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August 30, 2015

♦ 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
Rev. Mr. Romeo Cruz, Permanent Deacon
Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager
Mrs. Felisa Cepeda, 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.
Latin Mass in the Extraordinary Form: Monday through
Friday 12:00 Noon. Sunday at 5:00 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
Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 30, 2015

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8; Psalm 15; James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

TRADITION

Tradition is long human memory set, not in stone, but in human interaction. Without this active memory, the bonds of relationship and affection fray and fall apart. Communities dissolve as surely as neglected buildings do. After participating in events, celebrations, and even small rituals, we remark about how good it is to gather and remember.

Today’s readings remind us of foundations laid deeper than the human will to relate. Today we hear about God’s will to relate to us—to be our God as we are called to be God’s own beloved people.

Today in three readings and three ways we remember the covenant bonds that create us as a people and the obligation and responsibility that express the innermost attitude of soul. You are mine. I am yours. These are God’s words that created a people as surely as “Let there be light” created the sun and moon and all the stars.

Our CFF and Rectory Offices will be closed on Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

COLLECTIONS
FOR August 23, 2015

First Collection $ 5,379.00
Special Projects $ 1,962.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for St. Vincent De Paul
Our Second Collection Next Sunday is for Our Religious Education Programs

Thank you for your generous donations towards the continued support of your Church!

Mater Dolorosa’s Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

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

Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson, Trude Bunter, Larry Casey, Shirley Cotton, Lucy Delahoussaye, John Dresser, Joe Duenas, Gloria Flores, Luz Gomez, Gary Andrew Lacanilao, Joan Lopiccolo, Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Nellie Metzger, Eileen McHugh, John Paat, Sr., Mary Anne Padilla, Dorothy Pruett, Leo Quini, Florentina Quitugua, Maria Luisa Sarra, and Gladys & Luis Torres.

We pray that they find peace, comfort and healing in Jesus Christ, our Divine Healer. Please pray for our many sick, homebound and hospitalized parishioners who are unable to attend Mass.

FOR August 23, 2015

Sat. Aug. 29  Symbolon Legion of Mary Family Presidium  9:00 a.m.  9:00 a.m.
Sun. Aug. 30  Hospitality: St. Vincent de Paul Latin Mass 11:00 a.m.  11:00 a.m.
Mon. Aug. 31  Latin Mass  12:00 p.m.  12:00 p.m.
Tues. Sept. 1 Second Harvest Kids Now Program Latin Mass  9:00 a.m.  9:00 a.m.
Wed. Sept. 2  Latin Mass Legion of Mary Madonna Choir Practice Latin Mass  8:30 a.m.  8:30 a.m.
             COSJ Choir Practice Baptism Class Ballroom Dancing  12:00 p.m.  12:00 p.m.
Thurs. Sept. 3 Latin Mass Madison Ladies Club Meeting Symbolon  12:00 p.m.  12:00 p.m.
Fri. Sept. 4  Eucharistic Adoration Benediction Latin Mass Madonna Choir Practice Eucharistic Adoration Healing Mass Choir Practice  8:30 a.m.  10:30 a.m.
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Questions of the Week:
In today’s gospel story, Jesus wants us to understand that our outward behavior should reflect what is in our hearts. A good heart will not produce evil actions. Nor will washing our hands make us clean inside where it really counts.

What are some of the things Jesus says comes from within people? What sacrament can help us to know the difference between just following the rules and following Jesus?

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED
Kaiser South San Francisco is currently seeking Eucharistic Ministers to volunteer to provide communion to their Catholic patients and their families. The ongoing support of this ministry allows the hospital to fulfill this integral spiritual dimension of care. Any one who is a Eucharistic Minister at Mater Dolorosa, please contact the Spiritual Care Department at Kaiser at 650-742-3739 for more information. Please consider bringing Jesus to those who need Him most. Thank you.

INNER HEALING RETREAT - Friday-Sunday, Oct. 9-11

Why do Catholics do That? . . . does the Church canonize saints?
A saint is a man or woman who lived a life of extraordinary virtue while on Earth and is now rewarded with eternal life in Heaven. Prior to around the 1200s, there was no real formal process for declaring someone a saint. This led to some figures of legend becoming known as saints. Pope Gregory IX established procedures to investigate the life of a candidate to determine if he or she has achieved sainthood in Heaven. The Church wants us to look to the saints as role models and advocates. Therefore, a stringent and objective process must be followed before someone can be declared a saint.

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MATER DOLOROSA LADIES CLUB
Our regular meeting on Thursday, September 3rd, will be held in the library at 6:00 p.m. We will discuss our charitable project for 2015. New members are welcome to join us at any time! You may call the Rectory Office for information, or visit our website at mdssf.org and click the link to our monthly planner on the Home Page for our upcoming schedule of meetings and events.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS
Please join us from September 7th to September 15th every morning following the 8:00 a.m. Mass (except Saturday, September 12th where we will pray in the Pieta Garden at 10:30 a.m.) to pray the Chaplet of Our Lady of Sorrows in our church. We invite you to join in this prayerful Novena to honor our patroness.