



Saint Maria Goretti Parish

1601 Derstine Road, Hatfield

Phone: 215-721-0199
PREP Phone: 215-721-6559
Web Site: www.stmariagoretti.net

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9am to 8:00pm
Friday through Saturday: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.



PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. John C. Nguyen
Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Leonard N. Peterson
Vietnamese Apostolate: Rev. John C. Nguyen
Permanent Deacons: Deacon Phuong Nguyen
Deacon Peter Niche
Deacon Stephen Vondercrone
Mater Dei Regional Catholic School Principal:
Ms. Diane McCaughan
Director of Family Faith Formation, Religious Education
& Parish Services: Maria Richardson
Admin. Assist. of Religious Education: JoAnn Prahler &
Pat Kendig
Director of Adult Faith Formation: Angela McClellan
Director of Music: Eileen Ericsson
Pastoral Assistant: Patricia Conroy
R.C.I. A. Coordinator: Al Pandolfo
Elder Care Assistance Program: Amy Juarez
Office Manager: Cheryl Ryan
Parish Secretary: Mary Faymore
Business Manager: Douglas Smith
Asst. Business Mgr.: Geri Salanik

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 at 8:30 am
Holy Days	Vigil 7:00pm, 7:00am, 8:30am & Noon, Vietnamese Mass at 7pm

DEVOTIONS:

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

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

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday at 12:45 pm (except the first Sunday). 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.

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

Arrangements can be made by calling the Parish Office.

RECONCILIATION

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

**Cornhole
Tournament**



**Live
Music**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR &
GRAB YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS FOR SMG's 1st ANNUAL
GORETTIFEST ~ FOOD TRUCK & BEER GARDEN**

Beer Garden

Date: Friday, September 28, 2018

Time: 5 to 10pm

Where: St. Maria Goretti Parking Lot,
Cowpath & Derstine Roads, Hatfield

Food Trucks

Plan to join fellow parishioners and our entire community for Food, Beer, Live music by the well known band Rollin' & Tumblin", Cornhole Tournament with cash prize for the 1st place team and so much more. Invite your neighbors, family and friends to support our parish . A good time will be had by all.



THAT MAN IS YOU

The TM I Y program will be coming back again this fall to Maria Goretti. There are now two opportunities to attend the TM I Y program. TMIY is an interactive men's program focused on the development of male leadership in the modern world. One session will begin on Wednesday, September 12th and the second separate TM I Y session will begin on Saturday, September 15th. These sessions were implemented last year so that both retired and working men would be able to attend these sessions. Although there will be separate themes for the Wednesday and Saturday sessions, all men, married or single are invited to participate in one

or the other program. There is no requirement to have attended TMIY in the past. For more information or to register, contact us by email at TMIYSMG@gmail.com or 215-721-0199, ext. 254.

DO YOU VALUE CATHOLIC GRADE SCHOOL EDUCATION ?

Our state tax code permits individuals to redirect some of your PA state taxes for tuition assistance as "needs base scholarships" for Catholic School Students including our Mater Dei Regional Grade School. This law is known as "Educational Improvement Tax Credit" or E.I.T.C. Your annual PA tax liability must be at least \$5,000. E.I.T.C. philanthropy will cost you only pennies on the dollar. Would you like to find out more details? Please call Cheryl at the parish office at 215-721-0199 or e-mail Joe Wilkens at joe15PBC@gmail.com.

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 !

INFORMATION NIGHT FOR THOSE INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION



Do you have a calling to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion? Would you like to help at Mass with the distribution of the Body and Blood of Christ? Would you like to bring the Eucharist to the homebound parishioners of SMG? St.

St. Maria Goretti Parish is in great need of additional EM's to join in this most important ministry. Please join Deacon Steve for an information night on Monday, September 17th at 7pm in the Parish Library. The requirements to become an EM are: you must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, if married, your marriage must be recognized by the Catholic Church, 18 years of age or older and attends Mass regularly. Prayerfully consider joining this wonderful team of ministers. We will gladly work around your preferred Sunday Mass schedule.

PRO LIFE COMMITTEE

Please consider joining our Pro Life committee, to help those most vulnerable. Please contact Father Chung at 215-721-0199 or fr.chung@stmariagoretti.net or Bob McCormick at 215-362-1247 or bobmcc58@verizon.net.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

- SUN., August 19** 7:30 A.M. John Grabowski
Req. by The Grabowski Family
9:30 A.M. Catherine Pead
Req. by The Prayer Shawl Ministry
11:30 A.M. Maria Gallo Stumpo
Req. by Gemma Rosmini
- MON., August 20** 8:30 A.M. Catherine Thomas Jalosky
Req. by MaryAnn Bienas
- TUES., August 21** 8:30 A.M. Evelyn Grabowski
Req. by The Grabowski Family
- WED., August 22** 8:30 A.M. Special Intention
Req. by Kathy Senay
- THURS., August 23** 8:30 A.M. Margaret Ebner
Req. by Tom & Betty Fetter
- FRI., August 24** 8:30 A.M. Charles LeKites
Req. by Grant Wolfgang
- SAT., August 25** **No Morning Mass**
5:00 P.M. Martin Jones
Req. by The Salanik Family
- SUN., August 26** 7:30 A.M. Scott Unlig
Req. by Deborah Fuller
9:30 A.M. Donna Lee
Req. by Mele Lee-Nippins
11:30 A.M. Wesley & LeeAnn Pinkston
Req. by Glenn & Pat Pinkston

SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light for this week is lit in memory of **Maureen Unger** requested by Jim & Tracy Gallagher.



RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

**SAVE THE DATE
CHRISTIAN INITIATION ADULT
CATECHESIS**

Our weekly adult catechetical sessions will begin Saturday Sept 8, at 10:00 am in the Parish Center Building. Attendance is mandatory for our incoming Catholics and we also welcome with open arms any current parishioners who would like to sit in. Any questions contact Al Pandolfo at RCIA@stmariagoretti.net or call the parish center.

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: Warren Allison, Immaculata Antonucci, Ruth Adams, Jennifer & Kimberly Agnew, Paul Baril,

Ray Baril, Joey Berical, Jerilyn Bowler, Linda Burbank, Mary Callaghan, Mary Campagna, Caridad Carlos, Aldo Carnara, Danny Catts, Kristen Chipollini, Joanna Cavacini, Michael Costello, Jerry Cronin, Helen Curren, Leo Dennis, Christy Gianfrancesco Diehl, Ceferina Eusubio, Sally Esbensen, Peter Fallon, Marybeth Hentschel Fiorelli, Patrick Gardenier, Rita Gildea, Lianessa Gonzalez, Andrew Green, Dionne Greim, Sharon, Fernando & Ian Griffin, Frank Holloway, Lori Hanson, Gloria Harris, Michelle Heacock, Ron Hoffman, Kevin Iavecchia, Gerald Kenny, Emily Keiser, Charles Kline, Bernadette Kubej, Sue Kunze, Peg Krempl, Trish Lavelle, Angelique Lee, Keenan Lee, Curt Lecrone, Dina Lukasko, Mary Magnarella, Patti Maguire, William & Kristen Morrow, John McLaughlin, Bridget Micshener, Helen Millar, Diane Moll, Frank Monroe, Munson Family, John Mye, Terry Shields Neumann, Joan Nickerson, Mele Lee-Nippins, Ernie Nippins, Zachery Olberholzer, Bill O'Brien, Catherine Pagano, Robert Pauloski, Flocerfida & Savador Penganon, Michael Prahler, Marian Quinn, Pat Raber, Michael Rafter, Scott Randall, Jim Richardson, Sheila Rothenberger, Linda Santana, Susan Schmidt, Helen Shekalis, Joseph & Michael Thomas, Peg Trexler, Mae Veneziale, Sofia Wagner, Jim Ward, Glenn Watt, Charles Wetzel, Barbara Wetzel, Paula Jayne White, Patty Wiley, John Willstaudt, Arlene Wyatt, Salem Yabet, Joe Zdun & Jack Zampirri.

**CATECHESIS OF THE
GOOD SHEPHERD**



"LET THE CHILDREN COME"

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) program is a Montessori based parish religious formation/education program for children age 3 to 6 (Kindergarten) in LEVEL 1 and age 6 to 9 (grades 1 & 2) in LEVEL 2 with a primary goal to nurture a relationship with God. This is accomplished by the use of manipulative/child-interactive materials, prayer, song, listening to the Bible and preparation for full participation in the liturgy. This unique experience provides the foundation for a life-long relationship with God to be lived out in the Church community.

Both Levels are offered September through May/June

- ◆ **Level 1** (age 3-6) sessions are held Sunday mornings 9:15 to 10:45am. An additional session (11:15 to 12:45) would be added as needed.
- ◆ **Level 2** (grades 1 & 2) sessions are held Mondays 4:30pm to 5:45pm. CGS Level 1 attendance is required before Level 2.

Registration form may be found at the Parish Center or at stmariagoretti.net/prep/forms. For more information please contact Linda Hudak 215-593-5903 or Ishudak@yahoo.com



Join us for Part II of Church History

Dates, Times, Location

Friday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30AM
September 7 through November 16

St. Maria Goretti Parish Library
1601 Derstine Road
Hatfield, PA 19440

Cost/Registration

\$35 per person, payable at the first session on Sept. 7
Make checks payable to St. Maria Goretti Parish

For More Information

Contact Kim Staudt to register 215-272-9016 or
kimstaudt@me.com

CATHOLIC WOMENS CONFERENCE

Join us for a day of friendship, prayer and growth in your faith at the 2018 Catholic Women's Conference. This year's theme is "Daughters of the King" and the day will be devoted to helping women discover their foundational identity as daughters of the King of Heaven and Earth. Saturday, October 27, 2018, 9am-4pm, at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, PA. Talks will be offered in English, Spanish and American Sign Language.

A mid-September sellout is expected. Register today at:

RETREAT FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Our Lady of Confidence Christian Retreat for Persons with Disabilities: A three day retreat at Malvern Retreat House has been scheduled for October 9, 10, & 11, 2018 for adults with disabilities. The retreat is geared for adults with intellectual, physical or emotional disabilities. The retreat directors are Fr. Jim DeGrassa and Fr. Mike Speziale. If you or someone you know would enjoy a three day retreat that includes having your faith in God refreshed and strengthened please share this brochure and registration form. For information email OLCRetreat@gmail.com or call Malvern Retreat Center at 610-644-0400. For the brochure and registration form go to: www.opdarchphilly.org. If you would like to be a volunteer companion on this retreat contact Ed Seiders at OLCRetreat@gmail.com.

FIRST THURSDAY BREAKFAST CLUB



The Breakfast Club is held on designated First Thursdays of the year at Saint Maria Goretti Parish and provides a way for people to gather together in friendship following their time spent together in worship and prayer. Coffee, tea, juice, and nutritious breakfast refreshments are served along

with lots of laughter and conversation. There is no cost to participate in the Breakfast Club and no registration is required. Non-parishioners are always welcome. Next Breakfast Clubs: Thursdays, **September 6th** and October 4th in the narthex following the 8:30am Mass.

The Breakfast Club is automatically cancelled when a funeral is scheduled for the same morning.

TEA TIME WITH OUR LADY OF MERCY

Enjoy hot or iced tea and tea sandwiches in the company and companionship of our Mother Mary as we honor her under the title of Our Lady of Mercy. Have fun with a game of "Tea with Our Lady" BINGO. Cost is \$8.00 per person and includes a chance to win door prizes.

**Monday, September 24, 2018
11:30 AM to 1:00 PM**

**Saint Maria Goretti Parish Center: Lower Level
www.stmariagoretti.net
215-721-0199 (ext. 202)**

Please register using the form that can be found on our parish website at www.stmariagoretti.net or on the Adult Faith Formation table in our church narthex. Please mail form along with payment of \$8.00 per person. Payment is transferable to another person but is not refundable.

WHAT'S ON THE BOOKSHELF?

Join us for conversation and discussion on the personal reflections of Cardinal Timothy Dolan on Saint John Paul, Pope Benedict, and Pope Francis in his e-book entitled, Soul, Mind, and Heart. Download it for free at https://www.osv.com/Shop/Ebooks/dolanebook.aspx or pick up a free copy at Saint Maria Goretti Parish Center once you register for the book club. Please register at angela.mcclellan@stmariagoretti.net or by calling 215-721-0199 (ext. 202) if you plan on attending.

**Monday, October 22, 2018, 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Saint Maria Goretti Parish Center: Lower Level
www.stmariagoretti.net**

Reuniones de los Retiristas del Movimiento



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



The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the second and fourth Thursday of every month at 1 o'clock in the basement of the parish center .

New members welcome. Experience not necessary . Many helping hands to get you started. Yarn and needles provided. Contact Barbara Krummert at 440-655-0650 if you know anyone in need of a prayer shawl.

PRE-JORDAN CLASS

Pre-Jordan classes are offered the second Wednesday of each month in the Parish Library at 7pm. The next class will be held on **Wednesday, September 12th**. Pre-Jordan is required for parents wishing to have their child baptized and optional for godparents. You must attend Pre-Jordan prior to having your first child baptized. It is not necessary to attend if you have attended a session within the past 3 years. There is no need to register for the class and you are welcome to bring your little one. The class is approximately one hour.

POOR BOX STEWARDSHIP

The total collected last week was: \$301.11

BENEFITS BLESSED SARNELLI COMMUNITY

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 **July** and **August** 2018, all offerings from the poor box will be designated to **Blessed Sarnelli Community, Kensington, PA**. Blessed Sarnelli Community is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing for the needs of people who are poor and abandoned with an emphasis on empowering young adults to share in this commitment through prayer, hospitality and service. Sarnelli House is not just a food cupboard and soup kitchen, but a loving and giving community. Relationships are formed, food is shared, and evangelization takes place. **If donating by check, please make payable to St. Maria Goretti. Thank you!**

MINISTRIES SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 26th

E.M. of Holy Communion

5:00pm – Sacristan, J. Yandoli, D. Blanche, B. Santulli
7:30am – Sacristan, A. Russo, V. & L. Lelii
9:30am – Sacristan, D. Grant, M.J. Vondercrone, G. Salanik
11:30am – Sacristan, S. Sabia, C. LeBrocq, M. Niche

E.M. Home Visits

A1– K. Hay, **A2**-D. Johnson, **A3**-D. Trotter, **A4**-J. Forbes, **A5**– J. Gressang , **B1**-T. McGann, **B2**-J. Burke, **B3**-K. Clapper, **B4**-M. Collis, **B5**-D. Mischak

Lectors

5:00pm – M. D’Elia, T. Mazzeo
7:30am – B. Hudak, M. McCormick
9:30am – R. Miller, D. Smith
11:30am – E. Gallagher, A. LeBrocq

Cantors

5:00pm – Kristen
7:30am – Joe
9:30am – Kathy
11:30am – Tara

Altar Servers

5:00pm – A. Mazzeo, B. & C. O’Reilly, **E. Walsh**
7:30am – G. Boyd, N. & T. Burr
9:30am – K. Grant, T. Orndorff, M. Rosenberger, **S. Heim**
11:30am – B. Braun, T. & G. McGann



CRS SPOTLIGHT

Right now, your members of Congress are evaluating the funding levels for critical accounts in the FY19 budget that support migrants and refugees around the world. The U.S. Catholic Bishops oppose cuts to foreign aid and want to ensure that Congress is funding these lifesaving programs at the highest levels possible.

U.S. humanitarian assistance provides shelter, water, education, and hope to refugees. Development assistance addresses the root causes of poverty like violence and lack of economic opportunity, which helps families build better futures in their home countries. Ensure that the United States provides the leadership and aid required to help migrants and refugees where they are and address the root causes of migration by visiting www.crs.org. Your voice makes a difference. Raise it today!

PRE-CANA

St. Jude Parish offers a fun, engaging and instructional one day Pre-Cana marriage preparation day for engaged couples. Our day is designed to assist couples prepare for a strong, successful, lifelong marriage in a joy-filled, welcoming, environment. The sessions are held at St. Jude School Chalfont. Our next session is scheduled for **Sat., Oct. 27**. Please contact St. Jude Rectory 215-822-0179 office@stjudechalfont.org



NOVENA TO OUR LADY FOR HEALING

Corpus Christi Church in Lansdale will have a nine week Novena of Prayer to the Immaculate Heart of Mary for Healing every Wednesday evening from August 29 to October 24 at 6:30 PM in the church chapel. There is also an all day Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament which begins at 8:00 AM to 6:30 PM. At 6:30 PM we will have Benediction and then our Novena of Prayer to Our Lady for the sick and those with bodily ailments. For information please call Rosemary at 215-368-5875. Don't forget your rosary beads! Please pray with us, as Our Lady has asked us to do.

ATTENTION BOYS & GIRLS GRADES 5 THRU 12 INTERESTED IN BECOMING A NEW ALTAR SERVER



If you are interested in assisting Fr. Chung and other priests at Mass or liturgical gatherings this would be the ministry for you. Practice for new servers will start in the fall. On average you would be scheduled to serve Mass every 4 to 6 weeks. Servers are also needed for funerals and weddings in which a stipend is paid. Registration forms can be found in the narthex and can be dropped in the collection basket or at the parish center. For more information please call April LeBrocq at 215-721-4967 or Cheryl Ryan at 215-721-0199. Thank you!

NEW MUSIC OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN

Students in grades 3 to 6 are invited to join our new SMG Children’s Chime Choir! Eleven to thirteen children are needed to make a full group. The short season will run from September through November with rehearsals Tuesdays 5:50-6:30 PM. The children will play at three weekend Masses during the season. No previous bell or chime ringing experience is required. Please email Eileen Ericsson, Music Director (eileen.ericsson@stmariagoretti.net) to sign up today! When children are all grown up they will remember the joy of serving God at their church!

SUNDAY OFFERING



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Stewardship Offering	August 12, 2018
Total # of contributors (env, checks & EFT)	640
Total to Sunday Offering:	\$17,323.92
Total Parish Giving Offering:	\$1,825.00
Total Poor Box Offering:	\$301.11
Total Maintenance Offering:	\$358.00
Total Capital Improvement offering:	\$1,151.00

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 151 families that have already signed up for the Parish Giving Program.

PARISH CENSUS FORMS

Thank you to those who have already returned your annual census forms. They are important in keeping our parish data base up to date. **CONGRATULATIONS to Marty Detwiler who was the winner of the \$100 gift card drawing for anyone that returned their form before July 15th.**

Just because the raffle drawing is over it's not too late to return your census by dropping it in the collection basket or at the Parish Center. Thank you for your cooperation.

HUMOR CORNER

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large tray of apples. The nun made a note and posted it on the tray: 'take only ONE God is watching.' Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies. A child had written a note, 'take all you want...God is watching the apples!'



Mater Dei Childcare Open Houses

The Mater Dei Childcare Center located at St. Maria Goretti Parish in Hatfield will be holding two open houses in August. The center will be open on **August 19th from 10am-1pm (following mass) and August 28th from 6-7:30pm.** Come see how our new center helps each child develop socially, emotionally, academically, and spiritually in a nurturing environment. Please stop by or RSVP to Katherine Stansbury the Center Director at 215-799-2211 or by e-mailing kstansbury@materdeicatholic.com.

Lunch Bunch is Back by Popular Demand at Mater Dei in Lansdale!

On Wednesdays, we are inviting students in our half day Three and Four Year Old and Kindergarten Programs to participate in our new Lunch Bunch program! What a great way to give our morning friends an opportunity to eat lunch and interact with their peers in a different setting. This program, offered on Wednesday's, is purely optional and you may pick one Wednesday or all four, depending on what your schedule looks like that month. Class size will be limited, please contact Grace Samanns at 215-368-9787 to sign up!

Kindergarten Space is Still Available

Space is still available in our third Kindergarten classroom. If you are in need of a half or full day program, Mater Dei can help! Please contact the Advancement Office at 215-368-9787 or gsmanns@materdeicatholic.com as soon as possible to secure a spot for your child!

Mater Dei's Imagination Playhouse

Our newest program, Imagination Playhouse, will be offered at our Lansdale campus, where imaginative play and multi-sensory learning will be emphasized. Your child must be 2 1/2 to start this two day a week program (the program will accept 2 1/2 and 3-year-old children and your child does not have to be potty trained to begin). Space is still available for 2018-19. Please contact Grace Samanns at 215-368-9787 to RSVP.

North Wales Library Partnership Announced

Mater Dei will be visiting the North Wales Library this summer with crafts and STREAM activities for preschoolers. Join us if you can! Story Hour is first and then Mater Dei activities follow! Tuesday, August 28 10:00 AM

Calling All Legacy and Mater Dei Alumni

If you are an alum from any of our legacy schools or Mater Dei, please contact Grace Samanns in Advancement to be part of a great opportunity! A Legacy School/Mater Dei Alumni Committee is being formed and your help is needed with social media, planning events, graphic design etc. Call for more information or to sign up! 267-218-3496.

We Are Hiring!

Our brand new **Mater Dei Childcare Center** is growing and so, additions to our staff are needed. Currently, we are searching for a loving full-time teacher older toddler to join our team. Our teachers will need to provide and maintain a positive and appropriate Catholic educational program that meets the social, emotional, and physical needs of the children within their care. Candidates should have an education degree and experience in the field, be energetic, patient, friendly, nurturing and enjoy working with young children and their families. We're looking for the best of the best for our childcare program. If that's you, please send your resume for immediate consideration to Katherine Stansbury, Center Director at kstansbumaterdeicatholic.com