

Sunday Mass Schedule

7:30 a.m. Low Mass

9:00 a.m. Sung Mass

(followed by Benediction on 1st Sundays)

11:30 a.m. Low Mass

1:00 p.m. Low Mass

Confessions are heard before, during and after all of these Masses *(Subject to change, depending on the availability of the priests)*

Regular Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday 6:30 a.m.

Tuesday 6:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

Wednesday 6:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Thursday 12:10 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Friday 6:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. (followed by Benediction)

*Communion service at 5:45 a.m. only on days when there is a 6:30a.m. Mass.*

Confessions Heard Before and After all of these Masses

St. Benedict Parish in Fort Worth

Father Karl Pikus, FSSP & Father Peter Byrne, FSSP

2920 Azle Ave, Fort Worth, Texas; Phone: 817-962-7962

Recommended Internet Filtering

<https://meetcircle.com/circle-go/>

*Please Keep In Your Prayers... Kallie Turner, Christi Martin, April Biondi, John Doughty, Paige Cox, Patricia McCord, Martha Abella, Damian Sipe, Maria, Thomas DaGroomes, Elizabeth Nugent, MC, JJ, Doskey family, Chris, Delores Niemann, Rory Nunley, Leano Family, Marvin Hlavenka, Fr. Joseph Terra, Larsen Family, DePauw Family, Becky Carr, Jamie Hahn, David Rewolinski, Taryn Farquhar and family, Mark Gonzales, Denita Arnold, Brian Pilgrim, Joe Woolbright, the Larkin Family, Frances Hill, Randy Wimmer, Ari Mae Aguilar & Candace Brown, Kathy Gill, Carla Brown & Carl Hamilton, Rimmel family, Doneta Ferguson,*

*Mater Dei priests, friends & benefactors.*

*For the Souls of the Faithfully Departed... Doug Pearson, Thavamani Pillai, Richard & Sandy Holmes, James, Evelyn Sorrells, Carolyn Wiewel, Mary Lou Fife, Sylvie Tomich*

Liturgical Calendar and Fr. Longua's Masses

DAY	DATE	FEAST or (Commemoration)	CLASS/ COLOR	PASTOR'S MASS INTENTIONS
Mon	10/03	St. Therese of the Child Jesus	3W	- Erica Kauffman
Tue	10/04	St.. Francis of Assisi	3W	- Martha Henry
Wed	10/05	Feria (Ss. Placid & Companions)	4G	- Elaine Longua †
Thu	10/06	St. Bruno	3W	- FTL Private
Fri	10/07	Our Lady of the Rosary (St. Mark)	2W	- Mary Lou Fife †
Sat	10/08	St. Bridget of Sweden	3W	- Friends of the Suffering Souls
Sun	10/09	21st Sunday after Pentecost	2G	- Pro Populo

Mater Dei Parish

Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter



under the Roman Catholic Diocese of Dallas





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Fr. Joseph Portzer, FSSP, Parochial Vicar

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## Announcements

### Mater Dei Life Chain begins at 2pm today.

Professionally printed signs provided, in the front parking lot. *Everyone is encouraged to pray for an end to abortion and to publically stand up for the lives of our preborn brothers and sisters, who are too small to dial 911.* Kindly note the list of other Dallas locations, for today's Life Chains, in the vestibule.  
Questions? [prolife@materdeiparish.com](mailto:prolife@materdeiparish.com)

### Mater Dei's Christmas Pageant

**Sign-up will be in the social hall, after the 9 & 11:30am Masses, TODAY & on Oct. 6th.**

Auditions are opening soon!!

We are in need of two outstanding narrators, a graceful Mary, a humble Joseph, a furious Herod with his soldiers, solemn angels (and cute little ones!), joyful shepherds, regal wise men, sheep and villagers.  
*We also need a backstage crew & coordinators!*  
Contact: Sandrine at [sandradak@gmail.com](mailto:sandradak@gmail.com)

***The campaign has started!*** We want to join the united effort to end abortion in our country. ***During the 40 Days for Life, we will focus our daily Rosary for this intention.***  
**Get all the latest updates, for the UNITED 40 Days for Life campaign and tour.**  
**at: <http://40daysunited.com>**

The **ADULT CATECHISM** class will meet Tues., Oct. 4th @ 7pm, in the Parish Hall

**Instructions in the Faith** (convert class) Tues., Oct. 4th @ 7pm, in the St. Paul classroom.

## Announcements

### FIRST FRIDAY ALL-NIGHT ADORATION VIGIL OF THE TWO HEARTS, OCT. 7TH-8TH



*In keeping with the tradition begun by the Sisters of the Carmelite Monastery in Dallas the purpose of this vigil is to beg God's mercy and Our Lady's intercession for America.*

#### FRIDAY: Oct. 7th

6:30 pm Sacred Heart Devotions  
6:45 pm Exposition  
7:45 pm Repose of the Blessed Sacrament  
8:00 pm Mass  
9:00 pm - 8:00 am Exposition & All-Night Adoration

#### SATURDAY: Oct. 8th

7:30 am Confessions  
7:45 am Benediction  
8:00 am Mass

Please sign up for Eucharistic Adoration on the adoration sign-up calendar to help ensure that we have adequate attendance for Our Lord at all hours of the vigil.

**Here is a link to the sign-up calendar:**

<http://materdeiparish.com/adoration20161007>

In Obedience & Humility to God and Charity to Neighbor, please respect the Mater Dei dress code.

General: No tight-fitting, sheer, see through materials.

Men: No shorts or t-shirts. Women: Keep a modest cut neckline and cover the shoulders and knees (no slits above knee).

Veiling is welcomed and appreciated (1 Corinthians 11:2-16)

September Pancake Breakfast, by the Mater Dei Knights of Columbus Council, collected \$475.18 for the Parish Relief Fund. ***Thank you for to your generosity!***

**Names of the departed to be included in the All Souls Masses...**  
Please submit NEW names of the departed that you would like to include in the All Souls Masses. The names will remain on the altar for the month of November. *If you have submitted names in the past, for this purpose, you need not submit them again, we saved those lists - we are just looking to add new names.* **Submit by Oct. 30th to: [secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto:secretary@materdeiparish.com)**

## Announcements

### 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF MATER DEI AND THE FSSP IN DALLAS & 2016 MATER DEI PARISH ANNIVERSARY

**You are invited to celebrate with us on Sunday, Oct. 9th. At 2:15pm. We will commemorate the dedication of our parish, on the feast of the Divine Maternity of Our Lady, along with an additional commemoration of the 25th Anniversary of Mater Dei and the FSSP in Dallas.**

Along with Honoring Our Blessed Mother with flowers, songs and prayers, in the parish hall, we will celebrate the day, as a community, with food, friends and games, in and around the parish buildings. *Please bring a food item to share with others and beverages/personal picnic supplies for your family.* There will be an outdoor tent, bounce house and team games, such as Volleyball, Football, Basketball and Frisbee. There will also be organized activities for the little ones (and older ones!).

**Pie Contest and Cupcake Walk:** Mark your pie with a 3x5 card showing your name, email or phone # and kind of pie it is (No refrigerated/cold pies please). Please consider bring cupcakes and /or cookies to donate, which will be used in a Cupcake Walk until all items are gone!

**Please no refrigerated items.**

**NOTE:** Parishioners may invite family and friends [Not open to the public]. Donations will be accepted to cover costs. ***Please RSVP via the online form at***

<http://www.materdeiparish.com/2016anniversary>

Please consider **signing up to volunteer** to help during the day <http://materdeiparish.com/2016anniversary-volunteer>

Questions? Contact Melvyn Fernandes at

[fernsmr@yahoo.com](mailto:fernsmr@yahoo.com)

An Eagle Scout candidate, Joe Bartke, would like to build a Marian Grotto for Mater Dei. **This is not a Mater Dei parish project; Mater Dei will be an unsolicited beneficiary of this young man's project.**

*To facilitate this ambitious venture he is looking for donations of any of the following:* Oklahoma sandstone, quarry stone, edging, stakes, decorative gravel, concrete, mesh/re-bar. Whatever is not donated will be covered by fund raisers. *He would greatly appreciate your help.*

Please direct all inquiries to: [grottoforMaterDei@gmail.com](mailto:grottoforMaterDei@gmail.com)

*Please visit the church website business directory & patronize parishioner businesses; [materdeiparish.com](http://materdeiparish.com) under 'parish life'.*