

Saint Maria Goretti Parish

1601 Derstine Road, Hatfield

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, & 11:30 am

Vietnamese Mass: 2:30 pm

Weekdays & Saturday Mass: 8:30 am Holy Days: Vigil 7:00pm, 7:00am, 8:30am & noon, Vietnamese Mass at 7pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9am to 8:00pm

Friday and Saturday: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm Sunday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.



<u>PARISH STAFF</u>

Pastor: Rev. John C. Nguyen

Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Leónard N. Peterson Vietnamese Apostolate: Rev. John C. Nguyen

Permanent Deacons:

Deacon Phuong Nguyen Deacon Peter Niche

Deacon Stephen Vondercrone Mater Dei Regional Catholic School President:

Ms. Diane McCaughan Mater Dei Principal: Ms. Beth Waltrich

Director of Family Faith Formation, Religious Education &

Parish Services: Maria Richardson

Admin. Assist. of Religious Education: JoAnn Prahler & Pat

Director of Adult Faith Formation: Angela McClellan Director of Music: Eileen Ericsson

Pastoral Assistant: Patricia Conroy Office Manager: Cheryl Ryan Parish Secretary: Mary Faymore R.C.I.A. Coordinator: Al Pandolfo

Elder Care Assistance Program: Amy Juarez

Business Manager: Douglas Smith Asst. Business Mgr.: Geri Salanik

DEVOTIONS:

Mondays after the 8:30 am Mass -Adoration: Concludes at 5pm with Benediction

Marian: Saturday after the 8:30 am Mass. Saint Maria Goretti: Monday during the 8:30 am Mass.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday at 12:45 pm (except the first Sunday of each month). Please call the Parish Office to register for Baptism. Pre-Jordan classes required for parents and optional for godparents, are offered the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center unless otherwise noted in the bulletin. Baptisms are limited to four children per Sunday. Letters of eligibility are due at the Parish Center before a date can be given for Baptism.

MARRIAGE
Arrangements must be made with a priest at least six months in advance. You must speak to a priest before making arrangements for a reception hall. Scheduling, rescheduling or cancellation MUST be done by a priest. Pre-Cana classes are required for all couples. Please visit the archdiocesan website at http://phillycatholiclife.org/marriage-and-family/preparing-for-marriage/

ANNULMENTS
Archbishop Charles Chaput, following the directive of Pope Francis, is offering annulments without cost to the petitioners. There are additional changes which would make annulments easier to obtain. Contact the Parish Center to speak with Fr. Chung for more information on the annulment process. the annulment process.

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Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm or any time upon request. Call the Parish Center.

PRO-LIFE MARCH ~ WASHINGTON D.C. Friday, January 24, 2020



Bus departs from SMG parking lot at 5:45am.

Join Pro-Life members from all over the country in the fight to end abortion. We will leave at 5:45am (with a stop for a quick break) to participate at Mass at 10am at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. After Mass there will be time to visit all of the beauty of the Shrine.

The March will begin between 12—1pm and all participants will be supplied with Metro passes to the March. The bus will leave the Shrine parking lot at 4pm and we will stop at Old Country Buffet in Newark, DE for dinner. The bus, metro pass and dinner are included in the cost of \$15. Family discounts are available.

Anyone who cannot make the March but would like to donate to help with expenses can drop your check in the collection basket payable to St. Maria Goretti marked Pro-Life March or mail to 1601 Derstine Road, Hatfield. For more information, please call Bob McCormick at 215-362-1247 or bobmcc52@verizon.net.

Tickets must be purchased in advance. Send your name, address, phone number, number of tickets along with your check to SMG attention Pro-Life March.



PRECIOUS BLOOD

The distribution of Precious Blood will be discontinued for the winter months and will resume following Easter to help to prevent the spreading of winter illnesses. The faith of the Church teaches that Christ, whole and entire, is received even under only one species.

PEW RENOVATION UPDATE

As you know because of your generosity we will be reupholstering and fixing the kneelers and pews in church. We were hoping the work would be able to be completed prior to Christmas but because of scheduling conflicts



the project will now take place from *February 3rd through the* **21st**. Thank you for your understanding and patience!





EUCHARISTIC ADORATION INCLEMENT WEATHER NOTICE

In case of inclement weather, please contact Nancy Boak to confirm whether Adoration will take place. If Souderton or North Penn School District is closed or on a delayed opening due to weather, there will **NOT** be Eucharistic Adoration. Thank you to all of our Adorers!



REGISTRATION SUNDAY

Registration Sunday will take place **TODAY**, **January 12th.** Please stop by the Parish Center between the hours of 10am and 1pm to be officially welcomed into the parish. No paperwork is necessary from your previous parish. The process will take no longer than 15 minutes. Welcome to the Saint Maria Goretti Parish Family!

THE NEW YEAR WOULD BE A GREAT TIME TO PLAN FOR A NEW FAMILY PORTRAIT! PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY



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Photo
Pirectory

It's hard to believe it's been 10 years since our last photo directory. Please plan to be included in this directory. It is a great way to be able to put a name to a face of someone you may see each week at

Mass. If you and your family are included in the directory it will be offered to you at no charge! I know you are all busy. For now, I just need you to save the date. We will be photographing all families *April 14 through 18th* and again from *April 28th through May 2nd* right here in the IHM Room in the Parish Center. Many hours to accommodate everyone's schedule. *Our directory won't be complete without you*! Watch our bulletin for more information in the coming weeks. If you are interested in helping with our once in a decade photo directory please contact Susan Schmitt at 908-268-0474. Thank you!

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Please encourage them to contact Al Pandolfo at 267 688 9475 or the parish center at 215 721 0199 or email RCIA@stmariagoretti.net as soon

as possible. We would love the opportunity to tell him or her about the wonderful process for spiritual growth called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - RCIA. In this process adults learn with other adults about Church teachings and prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation - Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. Baptized Catholics who have not completed their Sacraments are also welcome. Don't delay!

Reuniones de los Retiristas del Movimiento



a Friend

Juan XXIII Hatfield PA. Todos los Martes a las 7:00 PM Aquí en la Capilla de La Iglesia. Para más información Contactar a Carlos Zuluaga Presidente Parroquial Juan XXIII Hatfield . Al 954-309-177 Acércate al Grupo para que tengas un Encuentro Personal con Jesús



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SUN., Jan. 12 7:30 A.M. John Lock

Req. by Jane & John Rossi 9:30 A.M. Dec's members of the

Bolacker Family

Reg. by Ron & Nancy Boak 11:30 A.M. Sabina Chipollini Req. by Lou Farina & Jessica

8:30 A.M. Richard Stephan MON., Jan. 13

Req. by Connie Stephan

TUES., Jan. 14 8:30 A.M. Herman & Frances Ferraro Req. by Anthony Ferraro & Patricia Ore

WED., Jan. 15 8:30 A.M. Dea Dietterich Req. by April & Carter LeBrocq

THURS., Jan. 16

8:30 A.M. Thomas Fink Req. by The Montgomery Family

FRI., Jan. 17 8:30 A.M. William Peters

Reg. by Marianne & Bob Peters

SAT., Jan. 18 8:30 A.M. Sabina Chipollini

Reg. by Anthony Bruno 5:00 P.M. James Watts

Req. by The Yadzinski Family

SUN., Jan. 19 7:30 A.M. John Lock

Req. by Jane & John Rossi 9:30 A.M. Dec'd members of the

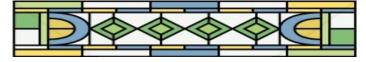
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SANCTUARY LIGHT



The Sanctuary Light for this week is lit in memory of *Darlene McGinn* requested by Jim & Pat Petro.



MONTHLY HOLY HOUR *Please note time change A great opportunity for stewardship!

Holy Hour gives the parish an opportunity to pray for the needs of the church especially vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The Holy Hour will include public prayer (Liturgy of the Hours) and private prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is welcome. Holy Hour is held the Thursday afternoon before First Friday at 4pm.

PRAYER LINE

Our Parish Prayer Line consists of five adult prayer groups. Requests for prayers for the prayer line may be given by calling the Parish Center at 215-721-0199. Your prayer request is mentioned in the prayers of those on the line for 2 weeks and then included in their prayers for the following weeks in an inclusive prayer.



PLEASE KEEP IN MIND

the following people who at this time need your prayers and support: Josephine Albert, Warren Allison. Immaculata Antonucci, Ruth Adams, Jennifer Kimberly Agnew, Mark Altroggi,

Matthew Arrow, Christina Augustine, Paul Baril, Ray Baril, Joey Berical, Jerilyn Bowler, Patricia Britton, Linda Burbank, Mary Callaghan, Caridad Carlos, Aldo Carnara, Danny Catts, Joanna Cavacini, James Chrissy, Michael Costello, Jerry Cronin, Helen Curren, Susan & Anthony Dalesio, Joanne Daum, Loretta Deller, Leo Dennis, Karen Diana, Ernest Doherty, Sally Esbensen, Peter Fallon, Marybeth Hentschel Fiorelli, Sebastian Fillion, Terry Foley, Carol Galinski, Joe Gallant, Patrick Gardenier, Erin Gilbert, Lianessa Gonzalez, Abby Graham, Andrew Green, Dionne Greim, Sharon, Fernando & Ian Griffin, Kathleen Hauck, Frank Holloway, Lori Hanson, Gloria Harris, Ron Hoffman, Jeanette Hoy, Kevin lavecchia, Lindsay Jaso, Richard Jedlicka, Gerald Kenny, Emily Keiser, Charles Kline, Sue Kunze, Peg Krempl, Jama Lecore, Curt Lecrone, Dina Lukasko, Patti Maguire, Joe Martin, Barbara Masser, Sean McKelvey, William & Kristen Morrow, John McLaughlin, Bridget Micshener, Diane Moll, Frank Monroe, Munson Family, John Mye, Terry Shields Neumann, Joan Nickerson, Regina Nimmo, Zachery Olberholzer, Bill O'Brien, Anthony & Michael Paone, Catherine Pagano, Al Palatucci, Robert Pauloski, Flocerfida & Salvador Penganon, Connie Perrong, Michael Prahler, Marian Quinn, Michael Rafter, Joan Ramsher, Scott Randall, Frank Reiner Jim Richardson, Sheila Rothenberger, Linda Santana, Barbara Scally, Helen Shekalis, Melissa Shelly, Anthony Smith, Rukiatu Smith, Valerie Somma, Lawrence Stempel, Joseph & Michael Thomas, Peg Trexler, Mae Veneziale, Sofia Wagner, Jim Ward, Glenn Watt, Charles Wetzel, John Willstaudt, Salem Yabut, Jack Zampirri, Joe Zdun & Joan Ziegler.

TIME TO UNDECORATE!

Thank you for all the helpers that made our Church so beautiful for celebrating Our Lord's birth. Now, you are needed to pack things up until next year. We are going to do this Tuesday, January 14th at 9 am after Mass. If you have any questions, call Lynne Hipp 215-872-4685. All are invited to make this happen quickly. The poinsettias will be placed in the Narthex for adoption at that time. Thank you!

ELDER CARE CORNER

EYES OVER 50

The community at Arbour Square at 695 Main St Harleysville invites you to join them for Dr. Crozier's informative seminar to learn about eye health over 50 and optimizing your vision. Light refreshments will be served. Thursday, January 23, 2:00

-3:30pm. Bring a friend! RSVP to Heidi Slook 267-677-1200

BOOK CLUB



Feeling hurt, angry, or demoralized about the sexual abuse crisis plaguing the Catholic Church? Join us for a discussion of the book entitled, Letter to a Suffering Church by Bishop Robert Barron. All those registering for this book club receive a free copy of the book (while supplies last). Stop by the Parish Center to claim your copy once you have

registered for the book club at Angela.McClellan@stmariagoretti.net or 215-721-0199 (ext. 202).

Wednesday, January 22, 2020 from 9:15 AM to 10:45 AM OR

Wednesday, January 22, 2020 from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM Parish Center: Lower Level

CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS ASSOCATION



New to Saint Maria Goretti Parish in 2020! Join other grandparents in passing on the faith to future generations, keeping prayer at the heart of the family, and helping, supporting and valuing each other in this great task. Meetings are held four times a year and include morning refreshments, con-

versation regarding relevant grand parenting topics, and the sharing of ideas and stories to strengthen the vocation of the Catholic Grandparent.

Wednesdays, February 12, May 13, August 12, and November 18, 2020 from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM in the Parish Center: Immaculate Heart of Mary Room (Lower Level)

THE ROLE OF THE LAITY IN A TIME OF CRISIS

During this period of profound crisis in the Church, our history tells us that lay people have a role to play in these times of turmoil. Join us for a morning of reflection on the mission of the laity and what we can do to cooperate with Christ's action to purify and heal His Church. Please register by contacting angela.mcclellan@stmariagoretti.net or 215-721-0199 (Ext. 202). There is no cost to attend.

Tuesday, March 10, 2020
9:15 AM Breakfast Refreshments—9:30 AM Presentation
Parish Center: Immaculate Heart of Mary Room
Guest Presenter: Meghan Cokeley
Director, Office for the New Evangelization

Youth Ministry Update

ALTARATION

Middle School and High School Teens! Tuesdays 7:30PM to 8:30pm Jan. 21st - Feb. 26th, 2020

Maria Richardson, Director of Family Faith Formation, Religious Education and Parish Services maria.richardson@stmariagoretti.net



A JOURNEY OF FAITH, HOPE & LOVE

Learn about the remarkable life story of Father John Nguyen (Father Chung) and explore his journey from Vietnam to his grace-filled vocation to the priesthood. Mark your calendar.

Tuesday, February 18, 2020 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the chapel

WHEN A LOVED ONE LEAVES THE CHURCH

In this presentation, we'll explore the many cultural and social factors that have created this situation, which is so heartbreaking to parents and grandparents who mourn the loss of their family members' interest in religious practice. We'll also examine constructive ways that we may be able to intervene to reduce this decline, and to attract young people to reconsider returning to the Catholic faith they were raised in, or to perhaps join the Church for the first time. It's important that we reach out to re-evangelize effectively to these young people if we want to pass on the treasure of the faith to the next generation. To register for this presentation, please contact Angela.McClellan@stmariagoretti.net or 215-721-0199 (Ext. 202).

Tuesday, March 3rd, 7 to 8pm SMG Chapel

Guest Presenter: Deacon Anthony Bellitto
Permanent Deacon, Saint Stanislaus Parish, Lansdale



JOIN OUR PLAY & PRAY MOM AND TOTS GROUP!

Our Mom and Tots Group is in full swing for the fall and winter months! Pop on over Thursday mornings from 9:30-11AM in the Parish Center base-

ment. What a wonderful opportunity to meet others in the parish and support each other and our children in the Catholic Faith. For more information, email Kendra at it-pmentor209@yahoo.com.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES



In Zimbabwe, the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) is working with Catholic Relief Services to train farmers in innovative irrigation techniques that help preserve and harness every drop of water in a region that has experienced

little rain in the last 2 planting seasons. Visit www.crs.org for more information and to see you how you can help!

"The times talk to us of so much poverty in the world and this is a scandal. Poverty in the world is a scandal. In a world where there is so much wealth, so many resources to feed everyone, it is unfathomable that there are so many hungry children, that there are so many children without an education, so many poor persons. Poverty today is a cry." ~ Pope Francis

MINISTRIES SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 19th

E.M. of Holy Communion

5:00pm – Sacristan, D. Blanche 7:30am – Sacristan, T. McGann 9:30am – Sacristan, M.Lee-Nippins 11:30am – Sacristan, M. Niche

E.M. Home Visits

A1–J. Burke, A2–D. Johnson, A3–M. Collis, A4-K. Clapper, A5–J. McNally, B1-C. Opdyke, B2-S. Sabia, B3-D. Grant, B4-M. Wrubel, B5-K. Hay

Lectors

5:00pm – P. Villucci, M.J. Vondercrone 7:30am – A. & R. Whitley 9:30am – C. Heim, B. Smith 11:30am – E. Gallagher, A. LeBrocq

Cantors

5:00pm - Joe V. 7:30am - Lynne 9:30am - Tara 11:30am - Ugochi

Altar Servers

5:00pm – S. Scassero, F. & I. Sirianni 7:30am – G. & T. McGann, A. Wertz 9:30am – G., C. & S. Heim 11:30am – N. Boell, B. & C. O'Reilly

Children's Liturgy

9:30am - S. Brodsky

MUSIC NOTES



Rehearsals for Tuesday, January 14th

Children's Choir—5:50 to 6:30pm
Adult Bell Choir—6:30 to 7:30pm
Adult Choir—7:30 to 8:45pm
Octet—8:5pm

Music Ministry for Next Weekend:

Sunday, January 19th

9:30am - Octet

MARK YOUR CALENDAR & JOIN FR. CHUNG ON A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

November 8 to 16, 2020



You can also choose to extend your trip with an optional 3-night post tour extension to Jordan. This will be a trip to remember. Plan to attend a "Wine & Cheese" Information night on Thursday, February 13th. For more infor-

mation please visit http://gateway.gocollette.com/link/973486. Please RSVP to the Wine & Cheese Info Night to Fr. Chung at 215-721-0199 or e-mail at fr.chung@stmariagoretti.net. Join us in learning more about this exciting trip!

POOR BOX STEWARDSHIP

The total collected for St. Vincent DePaul was: \$4,795.62

BENEFITS "HATFIELD BRETHREN FOOD CUPBOARD"

Before leaving our church building each weekend, please consider stopping by one of our poor boxes located in the narthex, with your contribution. For the months of *January* and *February 2020*, all offerings from the poor box will be designated to "Hatfield Brethren Food Cupboard" located at 1333 Cowpath Road, Hatfield. This charitable organization is open the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 3rd Saturday, and 4th Monday of each month at designated times, supplying food and basic needs to low income families and individuals in the Hatfield and North Penn area. The society has been in existence since 1995 and is currently managed and maintained by volunteers from Hatfield Church of the Brethren, St. Maria Goretti, and local volunteers. Please consider helping those that are less fortunate ~ a little goes a long way! *If donating by check, please make payable to St. Maria Goretti. Thank you!*

HELP SUPPORT HATFIELD CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN FOOD CUPBOARD

The Hatfield Church of the Brethren Food Cupboard has been selected to be a part of the *Hatfield GIANT Bags 4 My Cause Program*, which is designed to make it easy for customers to contribute to their local community while supporting the environment

For the month of *JANUARY 2020*, each time a \$2.50 reusable Bags 4 My Cause Bag is purchased at the Hatfield GIANT, 1540 Cowpath Road, Hatfield, PA, \$1.00 will be donated to the Food Cupboard, unless otherwise directed by the customer through the Giving Tag. If you purchase at another GIANT, fill out the Giving Tag with The Hatfield Church of the Brethren Food Cupboard. This is a great way to raise awareness, support the environment and fundraise for our cause.

The more people who learn about the program and purchase the *Bags 4 My Cause* Bag during the month of JANUARY 2020, the more money we will raise, and save the environment one bag at a time. Share this information with your family and friends!

Parish Ministry Update!

CLUB + 50

"ESTER" AT SIGHT AND SOUND in Lancaster is SOLD OUT! Secure your reservation by sending payment before March 1, 2020!

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#### **GAMES DAY and POT LUCK LUNCH**

The next Games Day is Wed., February 5th Cards, Rummikub, Mexican Train...

1PM – 4PM Parish Center

#### **DONUT SOCIAL**

This is a great way to connect with parishioners and talk about your ministry! Please check with your Ministry Leader to help the first Sunday of October, November, or December 2020



#### **Maria Richardson**

maria.richardson@stmariagoretti.net or 215-721-6559

#### **SUNDAY OFFERING**



COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY TO OUR
2019 CHRISTMAS COLLECTION ...\$70,078.40

|                         | Dec. 30, 2018 | Dec. 29, 2019 |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Sunday Offering         | \$16,340.00   | \$13,148.00   |
| Online Parish Giving    | \$ 4,522.00   | \$ 5,397.00   |
| TOTALS:                 | \$20,862.00   | \$18,545.00   |
| Total # of contributors |               | 511           |
|                         | Jan. 6, 2019  | Jan. 5, 2020  |
| Sunday Offering         | \$19,248.46   | \$20,364.00   |
| Online Parish Giving    | \$ 4,202.00   | \$ 6,434.00   |
| TOTALS:                 | \$23,450.46   | \$26,798.00   |
| Total # of contributors |               | 582           |

#### It's Simple:



 Log on to the parish website at www.stmariagoretti.net and click on the Parish Giving Logo and follow the easy registration instructions.

#### It's Secure:

• Parish Giving is PCI compliant and uses the strongest SSL encryption technology available.

#### It's Convenient:

- No more searching for the check book on Sunday morning stops at the ATM machine.
- You can pick the day of the month for the recurring contributions to be processed.

#### Tax Benefits:

• You will be able to print out a report detailing your contributions for the year.

#### **Parishioner Benefits:**

- Weekly or monthly contribution choices
- Ability to choose date and frequency of contributions

Thank you to the many families that have already signed up for the Parish Giving Program.



#### GIRL SCOUT COOKIES ARE BACK !!

Girl Scout Cookies will be available in the Narthex the weekend of January 18th and 19th after all Masses. We have all of your favorites, Gluten Free, cookies made with vegan ingredients AND a peanut free cookie. Please support your Parish Girl Scouts. For more information contact Kris Antenuci @ 215-721-7419.



#### DOWNLOAD THE FREE SMG PARISH MOBILE APP TODAY 3 Ways to get the app

- Search in the app store
- ♦ Click the link on SMG website homepage
  - Go to www.parishsolutionsco.com/Goretti



#### Registration is Open at Mater Dei

Registration for 2020-21 is open but filling up quickly for Imagination Playhouse, Preschool and Kindergarten Classes, and Grades 1 through 8. Once classes are filled, a waiting list will be formed. Secure your child's spot while some are still available. New applications can be submitted at https://www.materdeicatholic.com/admissions/registration-reregistration. Please contact Grace Samanns at 215-368-9787 to schedule a tour so that you can guarantee your child a spot for the 2020-21 school year!

Attention Alums of St. Maria Goretti, St. Rose, or St. Stanislaus Schools ...We are interested in knowing if you are an alum of one of our legacy schools: St. Maria Goretti, St. Rose, or St. Stanislaus. If you are a graduate of one of Mater Dei's legacy schools and would like to stay informed about how Mater Dei continues the traditions of your elementary school and about any future Mater Dei sponsored alumni events, please help us by completing a brief online form for our "Alum Connection." Please visit the legacy alumni page on our website at https://www.materdeicatholic.com/support-alumni/alumni-association and click on the Alumni Information Update link located in the first paragraph of the page. It will only take you a minute to complete the brief form. Please help Mater Dei build our Alum Connection!

#### **Employment Opportunity**

The Mater Dei Childcare in Hatfield is currently searching for high-energy staff to join our team. Our staff will need to provide and maintain a positive and appropriate educational program that meets the social, emotional, and physical needs of the children within their care. Candidates should be energetic, patient, friendly, nurturing and enjoy working with young children and their families. Looking for someone passionate about working with infants and toddlers. Please contact the center director Katherine Stansbury at kstansbury@materdeicatholic.com or 215-799-2211 if you are interested.

### A reasonably priced childcare program and a nurturing, safe environment for your child while you work.

The Mater Dei Childcare Center, located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield, watches over the youngest members of our community. Your child, ages 6 weeks to 36 months, is welcome to participate in an amazing program where he or she will learn and develop socially, emotionally, academically, and spiritually in a nurturing environment. Mater Dei Child Care Center is open Monday through Friday from 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM to accommodate the working parent. If you would like information about future availability for this wonderful program or would like to schedule a visit, please contact Katherine Stansbury, Center Director, at childcare@materdeicatholic.com or 215-799-2211.