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

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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 spirit of wisdom, as we discover in today's first reading, comes to those who pray for her. Wisdom, like the word of God, carries a message of consolation as well as of great challenge. The Letter to the Hebrews tells us that the word of God, infused with the wisdom of God, is "sharper than any two-edged sword." We cannot shrink from the wisdom of God, or from the word that has the power to penetrate our hearts and minds. Jesus, the living word of God, the embodiment of wisdom, has strong, deeply penetrating words for the rich young man who comes to him seeking answers to his most profound questions. Just when the young man thought he had done enough to fulfill God's commands, more was asked of him. This is no less true for us.

REFLECTIONS

Today we continue reading the Gospel of Mark from where we left off last Sunday. Last Sunday our Gospel told how Jesus was tested by the Pharisees about the requirements for divorce. Recall that these chapters come from the second part of Mark’s Gospel, which chronicles the beginning of Jesus’ journey to Jerusalem. In today’s Gospel, an unnamed man approaches Jesus and inquires about what he must do to inherit eternal life. Jesus replies that one must follow the commandments of the Law of Moses. The man acknowledges that he has observed all of these since his childhood. Jesus then says that only one thing is lacking: he must give his possessions to the poor and follow Jesus. The man leaves in sadness, and Mark tells us that this is because he had many possessions. The belief in resurrection and eternal life was a relatively recent development in Jewish thought at Jesus’ time, and it wasn’t shared by everyone. The Pharisees taught that there would be a resurrection from the dead; the Sadducees did not share this belief. Jesus taught that there would be a final judgment for everyone and eternal life (the Kingdom of God) for believers. Jesus makes two requirements of the wealthy man who approaches him. First, he must give up his possessions. Throughout history, some Christians have taken this literally. Their example witnesses to us a radical commitment to the Gospel of Jesus. Still others have sought to explain the meaning intended by the word possessions as those things that prevent one from following Jesus. Christians have generally understood that at the least, following Jesus requires that believers hold material possessions loosely and remain vigilant against seeking security in accumulating possessions. The second requirement Jesus makes of this man is the invitation that Jesus extends to all would-be disciples: “follow me.” Jesus very much wants this man to be his disciple. We believe that the Christian faith is one in which each believer is in a personal relationship with Jesus. Just as this Gospel tells us that Jesus loves the man and is sad when he departs, so too, Jesus loves us and is saddened when we are unable to follow him.

Hoy aprendemos en la primera lectura que el espíritu de la sabiduría llega a los que lo invocan. La sabiduría, como la Palabra de Dios, lleva un mensaje de consuelo y a la vez constituye un gran desafío. La carta a los hebreos nos cuenta que la Palabra de Dios, que esta empapada con la sabiduría de Dios, es "más penetrante que una espada de dos filos". No podemos acobardarnos ante la sabiduría de Dios ni ante la palabra que tiene el poder de penetrar nuestro corazón y mente. Jesús, la Palabra viva de Dios, la encarnación de la sabiduría, le dice casas fuertes y muy penetrantes al joven rico que acude a Jesús en busca de respuestas a sus dudas más profundas. Precisamente, cuando el joven pensaba que había hecho lo suficiente para cumplir los mandamientos de Dios, se le exigió más. Lo mismo sucede en nuestro caso.

REFLEXIONES

Hoy seguimos leyendo el Evangelio de Marcos desde donde lo dejamos el domingo pasado. El domingo pasado, nuestro Evangelio contó cómo los fariseos probaron a Jesús sobre los requisitos para el divorcio. Recuerde que estos capítulos provienen de la segunda parte del Evangelio de Marcos, que narra el comienzo del viaje de Jesús a Jerusalén. En el Evangelio de hoy, un hombre sin nombre se acerca a Jesús y le pregunta qué debe hacer para heredar la vida eterna. Jesús responde que uno debe seguir los mandamientos de la ley de Moisés. El hombre reconoce que ha observado todo esto desde su infancia. Entonces Jesús dice que solo falta una cosa: debe dar sus posesiones a los pobres y seguir a Jesús. El hombre se va con tristeza, y Mark nos dice que esto se debe a que tenía muchas posesiones. La creencia en la resurrección y la vida eterna fue un desarrollo relativamente reciente en el pensamiento judío en la época de Jesús, y no fue compartida por todos. Los fariseos enseñaron que habría una resurrección de entre los muertos; Los saduceos no compartían esta creencia. Jesús enseñó que habría un juicio final para todos y una vida eterna (el Reino de Dios) para los creyentes. Jesús hace dos requisitos para el hombre rico que se le acerca. Primero, debe renunciar a sus posesiones. A lo largo de la historia, algunos cristianos han tomado esto literalmente. Su ejemplo nos muestra un compromiso radical con el Evangelio de Jesús. Aún otros han tratado de explicar el significado que la palabra posesiones quiere decir como aquellas cosas que impiden que uno siga a Jesús. Los cristianos en general han comprendido que, al menos, seguir a Jesús requiere que los creyentes tengan posesiones materiales de manera flexible y permanezcan vigilantes contra la búsqueda de seguridad al acumular posesiones. El segundo requisito que Jesús le hace a este hombre es la invitación que Jesús extiende a todos los aspirantes a discípulos: "Sigúeme". Jesús quiere que este hombre sea su discípulo. Creemos que la fe cristiana es una en la que cada creyente está en una relación personal con Jesús. Así como este Evangelio nos dice que Jesús ama al hombre y está triste cuando se marcha, así también, Jesús nos ama y se entristece cuando no podemos seguirlo.
JOB OPENING AT 
MISSION DOLORES BASILICA

Full Time Administrative Assistant
Mission Dolores Parish Office
Mission Dolores Basilica in San Francisco is looking for an enthusiastic, detail-oriented person with office secretarial and administration skills. Mission Dolores is a dynamic and diverse parish located in San Francisco.
Job duties to include: Secretarial, Administration and Management of facilities. Excellent communication skills, general computer knowledge and the ability to multi-task a must. Must be Bilingual (English and Spanish). Familiarity with the Catholic Church highly desirable.
**comprehensive benefits package offered. Please send your resume to: Fr. Francis Garbo at: fgarbo@missiondolores.org

MISSION DOLORES BASILICA – 
THE SECOND SUNDAY 
ORGAN RECITAL SERIES

Mission Dolores Basilica presents Dominic Pang, Organist who will be performing today, October 14th at 4:00pm in the Basilica. Dominic is 14 years of age, a pianist and organist began his study of piano at age five (5) and currently studies with Dr. William Wellborn in San Francisco. He also studies organ and composition with Dr. Angela Kraft Cross. He will be performing works of Bach, Liszt, Vierne, and others. The concert is Free/Donations accepted in support of the Basilica.

FIESTA 2018 - THANK YOU!

We wish to thank everyone for attending and supporting our parish FIESTA. Thank you also for those who came and enjoyed the great food, drink, purchased raffle tickets and played some games. We wish to thank all our sponsors, volunteers and the Fiesta Committee in making this event happen. We also would like to thank the Concepcion, San Martin de Porres, Señor de los Milagros, CCD, RCIA groups and the school parents for running the booths. Thank you also for our Live Salsa Band. We look forward to next year! We wish to especially thank, Gustavo Torres, Grace Andrade, Ellen Ganselman, Mary Ann Datoc, Evelyn Bautista, Jackie Gilg, Lara de Guzman, Brenda Maravilla, Elisa & Mark McCannon, Melissa Suncin, Sarah Potter, Carolina Zuniga, Gloria Tan, Sandy, Mike and Sophia Coleman, Ana Valle, Cynthia Valle, Gembly Garcia, Eduardo Quitano, Mr. & Mrs. Gustavo Torres and Father Francis Garbo for their efforts in making this a truly successful event.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - OCTOBER 21, 2018

Once a year the Church reminds us of our Lord’s command to “Go and proclaim the Gospel to all people.” We are all called to share the Gospel of the Lord through the way we live. On Sunday, October 21st, we are given the opportunity to help fulfill this obligation through our prayers and our contributions. The second collection today supports the missionary activities of the Church through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. This is the Vatican Congregation which oversees Catholic missions world-wide.

PARISH CALENDAR / CALENDARIO PARROQUIAL

Sunday / Domingo 10/14
10:00am - 12:00pm - Aud - Hospitality
10:00am - 12:00pm - Milh - Legión de María
1:00pm - 3:00pm - Aud - Hospitality - Guadalupeñas
1:30pm - 2:00pm - OM - Baptism - Vicente
2:00pm - 4:00pm - St. Francis Rm - Inmaculada Concepción Reunion
4:00pm - 6:00pm - Bas - 2nd Sunday Organ Recital with Dominic Pang

Monday / Lunes 10/15
NO EVENT SCHEDULED TODAY

THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

The rosary was given to St. Dominic founder of the order of Preachers. St. Dominic used the rosary to teach uneducated people who could not read, in a manner similar to bible stories portrayed in stain glass windows. In the 15th century when the Turkish navy attached Italy at Lepanto and towns people gathered at the shore and prayed the rosary for their deliverance and the Turkish navy was defeated that is when the feast of the Holy Rosary was added to our calendar. Please pray the Rosary for your needs, parish needs, and the needs of the Holy Father.

THE DAILY MASS

Please join us in praying the Rosary from Monday through Friday at 7:10am before the 7:30am Mass in the Old Mission.

ROSARIO ANTES DE LA MISA DIARIA

Únsase a nosotros para rezar el Rosario de Lunes a Viernes a las 7:10am antes de la Misa de las 7:30am en la Misión Antigua.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sun - 10/14 - Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon - 10/15 - St. Teresa of Jesus
Tue - 10/16 - St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque; National Boss Day
Wed - 10/17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch
Thu - 10/18 - St. Luke
Fri - 10/19 - Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac, Jogues, and Companions
Sat - 10/20 - St. Paul of the Cross; Blessed Virgin Mary
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We are continuing to raise funds toward the purchase a new Steinway Grand Piano which will enhance our liturgical celebrations, as well as supporting our concert series, as part of the Centennial celebration of the Basilica Church. A reminder that the total for the piano will be $60,000. At present we have about $26,000, so $34,000 is needed to complete the project. If you are interested in making a donation towards the Fund, please pick up a Piano Fund envelope from the tables in the Church, stop by the Parish Office or go online www.missiondolores.org and click on the DONATE button. Any questions can be directed to Jerome Lenk, Music Director at 415.621.8203, or email music@missiondolores.org. Thank you for your generous support!

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CONGRATULATIONS
FIESTA WINNERS
Grand Prize Winners - $500 – Gus and Norma Torres and Sandra Cea; First Prize Winners - $300 – Myanmar Catholic Community and Valerie Lopez; Second Prize Winners - $200 – Fausto Acbardo and Mirella Meza.

Congratulations to the newlyweds Kathryn Irish Garcia and Mark Joseph Reyes who were married in the Basilica last Saturday, October 6th by Fr. Francis.

LA HERMANDAD DEL SEÑOR DE LOS MILAGROS
DE SAN FRANCISCO
La Hermandad del Señor de los Milagros de San Francisco le invita a la comunidad peruana y al público en general a la Misa y Procesión en honor a Nuestro Señor de los Milagros el Domingo, 21 de Octubre 2018 en la Basílica a la 1:30pm. Después tendrán bailes folclóricos y almuerzo bailable en Auditorio.

REEDINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY
LECTURAS DEL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO
10/21/18
Isaiah / Isaías 53:10-11
Hebrews / Hebreos 4:14-16
Gospel / Evangelio
Mark / Marcos 10:35-45 ó 10:42-45
E-Contributions for 10/01/18 – 10/05/18: $ 692.30

Next Week’s Second Collection/
Segunda Colecta de la Próxima Semana
October 21, 2018
(World Mission Sunday)

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 iluminé 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.

WILL OR BEQUEST GIFTS
Please Remember Our Parish Family
Thank you! Your generosity has been a blessing to Mission Dolores Basilica Parish throughout this past year. Your continued support allows us to help our church family share God’s Word throughout the world and maintain our church’s facilities. As you begin year 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.

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
- tiene un nuevo domicilio
- tiene un nuevo teléfono

Name/Nombre: __________________________
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City/Ciudad: ____________________________
Telephone/Teléfono: _____________________