



Mater Dei Community

St. Lawrence Chapel
110 State Street
Harrisburg, Pa 17101

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



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

March 13, 2016 + Passion Sunday

Liturgical Calendar & Daily Mass intentions this week:

Sunday	March 13, 2016 -8:00 am -10:00 am Sung Mass	Passion Sunday	I Class Pro Populo / For the People Erelio Gonzales rb Judith Boutin
Monday	March 14, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Passion Week	III Class +Frank Schroll rb the Eschbach family
Tuesday	March 15, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Passion Week	III Class Elsie Cashmer rb Suzanne Pitman
Wednesday	March 16, 2016 <u>-7:30 pm</u>	Feria of Passion Week	III Class Mr. Russell rb Annalaura Russell
Thursday	March 17, 2016 -7:10 am	Feria of Passion Week	III Class +Rita Janczewski rb Zofia Toton
Friday	March 18, 2016 -7:10 am -5:30 pm	Feria of Passion Week	III Class +Deceased members of the Behe & Ronan families rb Mr. & Mrs. Joseph V. Behe, Sr. Grace Catherine Prensner rb Jonathan Kadar-Kallen
Saturday	March 19, 2016 -9:00 am	St. Joseph	I Class Joe Stankovic rb John Costello
Sunday	March 20, 2016 -8:00 am -10:00 am Sung Mass	Palm Sunday	I Class Pro Populo / For the People +Joy Escaro rb Kevin Ritchie

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 after the 10:00AM Mass today for coffee and donuts. Access through door via the side alley.

WARM WEATHER REMINDER

As the warmer weather returns transients will increase. Remember that if any needy person approaches you at St. Lawrence requesting money or another type of material aid, do not give them any. Instead, direct them to the Cathedral one block up the street towards the Capitol building. The Cathedral is equipped to assist the needy. We are not! Although it may seem the charitable thing to do, please realize that by giving aid to these individuals you are encouraging them to return and hence doing a disservice to your fellow parishioners and in particular the families who should be able to bring their young children here without hesitation. Thank you.

YOUTH GROUP BON-FIRE

The Youth Group will have a Bon-Fire on Saturday, March 19, from 6PM - 9PM. The Youth Group is open to young people ages 13 - 18. For more information contact us at youthgroup@materdeipa.com

ANNUAL LENTEN APPEAL

The Bishop's Annual Lenten Appeal is underway. If you have not yet done so, please fill out a pledge card and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the office. Our diocesan assessment this year is \$10,000. So far we have \$4,955. Anything excess funds will remain with Mater Dei.

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.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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

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

HAND MISSALS FOR SALE

1962 Daily Hand Missal are 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.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Young Adults (ages 19—35) save the date: Saturday April 9, 6pm-9pm. Look next week for more information.

SUNDAY COLLECTION – MARCH 13

Offertory	\$4,629.00
Weekly Operating Budget	\$3,842.00
Difference	\$787.00

Lenten Appeal Current Total **\$4,955**
Goal **\$10,000**

Total Attendance 256

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.

Of seeking peace of mind and of spiritual progress

We may enjoy abundance of peace if we refrain from busying ourselves with the sayings and doings of others, and things which concern not ourselves. How can he abide long time in peace who occupieth himself with other men's matters, and with things without himself, and meanwhile payeth little or rare heed to the self within? Blessed are the single-hearted, for they shall have abundance of peace.

How came it to pass that many of the Saints were so perfect, so contemplative of Divine things? Because they steadfastly sought to mortify themselves from all worldly desires, and so were enabled to cling with their whole heart to God, and be free and at leisure for the thought of Him. We are too much occupied with our own affections, and too anxious about transitory things. Seldom, too, do we entirely conquer even a single fault, nor are we zealous for daily growth in grace. And so we remain lukewarm and unspiritual.

Imitation of Christ ~ Book 1, Chpt 11