

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES, INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK  
Confessions will end at the posted time or when the line is done, which ever comes first.

**Sunday, September 24 - The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost, II Class, Green**  
**Low Mass** 7:00a E. Robert Geen (RIP)  
**Low Mass (Parish Hall)** 8:30a Caroline Valentine  
**Sung Mass** 9:15a Pro populo  
**Confessions** 9:30-11:30a  
**Sung Mass** 11:30a Adele Binder  
**Confessions** 12:00-2:00pm  
**Low Mass** 1:30p Cari Henson  
**Low Mass** 5:30p Grant & Marie Beardslee  
**No Confessions (5:00-6:00p)**

Live Stream Form: <https://forms.gle/GRLXkv4a2rBHX95o9>

**Monday, September 25 - Feria, IV Class, Green**  
**Low Mass** 12:15p Joseph Chhay Kry (RIP)  
**Confessions** 12:15-1:15p  
**Low Mass** 6:00p Augustine Caine  
**Confessions** 6:00-7:00p

**Tuesday, September 26 - Ss. Isaac Jogues, Jean de Brebeuf Companions, Martyrs, III Class, Red**  
The eight French Jesuit missionaries were martyred in a territory which is now part of northern New York state and Canada. They had worked amidst great privations for the conversion of the Hurons. Taken prisoner by the Iroquois tribe, between 1642 and 1649 they were put to atrocious tortures, which they bore for the love of God. They were canonized by Pius XI.  
**Low Mass** 6:00a Edward Steininger  
**Confessions** 6:00-6:30a  
**Low Mass** 8:30a Stanis Mihm (RIP)  
**Confessions** 8:30-9:30a  
**Low Mass** 12:15p Richard F. Kinley  
**Confessions** 12:15-1:15p

**Wednesday, September 27 - Ss. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs, III Class, Red**  
Both physicians, they were martyred during the persecution of Diocletian. They were first venerated by the Eastern Church on account of the innumerable miracles at their tomb in North Syria; devotion to them spread to Rome by the sixth century.  
**Low Mass** 8:30a Carle Mock  
**No Confessions**

**Thursday, September 28 - St. Wenceslaus, Duke & Martyr, III Class, Red**  
Duke of Bohemia, he succeeded his father at 18 years of age, and without regard for the opposition which he aroused, he did all in his power to hasten the conversion of his country, which was still pagan, helping the German missionaries, himself giving an example of a devout life and of great Christian charity. He was martyred by his pagan brother on September 28, 929, as he was entering a church. St. Wenceslaus is the national hero and patron of Czechoslovakia.  
**Low Mass** 6:00a McGuire Family  
**Confessions** 6:00-6:30a  
**Low Mass** 8:30a Shauna M. Kinley  
**Confessions** 8:30-9:30a  
**Low Mass** 12:15p John Edward Dougherty  
**Confessions** 12:15-1:15p

**Friday, September 29 - The Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel, I Class, White**  
This feast commemorates the dedication of a church built in Rome in about 530 in honor of this Prince of the heavenly hosts of angels.  
**Low Mass** 12:15p Edward F. Rhodes (RIP)  
**Confessions** 12:15-1:15p  
**Sung Mass** 7:00p Sam & Janet Jordan & Family  
**\*\*No Confessions\*\***  
**\*\* No Sacred Heart Devotions\*\***

**Saturday, September 30 - St. Jerome, Priest, Confessor & Doctor, III Class, White**  
St. Jerome, in search for a perfect form of life, lived for a time as a hermit in the Syrian desert, giving himself up to severe mortification and meditation on Scripture. He is best known for his translation of the Bible and establishing the Latin translation known as the Vulgate, which the Church adopted as her official version.. His great learning, commentaries on Scripture, and zeal against the heresies of the time earned him the title of Doctor of the Church  
**Low Mass** 8:30a Angela Wimmer (RIP)  
**Confessions** 8:30-9:30a



**Mater Dei Parish**  
**Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter**  
Fr. Peter Bauknecht, FSSP, Pastor  
Fr. Brian McDonnell, FSSP, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Michael Cunningham, FSSP, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. David Ramirez, FSSP, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. James Buckley, FSSP, in residence



September 24, 2023  
The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost



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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)

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.



Marriage Banns 1st Notification:  
Philip Arlinghaus & Adriannna Schell



Anyone having knowledge of any obstacle to the proposed marriage has an obligation in conscience to make it known to the Pastor as soon as possible.

Blessing Table Drop off - October 1st

The Blessing Table will be available next Sunday, Oct. 1st. Drop off will be in the St. Julie room. Each family is **limited to 5 items** per family and items **MUST be tagged with your family’s last name.** Place heavy items on the floor. Items need to be picked up on Sunday, October 8th. Items not picked up will be donated!

24-Hour Rosary Procession - OL of Fatima

Join the faithful of Mater Dei on **October 12 & 13** for a 24-hour rosary procession in honor of Our Lady of Fatima. At the top of every hour we will begin a 15-decade Rosary with the relic of the True Cross. Come at the top of any hour for one or many Rosaries! All ages are welcome. We will conclude with Holy Mass, Benediction and a Potluck Social on October 13th. Candles, appropriate banners and images are welcome.  
**October 12 :** 6pm - Rosary Procession begins.  
**October 13:** midnight - 5:30pm - Procession continues  
6:00pm - Mass and Benediction  
7:30pm - Potluck Social at the Pavilion

**Sign up for the procession here:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080444ACA923A6FD0-24hour>  
**Potluck Signup -** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080444ACA923A6FD0-24hour1>

St. Joseph’s Guild Men’s Night of Prayer

The Men’s Night of Prayer will be **Tuesday, Oct. 3rd from 7-10PM.** These first Tuesday events begin in the Chapel with chanted Compline, Adoration, Benediction, followed by a spiritual talk given by Fr. Bauknecht, and ends with an outdoor social. RSVP here: [bit.ly/3PUo1ZQ](https://bit.ly/3PUo1ZQ)

Women’s Day of Recollection

Mater Dei welcomes ladies, **ages 12+** to a Day of Recollection which will be hosted by nuns from a **traditional order.** The day will include talks, Adoration/ Benediction, a communal rosary, time for silent prayer, a light breakfast and salad bar lunch. Attendees should bring a Bible. Additional donations to defray the sister’s travel expenses are gratefully accepted.  
**Saturday, September 30th. 9:30-2:30pm. \$25/Person**

SUNG MASS - Friday, Sept. 29th.  
The Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel

On Friday, Sept. 29th, there will be a Sung Mass at 7pm for the Dedication of St. Michael. ***\*\*There will be no confessions during Mass, and no Sacred Heart Devotions after Mass\*\****

Confirmation Registration

Registrations for youth confirmands will be accepted between October 2 - December 4. This is a hard cutoff date. All paperwork must be completed and submitted by this date for your child to be included in the spring Confirmation group. Youth Confirmations are held once a year during the Vigil of Pentecost Mass. **2024 Confirmations will take place on May 18 at the 5pm Mass.**

Important Notes:

- Only Family members of registered Mater Dei parishioners may receive the Sacrament at the parish.
- Families of confirmands must be registered parishioners for at least a year.
- Only the parents or legal guardians may register a confirmand.
- Reception of the sacrament cannot be guaranteed for those who reside outside of the Dallas Diocese.
- Confirmandi should be in at least the eighth grade, per Diocesan policy.
- Attendance at four priest-led Catechism classes is required; additional catechesis is the responsibility of the parents.
- There is a \$20 suggested donation.

For complete details about Mater Dei confirmation requirements and to obtain the registration form link, go to [materdeiparish.com/sacraments/](https://materdeiparish.com/sacraments/) and scroll to the Confirmation section for the linked informational document. You can also obtain the registration form and information document from the parish office.

Spiritual Bouquet for Fr. Buckley

A Spiritual Bouquet is being prepared for Fr. Buckley. In your charity and gratitude, please generously offer prayers, sacrifices, litanies, and special devotions for our beloved Fr. Buckley. We hope each family will contribute something! **Send spiritual offerings by October 15 to:** [Spiritualbouquet@materdeiparish.com](mailto:Spiritualbouquet@materdeiparish.com)

Childrens Catechism; Penance and First Holy Communion

Mater Dei will sponsor a **parish catechism class for children who wish to receive the sacraments of Penance and First Holy Communion** during 2023-24 school year. **Minimum age to attend the class is 6 years old as of Oct. 16, 2023.**

**Registration Period:** September 4 - October 6  
**Class Dates:** Mondays, Oct. 16 - May 27 (Breaks for Christmas, Holy Week and Easter)  
**Class time:** 4:30 - 5:30pm  
**First Communion Mass for students:** Thursday, May 30, 2024 Feast of Corpus Christi

To register, download this form or pick up the form at the parish office, fill it out, and email, mail or drop off the completed form to the parish office. Download: [materdeiparish.com/1stcommunion-class-reg-form](https://materdeiparish.com/1stcommunion-class-reg-form) Email: [secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto:secretary@materdeiparish.com)

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS  
SACRED HEART OF JESUS  
Friday Devotions 6:45pm  
Adoration following



Upcoming Events and Looking Ahead:

**October 1:** Quarterly Blessing Table Drop-off  
**October 11:** Divine Maternity of Mary - 32nd Parish Anniversary  
**October 13:** OLF 24-Hour walking rosary procession  
**October 21:** Blessed Karl & Servant of God Zita Oktoberfest  
**October 29:** Christ The King / Parish Group Fair  
**October 31:** All Saints Party  
**November 4:** Speaker on Marian topic \*  
**November 10/11:** Spiritual Warfare/Blessed Mother \*  
**November 19:** Annual Homeschool Youth Christmas Market  
**December 9:** Rorate Mass / OLG Procession & Social

\*all events which entail a speaker or religious are tentative until we receive diocesan approval. When the speakers are approved, we can provide their name and more event information. We can not obtain permission until 6 weeks prior to the event at the earliest.

MDYA Theology on Tap Series

The Mater Dei Young Adults Group is sponsoring a 4-week Theology on Tap Series on Marriage & Sexuality on Tuesdays in October from 7-9:30pm at Outfit Brewing in Dallas. All young adults are welcome to attend.  
Oct. 3rd: Marriage Preparation (Deacon Ryan Sales)  
Oct. 10th: The Sacrament of Marriage (Sr. Mary Neenan)  
Oct. 17th: I Discerned Marriage..Now What’s Next? (Cathy Ruiz, Cor. Sacrum Counseling)  
Oct. 24th: So, What is a Woman, Ultimately? (Dr. Matthew Walz) More Info: [youngadults@materdeiparish.com](mailto:youngadults@materdeiparish.com)

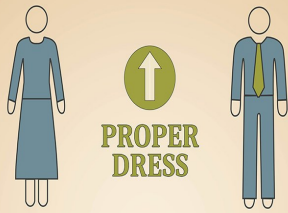
Project Finding Calcutta - Sept. 30th

Would you like to make a difference? Are you looking for service opportunities? Join Project Finding Calcutta on Saturday, Sept. 30th for a half day of service comforting the elderly, doing garden work, or serving at homeless shelters. This is a family-friendly service opportunity. For details and RSVP: <https://www.projectfindingcalcutta.com/volunteer/dallas-mater-dei-4/> We will set up a table and gather in the parking lot near the grass field at Mater Dei from 9:15 - 10:30am to pray and to present the service projects for the day. Then we will carpool to offsite service locations. Participants will return to Mater Dei to retrieve their vehicles between 12:30 - 1pm. Direct questions to Dan Florek: [events@materdeiparish.com](mailto:events@materdeiparish.com).

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**

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- LOW NECKLINE  
ROPA ESCOTADA
- SKIRT ABOVE KNEES  
FALDAS ARRIBA DE LA RODILLA
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ROPA ENTALLADA
- EXPOSED MIDRIF  
ENSEÑAR EL ESTOMAGO
- SEE THROUGH  
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All children 14 years & younger **MUST** be accompanied by a parent or older sibling while on Mater Dei property.



**A friendly reminder from your Safety Team. Please use the available and designated parking spaces; and the field by the rectory for parking overflow. Please keep the parish dumpster and fire lanes clear.**



**Regular Adoration Times At Mater Dei**  
**Mondays -** After 12:15p Mass, Benediction at 2pm  
**First & Third Friday / Saturday -** 8:30p - 8:30a  
**First Sunday -** After the 1:30p Mass

Are you new to the parish or have a parish question? Visit the blue Welcome Table after the morning Sunday Masses!

**To Register as a parishioner of Mater Dei,** go to: <https://materdeiparish.com/join-our-parish/>

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

**Please Keep In Your Prayers -** Edward Steininger, Sandra Seraphin, Issac Ogu, John, Kate, Gail Koloc, Christine Lux Jagge, Elizabeth Nugent, Judy, Alexander, Andrew, Henry Hillburn, Laurel Anne Attar, Yolonda, Tamara Nugent, Regina Ramirez, Christine Jordan, Lilla Buchanan, Jeanne Strzala, Margaret Grace Naranjo, Cheryl Anderson, Donald Fowler Nelson, Mark Woodson, Elisa Thornton, All considering abortion, Mater Dei priests friends & benefactors.  
**Souls of the Faithfully Departed...** Anna Barbieri Reilly, Robert Bell Tudor, Martha Klein, Elizabeth Grace Lively, Daniel Tadyshak, Ila Gene Touns, Alexis Daly, Richard George Shook, Eugene Koloc, Angela Gladden, Scott Jagge, Teresa Terrell, Gene Graves, Tommy Mantooth, Hector Adame, Cecelia Robinson, William F. Nugent, Robert Michael Tomich, Nicholas Dewit, James Berg, Courtney Kampa, Irene Barber, Andrew and Cynthia Payne, Joanne Martinez, Terry Embry, Rose, Edward Stocks, Bertha Norman, Roderick W. Thoits, Vernon Tritchka, Fran Carlson , Chuck Lynk , Luciano Jr. Cavazos , Patricia C. Hernandez , Judi Lynk , Benny,Raul, Hernandez Edward, Modesto, Edmund Avalo, Esavel, Emma Cavazo, Caledonia A. Cavazos, Allen Cardona, Candelaria Cardona, Trinidad Cavazos, Luciano Cavazos, Rosie Antosh, Sylvia Ormon, Sangnapar Choberka, Rose Prokash, Helen Fernandes, Delores Nieman, Fr. Patrick O’Kane, Pete Bynum, Cyndy Bowden, Mary Conoly Hester, Raymond Shields, Barbara Hunhoff , Socorro Alvarez, Nena deLeon, Timothy Sullivan,III, Tollie Lee Pilgrim Jr, Greg Liliy, Dale Blizzard, Margret Kelly Nugent, Maria Socorro Garcia Flores , Mnafor “M” Asobo Kammeynue, Marsha Corcoran, Catherine (Tritchka) Harris, Larry Harris, Ezra Harris, Marvin Hlavenka, 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, 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, Rogelio Garza, Roxanne Gomez, Sr. Eileen Guerky, Fr. August Otto

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