# Mater Dei Community

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



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

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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

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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

# Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Sep 20 Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, // 7:30am Fr. David Franco by Darren Miller

9:00am Pro Populo

10:30am Elizabeth Nancy Marmorale by Linda Boyd 12:00pm Holy Souls in Purgatory by Leanna Robinson 6:00pm

+Joe Schreiber by John Czarnomski

Mon. Sep 21 St. Matthew, //

+Marie Mackin by Joyce & Joe Mackin 7:10am

Tues. Sep 22 St. Thomas of Villanova. /// 7:10am +Molly Reynolds by Cecilia Nico

Wed. Sep 23 Ember Wednesday, //

6:15am +Mary Anne Frank by Joyce & Joe Mackin 7:00pm Reilly Leonard by William Fonticoba

Thurs. Sep 24

7:10am Holy Souls in Purgatory by Cecilia Nico

Fri. Sep 25 Ember Friday, //

The sick & those who live alone by M/M Stoner 7:10am

6:30pm +Hutton Gibson by Joyce & Joe Mackin

Sat. Sep 26 Ember Saturday, //

9:00am Special Intention by M/M Stoner

Sun. Sep 27 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost, //

7:30am Allen & Mary Fry 9:00am Pro Populo

Natalie Mimoso by Mike Mimoso 10:30am

12:00pm +Angela & Victor Siuzdak by John Czarnomski 6:00pm +Joseph Zinkland by Ed & Catherine DItzel

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Sunday, September 20

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

#### Monday, September 21

Adult Catechism Class, 7pm

#### Tuesday, September 22

Adoration, 8am-1pm

#### Sunday, September 27

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

# PROPERS OF THE MASS

# Epistle Eph 3:13-21

Brethren: I pray you not to be disheartened at my tribulations for you, for they are your glory. For this reason I bend my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, from Whom all fatherhood in heaven and on earth receives its name, that He may grant you from His glorious riches to be strengthened with power through His Spirit unto the progress of the inner man; and to have Christ dwelling through faith in your hearts: so that, being rooted and grounded in love, you may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know Christ's love which surpasses knowledge, in order that you may be filled unto all the fullness of God. Now, to Him Who is able to accomplish all things in a measure far beyond what we ask or conceive, in keeping with the power that is at work in us - to Him be glory in the Church and in Christ Iesus down through all the ages of time without end. Amen.

# Gospel Luke 14:1-11

At that time, when Jesus entered the house of one of the rulers of the Pharisees on the Sabbath to take food, they watched Him. And behold, there was a certain man before Him who had the dropsy. And Jesus asked the lawyers and Pharisees, saying, Is it lawful to cure on the Sabbath? But they remained silent. And He took and healed him and let him go. Then addressing them, He said, Which of you shall have an ass or an ox fall into a pit, and

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## 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 will open at 6pm every Tuesday evening on our website.

Catechism Meeting Postponed

We are currently restructuring our Sunday Catechism Program. The mandatory parent meeting that was scheduled for next Sunday is temporarily postponed. If you would like to enroll your child in our Catechism classes, pick up a packet in the back of the church and mail or email registration forms by tomorrow, Monday, September 21st. Forms can be mailed in to the office (110 State St. Harrisburg, PA 17101) or emailed to chaplainssecretary@materdeipa.com. This will allow us to survey and most effectively meet the demand for each class.

#### 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.

#### 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. Sung Mass at 6pm Next Sunday

Next Sunday, we will have Sung Vespers at 5:30pm followed by Sung Mass at 6pm.

#### Latin Class

Matthew Dracoules, the Latin teacher at Trinity High School, will be 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.

Weekly Adoration Beginning Tuesday 9/22

The church will open for adoration from 8am-1pm on Tuesdays, beginning this Tuesday, September 22. 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.

## 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.

### 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.

will not immediately draw him up on the Sabbath? And they could give Him no answer to these things. But He also spoke a parable to those invited, observing how they were choosing the first places at table, and He said to them, When you are invited to a wedding feast, do not recline in the first place, lest perhaps one more distinguished than you have been invited by him, and he who invited you and him come and say to you, 'Make

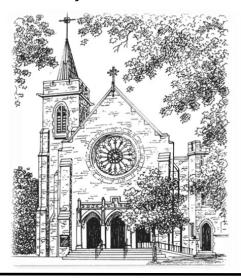
room for this man'; and then you begin with shame to take the last place. But when you are invited go and recline in the last place; that when he who invited you comes in, he may say to you, 'Friend, go up higher!' Then you will be honored in the presence of all who are at table with you. For everyone who exalts himself shall be humbled, and he who humbles himself shall be exalted.

## **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@materdei-pa.com. Thank you!



#### Mater Dei Shirt Sale

We have new Mater Dei shirts available for purchase. Long sleeve & short sleeve shirts are both available with the logo and in the color pictured here.

 Short-sleeve: \$12 (S,M, L, XL)

 Long-sleeve: \$17 (S, M, XL)

When you purchase a shirt, you can get your choice of a free Mater Dei mug or window decal.



Email chaplainssecretary@materdeipa.com or call the office if you would like to purchase one to support Mater Dei.

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." If this option doesn't show up, try deleting & reinstalling the App.

# **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 jilllear@hotmail.com for further details.

## 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.