

**MATER DOLOROSA
CHURCH
1040 Miller Ave.
South San Francisco
California 94080-1446**



August 10, 2025

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Parish Center Hours:

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

In URGENT need of sacrament of the sick only:
call:650-930-7819,

Otherwise, please call the parish center
at 650-583-4131 x 1.

♦ **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.

Byzantine Divine Liturgy (In the Monastery) on

Saturday 10:00 a.m. & Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (Latin Mass)

12:00 Noon, & 7:00 p.m.

Latin Mass in the Extraordinary Form: Monday through
Friday 12:00 Noon. Saturday 9:00 a.m. & Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

First Friday Healing Ministry Mass 7:00 p.m.

First Saturday Marion Devotion following the 8:00 a.m. Mass
Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00-4:00 p.m.

♦ **BAPTISM** ♦

We welcome your child to be baptized at Mater Dolorosa Church.

Baptisms take place the fourth Saturday of every month at 11:30
a.m. Baptism Preparation Class is offered for families of scheduled
baptisms, the third Saturday of every month at 11:30 a.m. Parents
should contact the Parish Center *three months prior* to the desired
date of the baptism to allow for preparation and for scheduling.

♦ **FIRST EUCHARIST and FIRST RECONCILIATION** ♦

Families must be enrolled in Family Faith Formation one year prior
to the direct preparation for each Sacrament.

♦ **CONFIRMATION** ♦

Families must be enrolled in Family Faith Formation one year prior
to the direct preparation for the reception of Confirmation.

♦ **MARRIAGE** ♦

Please contact the Parish Center at least 6 months prior to your
wedding date to allow time for Marriage Preparation.

♦ **FAMILY FAITH FORMATION** ♦

Family Faith Formation is a ministry in which parents and children
learn about the Catholic faith together and with other families.
Family gatherings begin in September.

♦ **RCIA** ♦

Contact Deacon Ramon de la Rosa

♦ **PASTORAL STAFF** ♦

Father Vito Perrone, COSJ, Priest-Monk, Pastor

Father Andrew Mbinkar Berinyuy, Sch.P., Parochial Vicar

Father Joseph Homick, COSJ, Priest-Monk

Father Mikhael Mihic, COSJ, Priest-Monk

Rev. Mr. Ramon de la Rosa, Permanent Deacon

Mrs. Betti Magoolaghan, COSJ-TO, Counselor, LMFT #129494

Mr. Robert Kosch, COSJ-TO, Head Sacristan

Mrs. Frances Lidwell, Parish Manager

Mrs. Felisa Cepeda, Director of Religious Education

Mrs. Evangeline deGuzman, Finance Manager

Dr. Jennifer Donelson, Music Director

Mr. Marlon Evangelista, Music Director

Ms. Aida Gamboa, Music Director

Mary Charisse Rozario, Young Adult Ministry Coordinator

Mr. Bernardo Ortiz, Parish Maintenance

Mr. James Rodriguez, Parish Maintenance

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: 1040 Miller 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

August 10, 2025
The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Today's Readings:

Wisdom 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22;
Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19; Luke 12:32-48

**How to Receive
All That God Offers**

We're told in this Sunday's Gospel reading that God is "pleased" to give us his kingdom, which includes eternal life in heaven as well as all the benefits of his love and goodness here on earth.

God does not withhold anything good from us. But do we avail ourselves of all he offers?

Jesus explains: If you value earthly treasures more than you treasure opportunities to share God's love and blessings with others, your hands are full of nothing that will last. If your "money bags" are filled with worldly goals that push God out, or selfish plans that push others out, or ungodly relationships that push holiness out from your life, there isn't much room for the wondrous and eternal gifts of God. "For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."

Anything not of God is detrimental to us and, in the end, pointless, because it does not unite us to God and we cannot take it to heaven. We need to trade it in for the inexhaustible treasures that come from God.

Jesus isn't saying that we have to literally sell all of our worldly possessions in order to make room for divine treasures. What matters is our motive for having these things. Are they used for serving the kingdom of God or are they serving only earthly, temporary, selfish purposes?

Whatever enhances our union with God — and only this — is a treasure that we'll enjoy for all of eternity.

Good News Ministries 2025



Friday, August 15th is The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times are 8:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m. (Latin Mass), 12:00 Noon, and 7:00 p.m.

COLLECTIONS

For August 3, 2025

First Collection \$ 6,688.00

Family Faith \$ 3,074.00

**Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Maintenance & Improvement Fund**

**Our Second Collection next Sunday is for our
Special Projects Fund**

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

ON LINE DONATIONS—SIMPLIFIED!

You may scan the QR Code which will take you directly to the donation page on our website, or you may use the link provided below. Thank you for your support! All online donations will go through the Mater Dolorosa Church PayPal donation page: https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=9MZ4QA7W5X6RQ.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat. Aug. 9	5:00 p.m.	Omar Rodriguez (L)
Sun. Aug. 10	8:00 a.m.	<i>Sunshine Ortiz (D)</i>
	10:00 a.m.	<i>The Souls in Purgatory (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Rafael Angel Ortiz (D)</i>
	2:00 p.m.	<i>Carmel Murray (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Mon. Aug. 11	8:00 a.m.	Leandro Lujan (D)
	12:00 p.m.	Fr. David Farrugia (D) (Latin Mass)
Tues. Aug. 12	8:00 a.m.	<i>Father Vito Perrone (L)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Angelo Alonzo (D) Latin Mass</i>
Wed. Aug. 13	8:00 a.m.	Paul Rodriguez (D)
	12:00 p.m.	Jose Rubina (D) (Latin Mass)
Thur. Aug. 14	8:00 a.m.	<i>Christopher Myhra (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Arturo Fontinella (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Fri. Aug. 15	8:00 a.m.	Walter Klevesahl, Jr. (D)
	10:00 a.m.	People of the Parish (Latin Mass)
	12:00 p.m.	Priest's Intention
	7:00 p.m.	Andrew Tardio (L)
Sat. Aug. 16	8:00 a.m.	<i>Elizabeth Ingargiola (L)</i>
	9:00 a.m.	<i>Pia Carrion (D) (Latin Mass)</i>

***Please keep all those who
are sick or unable to attend
Mass in our parish family,
in your prayers:***

***Jill Abalos, Maria Avendano,
Linda Bagain, Edward Barrientos,
George Barrientos, Jason Bell, Benjamin Bonilla,
Cleo Brazier, Dan Buntjer, Marlene
Caballero, Ambrose Calonsag, Sionita Carmen,
Zosimo Carmen, Charito Casanas, Evelyn Cenni,
Augusto Cepeda, Monica Chew, Annalie Davanzo,
Bernard deGuzman, Lucy Delahoussaye, John
Dresser, Mario Evangelista, Luis Flores, Rodolfo
Flores, Demetrio Gomez, Jr., Donald Gomez, Katherine
Hernandez, Kristin Ibisate, Patricia Kelly, Sally
Lacanlale; Anna Lee, Cindy Mak, Lina Mamerto, Efren
Mendoza, Jr., Ricardo & Marina Menendez, Pat Mendoza,
Lucy Ocampo, Antonio Ocbena, Antonio Paat,
Francisco Quitugua, Eleanora Rivera, Erlinda Silverio,
Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Brian Samujh, Ken Sweeney,
and Simeon Wee.***

***We pray that they find peace, comfort and healing
in Jesus Christ, our Divine Healer.***





Explore the Gospel as a family: Luke 12:32-48 – 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time – **Dependence on God & Vigilant and Faithful Servants** – Go to the link below to read the Gospel as a family and talk about the questions in the family chat. <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/081025.cfm>

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Family Chat: In the first part of today's Gospel, Jesus is teaching us that you can tell what a person really loves by what he/she treasures the most. Jesus wants us to treasure the kingdom of God more than anything else. Why? In the second part of today's Gospel, Jesus wants us to be alert for his return. What can we do to be ready for Jesus?

Liturgy Link: The Preparation of Gifts starts the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Watch for the presentation of the bread and wine at Mass today.

Family Challenge: Jesus tells us not to be afraid. List the top three things that cause you fear or anxiety. Each day this week, bring these things to God in prayer.

Family Prayer: Stewardship Prayer - *In today's Gospel, Jesus talks about a good and faithful steward. Spend time praying to be good stewards.*

Loving God, you alone are the source of every good gift, of the vast array of our universe, and the mystery of each human life. We praise you and thank you for your tender, faithful love. Everything we are and everything we have is your gift. After having created us, you have given us into the keeping of your Son, Jesus Christ. Fill our minds with his truth and our hearts with his love, that in his spirit we may be bonded together as a family and in a community of faith a parish family, a caring people. In the name and Spirit of Jesus, we commit ourselves to be good stewards of the gifts entrusted to us, to share our time, our talents, and our material gifts as an outward sign of the treasure we hold in Jesus. Amen.

(Adapted from Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers.)

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**NOW ACCEPTING REGISTRATION FOR 2025-2026
FAMILY FAITH FORMATION**

Visit the Family Faith Formation webpage for more information or SCAN the QR code to register



MATER DOLOROSA CATHOLIC PARISH



**REGISTRATION
NOW BEING ACCEPTED
ONLINE**

VISIT THE FAMILY FAITH FORMATION PAGE
ON THE PARISH WEBSITE TO REGISTER
WWW.MDSSF.ORG/FAMILY-FAITH-FORMATION



Open to all families with children from pre-school through high school

For more information, please contact the FFF Office
Phone: (650) 583-4131 ext. 2
E-mail: mscepeda@mdssf.org

FIRST FAMILY GATHERING ON SEPT 7th

MEALS FOR OUR COST

As part of our ministry's ongoing support for our beloved priests, we are organizing a volunteer effort to provide meals for the Contemplatives of St. Joseph Monastery. This is a wonderful opportunity to give back and show gratitude for their tireless spiritual guidance and service. We are seeking volunteers to sign up and prepare or bring meals on specific days. Whether it's a homemade dish or something healthy picked up with love, your contribution makes a difference. If you can provide a meal, for approximately 5-6 people, once a month (or less) your donation will greatly help in keeping our costs lowered. Please call Fran in the parish office to get more details and to sign up for a day to provide nourishment and care for our priests. **THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE RESPONDED SO GENEROUSLY!**



The COSJ-Third Order will have a second general Q & A for those who are interested to know more about the Contemplatives of St. Joseph Third Order, on Sat. Aug. 16th after the 5 pm Mass at Our Lady of Fatima room in the Parish Center. For more information, please contact Betti@mdssf.org



LET'S MEET OUR GOAL TOGETHER!

Our Annual Archdiocesan Annual Appeal for 2025 is ongoing! For those who are registered parishioners, your packet has arrived in the mail. For those not registered, you may pick up a brochure in the vestibule. Our goal this year is \$66,691.00. **To date, we are \$29,434.00 short** of our assessment. Please consider making the donation that you are able and let's all do what we can to reach our 2025 AAA goal!

**Please make your checks payable to
The Archdiocesan Annual Appeal**

FAMILY DINNER NIGHT AT MATER DOLOROSA

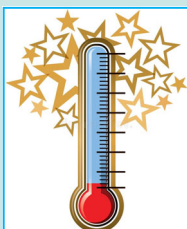




ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT—OUR BUDGET

As we continue to grow in faith and serve our community, we are reaching out to ask for your increased financial support. Your generous donations make it possible for:

- ◆ Baptisms
- ◆ Byzantine Divine Liturgy
- ◆ Continue our general liability insurance
- ◆ Eucharistic Adoration
- ◆ Family Faith Formation Program
- ◆ Funerals
- ◆ Gardening and Pieta Garden upkeep
- ◆ Liturgical Celebrations
- ◆ Marriage Preparation
- ◆ Mass in the Extraordinary Form
- ◆ Masses in the Ordinary Form
- ◆ Meet salaries and pensions
- ◆ Our decorated Sanctuary
- ◆ Healing Ministry
- ◆ New Programs built upon Pathways for a Thriving Parish Ministry
- ◆ Our Music Ministry such as Masses & Concerts
- ◆ Parish maintenance and church repairs
- ◆ Sick Calls both home and Kaiser
- ◆ Young Adult Ministry



If you feel led to give more during this time, know that every contribution—large or small—makes a real difference to help your parish move out of the red and into the black for our upcoming fiscal year. Perhaps by increasing your weekly contribution. You can donate online via our website, through the app, speak to Father Vito, or during collections at Mass. **With your continued support, we can close the remaining budget gap!** Thank you for prayerfully considering this appeal. You are a vital part of our church family. Together, we can keep the light of Christ shining strong in our community.

Save the date! There will be a Parish Gathering and Family Pot Luck here at Mater Dolorosa on Sunday September 14th following all the Sunday Masses to honor our Lady of Sorrows parish anniversary. Please join us for the planning meeting on August 21st at 10:00 in the parish center.
Bring a Dish to Share!



HOLY DOORS PILGRIMAGE UPDATE:

We are pleased to offer a pilgrimage opportunity for our parish community in honor of the feast day of our patroness Our Lady of Sorrows. **Please note that priority for this pilgrimage will be given to active, registered parishioners.** **SIGN UP DAY** will be held on August 16 and August 17 after Mass in the San Lorenzo Ruiz Hall. Thank you for your understanding and support.

Worship Schedule at Mater Dolorosa

SUNDAY

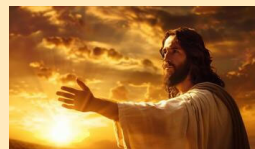
- 6:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
- 7:00 AM Deep Listening to Sacred Scripture
- 8:00 AM HOLY MASS (English)
- 8:00 AM Byzantine Divine Liturgy (COSJ Chapel)
- 10:00 AM HOLY MASS (English)
- 12:00 PM HOLY MASS (English)
- 2:00 PM HOLY MASS (Latin)
- 5:30 PM EVENING PRAYER (Gregorian Chant)
- 6:00 PM Deep Listening to Scripture Readings

MONDAY - FRIDAY

- 6:00 AM Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration
- 7:00 AM MORNING PRAYER (Gregorian Chant)
- 7:30 AM Deep Listening to Scripture Readings
- 8:00 AM HOLY MASS (English)
- Followed by Eucharistic Procession on 1st Fridays*
- 8:45 AM Eucharistic Adoration until 11:45 AM
- 12:00 PM HOLY MASS (Latin)
- 1:00 PM *Eucharistic Adoration until 7:00 p.m.*
- 5:30 PM EVENING PRAYER (Gregorian Chant)
- 7:00 PM Healing Mass First Fridays followed by Eucharistic Adoration until Midnight
- 5:00 PM *Begin with Eucharistic Procession on Thursdays*
- 6:00 PM Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration
- End with Benediction on Thursdays*
- 6:55 PM Closing Prayer. Sung Prayer to Our Lady of Sorrows & St. Joseph, Followed by Individual Blessing with Holy Water

SATURDAY

- 6:00 AM Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration
- 7:00 AM MORNING PRAYER (Gregorian Chant)
- 7:30 AM Deep Listening to Scripture Readings
- 8:00 AM HOLY MASS (English)
- 9:00 AM HOLY MASS (Latin)
- 10:00 AM BYZANTINE DIVINE LITURGY (COSJ Chapel)
- 3:00 PM CONFESSION
- 4:00 PM EVENING PRAYER (Gregorian Chant)
- (First Saturdays Prayer 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.)
- 4:30 PM Deep Listening to Scripture Readings
- 5:00 PM HOLY MASS (Sunday Vigil—English)
- SUNDAY** (See Bulletin Cover)



PRAYER FOR A NEW SCHOOL YEAR

"God of wisdom and might, we praise you for the wonder of our being, for mind, body, and spirit. Be with our children as they begin a new school year. Bless them and their teachers and staff. Give them the strength and grace as their bodies grow; wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their hearts. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."