

## Celebration of Mass / Celebración de la Misa

Monday—Friday	8:00 am
Saturday	8:00 am 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass for Sunday)
Sunday (English)	8:00 am 10:00 am
Domingo (Español)	12:00 mediodía

## Holy Days / Días de Precepto

English	8:00am
Bilingual / Bilingüe	7:00 pm

## Sacraments / Sacramentos

Confession	Confesión
<i>4:00-4:30 pm Saturday / Sábado o por cita</i>	
Baptism	Bautismo
<i>English - First Sunday of the month</i>	<i>Español - Segundo Domingo del mes</i>
Confirmation	Confirmación
Marriage	Matrimonio
Anointing of the Sick	Unción de los Enfermos
<i>Call for an appointment</i>	<i>Llame para una cita</i>

## Pastoral Team / Equipo Pastoral

<i>Pastor / Párroco</i>	Rev. Francis Mark P. Garbo
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<i>Maintenance Custodian</i>	Raju Kumar and Julio Alfaro

Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 am–12 noon, 1:00–5:00 pm



*For those who are sick and wish to be visited by a priest,  
please call the Parish Office at (415) 621-8203.*

*Para aquellos que están enfermos y que desean recibir la visita de un sacerdote, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial al (415) 621-8203.*



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## MARY HAS CHOSEN THE BETTER PART

Brothers and Sisters:

If there is a perfect model of how we can welcome Jesus, we find it in the scene of Martha and

Mary. Martha is working hard to serve Jesus, while Mary is seated in front of him, keeping him company and conversing with him, listening to him and being receptive to his message. Both sisters show important elements for welcoming Jesus properly: Martha offers her loving service and Mary, her openness of heart.



1. Martha is active: She is busy with the work that indeed needs to be done. But her desire for order doesn't allow her to see her guest's face. Maybe she is already used to having Christ come to her house, so his presence isn't as meaningful as the first day he came.

The same thing can often happen to us; we get very caught up with things: entertainment, whims, dreams, paying attention to others. We have time for everything and we don't even know how to rest within ourselves; we look for external satisfaction without being able to enjoy interior peace. Caught up in the desire to have, to improve our status, to do things, we lose our interior harmony, our peace of spirit, our creative silence.

2. Mary is contemplative: She prefers to be at Christ's side, listening to him and helping him rest. She was so happy that it didn't even cross her mind that she needed to get the meal ready. She had chosen the better part: be with the familiar guest who is so unique and special; she would pay attention to him as if it were the first day. Food and meals could be had every day, but she had Christ today. That should be our attitude towards Jesus who comes to visit us with love: welcome his presence with faith, trust and love. And then, receive his message, listen to his word, assimilate the values he offers us.

3. It's worthwhile choosing to be with Christ: Christ leaves us a lesson. In our lives there are lots of important things, many duties to carry out, but we have to choose the better part: staying with Christ. Let us never regret making this choice. Let us never grow used to having Christ in our home like Martha did, getting so occupied in our own things that we forget about him. He is the source of our happiness. And our only task should be to stay with him.

Let us, like Mary, listen attentively to the word of God and meditate on it in our hearts, learning to see things from the perspective of eternity. At the same time, let us, like Martha, be diligent, service-oriented, generous and joyful. We need to have Mary's heart and Martha's hands. Why don't we try to make each Sunday's celebration into a weekly opportunity to listen to and welcome Christ, like Martha and Mary?

## MARÍA HA ESCOGIDO LA MEJOR PARTE

Hermanas y hermanos:

Si hay algún modelo perfecto de cómo podemos acoger a Jesús, lo encontramos en la escena de Marta y María. Marta se esmera en servir a Jesús, mientras María, sentada delante de él, le hace compañía, le da conversación, le escucha y se muestra receptiva a su mensaje. Ambas hermanas aportan los elementos de una buena acogida a Jesús: Marta, el servicio amoroso y María, la apertura del corazón.



1. Marta es activa: Se ocupa en un trabajo que efectivamente hay que hacer. Pero sus afanes de orden, no la dejan ver el rostro de su huésped. Quizá está acostumbrada a que Cristo venga a su casa y su presencia ya no le dice lo mismo que el primer día.

A nosotros nos puede ocurrir con frecuencia; vivimos muy pendientes de las cosas: la diversión, los caprichos, las ilusiones, la atención a los demás. Tenemos tiempo para todo y no sabemos estar con nosotros mismos; buscamos las satisfacciones exteriores y somos incapaces de disfrutar de la paz interior. Ocupados en el afán de tener, de mejorar nuestra posición, de hacer cosas, perdemos la armonía interior, la paz del espíritu, el silencio creador.

2. María es contemplativa: Prefiere estar al lado de Cristo escuchándolo, haciéndolo descansar. Estaba tan feliz que no se le pasó por la mente preparar la mesa. Ella había elegido la mejor parte: estar con el huésped conocido, pero único y especial; lo atendería como si fuera el primer día. La mesa y la comida la tenía todos los días, pero a Cristo lo tenía hoy. Así debería ser nuestra actitud ante Jesús que nos visita amosamente: acoger su presencia por la fe, la confianza y el amor. Después, recibir su mensaje, hacer caso de su palabra, asimilar los valores que él nos propone.

3. Estar con Cristo es lo que vale la pena escoger: Cristo nos deja una enseñanza. En nuestra vida hay muchas cosas importantes, muchos deberes qué cumplir, pero tenemos que elegir la mejor parte: permanecer con Cristo. Nunca nos arrepentiremos de esta elección. No nos acostumbremos como Marta a tener a Cristo en la casa y ocuparnos demasiado en nuestras cosas olvidándonos de él. La fuente de nuestra felicidad es él. Y permanecer con él debe ser nuestra tarea.

Seamos como María que escucha atenta la palabra de Dios, la medita en su corazón, aprende a mirar las cosas desde el punto de vista de la eternidad. Al mismo tiempo seamos como Marta diligentes, serviciales, generosos y alegres. Es necesario tener el corazón de María y las manos de Marta. ¿Por qué no intentamos convertir la celebración del domingo en un espacio semanal de escucha y acogida como Marta y María?

LA ASOCIACIÓN DE LA INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN  
MISIÓN DOLORES

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# FIESTA DE SANTO DOMINGO

**DOMINGO 3 DE AGOSTO, 2025**

**1:00PM A 6:00PM**

Dirección: AUDITORIO DE MISION DOLORES  
(CALLE 16 ENTRE DOLORES Y CHURCH • SAN FRANCISCO)

**DI ALEX**

**ENTRADA LIBRE**

Habrá deliciosa comida típica Nicaragüense, bebidas, postres y rifas.

Esperamos su participación en este evento, que es para recaudar fondos para nuestra Festividad de la Gritería para la Inmaculada Concepción de María

Para información llamar: Amparo Lopez-Galo (415)602-3427

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## MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES DE MISA

### **MONDAY/LUNES -07/21**

8:00 am Mary R. Garcia (Dec)

### **TUESDAY / MARTES - 07/22**

8:00 am Kerry Leder & Ella Guillory (Dec)

### **WEDNESDAY / MIÉRCOLES -07/23**

8:00 am Alicia S. Legaspi (Int)

### **THURSDAY / JUEVES - 07/24**

8:00 am Philip Saado (Int)

### **FRIDAY / VIERNES - 07/25**

8:00 am Maria Mumgia (Dec)

### **SATURDAY / SÁBADO -07/26**

8:00 am Eduardo Decena Jr. (Int)

5:00 pm Ernie Ciaburro (Dec)

### **SUNDAY / DOMINGO - 07/27**

8:00 am Mary Moriarty McCaffrey (Dec)

10:00 am Mission Dolores Parishioners (Int)

12 pm Melba Lopez (Dec)



BIENVENIDOS FORMACIÓN DE FE

Information and Registrations for Religious Education for First Communion and Confirmation will be on August 9th after 5 pm

Mass and August 10th after 10:00 am and 12:00 pm Masses in the auditorium. August 23rd after 5 pm Mass and August 24th after 10 am and 12 pm Masses. Bring your Baptism Certificate.

La información e inscripción para la Educación Religiosa de Primera Comunión y Confirmación se realizará el 9 de agosto después de la misa de las 5pm y el 10 de agosto después de las misas de las 10:00 am y las 12:00 pm en el auditorio. El 23 de agosto después de la misa de las 5pm y el 24 de agosto después de las misas de las 10:00 am y las 12:00 pm Traiga su certificado de bautismo.



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### July 13/Julio 13

1st Coll: \$ 2322.00  
 2nd Coll: \$ 1,919.00 (Bathroom Renovation)  
 E-Contributions: \$ 999.80

### Next Week's Second Collection/ Segunda Colecta de la Próxima Semana Parish Maintenance Fund

### ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL 2025

**AAA 2025 Goal:** **\$ 37,994.00**

**Total Collected to date:** **\$16,923.82**

Our 2025 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal Assessment is \$37,994.00. Thank you very much for your generosity in contributing to our assessment together we can make it!

*"Use whatever gift you have received, as faithful stewards of God's grace"*

Open Tuesday through Sunday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Guided tours available for schools and groups by appointment:  
 Email: Andrew Galvan at [chochenyo@aol.com](mailto:chochenyo@aol.com).



- 1) Visit the church website at [www.missiondolores.org](http://www.missiondolores.org),
- 2) Click on the **Donate** button
- 3) Click on the Create Profile button, then
- 4) Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions.

### WILL OR BEQUEST GIFTS

#### **Please Remember Our Parish Family**

Thank you! Your generosity has been a blessing to Mission Dolores Basilica Church throughout this past year. Your continued support allows us to help our church family spread God's Word throughout the world and maintain our church's facilities. As you begin year end tax planning, take advantage of the charitable tax deduction for gifts made before December 31 and consider the variety of gift options available to you. Your gift to our parish can make a great difference to us and help you as well. **ONLINE GIVING** is a convenient way to make your gift to Mission Dolores Basilica and parish.

A particular asset such as real estate or other valuables. You may also name the parish as a beneficiary of a retirement plan or life insurance policy. For more information or if you should have any questions on how to title the Parish in your Will or Trust please contact the Parish Office: Fr Francis Garbo, or Gustavo Torres at 415.621.8203 or [parish@missiondolores.org](mailto:parish@missiondolores.org).

**Great News! Our new bathrooms are now ready for use. We appreciate your patience and your generosity. We could not do this without all your help. Please continue to support this 5-year capital campaign with your donations.**

**PASTOR'S UPDATE: COMPLETED -JUNE 28, 2025  
 RESTROOM PROJECT  
 COST: \$792,748.88**

**Total Expense (as of June 30, 2025) \$ 785,023.66**

**Total Collected:\$ 309,403.17 (as of June 30, 2025)**

There is some good news and some sad news. The "good news" is we have money to start. The "sad news" is it's still in your hands/pockets. We received donations from the campaign, but we will still have to borrow from our emergency fund from the archdiocese, which means we will have to replenish it.

We invite you to continue to support and be generous with this project. Please make your pledge. This is our house, our parish. Together, we can do it. Please consider our 5-year giving plan option.

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We of Mission Dolores Basilica Parish, as part of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of San Francisco, pledge ourselves to be a light shining in the darkness through the love that we share in the name of Christ, and through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit. We pledge to celebrate the rich ethnic and cultural diversity of our parish community, to grow spiritually by giving loving service to those in need, to build community through liturgy, hospitality and ecumenism, as well as through social and cultural events, and to promote social justice in our neighborhood and city. We encourage the members of Mission Dolores to enrich themselves by participating in the liturgies, devotions and other activities of the parish, by sharing their faith with others, and by living their daily lives according to the teachings of Jesus Christ.

### **THE OLD MISSION & GIFT SHOP**

Mission San Francisco de Asis founded June 29, 1776, under the direction of Saint Father Junípero Serra is the oldest original intact Mission in California and is the oldest building in San Francisco.

### **Welcome / Bienvenido**

Please complete the form below and drop it in the collection box or mail it, if you:

- are a new parishioner
- have a new address
- have a new phone

Por favor de llenar esta formulario y ponerlo en la colecta o mandarlo por correo, si usted:

- es un nuevo feligres
- tiene un nuevo domicilio
- tiene un nuevo teléfono

Name/Nombre: \_\_\_\_\_

Address/Domicilio: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Cuidad\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/Teléfono: \_\_\_\_\_

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