

# St. Lawrence Catholic Church

Home of the Mater Dei Community  
Staffed by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter  
110 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101



July 7, 2024

## MASS TIMES

**Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:00am, 6:00pm (Low), 11:00am (High)

**Monday to Friday:** 7:10am

**Saturday:** 9:00am

**Wednesday and Friday:** 6:30pm

**CONFESSIONS** — Before each Mass

## EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

**Sunday:** 5:30 to 5:50pm Solemn with Benediction

**Tuesday:** 8 to 11:45am Solemn with Benediction

**Friday:** 5:30 to 6:25pm Simple Adoration except during Lent

**Saturday:** 8 to 8:45am Solemn with Benediction

## MONTHLY DEVOTIONS

**St. Jude:** 3rd Wednesday, 5:30 to 7:30pm

**Sacred Heart:** 1st Friday, 5:30 to 7:30pm

**DIVINE OFFICE** — Daily except Monday and Thursday.

**Terce:** 8am

**None:** Noon

**Vespers:** 5pm

**Compline:** 7pm (1st Friday)

Terce and None are recited privately on Sunday.

## PARISH ADMINISTRATION

**Rev. James Smith, FSSP** *Pastor* fr.smith@stlawrence.cc

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**Parish Office Hours:** Monday to Saturday; 8am to 4:30pm

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## TODAY

### Sunday, July 7

- Sunday Socials organized by Holy Name Society
- No Adult Catechism

## UPCOMING

### Monday, July 8-12

- Parish Chant Camp for Youth

### Monday, July 8

- Monday Night Basketball at the YMCA

### Tuesday, July 9

- Legion of Mary—6:30pm

### Wednesday, July 10

- Young Adult Group Spiritual Conference—7:30pm

### Friday, July 12

- St. John Gualbert—High Mass at 11:00am (sung by Chant Camp Choristers)

### Saturday, July 13

- Inquiry class—3:30pm

### Sunday, July 14

- No Adult Catechism

### Monday, July 15-19

- Acolyte Boot Camp for new and experienced servers

### Monday, July 15

- St. Henry II—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Tuesday, July 16

- Our Lady of Mt. Carmel—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Wednesday, July 17

- St. Alexius—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Thursday, July 18

- St. Camillus de Lellis—High Mass at 6:30pm
- FSSP General Chapter ends

### Friday, July 19

- St. Vincent de Paul—High Mass at 6:30pm

### Sunday, July 28

- No Adult Catechism

### Wednesday, July 31

- Anniversary of the Consecration of Bishop Senior

### Saturday, August 10

- Feast of St. Lawrence

### Sunday, August 11

- External Solemnity of the Feast of St. Lawrence
- Parish Picnic at Roof Park

### Thursday, August 15

- Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Holy Day of Obligation

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sun. Jul 7</b>	<b>Seventh Sunday After Pentecost, II</b>
7:30am	Mary Belton by Thomas & Jennifer Lynch
9:00am	Agnes Bartha Lakatos
11:00am	† Joseph Parisi by Mr. & Mrs. Renda and family
6:00pm	Eve Healy
<b>Mon. Jul 8</b>	<b>St. Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen &amp; Widow, III</b>
7:10am	Bill & Stephanie Fonticoba
<b>Tue. Jul 9</b>	<b>Feria, IV</b>
7:10am	† Augusta Wildt by Joe & Joyce Mackin
<b>Wed. Jul 10</b>	<b>The Seven Holy Brothers and Ss. Rufina and Secunda, Virgins and Martyrs, III</b>
7:10am	Angela Fonticoba & Ryan & Christie Koza by Fonticobas
6:30pm	† Marie Mackin by Joe & Joyce Mackin
<b>Thu. Jul 11</b>	<b>Feria, IV</b>
7:10am	Sean Pendrak by Stephanie Margossion
<b>Fri. Jul 12</b>	<b>St. John Gualbert, Abbot, III</b>
7:10am	Michael Makin by Joe & Joyce Mackin
11:00am	† Margret Simmons by Kevin Kelly
6:30pm	Nicholas Firoozmand by The Firoozmand Family
<b>Sat. Jul 13</b>	<b>Saturday of Our Lady, IV</b>
9:00am	† Mrs. Angela Parisi by Mr. and Mrs. Renda & family
<b>Sun. Jul 14</b>	<b>Eighth Sunday After Pentecost, II</b>
7:30am	The FSSP & Preservation of the Traditional Latin Mass
9:00am	† Francis Makin by Joe & Joyce Mackin
11:00am	Yvonne Laschon by Amy and Kevin Wolfe
6:00pm	The FSSP & Preservation of the Traditional Latin Mass

**AUG. 11: RSVP TODAY FOR THE PARISH PICNIC**—Plan now to attend the annual parish picnic on August 11, on which we will celebrate the External Solemnity of St. Lawrence. We will take the opportunity then to welcome formally Fr. Barry to St. Lawrence, and to congratulate him on reaching 10 years as a priest. We are planning food, sports, and fun for the picnic, and we look forward to catching up! Please RSVP now so that we can have an accurate number to plan the food. Use this link: <https://bit.ly/stlawrence-picnic24>, or scan the code.



**HELP NEEDED WITH ALTAR LINENS**—We are in need of more help with the altar linens guild, especially those with experience ironing. If you are willing to invest four hours per month on this sacred work, your help would be gratefully appreciated.

**MASS PROPERS HAVE MOVED**—The Scripture readings of today’s Mass are now included in a separate handout, which includes the Scripture readings as well as other propers of the Mass, including the collects, gradual, alleluia, Communion, etc.

### Altar Linens Guild

altarlinens@stlawrence.cc ..... Kelly Jones

### Choir & Choristers

Practice weekly—music@stlawrence.cc ..... Paul Thomas May

### Church Cleaning

Rotates weekly—clean@stlawrence.cc ..... Kristin Patterson

### Confraternity of Christian Mothers

Monthly—mothers@stlawrence.cc ..... Stephanie Fonticoba

### Events Coordinators

events@stlawrence.cc ..... Kris Keck

### Flower Guild

flowers@stlawrence.cc ..... Fr. Barry

### Friday Religious Education Program

Grades K-12, Weekly—dre@stlawrence.cc ..... Dr. Phil Cuccia

### Girls Sodality

Ages 9-14—girlssodality@stlawrence.cc ..... Rebecca Mack

### Holy Name Society

Monthly—holynamesociety@stlawrence.cc ..... Jamison Jones

### Knights of the Altar

Altar Servers—altarboys@stlawrence.cc ..... Ed Pitman

### Knights of Columbus

Monthly—knights@stlawrence.cc ..... Josh Logan

### The Legion of Mary

Weekly—legionofmary@stlawrence.cc ..... Daniel Jones

### Meal Train

mealtrain@stlawrence.cc ..... Elizabeth Firoozmand

### Parking Ambassador

parking@stlawrence.cc ..... Dan O’Leary

### Prayer Chain

prayers@stlawrence.cc ..... Fr. Cortes

### Pro-Life Group

Monthly—prolife@stlawrence.cc ..... Kris Keck

### St. Tarcisius

Ages 5-12, Monthly—sttarcisius@stlawrence.cc ..... Dan Miccolupi

### Sunday CCD

Grades K-12, Weekly—dre@stlawrence.cc ..... Dr. Phil Cuccia

### Tuesday Adoration

Tuesdays—tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.cc ..... Amanda Healy

### Ushers

ushers@stlawrence.cc ..... John Osuch

### Young Adult Group

Ages 18-35, Monthly—youngadults@stlawrence.cc ..... Fr. Cortes

### Youth Group

Ages 13-18, Monthly—yg@stlawrence.cc ..... Joelle Riethmiller

**INQUIRY CLASS REMINDER:** If you are not Catholic and are interested in Catholicism, or if you know of anyone who is at all interested, we hold an Inquiry class every Saturday at 3:30pm in the 2nd floor conference room at our 112 State Street Parish Center. This is a no commitment class and all one needs to do is show up. If you have questions, you are welcome to email the office at: [contact@stlawrence.cc](mailto:contact@stlawrence.cc)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SLOTS FOR ADORATION AVAILABLE**—There are currently two open spots for Tuesday morning Adoration. One is needed at 9am and one at 11am. Please consider volunteering for one of these available times and offering up an hour of your day to pray in the company of Our Lord for your own intentions, the intentions of the Church, and the world at large. If you wish to sign up for one of these hours or any other regular time, please email Amanda Healy at: [tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.cc](mailto:tuesdayadoration@stlawrence.cc)

**BROWN SCAPULAR ENROLLMENT**—July 16 is the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. There will be a Solemn High Mass at 6:30pm that evening, after which all who would like to be enrolled in the Brown Scapular may do so at the communion rail. This sacramental traces its origin to 1251, when Our Lady appeared to St. Simon Stock in Cambridge, England on July 26 after he prayed for help for his Order. She appeared to him with the scapular and said, “Take, beloved son this scapular of thy order as a badge of my confraternity and for thee and all Carmelites a special sign of grace; whoever dies in this garment, will not suffer everlasting fire. It is the sign of salvation, a safeguard in dangers, a pledge of peace and of the covenant.” The Sabbatine Privilege, quoted in a decree of the Holy Office in 1633, is a promise of Our Lady’s intercession for those in Purgatory who, in earthly life wore the Scapular in good faith always (it can be taken off to bathe), were chaste according to their state in life, daily recited the Divine Office or, with the permission of one’s Confessor, the Little Office of Our Lady or the Rosary; and departed earthly life in charity.

**LAST CHANCE: REGISTER FOR BOOT CAMP**—Acolyte Boot Camp, which runs from Monday, July 15 to Friday, July 19, is open to all boys who have received their First Holy Communion. Along with our priests and adult volunteers, we have three FSSP seminarians to train the boys to pray and to serve Low Mass, High Mass, Vespers, and Benediction. This will be a great opportunity for your boys to learn new serving roles and we will have a special class dedicated to teaching the new boys their Latin prayers. Every evening we will have Vespers with ceremony, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, and Sung Mass or Solemn High Mass. There is no cost to participate in Acolyte Boot Camp. Online registration: <https://bit.ly/servercamp>

**DOCTORS, NURSES, AND EMTs**—The parish has created an email group for doctors, nurses, and EMTs in order to be able to identify qualified people in event of an emergency, and so that Fr. Smith can consult this group for best practices. We request that you add yourselves to our email group by sending a message to [medical+subscribe@groups.stlawrence.cc](mailto:medical+subscribe@groups.stlawrence.cc).

**VOLUNTEER FOR CATECHISM (CCD)**—October will be here before you know it, and the new academic year of Sunday catechism will begin. Following our largest ever enrollment in CCD, which had 119 students for 2023-2024, we look forward to an exciting new academic year of passing on our holy religion to the next generation. If you would like to be a part of this great project—as a teacher, aide, substitute, or hall monitor—please volunteer by visiting this link: <https://www.bit.ly/stlawrence-ccd24-25> or scan the code.



**ANNOUNCING: PARISH LIBRARY ONLINE**—Thanks to the generous donations and hard work of many parishioners, the parish library makes it’s first big step by being online. From the parish librarian: “You can explore our progress and experiment with searching techniques at our library website is <https://stlawrencechurchlibrary.goAlexandria.com>. Many of the subject headings will be changed to suit our needs. We have almost finished the first sweep of the current stock and almost half the books have been entered into the new cloud system. Subjects are on the library notice board. We have reached the Liturgy section online. The first lending section is Adult Education. This section was personally compiled by one of our librarians and is for Inquirers as well as those who want to know the faith better and want something to read that isn’t too difficult. The Adult Education section contains quite a wide range of topics and includes authors such as Scott Hahn. Please contact [Library@stlawrence.cc](mailto:Library@stlawrence.cc) with any parish library related questions.”

**PARISH BUSINESS DIRECTORY**—If you would like to be included in a parish directory of trades, professions, and services, please sign up here: <https://bit.ly/stlawrence-directory>. This directory was created at the request of several parishioners who either would like to shop from other parishioners or would like to advertise their work to other parishioners. To access the link above, one must first be a member of the St. Lawrence email groups system. To join that group, send an email with your name in the message to this address: [main+subscribe@groups.stlawrence.cc](mailto:main+subscribe@groups.stlawrence.cc).

**FSSP GENERAL CHAPTER**—The Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter is holding its general chapter from July 3 to 18 in Denton, Nebraska. For a religious order, the general chapter is the highest governing body with the task of electing the superior general and his leadership team. For the FSSP, the general chapter meets for a few weeks every six years to choose the team to work out of FSSP headquarters in Switzerland, as well as the task of making policies for the FSSP. This year’s general chapter is made up of 36 FSSP priests, 19 of which were elected by their confreres, and the rest attending due to their positions. Please pray that the chapter will be lead by the Holy Ghost to choose wisely the best team to lead the FSSP for the next six years.

**FR. SMITH ON FSSP BUSINESS FOR JULY**—Fr. Smith is in Nebraska attending the FSSP general chapter in Denton, Nebraska, as an elected member and is scheduled to return on July 19. In addition, Father will go as he has in past years to represent the FSSP to the Napa Institute’s summer conference at the end of July.

**PRO POPULO MASS**—According to very old tradition, and the law of the Church, a pastor is obliged to offer Mass every Sunday and Holy Day for his parishioners. Of course, this is something that a pastor would or should normally do even when not obliged, but when a pastor is travelling, as Fr. Smith is currently, you will not see the *pro populo* (which means, *for the people*) intention listed in the bulletin, but you can be assured that he is still praying for you, and offers the *pro populo* each Sunday and holy day when he is travelling. For your reference, canon 534 of the Code of Canon Law, refers to this obligation as follows: “After a pastor has taken possession of his parish, he is obliged to apply a Mass for the people entrusted to him on each Sunday and holy day of obligation in his diocese.”



## Notes on Today's Music

Processional hymn: *Blessed Lamb on Calvary's Mountain*, 864  
Recessional hymn: *Soul of My Savior*, 938  
Kyriale: Mass XI, 740; Credo IV, 780

Hymn after Offertory: *Anima Christi*, Chant  
Motet at communion: *Caro mea*, Andrea Gabrieli (c. 1532–1585)

*Caro Mea* by **Andrea Gabrieli (c. 1532–1585)** is a setting of John 6:56–57 composed for the feast of Corpus Christi: “*My flesh is meat indeed, and my blood is drink indeed. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him.*” Gabrieli’s motet is an excellent example of a Renaissance motet containing short a motive that is repeated by all voices in their respective ranges, imitative lines throughout and reaching the climax about two thirds through the work and ending with a final major chord, though the work was in minor throughout.

**Andrea Gabrieli (c. 1532–1585)** was an Italian composer and organist of the late Renaissance. The uncle of the somewhat more famous Giovanni Gabrieli and contemporary of Orlandus Lassus. From 1566 until his death he held the post as organist at St. Mark’s in Venice, which was one of the most prominent music positions in Italy. His works include over a hundred motets and madrigals, as well as a smaller number of instrumental works.

### Processional Hymn

*Blessed Lamb, On Calvary's Mountain*

Blessed Lamb! on Calvary's mountain  
Slain to take our sins away:  
Let the drops of that rich fountain  
Our tremendous ransom pay:  
Sacred Savior! Sacred Savior!  
Lowly at Thy feet we pray.

Blessed Lamb! vouchsafe us pardon,  
In thy love our souls confide:  
By Thy groans within the Garden,  
By the death which Thou hast died  
Let Thy Passion—let Thy Passion  
Ever more with us abide!

So shall Peace—sweet peace—be given,  
Purchase of Thy precious pain;  
So shall each but lead to Heaven,  
Since for us the Lamb was slain:  
Dear Redeemer! Dear Redeemer!  
Thou canst not have died in vain!

## Sunday Collections Week of June 30, 2024

Offertory (June 30)	\$ 5,373.93
Online Giving (June 24 - June 30)	\$ 4,203.52
Vestments (June 30)	\$ 162.80
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 9,740.25</b>

**2024 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CAMPAIGN (DAC)**—The Diocesan Annual Campaign began on February 1. This year, the DAC goal for St. Lawrence is \$19,473. As of July 1, \$14,385 has been contributed. The total remaining to be collected is \$5,088. We are grateful for your continued support.

### Recessional Hymn *Soul of My Savior*

Soul of my Savior, sanctify my breast.  
Body of Christ, be Thou my saving guest;  
Blood of my Savior, bathe me in Thy tide;  
Wash me, ye waters, flowing from His side.

Strength and protection may Thy passion be;  
O blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;  
Deep in Thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me;  
So shall I never, never part from Thee.

Save me from evil, make me Thine alone;  
In my last moments take me for Thine own;  
Call me and bid me hasten to Thy side,  
That I may see Thee praised and glorified.

