

# 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

**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*  
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**Young Adults**.....Fr. Killackey  
Ages 18-35, Meets monthly  
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**Choir & Choristers**.....Paul May  
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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sun. Jan 17</b> 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 6:00pm	<b>2nd Sunday after Epiphany, //</b> Matt & Jess Simpson by Christopher Simpson Pro Populo Catherine Mackin by Joe & Joyce Mackin +Hubert T. Rozman by Jack Rozman Holy Souls in Purgatory by Cecilia Nico
<b>Mon. Jan 18</b> 7:10am	<b>Feria, /V</b> Conversion of Neil Hollabaugh by Aaron Rider
<b>Tues. Jan 19</b> 7:00am	<b>Feria, /V</b> Conversion of Mr. Lee Linder by William Rusesell
<b>Wed. Jan 20</b> 6:15am 7:00pm	<b>Sts. Fabian &amp; Sebastian, ///</b> Donald Trump & the USA by Joyce & Joe Mackin Jill Simpson & Family by Christopher Simpson
<b>Thurs. Jan 21</b> 7:10am	<b>St. Agnes, ///</b> The William Russell Family
<b>Fri. Jan 22</b> 7:10am 6:30pm	<b>Votive Mass for Peace, //</b> +Joseph Paterno by Aaron Rider +Nellie Gray by Christina & Chuck Stoner
<b>Sat. Jan 23</b> 9:00am	<b>St. Raymond of Penafort, ///</b> +John M. Rozman by Jack Rozman
<b>Sun. Jan 24</b> 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 6:00pm	<b>3rd Sunday after Epiphany, //</b> Cassie Mackin by Joyce & Joe Mackin Pro Populo Matt Michonski by Zofia Zoton Marianne Connolly by Jackie Allard George Gilmer

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sunday, January 17**
- 7:30am Low Mass
  - 9:00am Low Mass
  - 10:30am Low Mass
  - 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed)
  - 6:00pm Low Mass
- Monday, January 18**
- Adult Catechism Class, 7pm
- Tuesday, January 19**
- Adoration, 8am-1pm
- Wednesday, January 20**
- St Jude Devotion, following 7pm Mass
- Sunday, January 24**
- 7:30am Low Mass
  - 9:00am Low Mass
  - 10:30am Low Mass
  - 12:00pm Sung Mass (livestreamed)
  - Sung Vespers, 5:30pm
  - 6:00pm Low Mass

## PROPERS OF THE MASS

### Epistle ROM 12:6-16

*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 JOHN 2:1-11

*At that time, a marriage took place at Cana of Galilee, and the*

*mother of Jesus was there. Now Jesus too was invited to the marriage, and also His disciples. And the wine having run short, the mother of Jesus said to Him, They have no wine. And Jesus said to her, What would you have me do, woman? My hour has not yet come. His mother said to the attendants, Do whatever He tells you. Now six stone water-jars were placed there, after the Jewish manner of purification, each holding two or three measures. Jesus said to them, Fill the jars with water. And they filled them to*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## St. Jude Devotion

This Wednesday, January 20, we will have our monthly St. Jude devotion.

- 6pm Simple Adoration
- 7pm Low Mass
- Following Mass: Devotion prayers & Veneration of St. Jude relic

## Girls' Tea

The Junior Sodality will be hosting a Young Ladies Tea on January 30. Girls of the parish (ages 9 -18) are invited to a Tea at 2pm with a talk from Fr. Eichman. For more details or to RSVP, please contact Jill Lear at [jilllear@hotmail.com](mailto:jilllear@hotmail.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](mailto:fr.killackey@materdeipa.com).

## 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.

## 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. Thank you!

## 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.

## 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.

## 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 oneself, drunk, or used in small amounts in cooking.

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*the brim. And Jesus said to them, Draw out now, and take to the chief steward. And they took it to him. Now when the chief steward had tasted the water after it had become wine, not knowing whence it was - though the attendants who had drawn the water knew, - the chief steward called the bridegroom, and said to him, Every man at*

*first sets forth the good wine, and when they have drunk freely, then that which is poorer. But you have kept the good wine until now. This first of His signs Jesus worked at Cana of Galilee; and He manifested His glory, and His disciples believed in Him.*



***From the Imitation of Christ - Internal Consolation***

**The Voice of Christ**

My child, I will teach you now the way of peace and true liberty. Seek, child, to do the will of others rather than your own. Always choose to have less rather than more. Look always for the last place and seek to be beneath all others. Always wish and pray that the will of God be fully carried out in you. Behold, such will enter into the realm of peace and rest.

**The Disciple**

O Lord, this brief discourse of Yours contains much perfection. It is short in words but full of meaning and abounding in fruit. Certainly if I could only keep it faithfully, I should not be so easily disturbed. For as often as I find myself troubled and dejected, I find that I have departed from this teaching. But You Who can do all things, and Who always love what is for my soul's welfare, give me increase of grace that I may keep Your words and accomplish my salvation.

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**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 myself on the most pure altar of Your divinity all the days of my life. Amen.*

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