MATER DOLOROSA
CHURCH
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Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.,
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

PASTORAL STAFF
Rev. Fr. Rolando De la Rosa, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Vito Perrone, C.O.S.J., Weekend Assistant
Rev. Mr. Alex Aragon, Permanent Deacon
Mr. Ricardo Carlos, Sacristan
Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager
Mrs. Felisa Cepeda, Director of Religious Education
Ms. Diana Powell, Director of RCIA
Ms. Elsa Agasid, Director of Music
Mr. Marlon Evangelista, Associate Director of Music

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.
First Saturdays: Marian Devotion 8:00 a.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.
Every Sunday: Children’s Liturgy of the Word, 10:00 am Mass.

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 (PRINT)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.
Mr. & Mrs. □ Ms. □ Mr. □ Miss □ ____________________________

Phone____________________________________________________
Address__________________________________City___________Zip__________
□ New Parishioner □ New Address □ New Phone Number
□ Moving/Remove Name
HUMILITY

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Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 1, 2019

Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Psalm: 68;
Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24; Luke 14:1, 7-14

Thank you for your generous and continued support of your parish and our Catholic Church!

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

Rose Elaine Archer-Thompson,
Carlos Avendano, Jason Bell, Cleo Brazier, Trude Bunter,
Marlene Caballero, Annalie Davanzo, Lucy Delahoussaye,
Phil Dow, John Dresser, Mario & Elsa Evangelista, Rodolfo Flores, Luz Lopez, Taylor Hardley, Walter Heim,
Amy Marston, Walter Marston, Sunshine Ortiz, Angelita Pasamba, Melchor Realino, Barbara, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Maria Luisa Sarra,
Laura Skaff, Kit Fong Woo and Donald Wood.

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.

Mater Dolorosa’s Upcoming Week AT-A-GLANCE

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<td>Tomas S. Grivas, Jr. (D)</td>
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<td>Dominador DeCastro (D)</td>
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<td>Pastor &amp; Modesta Paiz (D)</td>
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COLECTIONS

August 25, 2019

First Collection $ 5,443.00
Helping Hands $ 2,570.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for Religious Education Programs

Our Second Collection for next Sunday is for Our Maintenance & Improvement Fund

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CHILD FAITH FORMATION

The first day of Faith Formation sessions will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 10th. Grades 1st thru 5th grade will begin at 5:45pm. Grades 6 thru High School will begin at 7pm. Meet in the parish hall. If you are interested in or have questions about our Faith Formation program please call the CFF office at 650.583.4131 x 2 or send an email to cff@mdssf.org

SAVE THE DATE: Family Orientation days will be held at 6pm in the parish hall.
Sept 3 – New Family Orientation - this meeting is for ALL NEW families and students to our CFF program. All Orientation meetings will be in the parish hall.

Question of the Week:
Jesus often used parables to teach about the Kingdom of God, inviting us to use our imaginations to see people, life, and the world in new ways.

The parable that Jesus teaches in this Sunday’s Gospel is challenging us to see differently.

How does this parable challenge us to see differently?

Catechist Formation Opportunities - September 7 at Archdiocese Pastoral Center
Session 1 – Topic: Elements of Liturgy – 9:30am – 10:30am, Session 2 – Topic: Sacramental Theology – 10:45am – 11:45am
Session 3 – Topic: The Catechist as Prayer Leader (Leading Prayer & Prayer Forms) – 12:00noon – 1:00pm
Please confirm your attendance to any of these workshops a week in advance with Felisa Cepeda email cff@mdssf.org or call 650583-4131 x 2.

Eucharistic Minister & Readers Training
2019 Training for New & Experienced Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion & Readers

San Francisco County:
St Brendan Parish, SF
November 2 & 9

OR
San Mateo County:
St Matthias Parish, Redwood City
November 9 & 16

The Office of Worship offers six hour formation sessions for new and experienced Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Readers. In the morning of the first Saturday, ministers are introduced to sacramental theology, particularly that of the Eucharist. Next, presenters who are experts in the field, offer technical and spiritual direction for the minister’s specific liturgical role. Finally, extraordinary ministers prepare for bringing Holy Communion to the sick and homebound, while readers conclude with coaching in proclamation and oral interpretation. Please contact the parish center, Pat Michel at p55michel@gmail.com, or Genevieve Nicolas at Genevieve.nicolas@gmail.com, to register.