

**Blessing Tables Today**

**Drop off items** to be blessed on the tables at the north side of the in the Parish Hall, **on the First Sunday of the month** (blessings will not occur that day). **All items must be picked up on the Second Sunday of the month.** Mater Dei is not responsible for any items left at the table.

**Baby Banks are coming!**

Beginning Feb 14th Mater Dei will launch the Lenten Baby Bank Campaign. This is an easy way to show your support for little ones and mothers in need. Pro-life volunteers will be handing out banks in the St. Catherine classroom after all Masses. If you are interested in volunteering to help, please contact Mary at [prolife@materdeiparish.com](mailto:prolife@materdeiparish.com)

**MD Young Adults—Lundi Gras Fête**

It's time to eat, drink, and be merry before Lent 2021!  
Join the Young Adults at Vector Brewing for live music by the Breaker Boys & pizza,  
Where: Vector Brewing  
When: Monday, February 15th (7:00-9:30pm)  
Ages: 20s and 30s (married or single)



St. Joseph's Men's Guild  
Feb 16th @ 7:00 p. - 10:00 p  
Sign Up Here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0544afa72da7fa7-mens3>



**Lenten Friday Fish Fry**  
**These Fridays in Lent**  
**2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/26**  
5-6:30pm, Parish Hall  
Proceeds will benefit the parish St. Vicent de Paul Society

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

**Ash Wednesday**  
**FEBRUARY 17**  
**MASS TIMES TO BE ANNOUNCED**

**Sodality of Our Lady**

Are you a mother, wife, daughter, or sister who strives for holiness and desires to model your life after our Lady? Do you

desire a spiritual community bent on sanctifying each other?



For almost 500 years Our Lady's Sodality has set hearts on fire and guided the children of Mary toward Heaven by fostering a deeper filial love towards our Lord and our Lady! Join us for the inaugural meeting of the Sodality of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Francis de Sales!  
**FEBRUARY 23, 7:00 P.M.**

Adult women are invited but at the discretion of Father Director, girls 16 and older may be eligible. The meeting will commence at 7pm in the church with sung Vespers of the Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary, followed by an edifying exhortation given by Fr. Bauknecht, and Benediction. The meeting will conclude in the church hall with organizational notes and a social in honor of Mary.

*Year of Saint Joseph*



Using: "The Month of St. Joseph"  
by Rev. M. de Langalerie

In this Year of St. Joseph, Fr. Bauknecht is encouraging all parishioners to join the parish-wide March devotion to St. Joseph, using the book, "The Month of St. Joseph", by Rev. M de Langalerie. If you would like to purchase the book, the bookstore will be receiving a shipment for purchase very soon.

FREE PDF Version available here: <https://archive.org/details/themonthofstjose00languoft/page/n5/mode/2up>

**Donations** to Mater Dei Parish may be dropped off in the safe deposit drop by the Business Office or can be done online at: [materdeiparish.weshareonline.org](http://materdeiparish.weshareonline.org)

**Palm Collection**

There will be a labeled bin in the vestibule until 2/14 to collect last year's blessed palms that will be burned for Ash Wednesday.

**Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrim Virgin visit**

You have an unequalled opportunity to have Our Blessed Mother, Mary visit your family in your home! Sancta Maria Mater Dei Legion of Mary has a Pilgrim Virgin Statue that you can arrange to have visit your home for a week or so. If you are interested in arranging for a visit, sign up for the week you would like the visit to start. You will be contacted to confirm the visit.



<https://materdeiparish.com/pilgrimvirginvisit>

**MATER DEI BOOKSTORE**

972-793-0484

[bookstore@materdeiparish.com](mailto:bookstore@materdeiparish.com)

**Hours:** Monday - closed

Tuesday - Friday 12:30-5:30pm

Saturday - 9:00am-12:00pm

Sunday after all Masses

Dr. Albert E. Doskey, PH.D. will offer instruction on how to use the 1962 missal on the last Sunday of the month at 3pm.

**Bishop's Annual Appeal**

Please find envelopes in the vestibule for this year's Bishop Annual Appeal, which can be filled out and dropped in the deposit box by the business manager's office door in the classroom building. You also may donate online: [dallasbishopsappeal.com](http://dallasbishopsappeal.com)  
This is an opportunity to help the Catholic Diocese of Dallas to raise necessary funds to serve thousands of families & individuals throughout the diocese and North Texas.

**2021 Confirmations**

If you or your children are planning on receiving Confirmation this spring, please contact the office now for details (even if you registered last fall):  
[secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto:secretary@materdeiparish.com)

House Blessing requests are still on hold, until further notice.

**Please note:**  
**If Holy Communion is not distributed during the Mass, there will be a Communion Service immediately AFTER the Mass.**

All children 14 years and younger must be accompanied by a parent or older sibling while on property.



**Reminder:**  
**Stay home if you are sick**



**Please Keep In Your Prayers...** Jeanne Strzala, Margaret Grace Naranjo, Cheryl Anderson, Donald Fowler Nelson, William F. Nugent, Mark Woodson, Rose, Elisa Thornton, Carl Schwalm, All considering abortion, Mater Dei priests friends & benefactors.  
**For the Souls of the Faithfully Departed..** Timothy Sullivan, III, Tollie Lee Pilgrim Jr, Greg Liliy, Dale Blizzard, Margret Kelly Nugent, Maria Socorro Garcia Flores, Mnafor "M" Asobo Kammeynue, 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, Joseph LeRoy Siegmund Jr, Mr. Jim Irving, James Albert Cullum Jr., Fr. Michael Irwin, Dr. Shirley Bliss, Nelda de St. Germain, Rosemarie Uland, Francisco Garza Diaz, Dane Anderson, Jose Oscar Garza

**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](http://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](mailto:blandregan@cathdal.org)

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



**MASS & CONFESSION TIMES, INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**  
**Sunday Mass sign up:** <https://materdeiparish.com/sunday5>; **Weekday Mass sign up:** <https://materdeiparish.com/weekdayMass>  
**Confessions will end at the posted time or when the line is done, which ever comes first.**

**Sunday, February 7 - Violet, Sexagesima Sunday, II Class**

**Low Mass** 7:00a

**Sung Mass** 8:30a

**Confessions** 9:30 - 10:30a

**Sung Mass** 11:00a- Pro populo Live Stream [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC79ktoYUSocT2Bdt\\_LVnPLQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC79ktoYUSocT2Bdt_LVnPLQ)

**Confessions** 12:00 - 1:00p

**Low Mass** 1:30p

**Sung Vespers** 4:30p

**Confessions** 5:00 - 6:00p

**Low Mass** 5:30p

**Monday, February 8 - White, St. John of Matha, Confessor, III Class**

Founder of the Trinitarian Order for the ransom of captives, he devoted his whole life and priestly activity to the relief and ransoming of the Christian prisoners of the Muslims.

**Rosary** 11:40a

**Low Mass** 12:15p

**Confessions** 6:00p

**Tuesday, February 9 - White, St. Cyril, Bishop of Alexandria, Doctor, III Class (St. Apollonia)**

One of the great defenders of the Faith against the Nestorian heresy which denied our Lady to be the Mother of God, he presided in the Pope's name over the Council of Ephesus in 431. It was on his instigation that it was defined that in Christ there is only one divine Person and that consequently the Savior is at the same time true God and true Man and that our Lady is indeed the Mother of God. He died in 444.

**Confession** 12-15 - 1:15p

**Low Mass** 6:00p

**Wednesday, February 10 - White, St. Scholastica, Virgin, III Class**

Sister of St. Benedict, she consecrated herself to God as a virgin and embraced monastic life. Of exceptional sanctity, upon her death on February 10, 547, her brother would see her soul ascend to heaven as a dove.

**Rosary** 11:40a

**Low Mass** 12:15p

**No Confessions**

**Thursday, February 11 - White, Apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary Immaculate at Lourdes, III Class**

In 1858, Our Lady appeared eighteen times to St. Bernadette Soubirous in the hollow rock at Lourdes, France and told her that she was the Immaculate Conception. A miraculous pool of water emerged from the ground and has been a place of pilgrimage since where many cures and conversions have been obtained.

**Low Mass** 12:15p

**Confession** 12:15-1:15p

**Low Mass** 6:00p

**Friday, February 12- White, 7 Holy Founders of the Order of Servants of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Confessors, III Class**

In 1233 seven members of the Florentine Confraternity founded the Order of Servites of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Servites led an austere life, meditating constantly on the Passion of Our Lord and venerating the Blessed Virgin as Our Lady of Sorrows.

**Low Mass** 12:15p

**Confessions** 6:00-7:00p

**Low Mass** 7:00p

**Sacred Heart Devotions** 7:45p

**Saturday, February 13 - White, Our Lady on Saturday, IV Class**

**Low Mass** 9:00a

**Confessions** 12:15- 1:15p



**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



*February 7, 2021*  
*Sexagesima Sunday*



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