# St. Lawrence Catholic Church

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



June 30, 2024

# **MASS TIMES**

**Sunday**: 7:30am, 9:00am, 6:00pm (Low), 11:00am (High)

Monday to Friday: 7:10am Saturday: 9:00am Wednesday and Friday: 6:30pm

CONFESSIONS — Before each Mass

## **EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION**

**Sunday**: 5:30 to 5:50pm Solemn with Benediction **Tuesday**: 8 to 11:45am Solemn with Benediction

Friday: 5:30 to 6:25pm Simple Adoration except during Lent

**Saturday**: 8 to 8:45am Solemn with Benediction

# MONTHLY DEVOTIONS

**St. Jude**: 3rd Wednesday, 5:30 to 7:30pm **Sacred Heart**: 1st Friday, 5:30 to 7:30pm

# DIVINE OFFICE — Daily except Monday and Thursday.

Terce: 8am None: Noon Vespers: 5pm

**Compline**: 7pm (1st Friday)

Terce and None are recited privately on Sunday.

# PARISH ADMINISTRATION

Rev. James Smith, FSSPPastorfr.smith@stlawrence.ccRev. Cidrian Cortes, FSSPAssistant Pastorfr.cortes@stlawrence.ccRev. Zachary BarryAssistant Pastorfr.barry@stlawrence.ccMr. Paul Thomas MayMusic Directormusic@stlawrence.cc

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# **TODAY**

#### Sunday, June 30

- External Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul
- Novena in preparation for the FSSP General Chapter
- · No Sunday Socials
- Adult Catechism—12:45pm

# **UPCOMING**

### Monday, July 1

- Feast of the Most Precious Blood—High Mass at 6:30pm
- No Monday Night Basketball at the YMCA
- Novena in preparation for the FSSP General Chapter

### Tuesday, July 2

- Novena in preparation for the FSSP General Chapter
- Legion of Mary—6:30pm

#### Wednesday, July 3

• Novena in preparation for the FSSP General Chapter

### Thursday, July 4

• FSSP General Chapter begins

### Saturday, July 6

- Inquiry class—3:30pm
- St. Tarcisius Group with Fr. Cortes—5:30pm

#### Sunday, July 7

- Sunday Socials organized by Holy Name Society
- · No Adult Catechism

#### Monday, July 8

• Monday Night Basketball at the YMCA

#### Monday, July 8-12

• Parish Chant Camp for Youth

#### Friday, July 12

 St. John Gualbert—High Mass at 11:00am (sung by Chant Camp Choristers)

#### Sunday, July 14

No Adult Catechism

#### Monday, July 15-19

• Acolyte Boot Camp for new and experienced servers

#### Monday, July 15

St. Henry II—High Mass at 6:30pm

#### Tuesday, July 16

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Wednesday, July 17

• St.Alexius—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Thursday, July 18

- St. Camillus de Lellis—High Mass at 6:30pm
- FSSP General Chapter ends

#### Friday, July 19

St. Vincent de Paul—High Mass at 6:30pm

# MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Jun 30 Sixth Sunday After Pentecost, II

7:30am † John Costello

9:00am John Francis Burke Family by Julianne Burke

11:00am Pro Populo

6:00pm Lucia Immaculata Carrizo by Jamison & Kelly Jones

Mon. Jul 1 The Most Precious Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, I

7:10am Megan & Julia Tomalis by Liz Tomalis

6:30pm † George & Margaret Fonner by Bill O'Connell

Tue. Jul 2 The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, II

7:10am Living & Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary by Alice

Mansell

Wed. Jul 3 St. Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr, III

7:10am † Augusta Wildt by Joe & Joyce Mackin 6:30pm Anthony D. DiSanto by Anthony DiSanto

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Thu. Jul 4 Feria, IV

7:10am Mary Belton by Thomas & Jennifer Lynch

Fri. Jul 5 St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Confessor, III

7:10am Reparation to Sacred & Immaculate Hearts by Julianne

Burke

6:30pm † Souls in Purgatory by Anthony DiSanto

Sat. Jul 6 Saturday of Our Lady, IV

9:00am In Thanksgiving by Mary Ann Vigilante

Sun. Jul 7 Seventh Sunday After Pentecost, II

7:30am Mary Belton by Thomas & Jennifer Lynch

9:00am Agnes Bartha Lakatos

11:00am † Joseph Parisi by Mr.& Mrs. Renda and family

6:00pm Eve Healy

**HELP NEEDED WITH ALTAR LINENS**—We are in need of more help with the altar linens guild, especially those with experience ironing. If you are willing to invest four hours per month on this sacred work, your help would be grately appreciated.

**AUG. 11: RSVP TODAY FOR THE PARISH PICNIC**—Plan now to attend the annual parish picnic on August 11, on which we will celebrate



the External Solemnity of St. Lawrence. We will take the opportunity then to welcome formally Fr. Barry to St. Lawrence, and to congratulate him on reaching 10 years as a priest. We are planning food, sports, and fun for the picnic, and we look forward to catching up! Please RSVP now so that we can have an accurate number to plan the food. Use this link: https://bit.ly/stlawrence-picnic24, or scan the code.

MASS PROPERS HAVE MOVED—The Scripture readings of today's Mass are now included in a separate handout, which includes the Scripture readings as well as other propers of the Mass.

SS. PETER AND PAUL—Today we celebrate the External Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, whose feast was yesterday, June 29. A major feast in the Roman calendar, it is also important to the FSSP, which has a devotion to St. Peter especially, recognizing the need and obligation we have to be united to the visible head of Christ's Church. As such, we will celebrate the Mass of June 29 at the 9am and 11am Masses today.

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| Altar Linens Guild   |
| altarlinens@stlawrence.cc                                  |
| Choir & Choristers   |
| Practice weekly—music@stlawrence.ccPaul Thomas May         |
| Church Cleaning  |
| Rotates weekly—clean@stlawrence.cc Kristin Patterson       |
| <b>Confraternity of Christian Mothers</b>                  |
| Monthly—mothers@stlawrence.cc Stephanie Fonticoba          |
| <b>Events Coordinators</b>                                 |
| events@stlawrence.ccKris Keck                              |
| Flower Guild   |
| flowers@stlawrence.ccFr. Barry                             |
| Friday Religious Education Program                         |
| Grades K-12, Weekly—dre@stlawrence.cc Dr. Phil Cuccia      |
| Girls Sodality   |
| Ages 9 -14—girlssodality@stlawrence.cc                     |
| Holy Name Society  |
| Monthly—holyname@stlawrence.ccJamison Jones                |
| Knights of the Altar                                       |
| Altar Servers—altarboys@stlawrence.cc Ed Pitman            |
| Knights of Columbus  |
| Monthly—knights@stlawrence.cc                              |
| The Legion of Mary   |
| Weekly—legionofmary@stlawrence.cc                          |
| Meal Train   |
| mealtrain@stlawrence.ccElizabeth Firoozmand                |
| Parking Ambassador   |
| parking@stlawrence.cc                                      |
| Prayer Chain   |
| prayers@stlawrence.cc Fr. Cortes                           |
| Pro-Life Group   |
| Monthly—prolife@stlawrence.ccKris Keck                     |
| St. Tarcisius  |
| Ages 5-12, Monthly—sttarcisius@stlawrence.cc Dan Miccolupi |
| Sunday CCD   |
| Grades K-12, Weekly—dre@stlawrence.cc                      |
| Tuesday Adoration  |
| Tuesdays—tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.ccAmanda Healy        |
| Ushers   |
| ushers@stlawrence.cc                                       |

Ages 18-35, Monthly—youngadults@stlawrence.cc.....Fr. Cortes

Ages 13-18, Monthly—yg@stlawrence.cc .....Joelle Riethmiller

Young Adult Group

Youth Group

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

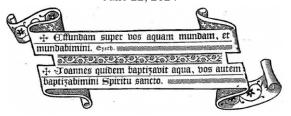
Congratulations to:

Jared and Sarah Yutzy
on the Baptism of their daughters
Emmanuelle Peace Yutzy and
Zipporah Mercy Yutzy
June 22, 2024

&

Daniel and Theresa Beckers on the Baptism of their daughter Bernadette Rose Beckers

June 22, 2024



ACOLYTE BOOT CAMP REGISTRATION—Monday,

July 15 to Friday, July 19. Open to all boys who have received their First Holy Communion. We will be blessed with two FSSP seminarians to train the boys to serve at Low Mass, Sung Mass, Vespers, and Benediction. This will be a great opportunity for your boys to learn new serving roles and we will have a special class dedicated to teaching the new boys their Latin prayers. Every evening we will have Vespers with ceremony, Exposition and Benediction, and Sung Mass or Solemn High Mass. There is no cost to participate in Acolyte Boot Camp. Online registraion: https://bit.ly/servercamp

SLOTS FOR ADORATION AVAILABLE—There are currently two open spots for Tuesday morning Adoration. One is needed at 9am and one at 11am. Please consider volunteering for one of these availible times and offering up an hour of your day to pray in the company of Our Lord for your own intentions, the intentions of the Church, and the world at large. If you wish to sign up for one of these hours or any other regular time, please email Amanda Healy at: tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.cc

CHANT CAMP REGISTRATION—Registration continues for our annual youth chant camp, which runs from Monday, July 8, to Friday, July 12, and is open to both parishioners and non-parishioners. Each day includes instruction on sacred music and culminates with an 11am Sung Mass on Friday, July 12. Lunch, sports, and games are included each day at Wormleysburg Park. We are also looking for volunteers to help the camp run. Please email contact@stlawrence.cc if you would like to assist.

**FR. SMITH ON FSSP BUSINESS FOR JULY**—Fr. Smith will be attending the FSSP general chapter in Denton, Nebraska, as an elected member, and will therefore travel on July 2. In addition, Father will go as he has in past years, to the Napa Institute's summer conference at the end of July.

**FR. BARRY ON VACATION**—Fr. Barry has been on vacation for the past week and is due back tomorrow.

**VOLUNTEER FOR CATECHISM (CCD)**—October will be here before you know it, and the new academic year of Sunday catechism will begin. Following our largest ever enrollment in CCD, which had 119 students for the 2023-2024, we look



forward to an exciting new academic year of passing on our holy religion to the next generation. If you would like to be a part of this great project—as a teacher, aide, substitute, or hall monitor—please volunteer by visiting this link: https://www.bit.ly/stlawrence-ccd24-25 or scan the code.

A WELL-EARNED RETIREMENT—The parish's long-term bookkeeper, Mary Ann Vigilante, retired from her post here at the parish after 31 years of work at parishes of the dioceses. Tuesday was her last day. Not only has Mary Ann been a dedicated parishioner at Mater Dei, but she has always been especially attached to this church as her father was the first child to be baptized at St. Lawrence Church more than century ago when it first opened. Please congratulate Mary Ann for her loving and dedicated work to Mater Dei and St. Lawrence. In addition to having earned her retirement, she also has been dedicating herself to taking care of her mother, Anna Margaret Pierich, who died Wednesday at age 98. The funeral for Mrs. Pierich, a parishioner of Holy Name in Harrisburg, is tentatively scheduled for tomorrow, Monday, July 1.

**NOVENA FOR FSSP GENERAL CHAPTER**—The Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter will hold its general chapter from July 3 to 18 in Denton, Nebraska. For a religious order, the general chapter is the highest governing body with the task of electing the superior general and his leadership team. For the FSSP, the general chapter meets for a few weeks every six years to choose the team to work out of FSSP headquarters in Switzerland, as well as the task of making policies for the FSSP. This year's general chapter is made up of 36 FSSP priests, 19 of which were elected by their confreres, and the rest attending due to their positions. In preparation for this chapter, the FSSP superior general has requested that all of the priests and the Faithful of our apostolates pray a novena which began June 25 and will end July 3, the day of recollection for the Chapter. The prayer will be the Veni Creator, with verse, responsory and oration. Please pray that the chapter will be lead by the Holy Ghost to choose wisely the best team to lead the FSSP for the next six years.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS ENTHRONEMENT—"We the Christians are the true Israel which springs from Christ, for we are carved out of His heart as from a rock." - St. Justin Martyr (d. 165) June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Father Mateo Crawley-Boevey, a South American priest of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary, was inspired by God, after his instantaneous cure at Paray-le-Monial, to preach everywhere the Enthronement of the Sacred Heart to verify this promise of the Saviour given to St. Margaret Mary: "I will bless every dwelling where an image of My Heart is both exposed and honoured." During the Enthronement ceremony, a blessed image of the Sacred Heart is hung in the most prominent place in the house. To learn more and to request to have the Image of the Sacred Heart enthroned in your home, please visit: https://stlawrence.cc/welcome/enthronement.

### **Notes on Today's Music**

Hymn prior to Mass: Veni Creator Spiritus, 956

Recessional hymn: Holy God, We Praise Thy Name, 881

Kyriale: Mass III, 705; Credo IV, 780

Motet after Offertory: Tu Es Petrus, Rev. Michael Haller (1840-

1915)

Communion Antiphon: Tu Es Petrus, Heinrich Isaac

Both choral works for this Sunday use the text *Tu Es Petrus*, which is the communion antiphon for the Feast of Ss. Peter & Paul. Rev. Michael Haller sets the text in a simple four part hymn style. While the setting by **Heinrich Isaac** takes its inspiration from the original Gregorian melody. Isaac begins with the incipit from the chant and each voice enters individually; the bass voice has keeps the melody throughout. Isaac illustrates building—"...I will build my church."—by having each voice stack on top of one another and form the only static chord in the middle of this short motet.

Heinrich Isaac (c.1450–1517) was a Renaissance composer from the South Netherlandish region. His output was rivaled only by Orlandus Lassus in number and variety of composition. Most notable of his collections is *Choralis Constantinus* which contains nearly 400 Gregorian chant based motets of propers for the Mass.

# **Processional Hymn**

Veni Creator Spiritus

Words and music for this chant are found on a separate sheet in the back of the church and on page 956 in the hymnal. Below is the English translation of the first three verses.

Come, Holy Spirit, Creator blest, and in our souls take up Thy rest; come with Thy grace and heavenly aid to fill the hearts which Thou hast made.

O comforter, to Thee we cry, O heavenly gift of God Most High, O fount of life and fire of love, and sweet anointing from above.

Thou in Thy sevenfold gifts are known; Thou, finger of God's hand we own; Thou, promise of the Father, Thou Who dost the tongue with power imbue.

# Sunday Collections Week of June 23, 2024

Offertory (June 23) \$ 5,787.88 Vestments (June 23) 41.00 Online Giving (June 17 - June 23) 4,604.43

Total: \$ 10,433.31

### **BUILDING FUND**

### April 2024

\$13,263.00 (actual) vs. \$13,000.00 (monthly goal) \$132,039.25 (YTD actual) vs. \$130,000.00 (YTD goal)

### May 2024

\$19,967.75 (actual) vs. \$13,000.00 (monthly goal) \$152,007.00 (YTD actual) vs. \$143,000.00 (YTD goal)

### **Recessional Hymn**

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Holy God, we praise Thy Name; Lord of all, we bow before Thee! All on earth Thy scepter claim, All in Heav'n above adore Thee; Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign.

Hark! The loud celestial hymn Angel choirs above are raising, Cherubim and seraphim, In unceasing chorus praising; Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy, Lord.

Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name Thee; While in essence only One, Undivided God we claim Thee; And adoring bend the knee, While we own the mystery.