

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



August 3, 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 3, 2025
The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Today's Readings:

ECCLESIASTES 1:2; 2:21-23; PS 90: 3-6, 12-14, 17;
COLOSSIANS 3:1-5, 9-11; LUKE 12:13-21

The Wealth of God's Generosity

When we understand God's generosity, we realize how wealthy we truly are. Even if we have little money in the bank, our lives are rich in God — feeling protected and cared for by God, giving us an abundance of peace that gets us through trials and battles with wisdom and endurance. God's generosity also leads to material goods. Every material blessing we have comes from God. He delivers it to us through the talents and skills that he has given to us. Whatever we earn through our own efforts comes originally from God's efforts. God is the source of everything that's good in our lives. However, there's always a purpose that's bigger than us. Everything from God is meant to bless others, too. We are channels of God's generosity. Generosity grows when we understand that God is the provider of everything good and that he will continue to provide for us even when we give away what he gives to us — *especially* when we give away what he gives to us. Think about what you have in abundance (be it money, or joy, or wisdom, or lessons learned from experience. Now look around. How might you be the answer to someone else's prayers? Whatever we hope to have already belongs to God and is meant to be shared with others. This is the primary economic principle of the kingdom of God. The Body of Christ thrives only when there's a continual exchange of goods. We call this the communion of saints.

Good News Ministries 2025



There will be no Divine Liturgy at the COSJ chapel on Sunday, August 10

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat. Aug. 2	5:00 p.m.	<i>Silvia Quinones (D)</i>
Sun. Aug. 3	8:00 a.m.	<i>Kit Rex Sunga (L)</i>
	10:00 a.m.	<i>Dee Munoz (L)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i>
	2:00 p.m.	<i>Marlene Bosque (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Mon. Aug. 4	8:00 a.m.	<i>Walter Klevesahl, Jr. (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Fr. Edwin Farrugia (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Tues. Aug. 5	8:00 a.m.	<i>Leandro Lujan (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>John Larricq (L) Latin Mass</i>
Wed. Aug. 6	8:00 a.m.	<i>Blanch Sanchez (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Camille Pulsoni (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Thur. Aug. 7	8:00 a.m.	<i>Fr. Vito Perrone (L)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Miracle Patterson (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Fri. Aug. 8	8:00 a.m.	<i>Laura McClung (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Fr. David Farrugia (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Sat. Aug. 9	8:00 a.m.	<i>Salvatore Tardo (L)</i>
	9:00 a.m.	<i>Priest's Intention (Latin Mass)</i>

St. Patrick's Missionary Society

This weekend, please will welcome Father Michael Madigan who will celebrate all the Masses and will speak to us about The International Missionary Society. This organization have more than seventy five years of hands-on experience at the center of life in twelve different developing countries in Africa, South America and the Caribbean. Their basic task is to reveal Jesus Christ and his Gospel to those who do not know him, throughout the world, especially those whose lives are emptied by poverty, disease, famine or displacement. You may help them or get further information at:

St. Patrick Fathers
8422 W. Windsor Ave.
Chicago, ILL 60656-4252
(773) 887-4741.

COLLECTIONS

For July 27, 2025

First Collection \$ 5,369.00
Maintenance \$ 1,572.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Family Faith Formation

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

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

ON LINE DONATIONS—SIMPLIFIED!

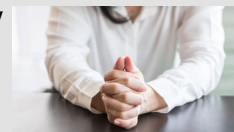
You may scan the QR Code which will take you directly to the donation page on our website, or you may use the link provided below. Thank you for your support! All online donations will go through the Mater Dolorosa Church PayPal donation page: https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=9MZ4QA7W5X6RQ.



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 Ochena, 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 12:13:21 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time – **Saying Against Greed & Parable of the Rich Fool** – 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/080325.cfm>

Family Chat: In today's Gospel, Jesus teaches us not to be greedy. Why is greed a bad thing? In what way was the rich man in the story greedy?

Liturgy Link: Our greatest treasure on earth as Catholics is the Eucharist. When we are not at Mass, the Eucharist is stored in a special place called a tabernacle. Find the Tabernacle before or after Mass and say a prayer to Jesus.

Meet Our Extended Family: St. Mary MacKillop (Feast Day August 8) Mary Helen was born in Melbourne, Australia, the oldest of eight children. Mary's parents were immigrants to Australia who raised their children in the Catholic faith. Because the MacKillop family farm was struggling financially, Mary went to work as a clerk in Melbourne when she was 14 years old. Later, she took a job as a governess for her aunt and uncle in Penola, South Australia. Mary worked taking care of the children and teaching them, but she also invited the poor farm children in the area to come and be taught as well. Two years later, Mary opened her own boarding school, which is now known as Bayview College. Then a local priest asked Mary and her sisters to open a Catholic school in Penola. She and her sisters opened the school inside a stable. In 1867, Mary founded the first native Australian religious order, the Sisters of Saint Joseph of the Sacred Heart. She took vows as Sister Mary of the Cross. The Josephites, or the "Brown Joeys" (because of their plain brown habits) grew in number, and by the end of 1869, more than 70 sisters were educating children in 21 different schools in Australia. The Josephites also worked with orphans, the poor, the incurably ill, and those in prison. Sadly, Mother MacKillop was later wrongly accused of stealing money from her religious order and excommunicated in 1871. Years later, the truth came out and her excommunication was lifted, and Mother MacKillop continued to teach and serve the poor until her death in 1909. She was canonized on October 17, 2010.

Family Challenge: Count the number of times you hear the word "thanks" or "thanksgiving" at Mass today.

Family Prayer: Gratitude Prayer – *In today's Gospel, Jesus warns us about greed. Spend time today thanking God for His gifts and for one another.*

Take turns praying spontaneously, thanking God for all the things he has provided for you. Be sure to show gratitude for one another, good friends, jobs, and all the spiritual and material blessings you have. Close your prayer with a Glory Be: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

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

Visit the Family Faith Formation webpage
for more information

For more information about our Family Faith Formation program
please contact Mrs. Felisa Cepeda at mscepeda@mdssf.org

MEALS FOR OUR COSJ

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!



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 Betty at ti@mdssf.org



LOCAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

COUNCIL 14818 RECEIVES TOP AWARD

South San Francisco Council Knights of Columbus 14818, has received the distinction of Star Council, the international organization's top award for local councils. The Star Council Award recognizes overall excellence in the areas of membership, promotion of fraternal insurance benefits, sponsorship of faith formation programs and service-oriented activities. Some of the many programs & activities that achieved this award were Distribution of Miraculous Medals, Family Movie Nights, Feeding the Homeless, ID Drive, March for Life and support of the Pregnancy Center and Gabriel Project.

For information on joining the Knights of Columbus contact local Membership Director Rome Lalucis 650-410-0446, romelalu-cissf@icloud.com

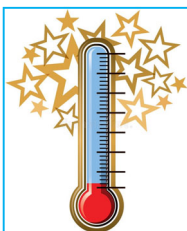


ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT—OUR BUDGET

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.

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

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)
<i>(First Saturdays Prayer 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.)</i>	
4:30 PM	Deep Listening to Scripture Readings
5:00 PM	HOLY MASS (Sunday Vigil—English)
SUNDAY	(See Bulletin Cover)

Holy Doors Pilgrimage Update - **SIGN UP DAY will ONLY be the weekend of August 16 and 17** after Mass in the San Lorenzo Ruiz Hall.

Please bring the pilgrimage fee with you. More information can be found on the flyer in the bulletin.

