support of a peaceful, prayerful protest in front of the proposed site of Planned Parenthood in South San Francisco. Please gather at 435 Grand Ave. every Saturday morning from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., ending on August 25th. If you are unable to be there, please keep their efforts to support the lives of unborn children in your prayers.

**CHILD FAITH FORMATION**

There will be Children’s Liturgy of the Word on Aug. 4th at 10:00 a.m. Mass. All children are welcome to participate.

CFF Faith Formation classes and spiritual enrichment are for children from grade 1 to high school under 18 years old. Registration for the 2013-2014 school year is now being accepted.

The 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.

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 has not been baptized, we have a one-year preparation program for this age group. The baptism will be held at Easter Vigil. 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 until July 31st, please call to make an appointment if you need to speak with Mrs. Smit or Mrs. Cepeda.

**SILENT AUCTION**

SUNDAY, July 21st

Please come to the Silent Auction on this 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. Preview: Saturday, June 20th following the 5:00 p.m. Mass.

Sponsored by Mater Dolorosa God Squad Youth. The Silent Auction will benefit the following:

Mater Dolorosa Youth Leadership Confirmation students’ faith development Catholic Faith Formation (CFF) catechists’ training.

**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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**Question of the Week:**

How can we put more Mary-like listening into our lives?

When do we make time to listen to our families?

When do we make time to listen to Jesus?