

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



**APRIL 19, 2026**

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Parish Center Hours: (NEW HOURS)

Tuesday—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 3:00-4:30 p.m.  
Fourth Saturday of the Month 5:00 Mass in Tagalog

◆ **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 bap-  
tisms, 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.

◆ **OCIA** ◆

Contact Deacon Ramon de la Rosa

◆ **PASTORAL STAFF** ◆

Father Vito Perrone, COSJ, Priest-Monk, Pastor  
Father Andrew Mbinkar Berinyuy, Sch.P., Parochial Vicar  
Father Mikhael Mihic, COSJ, Priest-Monk  
Father Joseph Homick, 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  
Jordi Cortez, Master of Ceremonies/Liturgy  
Mr. Bernardo Ortiz, Parish Maintenance  
Mr. Alfred Urcuyo, Building 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

**April 19, 2026**  
**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**Today's Readings:**

**Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11;**  
**1 Peter 1:17-21; Luke 24:13-35**

**How To See Jesus**

The two disciples in this Sunday's Gospel reading did not recognize Jesus until after they heard him explain the scriptures and then broke bread with him. It was a two-part process.



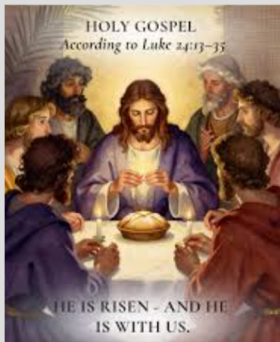
First, while listening to him teach about the scriptures, only their hearts recognized him. ("Were not our hearts burning within us?") Their eyes didn't see his true identity until Jesus shared a meal with them, raised the bread, blessed it, broke it, and gave it to them to eat.

When we celebrate Mass today, we're on a similar journey with Jesus. First, we have the Liturgy of the Word, during which we hear the scriptures and a homily that explains them. This is a time of opening our hearts to him.

We move into the Liturgy of the Eucharist. When the presiding priest consecrates the bread and wine, it is Jesus himself who is actually doing it, using the priest's hands and vocal chords. Jesus is doing for us what he did for those two disciples at Emmaus.

If we have opened our hearts to Jesus during the first part of Mass, and if we are still paying attention, we see much more than a piece of bread and a chalice of wine. We see Jesus. We recognize him with our hearts *and* our heads. We know beyond all doubt that the resurrected Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist.

2026 by Terry A. Modica, Good News



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Sat. April 18</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Elsa Evangelista (D)</b>
<b>Sun. Apr. 19</b>	8:00 a.m.	<i>Dina Grivas (L)</i>
	10:00 a.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Celestino Unira (D)</i>
	2:00 p.m.	<i>COSJ Benefactors Latin Mass</i>
<b>Mon. Apr. 20</b>	8:00 a.m.	<b>Demetrio &amp; Sophia Gabaldon (D)</b>
	12:00 p.m.	<b>Francisca Pepito (D) Latin Mass</b>
<b>Tues. Apr. 21</b>	8:00 a.m.	<i>Chris Marston (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Sheela Zavla (L) Latin Mass</i>
<b>Wed. Apr. 22</b>	8:00 a.m.	<b>Alex Golikely (D)</b>
	12:00 p.m.	<b>George Barrientos (D) (Latin Mass)</b>
<b>Thur. Apr. 23</b>	8:00 a.m.	<i>Elvia Rosado (D)</i>
	12:00 p.m.	<i>Nataly Zagornyak (L)</i>
<b>Fri. Apr. 24</b>	8:00 a.m.	<b>Michael Tofoya (D)</b>
	12:00 p.m.	<b>Priest's Intention</b>
<b>Sat. Apr. 25</b>	8:00 a.m.	<i>Bill Tafoya (D)</i>
	9:00 a.m.	<i>Baltazar Aguirre (D)</i>

**FROM OUR PASTOR .....**

Please everyone mark your calendars! We will be celebrating our Mater Dolorosa 65th anniversary starting on September 11th through September 15th. We are planning what will be a profound spiritual life experience for everyone! Please mark your calendars now! September 11th through the 15th for Mater Dolorosa Parish celebration of 65 years!  
*Father Vito*



**COLLECTIONS**

**Collection Totals For April 12**

**Maintenance \$ 6,577.00**  
**Family Faith \$ 2,148.00**

**Our Second Collection this Sunday is for  
 Special Projects**

**Our Second Collection next Sunday is for  
 Catholic Home Missions**

*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](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, Esperanza Barba, Edward Barrientos, George Barrientos, Jason Bell, Benjamin Bonilla, Cleo Brazier, Dan Buntjer, Marlene Caballero, Ambrose Calonsag, Sionita Carmen, Zosimo Carmen, Charito Casanas, Elmira Castro 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, Gerald Ramos, Eleanora Rivera, Jim Rodriguez, Archie Sam, Gigi Sam, Brian Samujh, Erlinda Silverio, Ken Sweeney, Luis Torres, Jr., 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 24:13-35 –  
**Walking with the Risen Lord – 3rd**

**3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
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*Sunday of Easter teaches us to recognize Jesus in Scripture, in the Eucharist, and in our daily lives. The readings encourage us to listen to God's Word and to share our faith with others. Like the disciples who shared their encounter with Jesus, we are called to spread His love and hope to those around us.*

*Go to the link below to read the readings for this weekend as a family; <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/041926.cfm>*

**Family Chat:** What image in this familiar story touches your heart? What do you notice about the characters in this story? Have you ever struggled to recognize Jesus in a difficult situation? How did you respond? What can I learn from the disciples' honest conversation with Jesus on the road to Emmaus? In what ways can I strengthen my own relationship with the risen Lord this week?

**Family Challenge:** Talk to your family about the disciples' journey to Emmaus. Discuss reasons why the disciples did not recognize Jesus even though he was close to them. Apply this reading to your own lives. As a family, discuss ways that you can make an effort to be more aware of Jesus' presence in your lives.

**Family Prayer:** *Lord Jesus, help us to recognize You in our daily lives. Open our hearts to Your presence and teach us to share Your Good News with others. Fill us with the courage and joy that come from knowing You are with us always. Amen. Information for this week's column taken from <https://young-catholics.com/> and [www.52Sundays.com](http://www.52Sundays.com)*

**OUR NEXT FAMILY FAITH FORMATION GATHERING IS SUNDAY MAY 3, 2026**

Please pray for our Confirmation candidates, their families and sponsors;

Abel, Jacob, Jhanmar, Marcus, and Primrose

They will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, April 25 at the Cathedral.



**PARISH FAMILY DINNER**

**APRIL 25** | **FOLLOWING 5:00 P.M. MASS**  
San Lorenzo Ruiz Hall

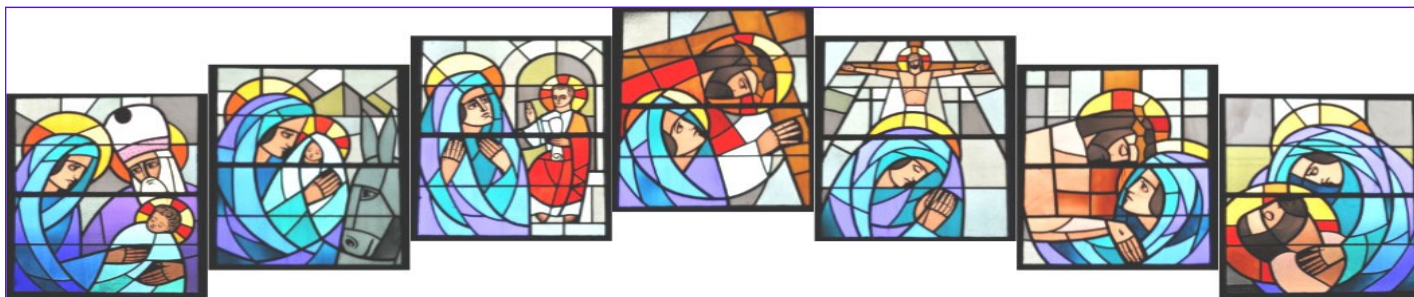
Parish Family Dinner is a monthly potluck evening that gathers on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month following the 5:00 p.m. Mass in the San Lorenzo Ruiz Hall.

April is devoted to the Blessed Sacrament. Celebrate with us and bring a bread-inspired dish to share!"

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**HOSPITALITY SUNDAY**  
By The Mater Dolorosa Knights of Columbus will host hospitality every second Sunday of the month after all the Masses:  
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon, & 2:00 p.m.  
The Next Hospitality Sunday is May 10th!

*Eucharistic Adoration has been extended to Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. You may fill out a sign up sheet to commit to a time, or just drop in to spend more time with our Lord, Jesus Christ, for this meaningful, powerful practice.*



Worship Schedule at Mater Dolorosa



**ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE**

**The Knights of Columbus are collecting non-perishable food items for the underprivileged in our community. St. Joseph's Table is a project that takes all food gathered and donates it to food banks, Catholic Charities and farm workers. On behalf of St. Joseph's Table, the Knights are collecting canned, packaged or boxed food items and have a barrel in the vestibule. Please kindly place your donation in the barrel. Thank you for your generous donations!**

**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  
 5:30 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)  
 10:00 AM-4:00 PM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
 3:00 PM CONFESSION  
 3:30 PM First Saturday Eucharistic Adoration for Life  
 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)



**SPANISH MASS**

**SUNDAY, MAY 24TH**

**7:00 p.m.**

**Followed by Hospitality in the St. Lorenzo Ruiz Parish Hall at Mater Dolorosa.**

**Everyone is Welcome!**

**MASS IN TAGALOG EVERY 4TH SATURDAY 5:00 P.M. Next Mass in Tagalog is Saturday, April 25th.**

