

Mater Dei Community

Staffed by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter
St. Lawrence Chapel • 110 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101



MASS TIMES

Sunday: 7:30am (Low Mass), 9:00am (Low Mass),
10:30am (Low Mass), 12:00pm (Low Mass), 6:00pm (Low
Mass)

Monday: 7:10am

Tuesday: 7:10am

Wednesday: 6:15am, 7:00pm

Thursday: 7:10am

Friday: 7:10am, 6:30pm

Saturday: 9:00am

CONFESSIONS

Before each Mass

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

Friday: 5:30—6:25pm (Simple Adoration)

Saturday: 8:00—8:50am (Solemn with Benediction)

Sunday: 1st Sunday, following 10am Mass; 2nd &
4th Sunday, following 5:30pm Vespers

(Solemn Exposition with Benediction)

DEVOTIONS

St. Jude: 3rd Wednesday, 6:00pm

Sacred Heart: 1st Friday, following 6:30pm Mass

DIVINE OFFICE

Vespers: 2nd & 4th Sunday, 5:30pm

Compline: 1st Friday, 7:00pm

Fr. Gregory Eichman, FSSP - *Chaplain*
Fr. John Killackey, FSSP - *Assistant Chaplain*
Patrick Torsell - *Music Director*
Mary Ann Vigilante - *Chapel Administrator*
Bethany Wertz - *Chaplain's Secretary*

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Video surveillance in use on these premises.

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Young Adults.....Fr. Killackey
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Fr.Killackey@MaterDeiPA.com

Choir & Choristers.....Patrick Torsell
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Holy Name Society.....Anthony Patterson
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Church Cleaning.....Sara Sides
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Girls Junior Sodality.....Jill Lear
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JillLear@Hotmail.com

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Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Aug 16 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 6:00pm	Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost, // +Esperanza Llanes by Martin Drake Pro Populo + Joaquim Ortiz by Mike Mimoso + Jeff Jamouneau by the Holy Name Society Mary Margaret Grutza by Ron Grutza
Mon. Aug 17 7:10am	St. Hyacinth, /// Faith Woods by the Woods Family
Tues. Aug 18 7:10am	Feria, IV +Patrick Stafford by the Mackin Family
Wed. Aug 19 6:15am 7:00pm	St. John Eudes, /// Noah Woods by the Woods Family +Joan Rolfes by the Mackin Family
Thurs. Aug 20 7:10am	St. Bernard of Clairvaux /// +Martin Wildt Sr. by the Mackin Family
Fri. Aug 21 7:10am 6:30pm	St. Jane Frances de Chantal, /// +Steve Herman Sr. by the Mackin Family Noah Woods by the Woods Family
Sat. Aug 22 9:00am	Immaculate Heart of Mary, // Protection of the Unborn
Sun. Aug 23 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 6:00pm	Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost, // Fred Scharf by Linda Boyd Pro Populo + Joe Schreiber by the Holy Name Society Mary Margaret Grutza by Ron Grutza +Anthony DiSanto Sr. by Anthony DiSanto

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, August 16

- 7:30am Low Mass
- 9:00am Low Mass (this Mass will also be livestreamed)
- 10:30am Low Mass
- 12:00pm Low Mass
- 6:00pm Low Mass

Wednesday, August 19

- St. Jude Devotion, following 7pm Mass

Saturday, August 22

- Rosary for life, following 9am Mass

Sunday, August 23

- 7:30am Low Mass
- 9:00am Low Mass (this Mass will also be livestreamed)
- 10:30am Low Mass
- 12:00pm Low Mass
- Sung Vespers, 5:30pm
- 6:00pm Low Mass

Saturday, August 29

- Girls Sodality Ice Cream Party, 2-5pm

PROPERS OF THE MASS

Epistle *1 Cor 15:1-10*

Brethren: I recall to your minds the Gospel that I preached to you, which also you received, wherein also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold it fast, as I preached it to you - unless you have believed to no purpose. For I delivered to you first of all, what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day, according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared to Cephas, and after that to the

Eleven. Then He was seen by more than five hundred brethren at one time, many of whom are with us still, but some have fallen asleep. After that He was seen by James, then by the Apostles. And last of all, as by one born out of due time, He was seen also by me. For I am the least of the Apostles, and am not worthy to be called an Apostle, because I persecuted the Church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace in me has not been fruitless.

Gospel *Mark 7:31-37*

At that time, Jesus departing from the district of Tyre came by way of Sidon to the sea of Galilee, through the midst of the district of Decapolis. And they brought to Him one deaf and dumb, and entreated Him to lay His hand upon him. And taking him aside from the crowd, He put His fingers into the man's ears, and spitting, He sighed, and said to him, Ephpheta, that is, Be opened. And his ears were at once opened, and the bond of his tongue was loosed, and he began to speak correctly. And He charged them to tell no one. But the more He charged

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Mass Schedule

Our Mass schedule is as follows:

- 7:30am Low Mass
- 9:00am Low Mass (also livestreamed)
- 10:30 Low Mass
- 12:00 Low Mass
- 6:00pm Low Mass

Registration will open at 6pm on Tuesday evening.

This Fall's Sunday Catechism

Registration for this Fall's Sunday Catechism Classes will begin in a few weeks. You must be a parishioner to be enrolled in these classes. Enrollment is mandatory for any student who will be receiving their 1st Communion or Confirmation this year.

Adoration Feasibility Survey

If you are interested in signing up for regularly scheduled Eucharistic Adoration at Mater Dei, possibly on Tuesdays during the day, please contact Amanda Healy at 717-847-4871.

Cleaning Updates

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who has stayed to clean after Masses! It is very much appreciated since "many hands make light work."

- If anyone is interested in giving just 1 hour of their time once a month to help clean the rest of the church building, the Second Saturday of each month is in most need of extra volunteers.
- If regular commitment doesn't work for you but you can help out occasionally as your schedule permits, please consider joining our substitute list! The work can be tailored to your tastes and abilities – no heavy lifting required. Even if you can only give a few minutes, every bit helps so please consider signing up.

If interested or if you have any questions, please contact Sara Sides, clean@materdeipa.com. Thank you!

St. Jude Devotion

This Wednesday, August 19, we will have our monthly St. Jude Devotion.

- 6pm Simple Adoration
- 7pm Low Mass
- Following Mass: Devotion prayers & veneration of relic

Legion of Mary – Auxiliary Members

The Mater Dei praesidium is not currently meeting. But all Auxiliary Members are encouraged to continue to pray for the success of the work of the Legion of Mary. Your prayers are essential to the efficacy of the Legion's work.

ProLife Rosary Change

This month we will pray the rosary for the unborn next Saturday, 8/22, following 9am Mass.

Girls' Sodality Ice Cream Party

There will be an ice cream party for the Girl's Sodality on Saturday, August 29th from 2-5pm. All young ladies ages 9 through high school are welcome and encouraged to attend. Contact Jill Lear at JillLear@hotmail.com for more information.

Free Meter Parking on Saturdays

By downloading the Parkmobile App, users can receive four hours of free parking on Saturdays anywhere in Harrisburg by using the code "LUVHBG."

Mater Dei Email List

If you are not on our parish wide email list and wish to be, email chaplainssecretary@materdeipa.com to be added as a recipient.

New Young Adult Parishioners

If you are one of our new young adult parishioners (18-35) send your email to the office so that we can keep you in the loop about upcoming events.

them, so much the more did they continue to publish it. And so much the more did they wonder, saying, He has done all things well. He has

made both the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak.

CHOIR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sung Masses and Limited Choir to Resume

Choir season will resume with Sung Masses beginning on Sunday, 9/13. The Sung Mass will be the 12pm. In compliance with social distancing guidelines, each Sung Mass will be limited to a maximum of four singers for the present time.

Farewell to Stephanie and Matt, and Welcome to Sonny

Our Soprano Section Leader, Stephanie Griffin, and Bass Section Leader, Matt Keeny, are moving on to other ventures this fall. We are grateful for their dedication to Mater Dei, and wish them well! We welcome Sonny Albright as our new Tenor Section Leader, while Elizabeth Gearhart remains Alto Section Leader, and Choirmaster Patrick Torsell will now lead the Bass section.

Choir Seeks Soprano Section Leader

We're seeking a Soprano, initially to sing in a physically distanced quartet, transitioning to a traditional section leader role for our mixed choir when conditions allow. Qualified candidates will have prior choral experience with 4+ part music, familiarity with Gregorian Chant and Renaissance Polyphony, ability to sing with pure tone and accurate intonation, a passion for traditional sacred music, & leadership aptitude. This is a paid position. For more details email music@materdeipa.com.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

FSSP Pig Roast & Barn Dance

The FSSP Scranton Parish, St. Michael's, is having a Pig Roast and Barn Dance on August 22, 2020. Tickets must be reserved in advance by August 15. The cost is either \$15 per person or \$40 for a family. Children 5 and under are free. It is a Barn Dance with a whole Pig dinner and all the fixings. All you can eat and drink included in ticket. There will be a live fiddle band and caller for Barn Dance Fun! And if weather is permitting, there will be different inflatables for the children. For more information, parishioners can contact juventutemscranton@gmail.com or call 570-815-1141.

Giving Summary for Sunday 8/9

General Fund

Giving (Envelopes)	\$4,281
Online	\$,1702
Total	\$5,983
Avg. Weekly Expenses	\$6,889

Building Fund

Envelopes	\$100
Online	\$524
Total	\$624

A reminder of the diocesan directives we are following:

- Except in the case of children under 2 years of age and persons with health issues, masks are to be worn as face covering the entire time parishioners attend Mass or any other liturgical event in a parish, including sacramental Confession. They are not permitted to be lowered at any time while in the church except to receive Holy Communion. Those unable to wear a mask are asked to sit toward the back of the church.
- Social distancing is to be observed. The measure of 6 feet between individuals and family groups is to be maintained while seated and moving. Groups are not to gather outside of the church for social time. Face masks should be worn until a person has left the church property and distanced himself or herself from the other congregants.
- Sanitization of public spaces takes place after every liturgical gathering in our churches.