

# St. Lawrence Catholic Church

Home of the Mater Dei Community  
Staffed by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter  
110 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101



## MASS TIMES

**Sunday:** 7:30am (Low Mass), 9:00am (Low Mass), 11:00am (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

**Sunday:** 5:30pm (Solemn with Benediction)

**Tuesday:** 8:00—1:00pm (Solemn with Benediction)

**Friday:** 5:30—6:25pm (Simple Adoration)

**Saturday:** 8:00—8:50am (Solemn with Benediction)

## DEVOTIONS

**St. Jude:** 3rd Wednesday, 6:00pm

**Sacred Heart:** 1st Friday, following 6:30pm Mass

## DIVINE OFFICE

**Vespers:** Every Sunday, 5:00pm

**Compline:** 1st Friday, 7:00pm

**Fr. James Smith, FSSP - Pastor**

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### Legion of Mary

*Meets weekly*

Legionofmary@stlawrence.cc ..... Daniel Jones

### St. Tarcisius

*Ages 5-12, 1st Saturday*

sttarcisius@stlawrence.cc ..... Loretta Ferguson

### Youth Group

*Ages 13-18, 3rd Saturday*

youthgroup@stlawrence.cc ..... Dawn Forbeck

### St. Catherine of Siena Young Adult Group

*Ages 18-35, Meets monthly*

assistant.pastor@stlawrence.cc ..... Fr. Killackey

### Choir & Choristers

*Practice weekly*

music@stlawrence.cc ..... Paul Thomas May

### Holy Name Society

*Meets monthly*

holyname@stlawrence.cc ..... Will Gabig

### Knights of the Altar

*Altar Servers*

altarboys@stlawrence.cc ..... Ed Pitman

### Church Cleaning

*Rotates weekly*

clean@stlawrence.cc ..... Kristin Patterson

### Girls Junior Sodality

*Girls Age 9 - High School*

girlssodality@stlawrence.cc ..... Rebecca Mack

### Meal Train

mealtrain@stlawrence.cc ..... Alyssa Showers

**Prayer Chain** ..... Fr. Killackey

prayers@materdeipa.com

### Tuesday Adoration

*Tuesdays 8am-1pm*

tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.cc ..... Amanda Healy

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sun. Feb. 13</b> 7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 6:00pm	<b>Septuagesima Sunday, II</b> For the Fraternity and the preservation of the Traditional Mass Pro Populo For the Fraternity and the preservation of the Traditional Mass Family of Judith Boutin
<b>Mon. Feb. 14</b> 7:10am	<b>Feria, IV</b> Gabriel Dominic Julien Ana Julien
<b>Tues. Feb. 15</b> 7:10am	<b>Feria, IV</b> +Marie Mackin by Joe & Joyce Mackin
<b>Wed. Feb. 16</b> 6:15am 7:00pm	<b>Feria, IV</b> +Mrs. Marie O'Conner Ischinkel +Mary Ann Frank by Joyce and Joe Mackin
<b>Thurs. Feb. 17</b> 7:10am	<b>Feria, IV</b> Teresa Rose Julien Ana Julien
<b>Fri. Feb. 18</b> 7:10am 6:30pm	<b>Feria, IV</b> Natalie Fonticoba/ Eric & Catherine Zeiger by Fonticoba's Priests & Priestly Vocations by Chase Defelice
<b>Sat. Feb. 19</b> 9:00am	<b>Saturday of Our Lady, IV</b> Protection of the Unborn
<b>Sun. Feb. 20</b> 7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 6:00pm	<b>Sexagesima Sunday, II</b> Pro Populo Alysia Koufos Joshua Raver by Michael Raver +Emily Rose Taylor by Deirdre O'Leary

## PROPERS OF THE MASS

### *1 Cor. 9:24-27; 10:1-5*

Brethren: Do you not know that those who run in a race, all indeed run, but one receives the prize? So run as to obtain it. And everyone in a contest abstains from all things - and they indeed to receive a perishable crown, but we an imperishable. I, therefore, so run as not without a purpose; I so fight as not beating the air; but I chastise my body and bring it into subjection, lest perhaps after preaching to others I myself should be rejected. For I would not have you ignorant, brethren, that our fathers were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, all were baptized in Moses, in the cloud and in the sea. And all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink for they drank from the spiritual rock which followed them, and the rock was Christ. Yet with most of them God was not well pleased.

### *Matt 20:1-16*

At that time, Jesus spoke to His disciples this parable: The kingdom of heaven is like a householder who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. And having agreed with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. And about the third hour, he went out and saw others standing in the market place idle; and he said to them, 'Go you also into the vineyard, and I will give you whatever is just.' So they went. And again he went out about the sixth, and about the ninth hour, and did as before. But about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing about and he said to them, 'Why do you stand here all day idle?' They said to him, 'Because no man has hired us.' He said to them, 'Go you also into the vineyard.' But when evening had come, the owner of the vineyard said to his steward,

## TODAY

### Sunday, February 13

- Septuagesima Sunday—Begin collection of palms
- Second Collection—Seminary Burse
- Third Collection—Poor Missions
- Sunday Socials—After 9am & 11am Mass
- Catechism Classes—10:10am-10:50am
- Young Adult Brunch—1pm
- Vespers—5pm—Exposition—5:30pm

## UPCOMING

### Monday, February 14

- Legion of Mary—5:45pm
- Adult Inquiry Class—6pm-6:55pm
- Adult Catechism Class—7pm-8pm

### Friday, February 18

- Vespers of the Dead—5pm
- Requiem Mass—6:30pm Deceased Members of the FSSP.

### Saturday, February 19

- Knights of Columbus—10:30am
- Youth Group—6pm-9pm Social Hall

### Sunday, February 20

- Sexagesima Sunday
- Knights of the Altar Meeting—After 11am Mass

### Sunday, February 27

- Quinquagesima Sunday—Deadline for submitting palms to be burned

### Wednesday, March 2

- Ash Wednesday—6:15am & 7pm Mass

'Call the laborers, and pay them their wages, beginning from the last even to the first.' Now when they of the eleventh hour came, they received each a denarius. And when the first in their term came, they thought that they would receive more; but they also received each his denarius. And on receiving it, they began to murmur against the householder, saying, 'These last have worked a single hour, and you have put them on a level with us, who have borne the burden of the day's heat.' But answering one of them, he said, 'Friend, I do you no injustice; did you not agree with me for a denarius? Take what is yours and go; I choose to give to this last even as to you. Have I not a right to do what I choose? Or are you envious because I am generous?' Even so the last shall be first, and the first last; for many are called, but few are chosen

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## NEW KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL:



Having had a strong response from the men of the parish interested in establishing a new council of Knights, Fr. Smith has decided to move forward with inviting the Knights of Columbus to establish a council here at St. Lawrence. The next step will be a degree ceremony on Saturday, February 19 at 10:30am, at which all men intending to join

are welcome. This ceremony is meant to initiate the following men (18 and up) into the Knights of Columbus: those who are not members of the Knights of Columbus, current e-members, and for all 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> degree members. At the same time, it is open to the public, and anyone may come and show their support.

**How long is the ceremony?** Approximately 30-40 minutes.

**What are some special elements of the ceremony?** The ceremony emphasizes Fidelity to the Church, chivalry, brotherhood, the centrality of the Eucharist, and the Marian devotion that is expected of all Knights.

**What is the purpose of the Knights of Columbus?** The Knights of Columbus see themselves as the “*strong right arm of the Church*” (Pope St. John Paul II). They strive to unite men in service to Christ and the Catholic Church, especially through works of charity, building up parish and family life, financial protection, and through their strong support of, and service to priests.

**I thought Knights of Columbus ceremonies were private?** In an attempt to better serve the needs of the Order, the Knights of Columbus now has a public ceremony which anyone, including wives and children, may attend.

**What does a Knight promise in the initiation ceremony?**

- 1) to conduct oneself as a Catholic gentleman, and to live a life guided by the principles of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity.
- 2) as a practical (practicing) Catholic, to continue to form oneself in the Catholic Faith, to live in accord with the Precepts of the Catholic Church, and to participate in its sacramental life, especially through attendance at Sunday Mass
- 3) to promote the well-being of ones brother Knights, and to support the mission and activities of your council.
- 4) to obey the laws, rules and lawful authority of the Order.

**Sponsorships needed for parish library**—We are expanding the parish library with 75 volumes of the works of the greatest doctors of the church. If you would like to underwrite either the works of St. Thomas Aquinas or St. Augustine, we would be very grateful, and you would be doing a great service for the parish. A 31-volume set of St. Thomas, in a Latin-English side-by-side edition, costs \$1,706 by the Aquinas Institute. A 44-volume set of St. Augustine with a new translation by New City Press cost \$1,827.60. These books are not to be checked out of the library, but to remain in the library and enjoyed on site.

## FREE WEEKEND AT THOMAS AQUINAS COLLEGE:



If you are high school junior or senior, you are invited to spend a long weekend on campus socializing with college students, other prospective high school students, talking with teachers at the college, and getting a sense of what four years at this great-books college might be like. The program runs on the Massachusetts campus from Thursday,

Feb. 17, to Monday, Feb. 21. If you are interested, call the college at (413) 846-1200, or RSVP via the website at [www.thomasaquinas.edu/new-england-open-house-rsvp](http://www.thomasaquinas.edu/new-england-open-house-rsvp)

**Saint Lawrence of Rome Youth Group:** Please join us on Saturday, February 19, 2022 in the social hall from 6-9 pm for our annual Jeopardy Night. After Father Killackey's talk, the evening will conclude with the prayers of the rosary in the chapel. Feel free to bring a snack to share and a friend. Anyone age 13- through high school is welcome! For questions contact [youthgroup@stlawrence.cc](mailto:youthgroup@stlawrence.cc)

**Young Adults:** For any young adults (ages 18-35) interested, the St. Lawrence Young Adult Group will be meeting after the 11am Mass today, Sunday, Feb. 13, at Squeaky Rail Diner ( 505 N Enola Rd, Enola, PA 17025) to have brunch together. We will meet there around 1pm. For more information contact Fr. Killackey at [assistant.pastor@stlawrence.cc](mailto:assistant.pastor@stlawrence.cc)

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL – K-8:** Saint Leo the Great Catholic School, in Lancaster, PA, is seeking a devout, dedicated and dynamic leader to guide and maintain its thriving Elementary School. For more information, see the Employment Listings on the Diocese of Harrisburg website: [www.hbgdiocese.org](http://www.hbgdiocese.org). Please send Resume and Letter of Interest by March 4, 2022 to: Ann Everest, Department of Education, Diocese of Harrisburg, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111-3710 or by e-mail: [aeverest@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:aeverest@hbgdiocese.org)

**Knights of the Altar:** There will be a Knights of the Altar Meeting every 3rd Sunday after the 11am Mass. The next meeting will be held Sunday, February 20. For more information contact Mr. Pitman or Mr. Rozman at [altar-boys@stlawrence.cc](mailto:altar-boys@stlawrence.cc)

**Coffee and Doughnut Socials:** We are very happy to once again have our socials in the basement after the 9 am and 11 am Masses. We invite everyone to come and get to know your fellow parishioners. To get to the basement, please go through the courtyard (through the door on the Epistle side of the Church), or by exiting the front of the church and entering through the exterior door on Buttonwood Street.

**Inquiry Class Reminder:** If you are not Catholic and are interested in Catholicism, or if you know of anyone who is at all interested, we hold an Inquiry class every Monday at 6pm in the school building behind church. This is a no commitment class and all one needs to do is show up. If you have questions, you are welcome to contact the office at [contact@stlawrence.cc](mailto:contact@stlawrence.cc)

**Expectant Mothers:** If you are expecting a child and registered in the Community, please let us know so we can put your expected date in our date book and rejoice with your family! Please notify us at [contact@stlawrence.cc](mailto:contact@stlawrence.cc)

**Registration at St. Lawrence:** The Pastor and Assistant Pastor 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.

**Openings in the Choir at St. Lawrence:** The choir has openings for additional dedicated volunteers and two qualified section leaders. Members are expected to be available for Thursday evening rehearsals, Sunday 11am Masses throughout the year, and for other important Feast Days as notified. Volunteers with previous choral experience are preferred, but those with strong desire may be considered at the discretion of the Music Director. Section Leader positions are available for Alto, and Tenor; all applicants must audition and demonstrate strong vocal musicianship. Inquiries can be directed to Paul Thomas May at [music@stlawrence.cc](mailto:music@stlawrence.cc)



### Sunday Collections Week of February 6, 2022

Offertory (Feb 6):	\$ 6,775.00
Online Giving (Jan.31–Feb. 6):	\$ 6,213.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 12,988.00</b>

**Sunday Socials: Help still needed!** Please consider helping with our Sunday Socials after the 9am and 11am Mass. The goal is to have many volunteers so that volunteers only have to do their duty once every month or two.

**Doughnut Procurement:** Doughnuts can be picked up anytime between 7am and the start of 9am Mass at Enola Dunkin Donuts. Doughnuts are preordered by the Office.

**Coffee Social Setup 9am Mass:** 8:30am—8:50am  
Set up drinks, donut table, etc.

**Coffee Social Greeter 9am Mass:** 9:55am—10:10am  
Opens alley door to enable parishioners entry to social.

**Coffee Social Setup 11am Mass:** 10:30am—10:45am  
Place Doughnuts on table, drinks, etc. after 9am social

**Coffee Social Greeter 11am Mass:** 12:25am—12:40am  
Opens alley door to enable parishioners entry to social.

**Coffee Social Cleanup:** 30 minute commitment anytime prior to Vespers. Put away coffee pots, etc. Clean social hall as needed.

### Processional Hymn Man to Christ's Sacred Wounds



O pleasant spot! O place of rest!  
O royal rift! O worthy wound!  
Come harbor me, a weary guest,  
That in the world no east have found!

I lie lamenting at Thy gate,  
Yet dare I not adventure in:  
I bear with me a troublous mate,  
And cumbered am with heaps of sin.

Discharge me of this heavy load,  
That easier passage I may find,  
Within this bower to make abode,  
And in this glorious tomb be shrined.

Here must I live, here must I die,  
Here would I utter all my grief;  
Here would I all those pains descry,  
Which here did meet for my relief.

### Recessional Hymn Hearken, Shepherd of the Sheep

Christ, enthroned in highest Heaven, Hear us crying  
from the deep, For the faithful ones departed, For the  
souls of all that sleep; As Thy kneeling Church en-  
treateth, Hearken, Shepherd of the sheep.

King of Glory, hear our voices, Grant Thy faithful  
rest, we pray; We have sinned, and may not bide it,  
If Thou mark our steps astray; Yet we plead the sav-  
ing Victim, Which for them we bring today.

That which Thou Thyself hast offered To Thy Fa-  
ther, offer we; Let it win for them a blessing, Bless  
them, Jesu, set them free; They are Thine, they wait  
in patience; Merciful and gracious be.

