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MATER DOLOROSA

— ONE BODY IN THE EUCHARIST —

JOURNEYING TO HOLINESS

August 2, 2026

PARISH CENTER (650) 583-4131 Fax (650) 616-9066

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Pastor, Fr. Vito Perrone: (650) 583-4131 x 3
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(650) 583-4131 X 1

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Mrs. Betti Magoolahan, COSJ-TO,
Counselor, LMFT #129494 (650) 302-6252
Website: www.mdssf.org

Parish Center 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 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.

♦ **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

PARISH VISION

We, the faithful of Mater Dolorosa parish, as members of the Mystical Body of Christ, journey together in response to our baptismal call to holiness to reach our goal of eternal life.

PARISH MISSION

We are a Catholic community that draws life from Eucharistic adoration, contemplative prayer, and diverse liturgical celebrations. We form disciples in deepening the gospel values, celebrating the sacraments, and accompanying one another in Christ-like love and sacrificial service.

August 2, 2026
THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

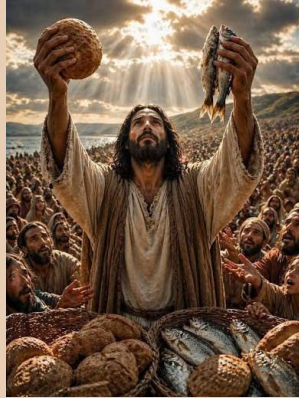
Today's Readings:
Isaiah 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18;
Romans 8:35, 37-39; Matthew 14:13-21

Turn to Jesus

As we say in the responsorial Psalm, "The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs." Yet, despite knowing this, we think we never have enough. We are not content with what we have.

Every person in our lives has been called by God to be a provider of his love and concern for us. But no one loves us fully and perfectly, and some totally reject this calling. If because of this we live in a state of frustration and anger or cynicism or self-protective isolationism, we're always hungry.

When we choose instead to forgive the imperfect people and turn to Jesus, he miraculously multiplies a little into a lot. By keeping our eyes on Jesus rather than on those who fail to love us fully, his love for us fills our hearts to overflowing.



Ministries

2026 by Terry A. Modica, Good News

Saturday, August 15, 2026, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year. Due to several engagements in our church on August 15th, Eucharistic Adoration will be in the Sister's Monastery from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat. Aug. 1	5:00 p.m.	<i>People of the Parish</i>
Sun. Aug. 2	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m.	<i>Fr. Mark Beard (D)</i> <i>Marlene Bosque (L)</i> <i>COSJ Benefactors</i> <i>Jane Behan White (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Mon. Aug. 3	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Dee Munoz (L)</i> <i>Kit Rex Sunga (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Tues. Aug. 4	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Alex Aragon (D)</i> <i>Mike Maloney (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Wed. Aug. 5	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Deacon Alex Aragon (D)</i> <i>Mauricio Montenegro (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Thur. Aug. 6	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Emilio Castro (D)</i> <i>Robert Mooney (D) (Latin Mass)</i>
Fri. Aug. 7	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<i>Sean Sebers (L)</i> <i>Matthew Aguirre (L) (Latin Mass)</i>
Sat. Aug. 8	8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	<i>Emilio Castro (D)</i> <i>Bultazar Aguirre (D) (Latin Mass)</i>

FROM OUR PASTOR

Beginning in October 2026, once a month on the second Saturday of each month, we will have a Spanish Mass at 7:00 p.m. I warmly invite everyone to attend this first Mass on Saturday, October 10th!

Father Vito

COLLECTIONS



Collection Totals For July 26, 2026

First Collection \$ 5,254.00
Maintenance \$ 1,679.00

**Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Our Family Faith Formation Programs**

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

*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 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, 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, Felicitas Martinez, Cindy Mak, Lina Mamerto, Efren Mendoza, Jr., Ricardo & Marina Menendez, Pat Mendoza, Lucy Ocampo, Antonio Ocbena, Antonio Paat, Francisco Perez, Francisco Quitugua, Gerald Ramos, 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: Matthew 14: 13 -21 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time – God’s Love Feeds the Hungry

– On the 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time, the readings remind us that God gives freely and cares for his people. In Isaiah, God invites everyone to come and receive food and drink without cost. His covenant is one of love and mercy, offered to all who seek him with open hearts. Go to the link below to read the readings for this weekend as a family;
<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/080226.cfm>

Family Chat: Jesus was very attentive to his followers. He cared for them and for their needs. What are your needs? What can Jesus do to help you?

Family Challenge: Invite someone from your parish community over for dinner. This could be the Priest, a staff member, or one of your friends in the pews.

Family Activity: How does your family practice hospitality? Discuss ways that your family can welcome others in need.

Family Prayer: St. John Vianney’s Prayer to Love God *I love you, O my God, and my only desire is to love you until the last breath of my life. I love you, O my infinitely lovable God, and I would rather die loving you, than live without loving you. I love you, Lord and the only grace I ask is to love you eternally... My God, if my tongue cannot say in every moment that I love you, I want my heart to repeat it to you as often as I draw breath.*

Information for this week’s column taken from
<https://young-catholics.com/> and
www.52Sundays.com

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

O Come LET US ADORE the RISEN LORD

65TH ANNIVERSARY

Mater Dolorosa Church
 Cordially Invites You to participate in a
FIVE DAY TWENTY FOUR (24) HOURS
of Eucharistic Adoration
SEPTEMBER 11-15, 2026

Our humble way of expressing our gratitude to Jesus and Mary for their enduring love and protection for our parish community over these sixty five years.

Please sign up using the form provided.
 Leave it at the vestibule or drop it in the Parish Office.
 For more information, contact Ando Perlas at (650) 270-0455.

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ATTENTION PLEASE!

For the weekends of August 8 & 9th, & August 15th & 16th there will be no Divine Liturgy, due to some minor renovations.

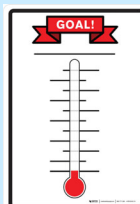
WELCOME: We hope you get to know us and we get to know you. Please fill out (PRINT) the bottom portion and place it in the collection basket, or mail it to: 1040 Miller Ave., SSF, CA 94080-1446. To complete the registration, we will mail you a registration form to fill out and return. Thank you.

Mr. & Mrs. ☐ Ms. ☐ Mr. ☐ Miss ☐

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Address _____ City _____

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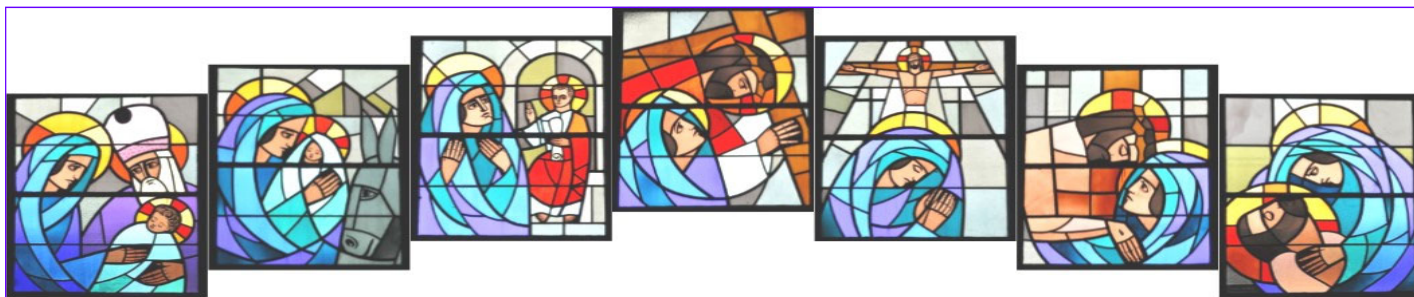


AAA 2026

Our Annual Archdiocesan Annual Appeal for 2026

AAA Assessment Goal:	\$ 69,173.00
Received to date:	\$ 28,906.00
(On-line, and by mail)	
Amount Yet to be Raised	\$40,267.00

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal brochures were mailed out this week. You may mail your donation, or drop your filled out brochure in the collection baskets. ***Please make your pledge checks payable to The Archdiocesan Annual Appeal***
Check made payable to Mater Dolorosa will delay the process. Thank you!



MD'S GOT TALENT!

Enjoy a buffet of Filipino food while watching a showcase of varied musical talents from the Mater Dolorosa Children and Adult Choir at MD's Got Talent 2, on August 15 from 11 am to 3 pm. Tickets at \$25 per adult and \$10 per child, 12 years old and under are now available at the church vestibule or from any of our choir members. Proceeds from this luncheon fundraiser will benefit the Mater Dolorosa Music Ministry's Marian Shrine Pilgrimage in July, 2027. Thank you.



Worship Schedule at Mater Dolorosa

SUNDAY

6:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
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)
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)
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)



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Tickets are now on sale after all the Masses for the 65th Anniversary Concert on September 12th and for Raffle tickets for our big

drawing on September 13th. You may purchase them after Mass, or through your ministries.



Do you have, or would you be willing to donate a significant raffle prize? We gratefully welcome brand-new electronics, airline tickets, vacation home or Airbnb stays, hotel accommodations, gift



cards, restaurant gift certificates, concert or sporting event tickets, unique experiences, professional services, or monetary donations. If you have business or personal connections that may be able to provide a donation, we would also be grateful for your assistance. Every contribution helps support our Sanctuary Renovation Project as we celebrate our 65th Anniversary is deeply appreciated. Please call the parish office at 650-583-4131 X 1 or email Fran at Frances@mdssf.org for drop off information.

DEADLINE FOR DONATIONS: AUGUST 31, 2026