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



July 20, 2025

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Mater Dolorosa Website: mdssf.org
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 <u>only</u>: 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 Oritz, Parish Maintenance Mr. James Rodriguez, Parish Maintenance

<i>WELCOME</i> : We hope you get to know us and we get to know you. Please fill out (<u>PRINT</u>) 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□	□ New Parishioner□ New Address□ New PhoneNumber
Phone	□ Moving/Remove
AddressZip	Name

July 20, 2025 The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Today's Readings:

Genesis 18:1-10; Ps 15:1-5; Colossians 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42

Don't Worry, be Fearless

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus speaks to us about our

anxieties and worries. Mary chose the "better part"; she didn't let anything distract her from being a disciple learning avidly from Jesus. When we make the time to put aside the busyness of life to sit quietly and learn from Jesus, we discover reasons why our worries aren't really so worrisome.



Only as we sit quietly at the feet of Jesus do we find hope that overcomes despair, peace that conquers anxiety, and wisdom that gets us through trials.

We cannot grow in holiness when we're not watching Jesus and learning from him how to be holy. We cannot love as he loves nor receive all the love he gives us unless we have a prayer life that includes quiet time alone with him, drinking up his lessons and his loving embrace. Prayers said while driving and while listening to homilies isn't enough.

Anxieties and worries are varying degrees of fear: We're afraid that something bad is going to happen. Even when there's a legitimate reason to worry, fear blocks our view of Jesus, because it turns us away from him. We need to recognize fear as a warning flag telling us to slow down, quiet down, and sit down with Jesus for a good discussion on whatever it is that's bothering us. He's got the answers, the encouragement, and the affirmation that will bring us peace!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat. July 19	5:00 p.m.	Yanti Tjiong (D)
Sun. July 20		People of the Parish Andrew Rodriguez (D)
Mon. July 21		Aurea Karlstrom (D) Mary Schembri (L) (Latin Mass)
Tues. July 22	8:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Bill Bosque (D) Dimitri Ponitkoff (L) Latin Mass
Wed. July 23		Marion Prevali (L) Oliver Valente (L) (Latin Mass)
Thur. July 24		Cristina Carnero (D) Mary Schembri (L) (Latin Mass)
Fri. July 25		Isaiah Bigil (L) Billy Meek (D) (Latin Mass)
Sat. July 26		Joseph Bigil (L) Brenda Aragon (L) (Latin Mass)





COLLECTIONS

For July 13, 2025
First Collection \$ 5,771.00
Maintenance \$ 1,491.00

Our Second Collection this Sunday is for
Our Music Ministry
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/?







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, David Scatena, , 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 10:25-37 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Mary & Martha – 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/072025.cfm

<u>Family Chat:</u> Who are you more like -- Martha or Mary? Explain your answer. Why is it important to listen to Jesus speak?

<u>Liturgy Link:</u> God can speak to us through all the things we say and do at Mass. What do you hear God saying to you today?

<u>Meet Our Extended Family</u> Blessed Frederic Ozanam (Feast Day September 9)

Frederic was a Frenchman born in Milan, Italy in 1813. He was raised in Lyon, France in a devout Catholic family. When he was 15 years old Frederic struggled with doubts about his faith, but he was helped through them by a local priest. Fredric later went to Paris to study law, where he excelled in apologetics, and was known for fiercely defending his Catholic faith. One day another student challenged Frederic to consider what he could do to live out his faith, instead of just talking about it. Frederic was inspired by this challenge to gather a group of students and "go to the poor" as Jesus had done. It was this group of students, who went out to serve the poor and lonely, that eventually became the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. On June 23, 1841, Frederic married Amelie Soulacroix. Together they had a daughter. He remembered his wife on the 23rd of each month with flowers and a poem expressing his love for her. Frederic continued to serve the poor even while pursuing his academic work. He visited them in their homes and spent countless hours with them. Sadly, Frederic died at the age of 40. The St. Vincent de Paul Society is still active today and serves the poor around the world. Family Challenge: Each day this week, compliment or encourage each person in your family.

<u>Family Prayer:</u> Help Me Be Still - This prayer can help us be more like Mary in today's Gospel.

I am so sorry, Lord, that in my hurrying and scurrying, I can often miss you at work before me, within me, in the majesty of creation and complexity of the created. I forget all you have done

and continue to do, You restore and vindicate, redeem and rescue, in an economy in a timeline

not our own. Help me be still, to become one with the Three, to move grounded in your power

in your mercy, in your love in fullness of your truth. Even in my weakness, In my confusion In my anger, In my frustration, In my sorrow and shortsightedness, Help me simply to be For still, you are God. -By Rakhi McCormick of Rakstar Designs

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REIGSTRATION FOR FAMILY FAITH FORMATION 2025-2026 WILL BEGIN ON AUGUST 1^{ST}

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

COR Please join the men of the parish at their next COR meeting on August 2nd in the San Lorenzo Ruiz Hall at 6:30 pm. All men 18 and over are invited to an evening of prayer, formation and fellowship, led by Fr. Andrew Berinyuy, SCH.P. We will discuss the challenges men face today as husbands, fathers, grandfathers, sons and siblings and how spirituality plays a role in these relationships.

Please bring a small dish as potluck. For further information call the parish office AT 650-583-4131 X 1.

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!





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 \$36,274.00 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



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.

Jubilee Year of Hope Parish Pilgrimage Update:

In our previous Eucharistic Pilgrimages, we were blessed to have generous donors who sponsored transportation and other costs. To help defray expenses and to reduce the fees for our Holy Doors Pilgrimage for our registered parishioners in celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows on September 13, we graciously welcome donations in cash or check. If



you would like to contribute in any way, please send a message to materdolorosassfpilgrimages@gmail.com for proper coordination.

Thank you for your generosity and may the Lord bless you a hundredfold

Registration for the trip will begin soon.



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

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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

3:00 PM

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) 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)



Please join the Mater Dolorosa Knights of Columbus for a free Pancake Breakfast following the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses. Pancakes, sausages, juice and coffee. On Sunday July 27th. All are Welcome!

