Celebration of Mass / Celebración de la Misa

Monday—Friday  7:30 am  
9:00 am  
Saturday  9:00 am  
5:00 pm (Vigil Mass for Sunday)  
Sunday (English)  8:00 am  
10:00 am  
Domingo (Español)  12:00 mediodía

Holy Days / Días de Precepto

English  7:30 am  
9:00 am  
Bilingual / Bilingue  7:00 pm

Sacraments / Sacramentos

Confession  Confesión  
4:00–5:00 pm Saturday / Sábado o por cita
Baptism  Bautismo
English - First Sunday of the month  Español - Segundo Domingo del mes  
Confirmation  Confirmación
Marriage  Matrimonio
Anointing of the Sick  Unción de los Enfermos
Call for an appointment  Llame para una cita

Pastoral Team / Equipo Pastoral

Pastor / Parroco  Rev. Francis Mark P. Garbo  
In Residence / En Residencia  Rev. Manuel Curso  
In Residence / En Residencia  Rev. Stephen A. Meriwether, J.C.L.  
Deacon / Diácono  Vicente Cervantes  
Deacon / Diácono  Mario Zuniga  
Director of Liturgy and Music  Jerome Lenk  
Director of Religious Education  Maria Rosales-Uribe  
Curator of the Old Mission  Andrew A. Galvan  
Director of Development  Gustavo A. Torres  
Parish Secretary  Denise Kahn-Decena  
Maintenance Custodian  Raju Kumar

Office hours: Monday–Friday, 8:30 am–12 noon, 1:00–5:00 pm

For those who are sick and wish to be visited by a priest, please call the Parish Office at (415) 621-8203.

Para aquellos que están enfermos y que desean recibir la visita de un sacerdote, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial al (415) 621-8203.
The contrast between the processional reading in today’s liturgy and the proclamation of the Passion is striking. We are given a glimpse of how profoundly the word of God is fulfilled in Jesus. First he must be hailed as the Messiah, the One who is to come. He must be acknowledged by all, though they do not know what they are saying. They think he is the promised king, a worldly king of the Jews who will free them from the Roman occupation. They do not yet understand, even the disciples, exactly where this triumphal procession is leading. In our lives, we too do not know where we are going. It is in faith that we can follow Christ wherever he may lead us, trusting that death is not the end, nor evil the victor.

REFLECTIONS
At the Liturgy of the Word on Palm Sunday, the events of Jesus’ passion are proclaimed in their entirety. In Lectionary Cycle B, we read the passion of Jesus as found in the Gospel of Mark. In Mark’s Gospel, Jesus’ passion and death are presented as the consequence of the tension between the Jewish authorities and Jesus that had been building throughout his public ministry. This tension reached its breaking point when Jesus drove the merchants and moneychangers from the Temple. When Jesus was arrested and brought before the Sanhedrin—the council of Jewish priests, scribes, and elders—he was charged with blasphemy, citing his threat to the Temple. When he was brought before Pilate, however, the religious authorities presented his crime as a political one, charging that Jesus claimed to be king of the Jews. In Mark’s Gospel, Jesus’ disciples are rarely models of faith and do little to invoke confidence in their capacity to continue his ministry after his death. At the Last Supper, the disciples insisted that none among them would betray Jesus. When Jesus predicted that their faith would be shaken in the events ahead, Peter and the other disciples protested vehemently. Yet in the garden of Gethsemane, Jesus returned three times to find them sleeping. Jesus prayed in agony over his impending fate while his disciples slumbered through the night. Just as Jesus predicted, Peter denied Jesus, and the disciples were absent during Jesus’ passion and death. Only the women who had been followers of Jesus in Galilee are said to have been present at the Crucifixion, but they remained at a distance. In Mark’s telling of the passion narrative, Jesus understood his death to have been preordained, and he accepted this death in obedience to God’s will.

REFLEXIONES
En la Liturgia de la Palabra del Domingo de Ramos, los eventos de la pasión de Jesús se proclaman en su totalidad. En el ciclo Leccionario B, leemos la pasión de Jesús tal como se encuentra en el Evangelio de Marcos. En el Evangelio de Marcos, la pasión y la muerte de Jesús se presentan como consecuencia de la tensión entre las autoridades judías y Jesús que se había estado construyendo a lo largo de su ministerio público. Esta tensión alcanzó su punto de ruptura cuando Jesús expulsó a los mercaderes y cambistas del Templo. Cuando Jesús fue arrestado y llevado ante el Sanedrín, el concilio de sacerdotes judíos, escribas y ancianos, fue acusado de blasfemia, citando su amenaza al Templo. Sin embargo, cuando fue llevado ante Pilato, las autoridades religiosas presentaron su crimen como un crimen político, acusando a Jesús de ser el rey de los judíos. En el Evangelio de Marcos, los discípulos de Jesús rara vez son modelos de fe y hacen poco para invocar la confianza en su capacidad para continuar su ministerio después de su muerte. En la Última Cena, los discípulos insistieron en que ninguno de ellos traicionaría a Jesús. Cuando Jesús predijo que su fe se conmocionaría en los acontecimientos que se avecinaban, Pedro y los demás discípulos protestaron con vehemencia. Sin embargo, en el jardín de Getsemaní, Jesús regresó tres veces para encontrarlos durmiendo. Jesús oró en angustia sobre su destino inminente mientras sus discípulos dormían toda la noche. Tal como Jesús predijo, Pedro negó a Jesús, y los discípulos estuvieron ausentes durante la pasión y la muerte de Jesús. Se dice que solo las mujeres que habían sido seguidores de Jesús en Galilea estuvieron presentes en la Crucifixión, pero se mantuvieron a distancia. En la narración de la narración de la pasión por parte de Marcos, Jesús entendió que su muerte había sido predestinada, y aceptó esta muerte en obediencia a la voluntad de Dios.
**PAÍS DE RAMOS**

**DOMINGO DE RAMOS,** MARZO 25

Horario del Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor el Sábado, 24 de Marzo a las 5:00pm - Misa Vigilia con distribución de las Palmas; Domingo, Marzo 25, 8:00am - Misa con distribución de las palmas; 10:00am y 12:00 de medio de día – Bendición de las Palmas en el Auditorio seguido por una procesión a la Basílica y Misa.

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**SEDER SUPPER**

Please join us again in one of our favorite Misión Dolores traditions: our Parish Seder Supper on Holy Thursday, March 29th. This year tickets will be $10.00 for the Seder Dinner. You can RSVP by sending an email to Maria at nicaroses31@gmail.com or call the parish office at 415.621.8203. We need your help! Thank you so much!

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**CENA DE PASCUA – JUEVES SANTO**

Por favor únase a nosotros en una de nuestras tradiciones favoritas de la Misión Dolores: nuestra cena de Pascua de la parroquia el Jueves Santo, 29 de Marzo. Este año, los boletos para la cena es $ 10.00. Puede confirmar su asistencia enviando un correo electrónico a Maria a nicaroses31@gmail.com o llamando a la oficina de la parroquia al 415.621.8203. Necesitamos su Ayuda! Gracias!

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**YOUNG ADULTS AND SOCIAL MEDIA MINISTERS:**

Young Adults! Are you discerning a Call to be a Sister or a Priest? The National Religious Conference is hosting a Young Adult “Encounter” Retreat on Saturday, April 14th from 2:00pm – 8:00pm at the Dominican Sisters Center in San Rafael. The day will consist of Prayer, Adoration, Reflection, Walks, Circle Conversation, Journaling, Vocation Stories by Priests and Sisters and a Vigil Mass. Questions? Please contact Sister Carla, car-laop@gmail.com or call 415.686.4183, Register online at: http://bit.ly/Encounter2018 for young adult men/women ages 18-35.

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**LA OFICINA ESTARÁ CERRADA**

La oficina de la parroquia estará cerrada el Lunes día después de Pascua, 2 de Abril en sus horas regulares de atención al público y reabrirá el Martes, 3 de Abril.

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**PARISH CALENDAR / CALENDARIO PARROQUIAL**

**Sunday / Domingo 3/25**

8:00am - 9:00am - Bas - Mass with distribution of Palms
10:00am - 11:00am - Bas– Blessing of Palms in the Auditorium followed by procession to Basilica and Mass
10:00am - 12:00pm - Aud - Hospitality
10:00am - 12:00pm - Milh - Legion de Maria
11:30am - 3:00pm - Aud/St. Francis - Sr. de los Milagros Hospitality
12:00pm - 1:00pm - Bas - Blessing of Palms in the Auditorium followed by procession to Basilica and Mass
3:00pm - 6:00pm - Aud/St. Francis - Sr. de los Milagros - General Reunion

**Monday / Lunes 3/26**

NO EVENT SCHEDULED TODAY

**Tuesday / Martes 3/27**

7:30pm - 9:00pm - Milh - Al-Anon
**Wednesday / Miércoles 3/28**

NO EVENT SCHEDULED TODAY

**Holy Thursday / Jueves 3/29**

6:30pm - Aud - Seder Supper (tickets required)
8:00pm - Bas - Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper (Bilingual)

**Good Friday/Viernes 3/30**

12:00pm - Bas - Stations of the Cross, (OBRA), Passion Play and Private Prayer
6:30pm - Good Friday of the Lord’s Passion (Bilingual) Followed by Santo Entierro Procession

**Holy Saturday / Sábado 3/31**

3:30pm - 5:00pm - Bas - Sacrament of Reconciliation
8:00pm - Bas –Easter Vigil Mass (Bilingual)

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

If you would like to have a mass offered for an intention or for a deceased loved one, relative, family or friend, please call the Parish Secretary at 415.621.8203 to find an available date. The recommended donation is $10.00. These names will be listed in the bulletin.

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**CENTENNIAL PIANO FUND**

We are continuing our fundraising efforts to acquire a new concert Steinway grand piano for the Basilica as part of the Centennial celebration. If you would like to contribute to the Fund, please go to the parish website, www.missiondolores.org and click on DONATE, or speak with our Music Director, Jerome Lenk, or any member of the Basilica Choir. We hope to have the piano by December for the Centennial Anniversary Concert for the opening of the Basilica Church.

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**OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED**

Our parish office will be closed on Easter Monday, April 2nd for regular business and reopen on Tuesday, April 3rd.
**FR. FRANCIS AND THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

*Fr. Francis* and the Finance Committee have released the Parish Financial Report for the year 2016 thru June 2017. They have already been mailed and are available in the entrances of the Churches. For the Annual Appeal, *PLEASE* let us do the following: 1) **GIVE**, 2) **PLEDGE**, 3) **GIVE $10.00 a month**, that will definitely help us reach our goal of **$38,588.00**. Collections are very down. Fr. Francis is asking to **please give generously**. We really appreciate all the help you can give the Parish. God Bless You All!

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**FR. FRANCIS Y EL COMITÉ DE FINANZAS**

Padre Francis y el Comité de Finanzas han publicado el Informe financiero de la parroquia para el año 2016 hasta Junio de 2017. Ya se han enviado por correo y están disponibles en las entradas de las Iglesias. Para la Apelación Anual, **POR FAVOR** permítanos hacer lo siguiente: 1) **DAR**, 2) **COMPROMISO**, 3) **DAR $10.00 por meses**, que definitivamente nos ayudará a alcanzar nuestra meta de **$38,588.00**. Las colecciones están muy bajo, el Padre Francis está pidiendo **por favor dar generosamente**. Realmente apreciamos toda la ayuda que puede brindarle a la Parroquia. ¡Dios los bendiga a todos!

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**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTERS**

The Marriage Encounter Weekend is for married couples waiting to deepen their communication and their faith. Three Catholic couples and a priest give talks designed to help couples communicate more effectively. Prepare for Easter in a special way this year, **The next Marriage Encounter Weekend will be in May 18 (Friday) thru May 20 (Sunday)**. For more information, visit their website at sanjosewwme.org or contact *Ken and Claranne* at 408.782.1413 applications@sanjosewwme.org

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**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We need volunteers for the *Seder dinner* to make this a truly successful event. We need people who can set up, serve the meals, and clean up after. Please email *María* at nicaroses31@gmail.com or call the parish at 415.621.8203. **We need all the help we can get - Thank you very much!**

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**EASTER FLOWERS**

We would like to request donations for Easter flowers to decorate the Basilica and Old Mission altars for Easter. Thanking you in advance for your generosity. For more information, please call 415.621.8203.

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**EASTER EGG HUNT**

We would like to invite all the children to our annual *Easter egg hunt* after the 10:00am and 12noon Masses. We are requesting donations for this special event. You can send the money donation to the Parish rectory before *March 26th*.

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**ARCHBISHOP CORDILEONE AT CATHEDRAL LITURGIES**

*Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone* will preside at several Lenten and Easter liturgies at the *Cathedral of Saint Mary of the Assumption 1111 Gough Street, San Francisco* on the following dates: 1) **Sunday, March 25, 11:00am - Palm Sunday**; 2) **Holy Thursday, March 29, 7:30pm – Mass for the Lord’s Supper**; 3) **Good Friday, March 30, 1:00pm -3:00pm – Liturgy of the Passion and Death of the Lord**; 4) **Holy Saturday, March 31, 9:00pm: Easter Vigil Mass of the Lord’s Resurrection**; 5) **Easter Sunday, April 1, 11:00am: Easter Sunday Mass**. For more information, please call 415.567.2020 or stmarycathedral.org

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**RETOUVALLE**

Retroville (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about or to register for our April program beginning with a weekend on *Friday, April 13 thru Sunday, April 15*, please call 415.893.1005 or email: SF@RetroCA.com or visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

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**SECOND SUNDAY ORGAN RECITAL**

The April Second Sunday Organ Recital will be presented by *Angela Kraft Cross* on *April 8th, 4:00pm* in the Basilica. Dr. Kraft-Cross is Artist-in-Residence at the First Congregational Church in Palo Alto. The concert is **free** and donations are accepted in support of the Basilica Parish Music Ministries.

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**READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY**

*LETRAS DEL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO*

4/01/18

Acts / Hechos 10:34a, 37-43

Colossians / Colosenses 3:1-4

Gospel / Evangelio

John / Juan 20:1-9

Mark/Marcus 16:1-7

Due to our Palm Sunday Schedule, March 25th, J.S. Paluch, the bulletin had to be submitted on Friday, March 16th. An update for the donations received will be available in next week’s bulletin. Thank You!

Next Week’s Second Collection/
Segunda Colecta de la Próxima Semana
April 1, 2018
(Music Ministry)

ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL 2018
THANK YOU to all that have made a contribution to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal 2017/(AAA), $36,608. Our new goal for the year 2018 is $38,588. The Annual Appeal provides the unique opportunity for all parishes and parishioners throughout the Archdiocese to unite in a common mission. This year’s theme, “By one Spirit, we are all baptized into one body,” vividly reinforces that mission. Gifts to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal change lives. The Appeal assists retired and active clergy, our schools, social justice, seminars, young adults, the Cathedral, and many Archdiocesan department that serve our pastors, parishes, and parishioners.

AAA 2018 Goal: $38,588

Total Donation to date: $9,397.90

Amount still needed: $27,075.10

PLEASE HELP US RAISE THIS AMOUNT!!!

APELACION ANUAL 2018
¡Ahora es el momento para tratar de completar nuestra meta! Por favor envíe su donación a la parroquia. Sobres para la apelación se proporcionan en los estantes en la entrada de la Basílica. Recuerde que usted ha hecho su donación todo en una vez, o mensualmente. Gracias por tu generosidad!

1) Visit the church website at www.missiondolores.org.
2) Click on the Donate button,
3) Click on the Create Profile button, then
4) Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions.

WILL OR BEQUEST GIFTS
Please Remember Our Parish Family
Thank you! Your generosity has been a blessing to Mission Dolores Basilica Church throughout this past year. Your continued support allows us to help our church family spread God’s Word throughout the world and maintain our church’s facilities. As you begin your end tax planning, take advantage of the charitable tax deduction for gifts made before December 31 and consider the variety of gift options available to you. Your gift to our parish can make a great difference to us and help you as well. ONLINE GIVING is a convenient way to make your gift to Mission Dolores Basilica and parish. “As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.” 1 Peter 4:10-11. The online giving way: · A specific dollar amount. · A percentage of your estate. · A particular asset such as real estate or other valuables. You may also name the parish as a beneficiary of a retirement plan or life insurance policy. For more information or if you should have any questions on how to title the Parish in your Will or Trust please contact the Parish Office: Fr Francis Garbo, or Gustavo Torres at 415.621.8203 or parish@missiondolores.org.

MISSION STATEMENT
We of Mission Dolores Basilica Parish, as part of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of San Francisco, pledge ourselves to be a light shining in the darkness through the love that we share in the name of Christ, and through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit. We pledge to celebrate the rich ethnic and cultural diversity of our parish community, to grow spiritually by giving loving service to those in need, to build community through liturgy, hospitality and ecumenism, as well as through social and cultural events, and to promote social justice in our neighborhood and city. We encourage the members of Mission Dolores to enrich themselves by participating in the liturgies, devotions and other activities of the parish, by sharing their faith with others, and by living their daily lives according to the teachings of Jesus Christ.

DECLARACIÓN DE PRINCIPIOS
Nosotros, miembros de la Parroquia de Misión Dolores, como parte de la Iglesia Católica en la Arquidiócesis de San Francisco, nos comprometemos a ser luz de esperanza que ilumine en la oscuridad, a través del amor que compartimos en el nombre de Cristo, y a través del poder y la guía del Espíritu Santo. Nos comprometemos a celebrar la rica diversidad étnica y cultural de nuestra comunidad parroquial, a crecer espiritualmente dando servicios de caridad a todos aquellos en necesidades, a crear comunidad a través de la liturgia, hospitalidad y ecumenismo, al igual que mediante de eventos sociales y culturales, y a promover la justicia social en nuestro vecindario y nuestra ciudad. Alentamos a los miembros de Misión Dolores a enriquecerse participando en las liturgias, devociones y otras actividades de la parroquia, compartiendo su fe con otros, y viviendo de acuerdo a las enseñanzas de Jesucristo.

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THE OLD MISSION & GIFT SHOP
Mission San Francisco de Asís founded June 29, 1776, under the direction of Saint Father Junípero Serra is the oldest original intact Mission in California and is the oldest building in San Francisco.

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Open daily 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (winter) & 4:30 p.m. (summer)
Guided tours available for schools and groups by appointment: (415) 621-8203 ext. 15 or email: chochenyoy@aol.com.

Welcome / Bienvenido
Please complete the form below and drop it in the collection box or mail it, if you:
- are a new parishioner
- have a new address
- have a new phone

Por favor de llenar esta formulario y ponerlo en la colecta o mandarlo por correo, si usted:
- es un nuevo feligres
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