



TECH CATHOLIC
community

October 5, 2025
Twenty-Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Mass and Confession Schedule

(in MIT Chapel)
Sunday 9:30 AM, 1:00 PM, 5:00 PM
Monday & Wednesday 7:30 PM**
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 12:05 PM**
Confessions: Mon before Mass and
Wed. during Adoration
Anytime by appointment
**When classes are in session

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Joining TCC

TCC registration go to
<https://mitcatholic.org/get-connected>

TCCM is a moderated announcement
list for the Tech Catholic Community.

To subscribe or unsubscribe, go to
<http://mailman.mit.edu/mailman/listinfo/tccm>

To post a message in the bulletin or
on the TCCM list, send an email to:
tcc-updates@mit.edu

To get invited to the Slack workspace:
<https://www.mitcatholic.org/get-connected#connect-form>

Thomistic Institute Talk: "Church and State: A Catholic Perspective" presented by Prof. Adam Eitel - TODAY - October 5 at 6:30pm in the Student Center/West Lounge (W20-201). Refreshments will be served!

Adoration on Tuesday, 10/7 and 10/14 will be held at 9:30pm in the Chapel (instead of 9pm).

"What is prayer?"

How do you pray? Whether you pray only before midterms or multiple times a day, there is always more to learn and grow in what St. Theresa of Avila calls, "[the] intimate sharing between friends."

Please join us for **MIT Catholic's 2025 Fall Retreat**, October 10 – 12, where you can:

- Learn about ways to pray from Deacon Matthew
- Take a needed break from MIT's demanding schedule
- Spend time in fellowship with new and old friends
- Hear testimonies from fellow students on the power of prayer

All MIT, Harvard, and Wellesley students / affiliates students are welcome! I am excited about the program we have prepared for you, and I sincerely hope you will join us this fall in asking, "**Lord, teach us to pray...**" Luke Chapter 11, Verse 1."

Blessed Sacrament Oratory in Walker Memorial: To request card access to the Walker Quiet Space (50-305) please [complete this form](#).

Celiac Disease/Gluten Intolerance: The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, have made Vatican-approved, low-gluten altar breads since 2004. These breads have been tested by independent laboratories and deemed safe for use by many people with Celiac Sprue Disease.

In 2004 Dr. Alessio Fasano, at the time director of the Center for Celiac Research at the University of Maryland, maintained that the amount of gluten contained in one of the Benedictine Sisters' low-gluten altar breads (tested at < .01 percent) was so minute that someone diagnosed with Celiac Sprue Disease would have to consume 270 wafers daily in order to reach the danger point. A test done in 2016 indicated the gluten content was even more minimal - less than .001 percent. Dr. Fasano is now with the Center for Celiac Research and Treatment at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. The decision to receive a low-gluten host should be made on advice from your physician.

At Mass the priest will have the special container with the low-gluten hosts. At the time for Holy Communion simply process in the line being served by the priest, and when in front of the priest let him know you need a low-gluten host.

October <i>Also check out "MITCatholic.org" for more info!</i>						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 Masses: 9:30am, 1 PM and 5 PM (Reception follows the Masses) 6:30 PM: TI Talk	6 6 PM: Confession 7:30 PM: Mass	7 12:05 PM: Mass 9:30 PM: Adoration	8 7:30 PM: Mass 8:00 PM: Adoration and Confession	9 12:05 PM: Mass	10 12:05 PM: Mass 6:30 PM: Rosary 7 PM: Spags TCC Retreat starts	11 TCC Retreat
12 Masses: 9:30am, 1 PM and 5 PM (Reception follows the Masses) TCC Retreat return	13 NO Mass and Confession -Indigenous Peoples' Day-	14 7:30 PM: Mass 9:30 PM: Adoration	15 6 PM: Grad Read Gr 7:30 PM: Mass 8:00 PM: Adoration and Confession	16 8:15 AM: Mass	17 12:05 PM: Mass 6:30 PM: Rosary 7 PM: Spags	18

Back Bay Mobile Soup Kitchen (BBMSK) Join fellow students and young professionals in the area to pass out socks, sandwiches, and snacks and talk to our neighbors who are experiencing homelessness. Meet in front of Target in Central Square at 6:30pm on Tuesdays. For more info or to be added to the WhatsApp group, please contact Chris Johnstone (cjohnsto@mit.edu). All are welcome!

Rosary: Fridays at 6:30pm in the Student Center/Multipurpose Room (W20-401).

Spaghetti Suppers: Join the TCC every Friday night at 7pm for a free spaghetti supper.
Location: Student Center/Multipurpose Room (W20-401).

MIT Catholic LinkedIn Group: The MIT Catholic community now has a linked in! <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12783224> join the group to expand your network, stay in touch, apply for job postings from MIT Catholic alumni, post jobs if you are recruiting, build our community and more! **QR code on the left.**

