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November 3, 2013

♦ 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.
Eucharistic Adoration 6:00—7:00 p.m.
Healing Mass at 7:00 p.m.
Reconciliation:  Saturday 4:15—4:45 p.m.
*First and Third Sunday of the Month: Children’s Liturgy of the Word.

♦ 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
THIRTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
November 3, 2013

Wisdom 11:22-12:2; Psalm 145;
2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2; Luke 19:1-10

ALL-POWERFUL YET CARING GOD

It used to be that when I thought, “Old Testament,” I thought of narratives written many centuries before Christ. Then I learned that today’s passage from the book of Wisdom was written less than one hundred years before Jesus came along. These words were so contemporaneous with Jesus that he himself conceivably could have written or spoken them. He certainly lived them.

The Wisdom reading is a poetic prayer celebrating a Creator-God before whom the universe is like a grain of sand, yet who is still lovingly concerned with every individual. This is the God whom Jesus reveals, with unlimited power over all creation, yet watching out for sinners climbing trees.

Zacchaeus was no ordinary tax collector, but the chief tax collector, and “a wealthy man.” But he wasn’t too proud to run ahead and clamber up into a sycamore tree just to get a glimpse of Jesus. Maybe, sinner though he was, he recognized in this wandering preacher the object of the Wisdom poet’s adoration.

Please pray that they find comfort and healing in Jesus Christ, our Divine Healer.

COLLECTIONS
For October 27, 2013
First Collection $ 4,692.00
Parish Improvement $ 1,865.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for our Religious Education Programs. Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for Archdiocese Military Services (replaces Parish Improvement.)

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

Please keep all those who are sick in our parish family in your prayers, especially: Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Trude Buntger, Jacinto Cabillo, Emeliana P. Cariaga Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Rosie Fanese, Luz Gopez, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, Mary Anne C. Padilla, Angelita Pasamba, Manuel P. Paat, Dorothy Pruett, Eleanora Rivera, Maria Luisa Sarra, Susan Thomas, Luis Torres and Tony Yee.

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MATER DOLOROSA’S UPCOMING WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

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Mon. Nov. 4 RCIA 7:00 p.m.
Tues. Nov. 5 Second Harvest Food Bank Kids Now Program CFF Classes
9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 3:45—8:15 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 6 Legion of Mary Baptism Class Ballroom Dancing
8:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thurs. Nov. 7 MD Ladies Club Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Fri. Nov. 8 COSJ Practice Choir Practice
2:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sat. Nov. 9 Legion of Mary Family Presidium 7:00 p.m.
Sun. Nov. 10 Hospitality by: The Hospitality Ministry Helping Hands Meeting Youth Group Meeting Knights of Columbus San Pedro Calungsod Knights of Columbus 3rd Degree
11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.

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ALL SOUL’S DAY

You are welcome to use your offering envelopes to write the names of those whom you wish to pray for. You will find extra All Soul’s envelopes in the vestibule. Please place them in the collection baskets or drop them off at the Rectory Office. The envelopes will be placed at the altar during this time.

THANK YOU

This is to let you know that Mr. Jim Rodriguez has submitted his voluntary resignation as our parish Building and Gardening aide employee, effective October 24, 2013. Our heartfelt gratitude goes to him for all the services he performed for our parish. Let us wish him all the best and success in all his upcoming endeavors.

CONFESSIONAL DONORS

We wish to thank the following people for their donations towards the new confessional and lobby alocve for our church:

Edward & Grace Abad		Armando Macale
Filoteo Alano			& Shellane Raymundo
Edgardo Alicaway		S.D. & Gayla Madlambayan
Teofilo & Erlinda Bagain		Michael Martinez
Ballroom Dancing Group		& Elizabeth Legaspi
Mike & Marie Borovina		Gregorio & Vistacion
Antonio Buena			Millares
Zosimo & Sionita Carmen	John & Arden Moser
Al & Sandee Chan		Joseph & Margaret Murphy
Brian & Carmen Ciappara	Mary Murphy
Crisostomo & Violeta Carabeo	Venkat & Rachael Naidu
Lawrence & Joan Coleman		Isidro & Leonardo Nunez
Romeo & Delia Cruz		Joseph & Sonia Nunez
Manuel Dacorom		John & Kay Richardson
Michael & Diana Delorio	Santiago & Cristina
Corazona Dimapilis		Rimando
Beata Dumaplin		James & Eleanor Rivera
Mary Dunleavy		Jose Rivera
Mario & Elsa Evangelista	Maria Rodriguez
Diego Frias			Emilio & Elizabeth Roque
Ernesto & Rosita Galang	Luisito & Lilia Roxas
George & Pat Garibaldi	Aida Ryan
Glenen & Emely Grivas	Alden Sarte
Gerome & Cynthia Grivas	Mila Sarte
Gidion Grivas		Angelia Tablante
Jorge & Gordina Grivas	Zenovier & Estrellita Torres
Crescencia Guasque		Raul & Thelma Triunfo
Linda Herrera		Genevieve Tugade
Joaquin & Margarita Hill	Joseph Tugade
David & Juantza Ibanez	Ernie & Rita Tugade
Helena Keane		Bob Valencia
Carlo & Maria Lacambra	Lilie Villaluna
Mrs. Margarita Lee	Narciso & Julieta Zapanta

To date, we have received $13,450.00 in donations for this project. Your donations are always welcome. Thank you!

ARCHDIOCESE for MILITARY SERVICES

The Bishop’s Conference has voted and approved a Special Collection to be taken once every three years for the benefit of the Archdiocese of Military Service, USA (AMS). Therefore, Archbishop Cordileone has requested this new collection will commence on November 10, 2013, and will take place every three years on the Sunday nearest Veteran’s Day. In your envelope packets which are mailed to your homes, the Second Collection for next weekend would have been for our Parish Improvement Fund. Instead, the collection will be processed for Archdiocese Military Services. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Development at (415) 614-5580. Let us keep all of our military personnel in our prayers.

Thank you!