



Mater Dei Community

St. Lawrence Chapel
110 State Street
Harrisburg, Pa 17101

~ Home of Harrisburg's Traditional Latin Mass~
Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter



+ CLERGY +

Chaplain: Fr. Gregory Eichman, *FSSP* Asst. Chaplain: Fr. Michael Flick, *FSSP*

February 28, 2016 + Third Sunday of Lent

Liturgical Calendar & Daily Mass intentions this week:

Sunday	February 28, 2016 -8:00 am -10:00 am Sung Mass	Third Sunday of Lent	I Class Pro Populo / For the People +Arthur
Monday	February 29, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Lent	III Class +Holy Souls in Purgatory rb Michael Gorre
Tuesday	March 1, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Lent	III Class Confraternity of St. Peter rb Thomas W. Izat
Wednesday	March 2, 2016 <u>-7:30 pm</u>	Feria of Lent	III Class +Gloria J. Cunningham rb Joseph R. Cunningham
Thursday	March 3, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Lent	III Class +Rebecca Sigmon rb Michelle Blake
Friday	March 4, 2016 -7:10 am -5:30 pm	Sacred Heart of Jesus	III Class +Isabelle Walton rb Joseph R. Cunningham +Joan Wargo rb John Costello
Saturday	March 5, 2016 -9:00 am	Immaculate Heart of Mary	III Class Our Lady's Triumph rb Kevin Ritchie
Sunday	March 6, 2016 -8:00 am -10:00 am Sung Mass	Fourth Sunday of Lent Laetare Sunday	I Class Paul & Sue Doller rb Chuck & Chris Stoner Pro Populo / For the People

Sacraments

Confessions: 25 minutes prior to each Mass

Marriages: Arrange at least 6 months in advance

Baptisms: Arrange 1 month in advance

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WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

COFFEE AND DONUTS

All are invited to the Social Hall today after the 10:00AM Mass for coffee and donuts. Access through door via the side alley.

MEN'S LENTEN SILENT RETREAT

We will offer a silent retreat for men on Saturday, March 5. The retreat will begin at 8:00am with Adoration / Mass and will include conferences given by Fr. Eichman, Confession, Stations of the Cross and periods of time for silent prayer. This will be a silent retreat, so leave your phones at home. Arrangements are being made for breakfast and lunch. In order to register, contact the church office by email at contact@MaterDeiPA.com. Registration fee of \$15 per person. The retreat is open to people 18 or older. Any persons under 18 who would like to attend should contact Fr. Eichman.

ANNUAL LENTEN APPEAL

The Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal is underway. The pledge cards are in the back of the Church on the piano. There are blank cards available for those who do not have a printed card. Please fill out the pledge card and place it in the Collection basket or mail it to the Office. Our Diocesan Assessment this year is \$10,000. The community must cover this amount. Anything in excess remains with Mater Dei.

PARISH REGISTRATION FORMS

If you are not a registered member of Mater Dei and would like to become one, registration forms are located in the church entrance, or on our website. Being registered makes one a more full recipient of the graces of the Masses (such as the "Pro Populo" Mass which is offered for the community members each Sunday) and prayers offered by the priests every day. Also remember that the chaplain and assistant chaplain have the grace of state to guide in particular those who are their parishioners.

LAWS OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE

At the back of the church are the traditional and current laws of fast and abstinence. Please take one. Note that under the current laws of the Church, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of Fast and Abstinence. Additionally, every Friday in Lent is a day of Abstinence.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be said in the church every Friday during Lent.

- 5:30pm - Mass
- 6:15pm - Stations of the Cross
- 6:45pm - Simple Adoration

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

Please remember that an envelope for Easter Flowers is included with your weekly offering envelopes to help defray the cost of the Easter flowers. Thanks for your generosity.

HAND MISSALS FOR SALE

Beginning next week the 1962 Daily Hand Missal will be available for purchase in the church office for \$60. We will offer the Missal published in 2008 by Baronius Press in association with the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter.

ST. TARCISIUS MEETING

Our next St. Tarcisius Meeting is Saturday, March 5th at 5:00pm. The group is for children ages 5 – 12 and meets monthly in order to teach the children to meditate. Each meeting includes a short, priest led meditation, the rosary, and a pot-luck dinner. Meetings are the 1st Saturday of the month from 5-7pm. For information concerning our March meeting please contact us at SaintTarcisiusGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

SACRAMENTALS FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS

There are certain Sacramentals in the Roman Ritual through which we request God's blessing that an expecting mother can have a safe delivery and also the grace of having her child baptized. The priests would be happy to provide the following to any expecting lady at her request. Please do not hesitate to ask.

- **Blessing of Expectant Mother**
Can be given at any time during pregnancy.
- **Candle in Honor of St. Raymond Nonnatus**
To be taken home and burned, and especially when the time of delivery approaches.
- **St. Torellus Water**
Special Holy Water which can be sprinkled, used to bless oneself, drunk, or used in small amounts in cooking.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2016

Palm Sunday

- 8:00am Low Mass—No palms distributed
- 10:00am Blessing of palms & procession, Solemn High Mass (*No Confessions during 10am Mass*)

Holy Thursday

- 7:00pm Solemn Mass (*No Confessions*)
- Adoration until Midnight (*Confessions during adoration*)

Good Friday

- 3:00pm Solemn Liturgy (*No Confessions*)
- 7:00pm Stations of the Cross (*Confessions during Stations*)

Holy Saturday

- 10:00pm Solemn Liturgy (*No Confessions*)

Easter Sunday (Regular Sunday Schedule)

- 8:00am Low Mass
- 10:00am Sung Mass

There will be the traditional Holy Thursday devotion of having adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass until Midnight. This is the day Our Lord suffered in the Garden after the Last Supper when He asked His disciples to watch and pray with Him. At midnight the Blessed Sacrament is removed from the church to represent Our Lord's arrest and imprisonment.

SUNDAY COLLECTION – FEBRUARY 21

Offertory	\$3,870.00
Weekly Operating Budget	\$3,842.00
Difference	\$28.00

Annual Lenten Appeal **\$1,520** **Current Total**

Total Attendance 254