

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

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 Loretta Ferguson
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
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Knights of the Altar
Altar Servers
Contact Jack Rozman
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Church Cleaning
Rotating Weekly Church Cleaners
Contact Elaine Rainey
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Mass Intentions

Sun, Jan. 20 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M.	2nd Sunday after Epiphany , II Class +Holy Souls in Purgatory by Mr. & Mrs. Ed Pitman Pro Populo / For the People	Thurs, Jan. 24 7:10 A.M.	St. Timothy , III Class Holy Mother Church
Mon, Jan. 21 7:10 A.M.	St. Agnes , III Class Vincent Fonticoba/ Mike & Lynn Kearney by Fonticobas	Fri, Jan. 25 7:10 A.M. 6:30 P.M.	Conversion of St. Paul , III Class Holy Mother Church Justice Brett Kavanaugh by Joyce Mackin
Tues, Jan. 22 7:10A.M.	Votive Mass for Peace , II Class +Nellie Gray, founder of March for Life	Sat, Jan. 26 9:00 A.M.	St. Polycarp , III Class +Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joyce Mackin
Wed, Jan. 23 7:00 P.M.	St. Raymond of Penafort , III Class Dawn Forbeck by Daniel Michonski	Sun, Jan. 27 8:00 A.M. 10:00A.M.	3rd Sunday after Epiphany , II Class Alessandra Fonticoba / Mike & Sue Zima by Fonticobas Pro Populo / For the People

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 via the side door on Buttonwood.

Lenten Mission—Save Date

During the first week of Lent, Father Joseph Tuscan OFM will come to give a mission. The dates are from March 10-13.

Mass Attendance Increase

In 2014 Sunday Mass attendance averaged 220. Since then we have grown by an average of 12% per year. Sunday Mass attendance now averages 376. Some have asked about adding a third Sunday Mass at Mater Dei. As we continue to grow this will be necessary within the next one to three years. At that time your input will be requested via a survey to determine the most accommodating Mass schedule.

Youth Group Special Event

On February 2, 2019 (Candlemas) the Youth Group will meet at St. Lawrence for 9:00 am Mass and then travel to the Women's Care Center to learn about their pro-life work and help with a small service project. For more information and to RSVP contact us at youthgroup@materdeipa.com

Youth Group Meeting in February

Since our Jeopardy Night was cancelled we will make it up at our February 16 meeting. The competition will be followed by a talk by Fr. Eichman and the Rosary. No experience needed! Please bring a snack and a friend! The Youth Group is open to young people ages 13 through high school. For more information and to RSVP contact us at youthgroup@materdeipa.com

Knights of the Altar Meeting Today

The Knights of the Altar (Altar Servers) will have their monthly meeting after today's 10AM Mass. Boys interested in learning to serve Mass can contact Fr Eichman at MaterDeiChaplain@gmail.com.

Young Adult Group—Bowling

Our young adults (18-35) are going bowling following next Sunday's 5:30-6:30pm Vespers & Adoration. For more information contact Fr Eichman at MaterDeiChaplain@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.

Apologetics Class Cancelled

Because of the weather, today's Apologetics class with Deacon Robinson has been cancelled. Our next class is scheduled for February 17 following the 10am Mass.

Epiphany Water Still Available

Epiphany water is still available in the Holy Water canister beside the Baptistry gate.

Baby Item Collection Today

Today we are taking up a baby item collection to support the local pregnancy resource centers. The following items are needed: diapers and baby wipes for sensitive skin, baby cloths that are new or gently used, Similac formula, baby food, baby wash/soap. Place your donated items in the large box in the vestibule. Contact Chris at 717-432-5415

St. Tarcisius Meeting

Our next St. Tarcisius Meeting is Saturday, February 2nd 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 Ignatian style meditation, the rosary, and a potluck dinner. Meetings are the 1st Saturday of the month from 5 -7pm. We gather in a different host family's home each month. For information please contact SaintTarcisiusGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

2019 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

This Fall 2019 pilgrimage will be lead by Catholics of the Holy Land and will include a daily traditional Latin Mass. Chaplain: Fr. Robert Novokowsky, FSSP. October 7 - 19, 2019. For more details contact 804-320-4932 or office@stjosephrichmond.org

Ladies Sodality of Mater Dei

The Ladies Sodality is looking for new members. Our purpose is to assist our Chaplain and support Mater Dei Community with events throughout the year. Examples of that would be providing food, decorations, set-up or clean-up for special events such as visits from the Bishop, the Epiphany Party, Days of Reccollection etc.

In respecting the busy lives of women we rarely have meetings. The Ladies' Sodality has an active email list that we invite you to participate through. The list is used to send announcements when help is needed.

To join please see the sign up sheet in the back of the church or reach out to Mrs. Dawn Forbeck via email at forbecks@comcast.net