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 (Sung 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*

Email: Contact@MaterDeiPA.com Office: (717) 889 - 4217 Dial ext. 9 for Sacramental Emergency **MaterDeiPA.com**

Video surveillance in use on these premises.

St. Tarcisius.....Loretta Ferguson Ages 5-12, 1st Saturday SaintTarcisiusGroup@MaterDeiPA.com

Youth Group.....Dawn Forbeck *Ages 13-18, 3rd Saturday* Forbecks@Comcast.net

Young Adults.....Fr. Killackey *Ages 18-35, Meets monthly* Fr.Killackey@MaterDeiPA.com

Choir & Choristers.....Patrick Torsell Practice weekly Music@MaterDeiPA.com

Holy Name Society.....Anthony Patterson Meets monthly AnthonyPattersonmd@Yahoo.com

Knights of the Altar.....Ed Pitman Altar Servers ESPitman@Verizon.net

Church Cleaning.....Sara Sides *Rotates weekly* Clean@MaterDeiPA.com

Girls Junior Sodality.....Jill Lear *Girls Age 9 - High School* JillLear@Hotmail.com

Meal Train.....Alyssa Showers Pianoteacher87@Gmail.com

Prayer Chain.....Prayers@MaterDeiPA.com

Adoration.....Amanda Healy *Tuesdays 8am-2pm* grillgirl83@gmail.com

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

MASS INTENTIONS

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost, // +Dorothy & John Czarnomski by John Czarnomski Pro Populo +Joan Wert by David & Kathy Haddon + Joe Schreiber by Liz Tomalis +Joseph Zinkland by Ed & Catherine DItzel	 Sunday, October 4 7:30am Low Mass 9:00am Low Mass 10:30am Low Mass 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed) External Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary
Feria, // +Jeff Jamoneau by the Holy Name Society	 6:00pm Low Mass Monday, October 5
St. Bruno, // +Jeff Jamoneau by the Holy Name Society	 Adult Catechism Class, 7pm Tuesday, October 6
Our Lady of the Rosary, /// +Alex DiSanto by Anthony DiSanto Michael Yakubick by Sharon Kaercher	 Adoration, 8am-1pm Wednesday, October 7 Latin Class, 6pm
St. Bridget of Sweden, /// +Meghan B. Indyke by Linda Boyd	Low Mass, 7pm
St. John Leonardi, <i>III</i> Ronald Miller by Darren Miller Dominic & Alison Romano by the Romano children	Saturday, October 10 • Rosary Rally, 11:30am Sunday, October 11 • 7:30am Low Mass
St. Francis Borgia, /// Daniella Mimoso by Mike Mimoso	9:00am Low Mass10:30am Low Mass
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost, // +Sophie & William by John Czarnomski Pro Populo +Agnes, Edward, & Christine Faber by John Czarnomski +Joseph Ferrera by Janeann Kakalecz +Joe Federawicz by John & Cheryl Osuch	 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed) 6:00pm Low Mass
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PROPERS OF THE MASS

Epistle 1 Cor 1:4-8

Brethren: I give thanks to my God always concerning you for the grace of God which was given you in Christ Jesus, because in everything you have been enriched in Him, in all utterance and in all knowledge; even as the witness to the Christ has been made so firm in you that you lack no grace, while awaiting the appearance of our Lord Jesus Christ, Who will also keep you secure unto the end, unimpeachable in the day of the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel Matt 9:1-8

At that time, Jesus, getting into a boat, crossed over and came to his own town. And behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a pallet. And Jesus, seeing their faith, said to the paralytic, Take courage, son; your sins are forgiven you. And behold, some of the scribes said within themselves, This man blasphemes. And Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, Why do you har-

bor evil thoughts in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise, and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins, - then He said to the paralytic - Arise, take up your pallet and go to your house. And he arose, and went away to his house. But when the crowds saw it, they were struck with fear, and glorified God Who had given such power to men.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday Mass Schedule

Our Sunday Mass schedule is as follows:

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

Registration opens at 6pm every Tuesday evening on our website. <u>Mass times will not be changing in October.</u>

Catechism Registration

Thank you to all families who have registered their children for our Catechism classes. If you did not receive an email about picking up packets for your children, please contact chaplainssecretary@materdeipa.com

Adult Catechism Class

Fr. Killackey is offering an adult catechism class during the academic year on Monday evenings at 7pm. This class is primarily geared towards those wishing to become Catholic, but any adult wishing to know more about the Faith is welcome to join. If interested, please contact Fr. Killackey at fr.killackey@materdeipa.com.

Legion of Mary

For any new parishioners who are interested: Mater Dei has a Legion of Mary chapter that is not currently meeting. If you have interest in becoming a member or auxiliary member, please contact the office.

Rosary Rally

On Saturday, October 10th, at 11:30am we will commemorate the 103rd Anniversary of Mary's appearance at Fatima, Portugal in 1917. All will assemble in the front of St. Law-rence Church and process to Front Street for the recitation of the Rosary. After the Rosary there will be a sermon followed by Benediction in St. Lawrence. In case of inclement weather, all will take place inside the church.

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.

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.

Latin Class

Matthew Dracoules, the Latin teacher at Trinity High School, is offering an introductory Latin class on Wednesdays at 6pm beginning October 7th. If you plan to attend and haven't already let us know, please contact chaplainssecretary@materdeipa.com.

New Weekly Adoration Tuesdays

The church is now open for adoration from 8am-1pm on Tuesdays. If you are interested in adoration but can not commit to a weekly hour please consider signing up to be an alternate for our scheduled adorers. Please Contact Amanda Healy 717-847-4871.

Sacramentals for Expectant Mothers

There are certain Sacramentals in the Roman Ritual through which we request God's blessing that an expecting mother can have a safe delivery and also the grace of having her child baptized. The priests would be happy to provide the following to any expecting lady at her request. Please do not hesitate to ask.

- **Blessing of Expectant Mother**: Can be given at any time during pregnancy.
- Candle in Honor of St. Raymond Nonnatus: To be taken home and burned, and especially when the time of delivery approaches.
- **St. Torellus Water**: Special Holy Water which can be sprinkled, used to bless one-self, drunk, or used in small amounts in cooking.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Girls Sodality Fall Event

The next Girls Sodality event will be a fall gathering for cider & donuts on Saturday, October 10 from 2-4:30pm. Contact Jill Lear at Jillear@hotmail.com for further details.

Youth Group Event

The next Youth Group event will be held on October 17th from 6-9pm. Email forbecks@comcast.net for more information.

"Let us never say our faith is weak because we do not see or touch with our hand the truth which is proposed for our belief; let us rather admit that it is weak because our heart is not sufficiently docile to grace, nor entirely free from pride. If we want to have strong faith, let us be as humble and simple as children; if we wish to share in the grace of sanctification which was given to the paralytic, let us offer ourselves to Our Lord with contrite, humble hearts, thoroughly convinced that we need his help and forgiveness."

-Divine Intimacy

All Are Invited to Pray at a Eucharistic Procession and Rosary

A Eucharistic procession and rosary will be held on Sunday, November 1, 2020 at St. Patrick's Cathedral following the 12:15 PM mass. The procession is open to the public, and all are encouraged to attend. This event, part of the nationwide movement Unite Our Nation, is prayerful, non-political and family-friendly.

The event is designed to help bring peace and prayer to the state of Pennsylvania and healing to our nation. Clergy will lead the procession and everyone is invited to pray the patriotic rosary for all fifty states. When we bring Our Lord and the Blessed Mother out of the churches and into the streets of America we create a powerful witness.

All Saints Day Celebration

There will be an All Saints Day party on Saturday, November 1, 2020. If you have not received an email with details, and might like to attend, please contact the office for more information.

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.