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*

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

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Jan 10 The Holy Family, //

7:30am Conversion of David Russell by William Russell

9:00am Pro Populo

10:30am Conlon Family by Cecilia Nico

12:00pm Ann Lutz

6:00pm Jack & Ronna Simpson by Christopher Simpson

Mon. Jan 11 Feria after the Epiphany, /V

7:10am William Russel Family by William Russell

Tues. Jan 12 Feria after the Epiphany, /V

7:00am Joseph Mackin by Joe & Joyce Mackin

Wed. Jan 13 Commemoration of Baptism of Our Lord, //

6:15am Sid Marcus

7:00pm +George Fisher by Joe & Joyce Mackin

Thurs. Jan 14 St. Hilary, ///

7:10am Conversion of Douglas Rider by Aaron Rider

Fri. Jan 15 St. Paul, the First Hermit /V 7:10am +Tadeo Vfranco by Ben Heigt

6:30pm Poor Souls in Purgatory by Joe & Joyce Mackin

Sat. Jan 16 St. Marcellus I, ///

9:00am Protection of the Unborn

Sun. Jan 17 2nd Sunday after Epiphany, //

7:30am Matt & Jess Simpson by Christopher Simpson

9:00am Pro Populo

10:30am Catherine Mackin by Joe & Joyce Mackin 12:00pm +Hubert T. Rozman by Jack Rozman 6:00pm Holy Souls in Purgatory by Cecilia Nico

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, January 10

- 7:30am Low Mass
- 9:00am Low Mass
- 10:30am Low Mass
- 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed)
- 6:00pm Mass is moved to 3:00pm this one Sunday only

Monday, January 11

Adult Catechism Class, 7pm

Tuesday, January 12

Adoration, 8am-1pm

Saturday, January 16

- Prolife Rosary, following 9am Mass
- Youth Group Meeting

Sunday, January 17

- 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 3:12-17

Brethren: Put on, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, a heart of mercy, kindness, humility, meekness, patience. Bear with one another and forgive one another, if anyone has a grievance against any other; even as the Lord has forgiven you, so also do you forgive. But above all these things have charity, which is the bond of perfection. And may the peace of Christ reign in your hearts; unto that peace, indeed, you were called in one body. Show yourselves thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you abundantly: in all

wisdom teach and admonish one another by psalms, hymns and spiritual songs, singing in your hearts to God by His grace. Whatever you do in word or in work, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, giving thanks to God the Father through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Gospel Luke 2:42-52

When Jesus was twelve years old, they went up to Jerusalem according to the custom of the feast. And after they had fulfilled the days, when they were return-

ing, the Boy Jesus remained in Jerusalem, and His parents did not know it. But thinking that He was in the caravan, they had come a day's journey before it occurred to them to look for Him among their relatives and acquaintances. And not finding Him, they returned to Jerusalem in search of Him. And it came to pass after three days, that they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. And all who were listening to Him were amazed at His understanding and His an-

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Evening Mass Time Change Today Only

Today, January 10, our usual 6pm Mass will be moved to 3pm. There will be no Vespers. This change is only for this one week.

Epiphany Water Blessing

There is Epiphany water available in the back of the church near the baptistry for anyone who would like to take some.

Blessing of Epiphany Chalk

Chalk is traditionally blessed on Epiphany for the faithful to take home and use to bless their homes. The top of the door frames entering the house are marked with "20 + C + M + B + 21". The letters "C" "M" and "B" are the initials of the three kings, Casper, Melchior and Balthazar, who arrived at Bethlehem to worship the baby Jesus on Epiphany. The crosses are placed between the letters and the numbers to remind us of the suffering that Jesus was to undergo for us. Finally, the "20" and "21" are for the 2021 years since the birth of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Traditionally, the marking is left on the door frame until the next year when it is replaced by another year's blessing. Chalk from previous years can be reused. New chalk blessed on the feast of the Epiphany is also available in the back of the Church.

Youth Group Meeting

On Saturday, January 16 from 6pm - 9pm the youth group will have Jeopardy Night. Competition will be followed by a talk by one of our priests and the Rosary. No experience needed! Please bring a snack to share. The Youth Group is open to young people ages 13 through high school. RSVP at forbecks@comcast.net.

Lost & Found

We have removed the small "Lost and Found" box from the vestibule. It is now in the social hall in the basement. Lost items of higher value such as Hand Missals will be kept in the sacristy until claimed. We are doing this in an effort to keep the vestibule clean from clutter. Also, please do not use this space to give away free items. This includes holy cards, religious books, food and clothing items. Thanks You!

Second Bench Placed in Vestibule

We are putting a new bench in the vestibule to give parents a place to take their children when they begin to make noise, especially during Mass.

Young Adult Brunch Today

For any Young Adults (ages 18-35) interested, the Young Adult Group will meet after the 12 noon Mass today at Squeaky Rail Diner (505 N Enola Rd, Enola, PA 17025) for brunch. We will meet at roughly 1:45pm. For more information about the Mater Dei Young Adult Group email Fr Killackey at Fr.Killackey@MaterDeiPa.com

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 on our website.

swers. And when they saw Him, they were astonished. And His Mother said to Him, Son, why have You done so to us? Behold, in sorrow Your father and I have been seeking You. And He said to them, How is it that you sought Me? Did you not know that I must be about My Father's busi-

ness? And they did not understand the word that He spoke to them. And He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was subject to them; and His Mother kept all these things carefully in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and grace before God and men.



To all fathers of families, Joseph is verily the best model of paternal vigilance and care. In the most holy Virgin Mother of God, mothers may find an excellent example of love, modesty, resignation of spirit, and the perfecting of faith. And in Jesus, who was subject to his parents, the children of the family have a divine pattern of obedience which they can admire, reverence, and imitate.

~ From the Apostolic Letters of Pope Leo XIII

Prayer for Purity by St. Thomas Aquinas

Dear Jesus,

I know that every perfect gift, and especially that of chastity, depends on the power of Your providence. Without You a mere creature can do nothing. Therefore, I beg You to defend by Your grace the chastity and purity of my body and soul. And if I have ever sensed or imagined anything that could stain my chastity and purity, blot it out, Supreme Lord of my powers, that I may advance with a pure heart in Your love and service, offering m self on the most pure altar of Your divinity all the days of my life. Amen.