MATER MISERICORDIÆ CATHOLIC CHURCH

AN APOSTOLATE OF THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF SAINT PETER

NOTITIÆ

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Office Hours: Tuesday: 12 PM - 4 PM; Wednesday-Friday: 9 AM-4 PM; Saturday: 9 AM-1 PM; Sunday & Monday: Closed

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2021

Resumed 6th Sunday after Epiphany, Class 2, Green

MASSES: 6:30 AM Low Mass; **8:00 AM** Low Mass; **10:30 AM** High Mass; **12:30 PM** Low Mass; **2:00 PM** Low Mass
INTENTIONS: 6:30 AM Celebrant's Intention; **8:00 AM** Samuel Garza;
10:30 AM † Martha Castelman; **12:30 PM** Pro Populo; **2:00 PM** Celebrant's Intention

CONFESSIONS: Begin 30 minutes before and end 5 minutes before each Mass respectively

WEEKDAY MASSES/MISAS ENTRE SEMANA

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15 Propers: St. Albert the Great, *Bishop, Confessor & Doctor* Class 3, White Intentions: 6:30 AM: † Trudy Toews	**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18** Propers: Dedication of the Basilicas of SS. Peter & Paul Class 3, White Intentions: 6:30 AM: Edward Gorman 12:00 PM: Joshua Gorman
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 Propers: St. Gertrude the Great, *Virgin* Class 3, White Intentions: 6:30 AM: Dan & Rose Grimm 12:00 PM: † Elenor Toews Conlon	**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19** Propers: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, *Widow* Class 3, White Intentions: 6:30 AM: Dan & Rose Grimm 6:30 PM: Thomas Gorman
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17 Propers: St. Gregory Thaumaturgus, *Bishop & Confessor* Class 3, White Intentions: 6:30 AM: † Edward & Helen Gorman 5:30 PM: Michael Gorman	**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20** Propers: St. Felix of Valois, *Confessor* Class 3, White Intentions: 8:00 AM: † Robert & Maxine Brennan

WEEKDAY CONFESSIONS/CONFESIONES ENTRE SEMANA

MONDAY-FRIDAY/LUNES A VIERNES: Same schedule as Sunday for the 6:30 AM Mass /Igual que el horario de domingo para la Misas de 6:30 AM	**TUESDAY & THURSDAYS/**MARTES Y JUEVES: 11 AM-11:50 AM **WEDNESDAYS/**MIERCOLES: 4:30 PM-5:20 PM	**FRIDAYS/**VIERNES: 5:30 PM-6:20 PM **SATURDAYS/**SÁBADOS: 7 AM-7:50 AM & 2 PM-3 PM

SIMPLE EXPOSITION/EXPOSICIÓN SIMPLE

MONDAY-FRIDAY/DOMINGO A VIERNES: Right after the 6:30 AM Mass/Después de la Misa de 6:30 AM

SUNDAY EPISTLE: ***Colosssians. 3. 12-17***

Brethren: We give thanks to God always for you all, making a remembrance of you in our prayers without ceasing, being mindful of the work of your faith and labour and charity, and of the enduring of the hope of our Lord Jesus Christ before God and our Father: knowing, brethren beloved of God, your election: for our Gospel hath not been unto you in word only, but in power also, and in the Holy Ghost, and in much fullness, as you know what manner of men we have been among you for your sakes. And you became followers of us and of the Lord, receiving the word in much tribulation, with joy of the Holy Ghost: so that you were made a pattern to all that believe in Macedonia and in Achaia. For from you was spread abroad the word of the Lord, not only in Macedonia and in Achaia, but also in every place, your faith which is towards God, is gone forth, so that we need not to speak any thing. For they themselves relate of us what manner of entering in we had unto you; and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, and to wait for His Son from heaven (Whom He raised up from the dead), Jesus, Who hath delivered us from the wrath to come.

SUNDAY GOSPEL: ***Matthew 13. 25-30***

At that time Jesus spoke to the multitudes this parable: The kingdom of heaven is like to a grain of mustard seed, which a man took and sowed in his field: which is the least indeed of all seeds: but when it is grown up, it is greater than all herbs, and becometh a tree, so that the birds of the air come and dwell in the branches thereof. Another parable He spoke to them: The kingdom of heaven is like to leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal, until the whole was leavened. All these things Jesus spoke in parables to the multitudes: and without parables He did not speak to them: that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the Prophet, saying: I will open my mouth in parables, I will utter things hidden from the foundation of the world.

Please silence your cell phone. Thank you.

◊ **Note from the Pastor:** St. John Paul the Great once said "to touch the sacred species and to distribute them is a privilege of the ordained." Tradition holds that the hands of a priest are "sacred hands." Hands which have the ability to bless, consecrate, grant absolution in the confessional and even sometimes heal in the sacrament of extreme unction. St. Thomas Aquinas wrote, concerning the hands of the priest and the Eucharist that "Out of reverence towards this sacrament, nothing touches it, but what is consecrated. Hence the corporal and the chalice are consecrated and likewise the priest's hands for touching this sacrament." We members of Mater Misericordiæ have the opportunity today to receive the first blessing of Fr. Elijah Mundattuchundayil and kiss his consecrated hands.

Fr. Mundattuchundayil will first give you his blessing and afterwards present the palms of his hands to be kissed. This is where the sacred oils were traced, on the day of his ordination. Kissing the hands of a priest, especially on this occasion, is both a sign of joy and thanks to God who has given such power to men. I always kiss the hands of a newly ordained priest with great joy, recognizing that by these hands, Christ will continue His priestly mission and love for mankind on this earth. How good God is to give us another priest and another Christ in Fr. Mundattuchundayil! Let us keep him in our prayers today and always as he begins his priestly ministry in both Tulsa and partially in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

◊ **New Mass Schedule Effective December 12th:** The new Mass schedule for Mater Misericordiæ and St. Edward the Confessor is outlined below. Please note that while these are significant changes, they are subject to change; therefore, we kindly ask for your patience as we transition.

◊ **Mass Intentions & New Schedule:** With the upcoming changes, please be assured that all requested Mass Intentions will be honored. Mass intentions initially requested for a time that has now changed or been removed will be celebrated by one of our priests privately.

BEGINNING DECEMBER 12TH - DAILY MAS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISA DIARIA

St. Edward the Confessor	Mater Misericordiæ
Monday/Lunes - Friday/Viernes: 6:30 AM	**Tuesday/Martes & Thursday/Jueves:** 12:00 PM
First Friday/Primer Viernes: 6:30 AM & 6:30 PM	**Saturday/Sábado:** 8:00 AM

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISA DOMINICAL

St. Edward the Confessor	Mater Misericordiæ
8:00 AM	7:00 AM
12:00 PM (**Bilingual Sermon/Sermón Bilingüe**)*	10:00 AM (High Mass/Gran Misa)*

*Please note every First Sunday of the month the High Mass will be held at St. Edward the Confessor at 12:00 PM and the 10:00 AM Mass at Mater Misericordiæ will be a Low Mass.

◊ **Today's Mass in the Hymnal:**
427 Proper of the Mass
At High Mass:
973 (back cover) Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones
567 Asperges
709 Ite missa est
881 Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

◊ **Sacred music**: Special thanks to the choir, orchestra, and soloists for their hard work in preparing the music for today's Solemn High Mass. Next Sunday, November 21, the Proper of the Mass will be sung by the ladies of the mixed choir. In honor of St. Cecilia, patroness of musicians, whose feast we celebrate the following day, a **second collection** for the choir fund will be taken at the High Mass. May God reward your generosity!

◊ **First Mass & Blessing**: Fr. Elijah Mundattuchundayil will offer the 10:30 AM Mass today Sunday, November 14th, and will bestow his first blessing in the courtyard after all Sunday Masses. A plenary indulgence under the usual conditions is granted to the faithful who hear the 10:30 AM Mass and receive the blessing afterward.

◊ **Dinner Reception**: A dinner reception in honor of Fr. Mundattuchundayil will be held at Mater Misericordiæ today at 5 PM. Please RSVP at tinyurl.com/rrvu8nve and join us!

◊ **St. Edward's:** Thank you to all the volunteers that came out to assist with stripping the cushioning from the pews at St. Edward's yesterday. May God reward you!

◊ **Vacation**: Reminder Fr. Masutti is taking his much needed and a long overdue vacation from Tuesday, November 9th until Tuesday, November 20th. Please keep him in your prayers.

◊ **Many Thanks:** I, Father Passo, would like to thank Mrs. Betty Mundattuchundayil for serving on the Parish Council for nearly three years. She was a tremendous help to me in making decisions for the parish.

◊ **New Council Members:** Please welcome two new parish council members and one new financial council member. First is Ms. Laura Hurtubise, a longtime parishioner, who is active in multiple ministries such as choir and managing the flower arrangements. The second new member is Mrs. Elisabeth Moore who leads our Meals for Moms ministry. Lastly, Mr. Michael Wold comes to us with many years of experience in accounting and will be an asset to the finance council.

◊ **Flocknote:** It has been brought to our attention that many of you are not receiving our Flocknotes. Please make sure you first check your spam or junk folder as the messages can sometimes go there. If you continue to have issues, please do contact us at office@phoenixlatinmass.org or call the office. If you haven't done so already, sign up for our parish's Flocknote through our website to receive all the latest news and schedule updates.

◊ **December 4th Volunteers**: Clean up day at St. Edward the Confessor will be on Saturday, December 4. This is one week before the dedication and many hands make for light work! To sign up for this even, please contact us at office@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **OLOG Amazon Wish List**: As we prepare for both the dedication of St. Edward the Confessor and to celebrate Our Lady of Guadalupe's feast day on December 11th, we have set up a wish list on Amazon. You can access the wish list by going to tinyurl.com/mmccamazon. May God reward you!

◊ **Flower Arrangement Volunteers:** We are looking for two ladies to be in charge of the flower arrangements at St. Edward the Confessor. Experience is not necessary but is desired. If you are interested, please contact us at office@phoenixlatinmass.org

◊ **FREE Thanksgiving Dinner**: This is your **LAST CHANCE** to request a turkey or other thanksgiving items. St. Vincent de Paul has offered to gift us a surplus of their items for those in need. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at office@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **Youth Group:** The youth group will meet on November 20th from 9 AM-12 PM in the garage at Mater for a gingerbread house building competition and spiritual talk by Fr. Passo. Please send in your RSVP and any questions to Mrs. Emily Daly at youth@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **Youth Group Volunteers:** We are in need of two enthusiastic volunteers to help Mr. and Mrs. Daly with the growing youth group! This meets once to twice a month. If interested, please write a one page letter explaining why you are interested and what makes you qualified. Please send those letters to office@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **Chant Group:** The Phoenix Gregorian Chant Group **will not** meet this month because of the reception for Fr. Mundattuchundayil. The next singing will take place December 12. See the Facebook group page for more information: facebook.com/phoenixgregorian.

◊ **Diaper Drive**: Mater Vitae, is sponsoring our second annual diaper drive on Sunday, November 14th and 21st. There will be a pack 'n play set up in the hall foyer to leave diapers of any size. Sizes 4, 5, & 6 are most needed. For more information or to donate outside of the scheduled times, contact Elisabeth Moore at (602) 563-4096.

◊ **St. Anne's Homeschool Apostolate (SAHA)**: SAHA is our brand-new ministry offering resources and activities for Mater Misericordiæ homeschool families. Join us for monthly feast day celebrations, field trips, and weekly park days and more! Please email homeschool@phoenixlatinmass.org for more information or to register. All members are required to complete safe environment training before attending any events.

◊ **Church Dedication & Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration:** We are scheduled to have our long awaited dedication of St. Edward the Confessor on Saturday, December 11, at 2 PM and a celebration of gratitude to Our Lady of Guadalupe. With that said, we have a lot of work to do and are in need of volunteers to assist in this edeavor. If you are willing to assist, please plan on attending an informational meeting on Tuesday, November 30, at 6 PM, in the parish hall. We will be providing the list of expectations for each area we are seeking assistance with. More specifically, we are looking for teams who will:

1. Set up
2. Decorate
3. Serve
4. Oversee children's activities
5. Clean up

We are in need of many volunteers to help in these areas. Those who have completed their Safe Environment Training (SET) or who can completed their SET as soon as possible are preferred. Please RSVP by emailing the office at office@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **Coffee & Donuts:** Starting in November, Coffee & Donut Hour, after the 8 AM mass will ONLY occur on the first and third Sunday of each month. Please join us, and consider a suggested minimum donations of $1 per donut/coffee so we may continue to enjoy these new special treats all year long. Any additional proceeds benefit our Building Fund. May God Reward You!

◊ **Low Mass Responses:** It is not customary at Mater Misericordiæ for the faithful to make any spoken responses during the Mass. Please allow the altar servers alone to make the responses.

◊ **Communion**: Please remember that when you are receiving Communion, you must kneel if you are able, tilt your head back slightly, close your eyes, and extend your tongue. You do not say "Amen" afterwards.

◊ **Blessed Items:** Make sure that all your items are grouped together and have your name. Bear in mind, that if items are not organized in this manner, they may be lost. In addition, please do not bring water bottles or jugs of water to the church hall to be blessed. There is a holy water font by the restrooms, which all visitors and parishioners can utilize. Please bring items on Saturday or Sunday when the church hall is open. One of our priests will bless them on the following Wednesday and you may pick them up on Saturday or Sunday. We appreciate your cooperation!

◊ **Contact for Altar Servers Ministry:** Parents, altar servers, and prospective servers please contact Mr. David Montoya for more information at serverguild@phoenixlatinmass.org.

◊ **Meals for Moms:** The Meals for Mom ministry is dedicated to supporting families as they welcome children into their lives. If you are expecting or recently had a baby and would like help with meals from parish volunteers, contact Elisabeth Moore at mealsformoms@phoenixlatinmass.org. Additionally, this ministry is available to anyone going through a crisis or hardship (surgery, death in the family, etc.) We are also looking for more volunteers, so please get in touch if you can help.

◊ **Registration:** If you have decided to make Mater your parish, please be sure to register. Those 18-years old and over need to register under an individual registration even if you are still living at home with your parents who are registered. This is important if you are needing sacraments, letters or documents from our office. Anyone requesting sacraments are required to be active parishioners for a minimum of 90-days. You may obtain a form in the vestibule and scan/email it to the parish office once completed.

◊ **Contact Information:** Please be sure to send any changes to your marital status, address, phone number, and/or email address to the office staff at office@phoenixlatinmass.org.

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For your continued growth in holiness and piety, we encourage you to attend Mass during the week.

◊ **Upcoming Feast Days:**
November 15, St. Albert the Great
November 19, St. Elizabeth of Hungary

PARISH STAFF

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Mater Misericordiæ Catholic Church glorifies God, uniting its members in faith, hope and charity through profession of the One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Faith and through participation in the Sacraments and Traditional Rites of the Missale Romanum 1962, under the governance of the Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Phoenix and the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter.