

Mater Dei Community

Staffed by the
Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

St. Lawrence Chapel
110 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101
~Home of Harrisburg's Traditional Latin Mass~

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Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses

8:00 a.m. - Low Mass
10:00 a.m. - High Mass

Monday	7:10 a.m.
Tuesday	7:10 a.m.
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
Thursday	7:10 a.m.
Friday	7:10 a.m. 6:30 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m.

Exposition & Benediction

Holy Hours

Friday 5:30 - 6:25 p.m. (*Simple Adoration*)
Saturday 8:00 - 8:50 a.m. (*Solemn w/ Benediction*)

Solemn Exposition w/ Benediction

1st Sunday of the month following 10:00 a.m. Mass
2nd & 4th Sunday of the month following 5:30pm Vespers

Confessions

Before each Mass

Vespers

2nd & 4th Sunday at 5:30pm
(Followed by Exposition / Benediction until 6:30pm)

Groups

St. Tarcisius (ages 5 - 12)

Meets 1st Saturday of Month

Contact Jill Lear

SaintTarcisiusGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

Youth Group (ages 13 - 18)

Meets 3rd Saturday of Month

Contact Dawn Forbeck

YouthGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

Young Adults (ages 18 - 35)

Meets Monthly

Contact Fr. Franco

Fr.Franco@MaterDeiPA.com

Choir & Choristers

Practice Weekly

Contact Patrick Torsell

Music@MaterDeiPA.com

Holy Name Society

Meets Monthly

Contact President Joe Yula

Yulajj@comcast.net

Knights of the Altar

Altar Servers

Contact Jack Rozman

Jrozman@pa.gov

Church Cleaning

Rotating Weekly Church Cleaners

Contact Elaine Rainey

Seabhj3@gmail.com

Meal Train

Make/Request Meal for New Mothers

Contact Alyssa Showers

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Mass Intentions

Sun, April 8 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M.	Low Sunday (Divine Mercy Sunday) , I Class Conversion of Karen, Justin & mother's sisters by Matt Michonski Pro Populo / For the People	Thurs, April 12 7:10 A.M.	Feria of Paschaltide , IV Class Confraternity of St. Peter by Linda Boyd
Mon, April 9 7:10 A.M. 7:00 P.M.	Annunciation of the Bl. Virgin Mary (transferred) , I Class Theresa Woods by Woods family Mrs. Yolanda Taccino by Mrs. Barbara Izat	Fri, April 13 7:10 A.M. 6:30 P.M.	St. Hermenegild , III Class FSSP Priests & Seminarians by Martha Pavlick Oliver Collins by Con Creal
Tues, April 10 7:10 A.M.	Feria of Paschaltide , IV Class Confraternity of St. Peter by Mrs. Barbara Izat	Sat, April 14 9:00 A.M.	St. Justin , III Class John & Mary Osuch by John & Cheryl Osuch
Wed, April 11 7:00 P.M.	St. Leo the Great , III Class +Pedro Sanchez by Woods family	Sun, April 15 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M.	2nd Sunday after Easter , I Class +Joshua Armolt by Tony & Mary Ann Vigilante Pro Populo / For the People

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coffee & Donuts

We will have coffee and donuts in the downstairs Social Hall after the 10am Masses today. Please join us!

Seminary Burse

We will have a second collection this morning for the Seminary Burse. This burse supports the FSSP seminary of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Denton, NE.

Vespers Tonight

Vespers and Exposition with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be tonight from 5:30pm–6:30pm. Sheets will be provided for all to follow along. We have Vespers every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.

Annunciation - Sung Mass

Schedule for Monday, April 9th, the transferred Feast of the annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

- 7:10am - Low Mass
- 7:00pm - Sung Mass

New Parking Procedure

Do not park in the spaces directly beside or behind the gray building on the corner of Front St. and State St. (407 Front Street). This is because the hours of operation for the new lessee's includes evenings and weekends. The other parking spaces formerly used do remain available as before. Contact the office with any questions.

Changed Parking Meter Evening Hours

Parking on State Street and the roads south of it is now free beginning at 5pm on weeknights. It was formerly free after 7pm. The city is trying this on a trial basis.

Catechism Classes Resume Today

Our Sunday Catechism classes resume this morning, April 8th, at the usual time.

Youth Group - April Meeting

Join us on April 21 from 6pm - 9pm for outdoor games and a bonfire. Fr Eichman will give a talk and we will close with a Rosary. The Youth Group is open to young people ages 13-18. For more information and to RSVP contact us at YouthGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

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 one of the priests, who know the regulars in the neighborhood.

Charitable Bequests

Many of the Church's most helpful gifts come from the estates of generous donors. As we at Mater Dei look ahead to our future challenges we ask you to please remember Mater Dei in your will or living trust. Contact Fr Eichman with any questions.

Bishop Gainer Visit

100th Anniversary of St Lawrence

On Tuesday, April 24, at 7pm Bishop Gainer will offer a Pontifical High Mass celebrating the 100th anniversary of the dedication of St. Lawrence Church in April of 1918. A reception will follow.

Easter Duty

Every Catholic has the obligation to receive Communion at least once per year during Eastertide which continues through Trinity Sunday. In addition, every Catholic is required to go to Confession at least once per year.

High School Graduation Mass

We will have a High School graduation Mass for our parishioners on the evening of Friday, June 15. The regular 6:30pm Mass will be offered for the intentions of the graduates, and a reception for the families and their guests will be held in the social hall following Mass. Contact Dawn Forbeck at (214) 205 - 2248 or Forbecks@comcast.net for more information.

St. Tarcisius Meeting

Our next St. Tarcisius Meeting is Saturday, April 7th at 5:00pm. The group is for children ages 5 – 12 and meets monthly in order to train the children to meditate. Each meeting includes a short, priest led meditation, the rosary, and a potluck dinner. Meetings are the 1st Saturday of the month from 5-7pm. We will gather in a different host family's home each month. For information concerning our February meeting please contact us at SaintTarcisiusGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

Fr. Buckley Pilgrimage

Fr. Franco is organizing a group of boys and men to join the seminarians of OLG Seminary on a pilgrimage to Washington D.C. in early June. Pilgrims will walk 50 miles along the C & O Canal as penance for their sins and the sins of the nation. For details contact Fr. Franco at Fr.Franco@materdeipa.com and visit fssdpilgrimage.com.

Meal Train

Calling all those who want to grow in love of neighbor! We are starting a meal train for those in our parish who need meals - new mommas, those in an emergency, etc. If you are interested in helping cook occasionally or know someone who needs help, please e-mail Alyssa Showers at pianoteacher87@gmail.com

Save the Dates:

- Tuesday, April 24, 7pm: *100th Anniversary Mass w/ Bishop Gainer*
- Sunday, May 6: *May Crowning between Masses*
- Sunday, May 13: *1st Communions at 10am Mass*
- Friday, June 15, 2018: *High School Graduation Mass, 6:30pm*
- July 30—August 3: *Children's Chant Camp*

