

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

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| 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 Bill Mansell
billmansell22@gmail.com

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
Pianoteacher87@gmail.com

Mass Intentions

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| Sun, Oct 14 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M. | 21st Sunday after Pentecost , II Class +Elizabeth 'Betty' Rizzuto by Gabig family Pro Populo / For the People | Thurs, Oct 18 7:10 A.M. | St. Luke the Evangelist , II Class James McMahon by J. Costello |
| Mon, Oct 15 7:10 A.M. | St. Teresa of Avila , III Class Chris Stoner by Sr. Mary Catherine | Fri, Oct 19 7:10 A.M. 6:30 P.M. | St. Peter of Alcantara , III Class Augusta Wildt by Joyce Mackin Marie Mackin by Joyce Mackin |
| Tues, Oct 16 7:10 A.M. | St. Hedwig III Class +La Capitana by Christopher Simpson | Sat, Oct 20 9:00 A.M. | St. John Cantius , III Class Protection of Unborn |
| Wed, Oct 17 7:00 P.M. | St. Margaret Mary Alacoque , III Class Debora Sloan by Andrew Sloan | Sun, Oct 21 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M. | 22nd Sunday after Pentecost , II Class Fr. Daniel Cooper by Joyce Mackin Pro Populo / For the People |

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coffee & Donuts

All are invited to Coffee and Donuts after both Masses this morning in the social hall downstairs.

Apologetics Class Today

Deacon Gerry Robinson will be giving a series of apologetics classes at St. Lawrence from now through the spring of 2019. The first class will be on today, October 14, following the 10AM Mass in Classroom #1. All are welcome.

Seminary Burse

The 2nd collection today is for the Seminary Burse in support of the FSSP seminary in Denton, Nebraska.

Vespers Tonight

Vespers and Exposition with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be tonight from 5:30pm-6:30pm.

St. Jude Devotion This Wednesday

This Wednesday, October 17, we will have our monthly St. Jude devotion.

- 6:00pm - Holy Hour with Benediction
- 7:00pm - Low Mass with Hymns
- Following Mass - Prayers & Litany to St. Jude & veneration of St. Jude relic.

Youth Group

Our next Youth Group meeting is this Saturday, October 20, at 6pm. It will include games, a bonfire and a talk from Fr Franco. For more information contact us at YouthGroup@MaterDei.com

Lost & Found Items

Many lost and found items have accumulated which will be given away if not picked up today. They are on the table in the vestibule.

Christmas Cards Available

FSSP Christmas Cards are available in the back of Church.

All Saints Party Next Sunday

Our annual All Saints party will be held at St. Lawrence on Sunday, October 21 after the 10AM Mass. It will include food, games, the Knights of the Altar raffle, and the "Parade of Saints" for the children. At the conclusion of the party there will be Sung Vespers at 3pm.

All Souls Novena

All Souls Day envelopes are in the back of church for the All Souls Novena of Masses on November 2-10. Put your envelopes in the collection basket no later than Sunday October 28.

Young Ladies Tea

Young ladies of the parish (ages 13-18) are invited to a morning Tea at Saint Lawrence with a talk from Fr Eichman on Saturday, October 27 following the 9:00am Mass. For more details or to RSVP contact Jill Lear at jilllear@hotmail.com

Confirmation Candidates

Parents whose children are not enrolled in Mater Dei's catechism program but would like to be Confirmed must contact the parish office by the end of October.

Substitute Church Cleaners

We are in need of a few substitutes for our church cleaning crew. They are only asked to be available to help a few times per year. Contact Elaine Rainey at Seabhj3@gmail.com

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.

Write Your Name in Your Missal

Please write your name in your missal so that if it ever becomes separated from you it can easily be returned.

That Which Brings Great Peace

Christ: "My Son, now will I teach thee the way of peace and of true liberty."

Soul: Do, O my Lord, as Thou sayest, for this is pleasing unto me to hear.

Christ: "Strive, My Son, to do another's will rather than thine own. Choose always to have less rather than more. Seek always after the lowest place, and to be subject to all. Wish always and pray that the will of God be fulfilled in thee. Behold, such a man as this entereth into the inheritance of peace and quietness."

Soul: O my Lord, this Thy short discourse hath in itself much of perfectness. It is short in words but full of meaning, and abundant in fruit. For if it were possible that I should fully keep it, disturbance would not so easily arise within me. For as often as I feel myself disquieted and weighed down, I find myself to have gone back from this teaching. But Thou, Who art Almighty, and always lovest progress in the soul, vouchsafe more grace, that I may be enabled to fulfil Thy exhortation, and work out my salvation.

~ IMITATION OF CHRIST, Chapter 23