MASS & CONFESSION TIMES, INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL **CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

unday, March 2 - Quinquagesima Sunday, II Class, Violet Low Mass 7:00a Bridget Alexander (RIP) Low Mass (Parish Hall) 8:30a Jose Felix Pineda (RIP) Sung Mass 9:15a Pro populo Low Mass (Parish Hall) 10:00a Bernard Donahue Sung Mass 11:30a Angela E. Campos Live Stream Form: https://forms.gle/GRLXkv4a2rBHX9509 Low Mass (Parish Hall) 12:15p Mercy Matta (RIP) Low Mass 1:30p Teresa Terrell (RIP) Low Mass 5:30p Intentions & Reparation to the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary ** 40 Hour Adoration starts after the 5:30pm Mass **

Monday, March 3 - Feria, IV Class, Violet

Low Mass 8:30a Edgar Gonzalez (RIP) Low Mass 12:15p Stanislaus Madro (RIP) **Confessions** 12:15p - 1:15p Low Mass 6:00p Élisha Thornton Confessions 6:00-7:00p

Tuesday, March 4 - St. Casimir, Confessor, III Class, White

Prince of Poland in the fifteenth century, led a life of great mortification in his father's royal court, dominated by the thought of our Savior's Passion. From this he drew, along with a great horror of sin, a great love of the poor and an ardent desire for heaven. He died in 1484. Low Mass 6:00a David Koessl Confessions 6:00-6:30a Low Mass 8:30a Donors to the Mater Ecclesiae fund for vocations Low Mass 12:15p Angela Marie Wimmer (RIP)

Confessions 12:15-1:15p **Sung Mass** 7:00p Reparation of Blasphemy

Wednesday, March 5 - Ash Wednesday, I Class, Violet

Low Mass 6:00a Robert Tartakofsky (RIP) Confessions 6:00-6:30a Low Mass 8:30a Joyce Swartzman (RIP) Low Mass 12:15p Genevieve Madro (RIP) **Confessions** 6:00 - 8:00p Sung Mass 7:00p Joel Villegas

Thursday, March 6 - Thursday After Ash Wednesday, III Class, Violet Low Mass 6:00a Jose Chaves (RIP) Confessions 6:00-6:30a Low Mass 8:30a Jacob Kus

Low Mass 12:15p Carole Howe Confessions 12:15-1:15p

Friday, March 7 - St. Thomas Aquinas, Confessor, Doctor, II Class, White

After being committed to the care of Benedictine monks at five years of age, the young Thomas Aquinas joined the Dominicans, whose greatest glory he is. He taught philosophy and theology with such clarity and genius that he is considered one of the leading Christian thinkers. His innocence, on par with his genius, earned for him the title of "Angelic Doctor." He died in 1274. Low Mass 8:30a Susan Ellen Branner (RIP)

Low Mass 12:15p Celeste Howard **Confessions** 12:15p - 1:15p Low Mass 5:30p Dora Bruder (RIP) Confessions 6:30 - 8:00p Stations of The Cross 8:00p

Saturday, March 8 - Saturday After Ash Wednesday, III Class, Violet

Catherine Pimm Confessions 9:00a - 11:00a



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 use involves a member of the clergy, a parish employee, or diocesan employee, please also notify the Dioc ance Coordinator, Barbara Landregan, at 214-379-2812 or blandregan@cathdal.org

Mass Tímes

Sunday: 7am, 8:30am (Parish Hall), 9:15am *(Principal), 10am (Parish Hall), 11:30am*, 12:15pm (Parish Hall) 1:30pm & 5:30pm. *Sung Mass

Monday: 8:30am, 12:15pm & 6pm

Tuesday: 6am, 8:30am & 12:15pm

Wednesday: 8:30am

Thursday: 6am, 8:30am & 12:15pm

Friday: 8:30am, 12:15pm & 6pm

Saturday: 8:30am (*additional Mass at 10am for 1st Saturday of the Month*)

Mass times subject to change during Holy Days of **Obligation and major Feast Days**

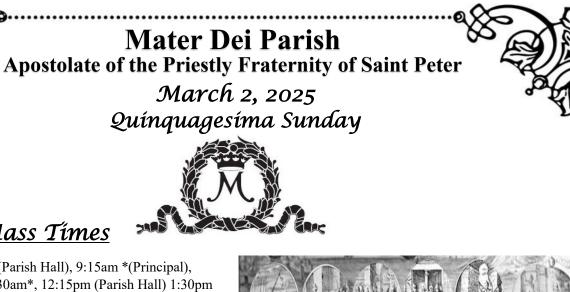
Confession Times

Monday: 12:15 - 1:15pm & 6 - 7pm **Tuesday**: 6:00 - 6:30am & 12:15 - 1:15pm **Thursday**: 6:00 - 6:30am & 12:15 - 1:15pm Friday: 12:15 - 1:15pm & 6:30 - 8:00pm Saturday: 9:00 - 11:00am

Parish Office Hours

Monday: Phone hours 9am - 12pm; Office hours 1pm - 6pm **Tuesday:** Phone hours 9am - 12pm; Office hours 1pm - 6pm Wednesday: Office Closed Thursday: Phone hours 9am - 12pm; Office hours 1pm - 6pm Friday: Phone hours 9am - 12pm; Office hours 1pm - 6pm Saturday: Office Closed Sunday: Office Closed

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St. Joseph Events

Month of St. Joseph devotion: ends March 18 Food collection (parish hall): March 9-19 St. Joseph Novena: March 10-18 Feast of St. Joseph March 19:

- Rosary at 6:30pm
- Sung Mass at 7pm, followed by consecration, procession and food blessing.



Ash Wednesday - March 5th Mass Times: 6:00 am, 8:30 am, 12:15 pm & 7:00 pm (SUNG). Confessions: 6 - 6:30am & 6 - 8pm Ashes will be distributed before all Masses.

*Ashes will also be distributed on Sunday, March 9th, after the 1:30pm Mass

Blessing Table Drop off - March 9th

The Blessing Table drop off will be next Sunday, March 9th. Drop off will be in the St. Julie and Louis rooms. Items MUST be tagged with your family's last name. Place heavy items on the floor. Items need to be picked up on Sunday, March 16th. Items not picked up will be donated!

Holy Face Devotions; March 2nd

The Holy Face devotions will be at 3:30pm and concluding with Vespers at 4:30pm. There will be no Adoration after the 1:30pm Mass. The 40 Hour Adoration honoring The Holy Face of Jesus, will start after the 5:30pm Mass.



2025 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.

Save the Date! - Young Adult Lenten Retreat

The Mater Dei Young Adults Group is hosting a Lenten Retreat or Saturday, March 8th from 8:30am-5:00pm in the Mater Dei Chapel and Parish Hall, beginning with Mass. There will be four priestly talks on Confession, Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving. All Young Adults are welcome to attend. Registration is \$20 by March 5th, and \$30 thereafter. Lunch will be provided. More info: voungadults@materdeiparish.com



Announcements

Parish Lenten Mission

The 2025 Lenten Mission will be March 28-30. Fr Jeff Paveglio, who regularly offers Mass at Mater Dei on Sundays, will be the speaker.

- Friday, March 28: Talk #1 at 7:30pm
- (Note: Stations will be at 5pm)
- Saturday, March 29: Confessions at 4pm, Talk #2 at 5:30pm
- Sunday, March 30: Talk #3 will be the Sermon at all Masses

Screening "Incorruptible" documentary about Sr. Wilhelmena

The documentary portion of, "Incorruptible - the Faith & Life of Sister Wilhelmena" will be shown at Mater Dei in the parish hall on March 8 @ 5:30pm. Information & trailer: https:// catholic.xyz/studios/incorruptible-movie/screening/

There is a 2nd Diocesan Collection on Ash Wednesday **Church in Central & Easter Europe** One basket will be passed around.

Please mark your checks accordingly.

International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima

The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima is touring Texas and will be at Mater Dei on Monday, March 10, in conjunction with the 6pm Mass. There will be a public rosary and a time for Adoration. For more information about the World Apostolate for Fatima, USA, keeper of the statue: https://www.bluearmy.com/

St. Joseph Men's Night of Praver

The St. Joseph Men's Guild monthly night of prayer will be Tuesday, March 11th, starting at 7pm. The evening begins in the chapel with Compline, sacred music, a spiritual talk by Father, and Benediction, and concludes with food and fellowship.

Friday's of Lent

Fridays of Lent Mass times: 8:30am, 12:15pm, 5:30pm Friday confession times: 12:15-1:15 and 6:30-8pm KOC Fish Fry: 6:15-7:45pm Stations of the Cross: 8pm (Note: Sacred Heart devotions will resume after Easter)

KOC Fish Fry Information

Menu: Baked* & fried fish, Mac & cheese, baked potato* w/ toppings, coleslaw* (*dairy & GF)

Cost: Adults: \$15

Children age 3+: \$8

Children under 2: free, Family Max: \$60

First Holy Communion Registration

Registration for children receiving the sacrament of First Holy Communion in 2027 is now open. Children may be registered when they are age 5, and must be minimally age 7 and in 2nd grade by the time of reception. Families must be registered and active parishioners of at least one year. A newly issued baptism certificate will be required for registration (not necessary for children baptized at Mater Dei). Reception of the sacrament cannot be guaranteed for those who reside outside of the Dallas Diocese.

Email secretary@materdeiparish.com for more information

Parísh & Díocesan Informatíon

Are you new and want to become a parishioner of Mater Dei? Contact the Parish Office to get the process started! Registration is open to those residing in the Dallas Diocese.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT 8:00PM

First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary we make reparation for these five types of offenses:

- 1. Blasphemies against her Immaculate Conception.
- 2. Blasphemies against her Perpetual Virginity.
- Blasphemies against her Divine Maternity and refusals to 3. recognize her as our Mother.
- Blasphemies of those who publicly seek to sow in the hearts of children indifference or scorn, or even hatred of this Immaculate Mother.
- Offenses of those who outrage her directly in her holy images.

Mass Intentions

Each family is allowed 3 Mass intentions per guarter. To request Mass intentions, please pick up envelopes in the vestibule by the entrance to the chapel on the wall rack. Dates requested are not guaranteed. Please make sure to include your email on the envelope to confirm the date and then return to the parish office.

REOUESTS FOR:

• Announcements • House Blessings & Enthronements

• Letters of Suitability

Please contact the Parish Secretary:

secretary@materdeiparish.com

REQUESTS FOR:

Parish Facility Use • Group or Event Proposals

• Donation drop-offs or giveaways • Announcements • Private Rentals • Vocation wall submissions

Please contact the Events Coordinator: events@materdeiparish.com

Music at Mater Dei

The Music Program of Mater Dei invites anyone who loves to sing to join us with choirs for adults, boys, and girls. To sign up, please contact the Music Director, Chase Fowler at: musicdirector@materdeiparish.com

Regular Adoration Times At Mater Dei

First & Third Friday / Saturday - 8:30p - 8:30a **First Sunday -** After the 1:30p Mass

- _____ In your charity towards your fellow parishioners at Mass,
- please take your children out of the church if they are noisy
- or can't sit still in a pew. This includes crying, babbling
- loudly, and banging on the pews. The cry room is located
- in the St. Anne's room, in the classroom
- **building**. Please remember that the Parish Hall is a
- Holy Sanctuary on Sundays, so please refrain from
- feeding your children in the Parish Hall.



