# 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, February 4 - Sexagesima Sunday, II Class, Violet

**Low Mass** 7:00a De Kroon - Lapitan Family (RIP) Low Mass (Parish Hall) 8:30a Kathy Doil (RIP)

Sung Mass 9:15a Pro populo

Low Mass (Parish Hall) 10:00a Janice Janda (RIP)

Sung Mass 11:30a Mary Newman (RIP)

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

Confessions 12:00-2:00pm

Low Mass 1:30p John A. Bray

Low Mass 5:30p Keith R. Hines (RIP)

## Monday, February 5 - St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr, III Class, Red

Little is known of the date on which St. Agatha, patroness of Cantania in Sicily, underwent martyrdom, as well as the circumstances of her arrest. But her cultus became widespread and renowned. She is mentioned in the Canon.

Low Mass 12:15p Martin William Garcia (RIP)

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

Low Mass 6:00p Mary Hope Billings Confessions 6:00p - 7:00p

### Tuesday, February 6 - St. Titus, Bishop & Confessor, III Class, White

After accompanying St. Paul on several of his missionary journeys, Titus, whom St. Paul called his disciple and well-beloved brother, settled in Crete, having been made bishop of the island by St. Paul. It was there that St. Paul composed his epistle to him that forms part of Sacred Scripture.

Low Mass 6:00a June & Robert Hazlett (RIP) with Family

Confessions 6:00-6:30a

Low Mass 8:30a Fr. Terrence Gordon, FSSP (RIP)

Confessions 8:30-9:30a

Low Mass 12:15p Kathleen Sherman

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

# Wednesday, February 7 - St. Romuald, Abbot, III Class, White

Founder of one of the Italian branches of the Benedictines, he died in 1027 after a life of prayer and austerity. But, with all his austerities, his joy was so great and obvious that it was communicated to all who saw him.

Low Mass 8:30a Malgosia Konarska

## Thursday, February 8 - St. John of Matha, Confessor, III Class, White

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.

Low Mass 6:00a Maria Games

Confessions 6:00-6:30a

Low Mass 8:30a Anne Ryan (RIP)

Confessions 8:30-9:30a

Low Mass 12:15p Margie Krahl (RIP)

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

## Friday, February 9 - St. Cyril, Bishop of Alexandria, Doctor, III Class, White

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.

Low Mass 12:15p Emilia Richey

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

Low Mass 6:00p Stephen Philip Sherman

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

**Sacred Heart Devotions** 6:45p

# Saturday, February 10 - St. Scholastica, Virgin, III Class, White

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.

Low Mass 8:30a Fr. James Buckley, FSSP (RIP)

Confessions 8:30-9:30a

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# February 4, 2024 Sexagesima Sunday



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# 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal

All families are encouraged to fill out an envelope for the Bishops Annual appeal. The envelopes can be found on each end of the pews and in the vestibule. You may put them in the collection basket or drop them in the parish office drop box. You may also donate online: donate.dallasbishopsappeal.com

This is an opportunity to help the Catholic Diocese of Dallas raise necessary funds to serve thousands of families and various ministries throughout the diocese and North Texas.

# St. Joseph's Guild Men's Night of Prayer

The Men's Night of Prayer will be **Tuesday, Feb. 6th from 7-10PM**. The event begins 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: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/journal.org/">https://doi.org/10.1007/journal.org/</a>

# **Mardi Gras Event**

The St. Joseph's Guild will be hosting a Mardi Gras Celebration on **Tuesday**, **February 13th**, **7-10pm** under the pavilion to commemorate the beginning of Lent. There will be a chili cook-off and traditional Mardi-Gras pancakes prepared by the Knights of Columbus. All families and men of the parish are invited to attend.

Please RSVP here: https://rb.gy/h9niel

# St. Joseph Parish-Wide Monthly Devotional

The annual Mater Dei parish-wide devotion to St. Joseph using *The Month of St. Joseph*, by Most Rev. M. De Langalerie, will be from **Friday**, **February 16 - March 18**. Copies of the book are available in the bookstore, and online at:

https://archive.org/details/themonthofstjose00languoft.

#### **Rosary Makers Class and Repairs**

The Rosary Makers Class and Repairs will be held **February 11th**, after all Masses in the St. Columban Room. There is no charge for repairs and rosary making classes. Missing pieces may take longer.

\*More Info: Rosarymakers@materdeiparish.com

## Young Adult two-step dance

All young adults are invited to a two-step dance on Friday, February 9th from 7:30-10:30pm under the pavilion. New and experienced dancers are welcome!

# **Lenten Mission**

Mater Dei will host a Lenten Mission on the evenings of Tuesday, February 27th - Thursday, February 29th. The mission talks will be given by Fr. Joseph Portzer, FSSP.

5:30pm: Sung Vespers (note: not on 2/28)

6pm: Adoration with Benediction

7pm: Mission Talk 8-9pm: Confessions

#### Talks

2/27: Living as a Catholic in a Confused World

2/28: Fasting and Christian Life

2/29: Christ's Agony in the Garden

The talks will be live streamed and available to subscribers to the parish YouTube channel. Each evening talk will be available for viewing until 11:59pm that night.

# **Old Palms**

It's that time again to bring in your old palms from last year or previous years. *Please submit them in the labeled bin in the vestibule no later than Feb. 12th.*Palms only, please. No plastic bags, scapulars, old sacramentals, broken rosaries, etc. These items can be submitted to the bookstore for proper disposal.

Thank you.

# 40 Hours Devotion, Feast of the Holy Face (Shrove Tuesday)

In preparation for Lent, Mater Dei will have a 40 Hours Devotion of Adoration starting after the 5:30pm on Quinquagesima Sunday and ending before the 7pm Mass for the Feast of the Holy Face on February 13th.

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:

https://materdeiparish.com/HolyFaceAdoration

# **Respect Life Rosary Rally**

There will be a Rosary Rally for the Faithfully Departed on Feb. 10th, 3pm-5pm.

Location: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens 1413 E Irving Blvd, Irving TX 75060

Please bring a list of prayer intentions. We will assemble at the Garden of Peace.

# WEEKLY DEVOTIONS SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday Devotions 6:45pm Adoration following



# **Lenten Book Recommends From Our Priests**

# **Foundation:**

**Read Scripture** (this has to be something we are immersed in; cannot emphasize that enough)

<u>The Augustine Bible</u>. ESV Catholic Edition published by the Augustine Institute (Translation is beautiful literary English faithful to original languages and is quite readable) *Catechism of the Catholic Church* 

# **Meditative:**

Restore: A Guided Lent Journal for Prayer and Meditation, Sr. Miriam James Heidland SOLT Meditations for Lent, Jacques Benigne-Bossuet

## **Life of Christ:**

School of Jesus Crucified, The Lessons of Calvary in Daily Catholic Life, Fr. Ignatius of the Side of Jesus, Passionist The Passion & Death of Jesus Christ, St. Alphonsus de Liguouri

*Life of Christ*, Archbishop Fulton Sheen

## Other:

**Searching for and Maintaining Peace**, Fr. Jacques Phillipe (or anything by him)

## **Looking Ahead During Lent:**

<u>February 11</u>: Quinquagesima Sunday; 40 Hours Devotion starts after 5:30pm Mass

<u>February 13</u>: Shrove Tuesday and Feast of the Holy Face; Sung 7pm Mass

February 14: Ash Wednesday

February 16: Weekly Friday Stations of the Cross start

February 27-29: Lenten Mission, Fr. Joseph Portzer, FSSP

March 1/2: Speaker Event \*

March 10: Quarterly Blessing Table

March 10-18: St. Joseph Novena

March 19: Feast of St. Joseph

March 24: Palm Sunday

\*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.

# MATER DEI BOOKSTORE

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## Hours:

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



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years &
younger
MUST be
accompanied
by a parent or
older sibling
while on
Mater Dei
property.



Regular Adoration Times At Mater Dei 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 receive Mater Dei emails:

Go to: <u>flocknote.com/materdeiparish</u> and follow the simple instructions. By text: Text **MATERDEI** TO **84576** 

# Fr. James Buckley, FSSP

November 29, 1937 -December 14, 2023 **R.I.P.** 



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