# **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** 

**Tuesday:** 8am—1pm (Solemn with 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 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.

**St. Tarcisius**......Loretta Ferguson Ages 5-12, 1st Saturday mdpa.StTarcisiusGroup@Gmail.com

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

Choir & Choristers.....Patrick Torsell Practice weekly

Music@MaterDeiPA.com

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### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sun. Nov 22**7:30am

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost, //
The Kirchenbauers by Anthony DiSanto

Pro Populo

9:00am +Kevin Sutcliffe by Sharon Kaercher/Bahret Religious

10:30am Goods

12:00pm Mr. and Mrs. Killackey

6:00pm Sanctification of all FSSP Priests

Mon. Nov 23 St. Clement I, ///

7:10am +Augusta Wildt by Joyce & Joe Mackin

Tues. Nov 24 St. John of the Cross, ///

7:10am +Regis Philbin by Joyce & Joe Mackin

Wed. Nov 25
6:15am +John Wayne by Joyce & Joe Mackin
7:00pm +Augusta Wildt by Joyce & Joe Mackin

Thurs. Nov 26 St. Sylvester, ///

7:10am +John Shibler by Tony & Cathy Martin

Fri. Nov 27 Feria. /V

7:10am +Barbara von Thaden by Cecilia Nico 6:30pm +Marie Mackin by Joyce & Joe Mackin

Sat. Nov 28 Saturday of Our Lady. /V

9:00am +Mary & Antoni Czarnomski by John Czarnomski

Sun. Nov 29 First Sunday of Advent, /

7:30am George & Nathan Graybill by Tony & Cathy Martin

9:00am Pro Populo

10:30am +Ora Wildt by Joyce & Joe Mackin

12:00pm +Beatrice, Edna, & Cecelia Fabiszewski by John Czar-

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6:00pm +Renie Lawrence by The Healys

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Sunday, November 22

- Building Fund Collection
- 7:30am Low Mass
- 9:00am Low Mass
- 10:30am Low Mass
- 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed)
- 5:30 Sung Vespers
- 6:00pm Low Mass

#### Monday, November 23

Adult Catechism Class. 7:00pm

#### Tuesday, November 24

Adoration, 8am-1pm

#### Wednesday, November 25

Latin Class, 6pm

#### Sunday, November 29

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

## PROPERS OF THE MASS

## Epistle Col. 1:9-14

Brethren: We have been praying for you unceasingly, asking that you may be filled with knowledge of God's will, in all spiritual wisdom and understanding. May you walk worthily of God and please Him in all things, bearing fruit in every good work and growing in the knowledge of God. May you be completely strengthened through His glorious power unto perfect patience and long-

suffering; joyfully rendering thanks to God the Father, Who has made us worthy to share the lot of the saints in light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of His beloved Son, in Whom we have our redemption, through His Blood, the remission of our sins.

## **Gospel** Matt 24:15-35

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: When you see the

abomination of desolation, which was spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place - let him who reads understand - then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains; and let him who is on the housetop not go down to take anything from his house; and let him who is in the field not turn back to take his cloak. But woe to those who are with child, or have infants at the breast in those days! But pray that your flight may not be in the winter,

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Building Fund Collection**

Today we will have our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continued generosity.

#### Livestreaming to End 11/30

Our livestream of Mass on Sundays will end on November 30th.

#### Sung Vespers Tonight

We will have Sung Vespers with organ accompaniment tonight at 5:30pm, followed by the 6pm Mass.

#### 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.

#### 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.

#### **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

If you are interested in joining the Mater Dei Legion of Mary, please contact the office.

# Marriage Bans

Patrick Torsell & Elizabeth Zuranski 4.24.2021

or on the Sabbath. For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been from the beginning of the world until now, nor will be. And unless those days had been shortened, no living creature would be saved. But for the sake of the elect those days will be shortened. Then if anyone say to you, 'Behold, here is the Christ,' or 'There He is,' do not believe it. For false christs and false prophets will arise, and will show great signs and wonders, so as to lead astray, if possible, even the elect. Behold, I have told it to you beforehand. If therefore they say to you, 'Behold, He is in the desert,' do

not go forth; 'Behold, He is in the inner chambers,' do not believe it. For as the lightning comes forth from the east and shines even to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. Wherever the body is, there will the eagles be gathered together. But immediately after the tribulation of those days, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give her light, and the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of heaven will be shaken. And then will appear the sign of the Son of Man in heaven; and then will all tribes of the earth mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming upon the clouds of

heaven with great power and majesty. And He will send forth His angels with a trumpet and a great sound, and they will gather His elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other. Now from the fig tree learn this parable. When its branch is now tender, and the leaves break forth, you know that summer is near. Even so, when you see all these things, know that it is near, even at the door. Amen I say to you, this generation will not pass away till all these things have been accomplished. Heaven earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

#### **Music Director Departing**

This is our Music Director, Patrick Torsell's final Sunday with us (see his note below). He has done a tremendous job at Mater Dei in so many ways in areas including developing the adult choir, establishing the chorister program, his beautiful organ instrumentals and assistance with technical development. It will be a handful of weeks before our new Music Director begins. In the meantime we will continue to have simplified forms of the Sunday Sung Mass.

#### A Farewell Note from Music Director, Patrick Torsell

Dear Friends -

As I prepare to take leave of Harrisburg I am filled with both excitement for my new adventure in the Rocky Mountains, as well as sadness at departing such a wonderful community. But mostly I am overcome with gratitude to Our Lord for the opportunity to serve Mater Dei these last three and a half years, to build a music program, develop wonderful choirs, teach your children in Choristers, and build friendships with you. I depart with great peace that--by God's grace and the hard work of our singers--we've laid a solid foundation for the new Music Director to build upon and raise Mater Dei's music to new heights for the glory of God. I thank you for supporting our music program, and I assure you of my continued prayers, as I humbly ask for a small token in yours. May God reward you!

-Patrick Torsell

#### 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.