# **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 Hour**

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

**Holy Name Society** 

Knights of the Altar

Youth Group (ages 13 - 18)

Meets 3rd Saturday of Month

Contact Dawn Forbeck

YouthGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

Meets Monthly Altar Servers

Contact President Bill Mansell
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Young Adults (ages 18 - 35)
Meets Monthly

Contact Fr. Franco
Fr.Franco@MaterDeiPA.com

**Church Cleaning** 

Rotating Weekly Church Cleaners Contact Elaine Rainey Seabhj3@gmail.com Choir & Choristers

Practice Weekly Contact Patrick Torsell Music@MaterDeiPA.com

#### Meal Train

Make/Request Meal for New Mothers Contact Alyssa Showers Pianoteacher87@gmail.com

# **Mass Intentions**

Sun, Dec. 23	4th Sunday of Advent, I Class	Thurs, Dec. 27	St. John the Evangelist, II Class
8:00 A.M.	+Augusta Wildt by Joyce Mackin	7:10 A.M.	+Marie Mackin by Joyce Mackin
10:00A.M.	Pro Populo / For the People	Fri, Dec. 28	Holy Innocents, II Class
Mon, Dec. 24	Vigil of Christmas, I Class	7:10 A.M.	+Marie Mackin by Joyce Mackin
7:10 A.M.	+Marie Mackin by Joyce Mackin	6:30 P.M.	+Richard Frank by Joyce Mackin
Tues, Dec. 25	Nativity of Our Lord, I Class	Sat, Dec.29	5th Day in the Octave of Christmas, II Class
12:00 A.M.	+Marie Mackin by Joyce Mackin	9:00 A.M.	+Mary Bauer by Sr. Catherine Rose
8:00 A.M.	+Augusta Wildt by Joyce Mackin	Sun, Dec. 30	Sunday in the Octave of Christmas, II Class
10:00A.M.	Pro Populo / For the People	8:00 A.M.	+Mary Bauer
Wed, Dec. 26	St. Stephen, II Class	10:00A.M.	Pro Populo / For the People
10:00 A.M.	+Holy Souls in Purgatory		
7:00 P.M.	+Augusta Wildt by Joyce Mackin		

### **WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Coffee & Donuts

We will have coffee & donuts in the downstairs Social Hall following the 10am Mass this morning. All are welcome to join us. Access the side door on Buttonwood.

#### **Building Fund Collection Today**

Today is our monthly Building Fund collection. Thank you for your generosity as we continue to pay off the loan on the new rectory.

#### **Sung Vespers Tonight**

Sung Vespers with ceremony followed by exposition will be tonight at 5:30—6:30pm. Handouts will be available to follow along.

#### **Confessions Time Christmas Eve**

Confession times will be limited on Christmas Day. Tomorrow, December 24, we will have additional Confessions. The schedule is as follows:

- 6:40AM
- 8:00—9:00AM
- 11:30—1:00PM

### **Christmas Season Schedule**

### Christmas, Tuesday, December 25

12 am Sung Mass \* - Carols beginning at 11:30pm

8 am Low Mass

10 am Sung Mass \* - Choristers Singing

#### Feast of St Stephen, Wednesday, December 26

10 am Sung Mass 7 pm Low Mass

#### Feast of Holy Innocents, Friday, December 28

7:10 am Low Mass

6:30pm Solemn High Mass

### Sunday, December 30

8 am Low Mass

10 am Solemn High Mass

### Octave of the Nativity, Tuesday, January 1

8 am Low Mass

10 am Solemn High Mass

#### Vigil of Epiphany, Saturday, January 5

Regular Mass Schedule

Blessing of Epiphany Water after 9:00 am Mass

#### Tuesday, January 7

5:30pm Sung Vespers

6pm Christmas/Epiphany Party

\*No Confessions

#### **Sung Mass & Solemn High Mass**

There will be a 10am Sung Mass on Wednesday, December 26 and a Solemn High Mass on Friday, December 28 at 6:30pm.

#### Thank You!

Thank you to all who helped to clean and decorate the church and school for the Christmas season.

#### **Christmas Break for Catechism Classes**

There will be no catechism classes held on December 23, 30 or January 6. Classes resume on January 13.

#### St. Tarcisius Group Christmas Break

Our next St. Tarcisius meeting will be the first Saturday of February.

#### Please Stay Home if Sick

If you are sick and contagious, it is not necessary to come to Mass. In such instances, it is an act of charity toward your fellow parishioners, especially those more susceptible to illness, to remain at home.

#### **Online Giving Available**

You are able to visit our website to make a one time gift to Mater Dei or to set up recurring monthly offerings. Visit MaterDeiPA.com and click "Donate."

#### **Mass Intentions**

We are currently taking Mass intentions for the 2019 Calendar year. If any individual would like to request more than 10 Masses for 2019 at this point, direct this request to Fr Franco in person. Note that multiple stipends for multiple Masses can be added together in one single check. Recommended stipend is \$10 per Mass.

### Registration at Mater Dei

The Chaplain and Assistant Chaplain have the special grace to guide those who are registered parishioners and are hence assigned to their care. The Mass offered for the people every Sunday, *Pro Populo*, is offered for those who are registered members. Anyone seeking the Sacraments of Baptism, 1st Communion, Confirmation and Matrimony here must be registered and *active parishioners* for 6 months. Registration forms are available in the back of church or on our website.

