

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

Sunday, September 6 - Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost, II Class, Green

Low Mass 7:00a The Kirk Family

Low Mass (Parish Hall) 8:30a Marcellinus Donahue

Solemn Mass 9:15a Pro populo

Low Mass (Parish Hall) 10:00a Catherine Chichester (RIP)

Sung Mass 11:30a Vera Bray (RIP)

Low Mass (Parish Hall) 12:15p Aly and child Daugherty

Low Mass 1:30p Joseph Edward Culling (RIP)

Low Mass 5:30p Angela Marie Wimmer (RIP)

Live Stream Form: <https://materdeiparish.flocknote.com/livestream>

Monday, September 7 - Feria, IV Class, Green

Low Mass 6:00a James Phillip Rullo (RIP)

Confessions 6:00-7:00a

Low Mass 8:30a Souls in Purgatory

Low Mass 12:15p Angela Drake

Confessions 12:15-1:15p

Tuesday, September 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, II Class, White

The feast of Our Lady's nativity was first kept in the East and appears to have been introduced at Rome in the eight century.

Low Mass 6:00a Algimantas Petrikas (RIP)

Confessions 6:00-7:00a

Low Mass 12:15p Juan Antonio Aguilar Torres (RIP)

Confessions 12:15-1:15p

Sung Mass 7:00p Mater Dei Priests

Wednesday, September 9 - St. Peter Claver, Confessor, III Class, White

Born in Spain in 1584, he would spend 27 years in unflagging devotedness to the African slaves in South America. Called the "Slave of the slaves," nearly three hundred thousand of them received baptism at his hands. He welcomed them on their arrival, instructed them, gave them alms, and nursed them in any sort of malady. St. Alphonsus Rodriguez, contemporary and canonized with St. Peter Claver, had received a revelation of the apostolic career of Peter and the incomparable glory reserved for him in heaven. He died September 8, 1654 and canonized by Leo XIII in 1888.

Low Mass 6:00a Angela Marie Wimmer (RIP)

Low Mass 8:30a John A. Bray

Thursday, September 10 - St. Nicholas of Tolentino, Confessor, III Class, White

St. Nicholas received his baptismal name of the holy bishop of Myra because he was born after a pilgrimage made by his parents to the tomb of the great miracle-worker. Following the example of his holy patron, although only seven years old, he fasted several times during the week. He would give up all his possessions and enter the Order of Hermits of St. Augustine. Represented holding a lily, he was a model of innocence and purity. He died in 1308.

Low Mass 6:00a Andrew Sears

Confessions 6:00-7:00a

Low Mass 8:30a Terry Bates (RIP)

Low Mass 12:15p Christopher Roger Hayden (RIP)

Confessions 12:15-1:15p

Friday, September 11 - Feria, IV Class, Green (Comm. Ss. Protus & Hyacinth)

Low Mass 6:00a The Paul Bray Family

Confessions 6:00-7:00a

Low Mass 12:15p Love of, Reparation and Intentions of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Confessions 12:15-1:15p

Low Mass 7:00p David Koessl & Mark Marchio

Confessions 7:00-8:00p

Saturday, September 12 - The Most Holy Name of Mary, III Class, White

In accordance with the Jewish custom, our Lady's parents named her eight days after her birth and were inspired to call her Mary. The feast originated in Spain and was approved by the Holy See in 1513 and extended to the universal Church in 1683 by Pope Innocent XI in thanksgiving to our Lady for the victory over the Muslim Turks on Vienna.

Low Mass 8:30a Zelig Louisa Donahue

Confessions 9:00-11:00a

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.

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 [landregan@cathtdal.org](mailto:landregan@cathtdal.org)

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Mater Dei Parish  
Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter  
September 6, 2026  
Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost



Mass Times

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

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

**Wednesday:** 6am, & 8:30am

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

**Friday:** 6am, 12:15pm & 7:00pm

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

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

Confession Times

**Monday:** 6 - 7am & 12:15 - 1:15pm

**Tuesday:** 6 - 7am & 12:15 - 1:15pm

**Thursday:** 6 - 7am & 12:15 - 1:15pm

**Friday:** 6 - 7am, 12:15 - 1:15pm & 7-8pm

**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



Fr. Peter Bauknecht, FSSP, Pastor

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Fr. Steven Kalinowski, FSSP, Parochial Vicar

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# Announcements

## **\*\*Changes to the Weekday Mass & Confession Schedule\*\* Begins August 31st:**

- Added Mass times on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6am
- Monday and Friday will have added Confessions at 6-7am
- No 6pm Mass and Confessions on Mondays evenings.
- Monday - Thursday daily Mass time at 8:30am
- No 8:30am Mass on Fridays
- Friday evening Mass will be at 7pm & Confessions from 7- 8pm.

**\*\*No changes for daily 12:15pm, Sundays and Saturdays\*\***



### **1st Sunday Adoration & Holy Face Devotions; Sept. 6th**

First Sunday Adoration will begin after the 1:30pm Mass. The Holy Face Devotions begin at 3:30pm, followed by Vespers & Benediction.



There is a 2nd Collection, ***September 6th: Catholic University of America***  
One basket will be passed around.

### **Persons Requesting Assistance on Parish Property**

If you encounter someone on parish property requesting money or other assistance, please notify a member of the Safety Team rather than handling the situation yourself. If no Safety Team member is available, you may provide the person with the St. Vincent de Paul Conference Help Line number (469-248-8507) for possible, non-immediate assistance. For everyone's safety and well-being, parishioners are asked not to provide cash, offer transportation, or invite the person into nonpublic areas of the parish. If anyone appears to need immediate medical attention, presents an immediate danger, or there is another emergency, call 911 and notify the Safety Team.

### **Media**

If anyone from a media outlet approaches you at the parish, please direct them to one of the priests. It is usually not a good idea to give them any comment, as your words can easily be misused. ‘ Please remember that only the Pastor has the authority to speak for the parish and the grace of state to do so.

### **Small Children Receiving Communion**

Out of reverence and safety for the Blessed Sacrament, the priests ask that if your child while kneeling at the Communion Rail is too short, ie, their chin is not over the Communion Rail, they stand on the kneeler to receive Communion. This allows the altar boy to place the Communion plate under his/her chin, ready to catch the Host if It should fall.

The Parish Office will be closed on Labor Day,  
Monday, September 6th.

There will be a Sung Mass on Tuesday September 8th  
at 7:00pm for the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
**\*\* There will be no 8:30am Mass that morning \*\***

The 11:30am Mass time on Sunday is returning as a  
Sung Mass. Sung Vespers will also come back at 4:30pm  
on Sunday evenings.

### **Convert Class**

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Do you need one or more of the sacraments of Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation? If so, you are welcome to attend the convert class Fr. O'Reilly will be starting in the fall. Registration and required paperwork must be submitted by **September 14**. Please note that the converts class is open to those who reside in the Dallas Diocese. For full information and forms, contact:  
[secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto:secretary@materdeiparish.com)

### **Homeschool Group Annual Registration Information**

2026-27 registration is now open for the parish Homeschool Group and detailed information was sent out via parish-wide Flocknote. If you did not receive it, please email  
[homeschoolgroup@materdeiparish.com](mailto:homeschoolgroup@materdeiparish.com).

### **Troops of St. George Camp Out**

The Troops of Saint George will be having a campout at the end of this month (Friday 9/25 - Saturday 9/26). To join Troop 1, please register at [www.tsgl.org](http://www.tsgl.org) or send an email to [troop1ofsaintgeorge@gmail.com](mailto:troop1ofsaintgeorge@gmail.com) for more information.

### **Fall 40 Days for Life Campaign and Candlelight Vigils**

The annual 40 Days for Life fall campaign is from September 23- November 1 at all ten DFW Planned Parenthood (PP) locations. To kickoff the campaign there will be Candlelight Vigils each evening from September 14-23 at a different PP location. Go to <https://prolifiedfw.com/> for full details and to sign up to participate.

### **Medicare Education Seminar**

If you are turning 65, coming off a company plan, or retiring in the next 6 months, we will be holding a Medicare educational seminar, "Medicare in 3 Easy Steps" on Tuesday, Sept. 8, at 10am, 3pm and 7 PM in the St. Cecilia room. This no-sales education-only event will cover all aspects of Medicare, changes coming in 2027, along with timing factors and how to avoid penalties. The seminar lasts about an hour and no RSVP is required.

For questions contact Mike Eiseman at: [mpe211@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mpe211@sbcglobal.net).

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

The Rosary Makers Class and Repairs will be held **September 13th**, from after all Masses in the St. Columban Room. No charge for repairs. Missing pieces may take longer.  
More Info: [Rosarymakers@materdeiparish.com](mailto:Rosarymakers@materdeiparish.com)

# Parish & Diocesan Information

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.

### **SACRED HEART OF JESUS DEVOTIONS**

Devotions after 6pm Mass  
on Fridays



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

### **Mass Intentions**

Each family is allowed 3 Mass intentions per quarter. 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.

### **REQUESTS FOR:**

- Announcements
- House Blessings & Enthronements
- Letters of Suitability

**Please contact the Parish Secretary:**  
[secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto: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 Administrator:**  
[events@materdeiparish.com](mailto: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](mailto: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.



### **MATER DEI BOOKSTORE**

972-793-0484

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

#### **HOURS:**

Monday- Closed

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 12:30 - 5:30pm

Wednesday - 9:00am - 2:00pm

Saturday- 9:00am -12:00pm

**Sunday - after all Masses**

***\*30 minute Missal classes by appointment only, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday at 5:30pm. Email bookstore to schedule \****

### **Sacraments at Mater Dei**

**For Mater Dei Parishioners who have been registered and active (Sunday Mass attending) for at least 6 months.**

**Baptism** - Please allow 1 month's notice for the Sacrament of Baptism. For more information, please email the office.

**First Holy Communion** - There is a two-year formation period which begins at the time of registration. Children must be minimally age 7 and in 2nd grade by the age of reception. Parents may choose to catechize their child at home, or enroll him/her in the parish First Confession/ Communion catechism class. ***\* A newly issued baptism certificate is required for registration.***

**Confirmation** - Youth (7th – 12th grade): There is a two-year formation period. Registration will begin in the summer. Adults: Email the office for more information. A newly issued baptism certificate is required for registration.

**Marriage** - Contact the parish office to meet with one of the parish priests a minimum of six months prior to proposed date; preparation program required. Either the bride or groom must have a domicile in the Dallas Diocese and be a parishioner at Mater Dei in order to have a wedding ceremony at the parish.

**Reception of the Sacraments can't be guaranteed for those who reside outside of the Dallas Diocese.**

For more information, please contact:  
[secretary@materdeiparish.com](mailto:secretary@materdeiparish.com)

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**PROPER DRESS**



**IMPROPER DRESS**



• SLEEVELESS  
ROPA SIN MANGAS  
• LOW NECKLINE  
ROPA ESCOTADA  
• SKIRT ABOVE KNEES  
FALDAS ARRIBA DE LA RODILLA

• TIGHT FITTING  
ROPA ENTALLADA  
• EXPOSED MIDRIF  
ENSEÑAR EL ESTOMAGO  
• SEE THROUGH  
TELAS TRANSPARENTES

• SHORTS  
PANTALONES CORTOS  
• EXPOSED BACK  
ENSEÑAR LAS ESPALDA  
• OFFENSIVE PRINT  
EMBLEMAS VULGARES

