

MASSES, INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, December 8 (White) Immaculate Conception of Our Lady, I Class

Almighty God, having decided from all eternity to make Mary the Mother of the Word Incarnate clothed her with the robe of holiness and made her soul a dwelling worthy of His Son. That complete Redemption which, from the moment of her conception, preserved our Lady from original sin, must not be considered apart from our own redemption by Christ. Occurring in Advent, this feast heralds the wonders of the Incarnation, by which Redemption came to the world. This feast was instituted by Bl. Pius IX when the dogma was defined on December 8, 1854; the solemn definition, spurred by our Lady's appearance at Lourdes, was an assertion of the constant faith of the Church and a statement of the Church's precise belief in this matter.

- 7:00a Alfred Vidimos (RIP)
- 9:00a Pro Populo
- 11:30a Angela Wimmer (RIP)
- 1:30p Dick Cabela (RIP)
- 5:30p Marne Feuerborn

MONDAY, December 9 (Violet) Feria of Advent, III Class

- 12:10p Dana & Joey Schuberg
- 7:00p Zachary & Mary Moritz

TUESDAY, December 10 (Violet) Feria of Advent, III Class (St. Melchiades)

- 6:30a Roman Ziolkowski (RIP)
- 12:10p Edward Roba (RIP)

WEDNESDAY, December 11 (White) St. Damasus I, Pope, III Class

St. Damasus was the archivist of the Roman Church before his elevation to the throne of St. Peter in 366. He continued to concern himself with the history and cult of the martyrs. The walls of the Roman catacombs bear many epitaphs composed by him in honor of the martyrs. He died in 384.

- 6:30a Charles Brydon
- 7:00p Frank Murphy Jr. (RIP)

THURSDAY, December 12 (White) Our Lady of Guadalupe, III Class

On December 9, 1531, the Holy Mother of God appeared to an Indian convert, St. Juan Diego, and left him with a picture of herself impressed upon his mantle. The image would be instrumental in bringing about the conversion of Mexico, which was just beginning to emerge from the darkness of idolatry after the collapse of the Aztec empire.

- 6:30a Deceased Pool Family members
- 12:10p Severo Javier Alanis (RIP)
- 7:00p William Haeussler, Sr. (RIP)

FRIDAY, December 13 (Red) St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr, III Class

Patroness of Sicily, St. Lucy is one of the saints held in greatest honor in Italy. She suffered martyrdom in 303 or 304 and is the patroness for those who suffer with eye ailments.

- 6:30a Monica Gonzalez
- 12:10p Veronica Ramirez

SATURDAY, December 14 (Violet) Feria of Advent, III Class

- 8:00a Michael Schwalm
- 9:30a Charles Brydon

SUNDAY, December 15 (Rose) Gaudete Sunday, I Class

Devotions and Communion Services

Devotions on Sunday: Rosary 30 min. before 7am Mass; Sung Vespers 4:45p; Exposition after 1:30p Mass with Benediction at 4:30pm on the 1st Sunday of the month.

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

Weekday Rosary times: 30 min. before Mass

Friday Sacred Heart Devotions 7:00pm (Adoration 7:15-8:30pm)

Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun. Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.



Mater Dei Parish

Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

Fr. Peter Bauknecht, FSSP, Pastor

Fr. Brian McDonnell, FSSP, Parochial Vicar

Fr. Joseph Favole-Mihm, FSSP, Parochial Vicar

Fr. James Buckley, FSSP, In Residence



DECEMBER 8, 2019 FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Week Day Low Mass Schedule

- Monday 12:10p, 7p
- Tuesday 6:30a, 12:10p
- Wednesday 6:30a, 7p
- Thursday 6:30a, 12:10p, 7p
- Friday 6:30a, 12:10p
- Saturday 8:00a, 9:30a

Sunday Mass Schedule

- 7:00a Low Mass
- 9:00a Solemn Mass
- 11:30a Sung Mass
- 1:30p Low Mass
- 5:30p Low Mass

Confessions heard before all Masses, as well as during the Masses on Sundays

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Office: 972- 438-7600; For Sacramental Emergencies: 972- 438-7600, Press #1



Family Photos With St. Nicholas of Myra

St Nicholas will be visiting Mater Dei again this year for family photographs

TODAY, after the 9:00 am and the 11:30 am Masses, in the Parish Hall.

Donations will be accepted, and all proceeds will benefit the Mater Dei Building Fund.

Christmas Tree Sale

Parishioners Brandon & Mary Misko are selling Christmas Trees again this year! Fresh Fraser Firs will be available December 7th and 8th at Mater Dei. To pre-order (recommended) and for more information visit eastarcadia.wordpress.com

National Night of Prayer for Life ~ 9:00 PM on Dec. 8th and go until 1:00 AM on Dec. 9th.

Again this year Mater Dei will participate in the National Night of Prayer for Life with Eucharistic Adoration for an end to abortion in America. This 4-hour adoration event is coordinated across the entire country to honor Our Blessed Mother and to implore her to bring about an end to abortion. During the hour from 11 to midnight, the Catholic nation will be united in prayer in all four time zones of the continental U.S. At Mater Dei, adoration will begin at 9:00 PM on Dec. 8th and go until 1:00 AM on Dec. 9th. 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: materdeiparish.com/natlnightprayer2019**

The Pro Life Apostolate is looking for Officers Meeting TODAY, 1:15pm in the St. Catherine Room. Come by to ask questions, find out what kind of leadership and volunteer positions are open, and see how you might like to be involved.
prolife@materdeiparish.com

The Disalced Carmelite Nuns Soup Collection
The Disalced Carmelite Nuns are in need of vegetarian soups during their time of fasting before Christmas. Please make sure the broth is not meat based. Progresso and Bear Creek brands have several vegetarian options. You can leave your donations in the Parish Hall and they will be delivered each Sunday to the Carmelites.
Any questions please email carmelitesupportgroup@materdeiparish.com

Carmelite Christmastide Meals
materdeiparish.com/carmelitechristmastidemeals2019
For almost 20 years the Mater Dei Community has been donating food to the Carmelite Nuns for the Christmastide Season. Thank you very much for donating, it is truly appreciated! Please drop off any donations in the green box labeled "Carmelite Donations" in the Parish Hall. If you have frozen or refrigerated foods, please label the items CARMELITE and place them in the freezer or fridge in the Mater Dei kitchen. All food will be delivered each Sunday to the Monastery. If you would like to drop the food items off yourself the Carmelite Nun's address is 600 Flowers Avenue, Dallas, TX, 75211. If you would rather make a tax deductible monetary donation to the Carmelites, please mail a check to Disalced Carmelite Nuns at the aforementioned address.
Any questions can be directed to carmelitesupportgroup@materdeiparish.com.

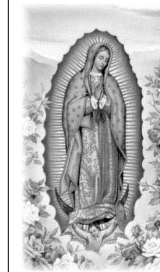
The Mater Dei St. Vincent de Paul Conference is offering assistance with Christmas dinners to families in need. Please call SVdP at 469-248-8507 to request assistance. The deadline for calls is 12/21/2019.

Mater Dei Financial Results	
FIRST QUARTER ENDED	
Regular Sunday Collections:	\$203,287
Parish Relief Fund Collections	4,941
Bookstore Income	24,931
Other Income:	10,578
Total Income	243,737
Employment	113,892
Charitable Contributions	2,874
Assessments	21,077
Insurance/Security	9,817
Office, Liturgical, Professional	20,478
Bookstore Expenses/Inventory	20,503
Mortgage Interest	1,630
Utilities	18,889
Depreciation	12,666
Maintenance & Equipment	25,509
Total Expenses	247,335
Net Income/(Loss)	(\$3,598)
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	
Building Fund/Capital Campaign Collections	\$162,951

If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact Susan Grygier, business.manager@materdeiparish.com

May God richly bless all of our very generous parishioners and benefactors.
-Father Bauknecht

The Sunday Social is looking for volunteers to help with the 9am and 11:30am socials for 2020.
We are especially in need of volunteers for the 11:30 Social even if you can only commit to one Sunday a year! To see how you can help, email sundaysocial@materdeiparish.com



Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

Dec. 12th, 2019

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Empress of Americas Feast Celebration.

Schedule of events:

- 6:30pm - Procession & Consecration
- 7pm - Sung Mass
- 8pm - Fundraising dinner (to support Mater Dei Pro-Life March Buses in January 2020.)

Mater Dei Bookstore

972-793-0484

bookstore@materdeiparish.com

Hours: Monday - closed
Tuesday - Friday 12:30-5:30pm
Saturday - 9:00am-12:00pm
Sunday after all Masses

To register at Mater Dei
<https://connectnow.parishsoft.com/dallas/>

To receive Mater Dei emails:
Go to flocknote.com/materdeiparish and follow the simple instructions.
By text: Text MATERDEI TO 84576

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Please Keep In Your Prayers... Mnafor "M" Asobo Kammeyne, Deanna Rombach, Maria Silvestre Lozano, Rose, Elisa Thornton, Greg Lilly, Carl Schwalm, Tollie Lee Pilgrim Jr., All considering abortion, Mater Dei priests friends & benefactors.
For the Souls of the Faithfully Departed.. Marsha Corcoran, Herman Arreguin, Jr, Catherine (Tritchka) Harris, Larry Harris, Ezra Harris, Marvin Hlavenka, Doug Pearson, Thavamani Pillai, Richard & Sandy Holmes, James, Evelyn Sorrells, Carolyn Wiewel, Mary Lou Fife, Sylvie Tomich, Rory Nunley, Marjorie Davis, Rolando de Luna, Thomaz DaGroomes, Eloise Cullum, Javier Reyes, Patrick Tinning, Mary Heidenhofer, Madeleine Medina, Bryan Okvist, Father Wieslaw Lipka, Hector Lopez, Trudi Weinberger, Delores Paplow, Mr. Brian McDonnell Sr., Angela Wimmer, Bishop Morlino, Mary Smith, Edward Rewolinski, Joseph LeRoy Siegmund Jr, Mr. Jim Irving, James Albert Cullum Jr., Fr. Michael Irwin

From the Dallas Diocese: Reporting Abuse-If you believe that you, or someone you know, is a victim of past or present abuse or sexual abuse, please notify law enforcement. In the event the abuse involves a minor, please also contact the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services through the Texas Abuse Hotline at 1-800-252-5400 or www.txabusehotline.org. Finally, if the abuse involves a member of the clergy, a parish employee, or diocesan employee, please also notify the Diocese of Dallas Victims Assistance Coordinator, Barbara Landregan, at 214-379-2812 or blandregan@cathdal.org