

St. Lawrence Catholic Church

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



October 27, 2024

MASS TIMES

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 6:00pm (Low), 10:30am (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

Lauds: 6:30am (Sunday)

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

Rev. Cidrian Cortes, FSSP *Assistant Pastor* fr.cortes@stlawrence.cc

Rev. Zachary Barry *Assistant Pastor* fr.barry@stlawrence.cc

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Parish Office contact@stlawrence.cc

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday to Saturday; 8am to 4:00pm

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TODAY

Sunday, October 27

- Christ the King
- Second Collection—World Missions
- No Sunday Socials
- Sunday catechism (CCD)—9:15am
- Adult Catechism (in English)—12:15pm
- Adult Catechism (in Spanish)—12:15pm
- Sunday Sports—1:00pm

UPCOMING

Monday, October 28

- Feast of Ss. Simon & Jude: Sung Mass — 6:30pm
- St. Jude Devotion
- RSVP Deadline for All Saints Day Party

Tuesday, October 29

- Legion of Mary—6:30pm

Friday, November 1

- All Saints Day—Holy Day of Obligation
- No Friday Program Classes
- Sung Mass by Students of the Friday Program—6:30pm
- Young Adult Group Dinner—8:00pm

Saturday, November 2

- All Souls Day and Novena of Masses Begins
- Adult Inquiry Class—3:30pm

Sunday, November 3

- End of Daylight Savings Time
- All Saints Day Party—1:00pm

Tuesday, November 5

- Begin Preparation for Marian Consecration

Friday, November 8

- Requiem for Deceased FSSP Members—6:30pm

Saturday, November 9

- Altar Boys Meeting—10:00am
- Girls' Sodality—10:00am

Saturday, November 16

- Pro-life Rosary—10am
- Youth Group—5:30pm

Sunday, December 1

- First Sunday of Advent

Monday, December 2

- Anniversary of the Founding of Mater Dei Community

Saturday, December 7

- Rorate Mass—6:30am

Sunday, December 8

- Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday, December 15

- Friday Program Drama Production—1:00pm

Saturday, December 21

- Sung Mass by Students of the Friday Program—9:00am

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Oct 27	Christ the King, I
7:30am	† John & Dorothy Czarnomski by John E. Czarnomski
9:00am	Allen M. Fry for a job
10:30am	<i>Pro Populo</i>
6:00pm	Francis & Susan Oscilowski by Andrew Oscilowski
Mon. Oct 28	Ss. Simon and Jude, Apostles, III
7:10am	David McCaw by Jason and Brisa Frost
6:30pm	St. Jude Special Intentions
Tue. Oct 29	Feria, Mass of the 23rd Sunday after Pentecost, IV
7:10am	† Poor Souls in Purgatory by The Cunningham Family
Wed. Oct 30	Feria, IV
7:10am	† Romaine Agliotta by The Firoozmand Family
6:30pm	Alexander Fordyce by Anthony Jones
Thu. Oct 31	Feria, IV
7:10am	Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter by Janeann Kakalecz
Fri. Nov 1	All Saints, I
7:10am	Confraternity of St. Peter by Karin Caine
12:15pm	<i>Pro Populo</i>
6:30pm	Ruth Ann Billows by Tony & Mary Ann Vigilante
Sat. Nov 2	Commemoration of All Souls, I
7:00am	† All Souls Novena
9:00am	† All Souls Novena
12:15pm	† All Souls Novena
Sun. Nov 3	Resumed Fourth Sunday After Epiphany, II
7:30am	† All Souls Novena
9:00am	<i>Pro Populo</i>
10:30am	Juan Esteban Rizo Lakatos
6:00pm	Alexander Fordyce by Anthony Jones

NOV. 1: ALL SAINTS DAY—Friday is a Holy Day of Obligation. Join us at 7:10am, 12:15pm, or at 6:30pm, which is a Sung Mass with our Friday Program Choristers

NOV. 2-10: ALL SOULS NOVENA OF MASSES —Please enroll your loved ones in the All Souls Novena of Masses, which begins on All Souls Day (Nov. 2), and ends on Nov. 10. One Mass per day will be said for all of the dead enrolled in the novena. We will accept enrollments in the novena until Oct. 31.

FR. BARRY TRAVELING—Fr. Barry will be traveling Monday through Thursday this week

CANDY FOR ALL SAINTS PARTY NEEDED—We request every attending family to bring one bag of bulk candy to the All Saints Day party. This candy is needed as it makes up the majority of the prizes for the children. If you would like to donate candy ahead of time, please drop off at the parish office in the parish center (112 State Street) or give to Debora Sloane or Aquila Forbeck. Candy should be in new, unopened packages. Email Debora Sloane or Aquila Forbeck with any questions at allsaints@stlawrence.cc

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—holyname@stlawrence.cc Jamison Jones

Knights of the Altar

Altar Servers—altarboys@stlawrence.cc Ed Pitman

Knights of Columbus

Monthly—knights@stlawrence.cc Cory Ringer

The Legion of Mary

Weekly—legionofmary@stlawrence.cc Jerome Hall

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX—All of us have the mission to know, love, and serve Christ in our parish community. Together we must embrace Christ's vision for missionary discipleship so our parish can thrive and be a place for others to grow together in faith. Bp. Senior has launched a process to help all parishes with this, and the first step is to assess our strengths and opportunities through the Disciple Maker Index (DMI). The DMI is an important survey tool that invites you to reflect on your experience at St. Lawrence. The Disciple Maker Index is designed to:



- Invite parishioners to reflect on their experience.
- Enable parish leadership to make data-driven decisions.
- Help parishioners grow in their faith.

The 10–15-minute survey can now be accessed through this link: <https://bit.ly/stlawrence-dmi>. It will be active until November 24, will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide your perspective on our parish's efforts to help you grow with Christ. Every member of the household 18 and over should complete this survey. All responses will be confidential, and the parish will only receive information about the community as a whole. Paper surveys will also be available for those who do not have the ability to complete the survey online.

Together we must embrace Christ's vision for missionary discipleship so our parish can thrive and be a place for others to grow together in faith. Thank you for helping with this important project and please continue to pray for this intention and for the growth and protection of our parish.

MONDAY: SUNG MASS FOR SS. SIMON & JUDE—In addition to our Low Mass at 7:10am, we will also have a Sung Mass at 6:30pm, along with veneration of the St. Jude relic. Each month, as part of our devotion to St. Jude, we offer a Mass for the prayer intentions shared with us. This month's Mass intentions will include all of the prayer intentions we have received in the past year and the following, which have been published in our weekly prayer intention email from Sept. 18 to Oct. 23. Please pray for your fellow parishioners. If you would like us to pray for you, please send your intentions to: prayers@stlawrence.cc

Please pray for: Christopher, Sr. Catherine, Jack, Stan, Lisa, Emily, Elizabeth, Andy, William, Amy, Rebecca, Maxwell, Mary, Zayne, Zachary, +Justin, Irina, Tanner, +Dino, +Margaret, George, Tom, Msgr. Esseff, +Harold, Billie, Erin, Joseph, Maddie, Mabel, Franklin, Marianna, Anna, +William, William, and Amy.

Please also pray for: the conversion and reconciliation of the family members of a parishioner; the spiritual and physical well-being of certain parishioner; a parishioner, who is struggling with severe depression; the son of a parishioner, who is experiencing work-related difficulties; the brother of a parishioner, who is battling an alcohol addiction; a parishioner, who suspects they might have cancer; the daughter of a parishioner, who is suffering a personality crisis; the friend of a parishioner, who is navigating a difficult situation; the employer of a parishioner, who has pancreatic cancer; the brother of a parishioner, who was injured in a recent fall; parishioners seeking justice; and the sibling of a parishioner, who has mental health issues.

TODAY: FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING—In honor of The Feast of Christ the King, you have an opportunity to join in a Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at every Mass today.

SECOND COLLECTION—Today's second collection is for World Missions

DAILY PUBLIC ROSARY—We invite the men especially to note the decades that are not currently claimed. They may fill vacancies in the schedule by visiting this website: <https://bit.ly/stlawrence-rosary>



THIS WEEK'S ROSARY SCHEDULE

Monday, Oct. 28 at 5:30pm—*The Joyful Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: AVAILABLE
Third Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fourth Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fifth Mystery: Father

Tuesday, Oct. 29 at 5:30pm—*The Sorrowful Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: Sean Carroll
Third Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fourth Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fifth Mystery: Father

Wednesday, Oct. 30 at 5:30pm—*The Glorious Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: AVAILABLE
Third Mystery: Tyler Wiggins
Fourth Mystery: Jack Tuman
Fifth Mystery: Father

Thursday, Oct. 31 at 5:30pm—*The Joyful Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: Sean Carroll
Third Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fourth Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fifth Mystery: Father

Friday, Nov. 1 at 5:30pm—*The Sorrowful Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: AVAILABLE
Third Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fourth Mystery: Kevin Kelly
Fifth Mystery: Father

Saturday, Nov. 2 at 8:15am—*The Glorious Mysteries*

First Mystery: AVAILABLE
Second Mystery: AVAILABLE
Third Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fourth Mystery: AVAILABLE
Fifth Mystery: Father

SUNDAY ROSARY SURVEY—We have now been praying the Holy Rosary before each of the Sunday morning Masses for this month of the Holy Rosary. Should we continue it? Please answer here: <https://bit.ly/stlawrence-rosary-survey>



Notes on Today's Music

Processional hymn: *To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King*, 856
 Recessional hymn: *Crown Him with Many Crowns*, 858
 Credo I, 768; Kyriale: III, 705

Motet at Offertory: *Jesu Rex, Admirabilis*, G.P. Palestrina (c. 1525–1594)

Motet at Communion: *Rex gloriose martyrum*, Tomás Luis de Victoria

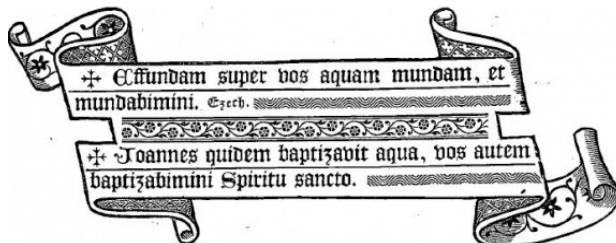
The Motet sung during communion is a setting of a hymn by **Tomás Luis de Victoria**. He composed the even verses of this hymn alternating with the ancient chant melody for the odd verses. During verse two, the Tenor voice retains the Gregorian melody in long tones, known also as the *cantus firmus*. In the final verse, the Holy Trinity is invoked and the music changes to groups of three, while all voices sing the text in rhythm together making for a very effective three-in-one quality in musical form; Victoria used this exact same verse in his setting of the Easter hymn *Ad Cenam Agni Providi*.

Tomás Luis de Victoria (c.1548–1611), along with Palestrina and de Lassus, is one of the greatest composers of the 16th C., famous for its ethereal polyphony. Ordained a priest at age 27, he lived in Rome for years, and assisted St. Philip Neri as chaplain of San Girolamo della Carità.

ENROLL IN THE ROSARY CONFRATERNITY— The beauty of our Catholic faith is that we have Confraternities to keep us united--united for like-minded devotions and more importantly united to Holy Mother Church. Such is The Rosary Confraternity for those who regularly pray the Rosary. This association unites into one great family the faithful who undertake to recite the fifteen decades of the Rosary at least once a week. Those who join the Rosary Confraternity are invited to place in Our Lady's hands not only their rosaries, but the value of all their works, sufferings and prayers, to be distributed as seems best to her among the other members and for the needs of the Church. The Confraternity was founded by the Dominican Alan de la Roche in the year 1470. Its promotion is a special responsibility of the Dominican family. For this reason, all those inscribed become sharers in the spiritual benefits of the Order. Please consider enrolling in the Rosary Confraternity. The Legion of Mary will be handing out informational brochures after Sunday mass or visit <https://rosaryconfraternity.org>.

Congratulations to:

John and Anna Lane
 on the Baptism of their daughter
Magdalena Rose Lane
 October 19, 2024



Sunday Collections Week of October 20, 2024

Offertory	\$5,463.00
All Souls Day Novena	745.00
Vestments	366.00
Sunday CCD & Chant Camp	50.00
Young Adult Group	25.00
Votives	50.00
Online Giving (Oct. 14 - Oct. 20)	<u>4,725.83</u>
Total:	\$11,424.83

RSVP NEEDED NOW FOR ALL SAINTS PARTY—RSVP for the All Saints Day Party on Sun. Nov. 3 from 1-4pm by Mon. Oct. 28 to ensure we will have enough finger sandwiches ordered and volunteer slots covered. The party will take place at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 310 Hertzler Road, Mechanisburg, Pa 17055. Our time together will include light fare food, kids' games and a saint parade. The parade will begin at 2:10pm with each child announcing the saint they came dressed as. Games open at 2:30pm (weather-permitting in the adjacent parking lot) and will close at about 3:45pm to gather for the Litany of the Saints and a final blessing. We are in need of at least five more volunteers for games. When you RSVP please indicate what food item you will be bringing so we can be sure all categories are accounted for. Also, we are in need of a few volunteers to manage the drink table and for clean-up. If you are able to help, please sign up. The success of the party depends on our volunteers. Please remember a large bag of candy per family attending. Go to <https://bit.ly/stlawrenceallsaintsparty> to sign up! Any questions contact Katie Lipscomb or Debora Sloane at allsaints@stlawrence.cc. We hope to see you there!

NOV. 23: BASKETBALL KIDS FREE-SHOT

CHALLENGE—The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the Basketball Freeshot Challenge for Kids on Saturday, Nov. 23, 2024 during the halftime of the 3rd Annual Basketball Tournament.

BASKETBALL: EXTENDED DEADLINE—We will be holding our 3rd Annual Parish Basketball Tournament on Saturday, Nov. 23, 2024, at the East Shore Harrisburg YMCA from 12pm to 4:30pm. The tournament is open to men 14 and older. If you would like to play, please sign up by Thursday, Nov. 14, 2024. Visit bit.ly/2024parishtournament to sign up!..

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, email altarlinens@stlawrence.cc.

HELP NEEDED WITH ALTAR FLOWERS—If you are willing to spend two hours or so once every three or four weeks arranging flowers to be placed on the altar for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, please consider joining the flower group. Email flowers@stlawrence.cc for information.

MORE CHURCH USHERS NEEDED—Ushers are responsible for warmly helping people to their seats, maintaining situational awareness, taking the collection, solving problems, and answering questions. If you are a man over 18 years old, are willing to wear a jacket and tie, and interested in helping, please contact our head usher, Mr. John Osuch, at ushers@stlawrence.