Mission Statement
We, the people of Mary, Queen of Peace, are called to be a Catholic faith community centered around prayer and worship and embodying Gospel values. We are a family of Christians committed to growth in faith and holiness as signs of God’s presence in the world. We act in imitation of Christ, by reaching beyond ourselves in service to others.

Mass Schedule
Saturday Anticipation 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am and 10:30 am
Weekday Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 pm
Wednesday and Friday: 8:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday; 3:45-4:30 pm, before any Mass, or anytime by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism
Baptisms are celebrated on the second and fourth Sundays of the month, after the 10:30 Mass. Parents who have not yet received pre-baptismal instruction are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Session. For more information please call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage
Barbara Taylor—Wedding Coordinator—941.961.2487
dbt1412@yahoo.com
Contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance.

Sacrament of Anointing
In an emergency, call the Parish Office at anytime. If you or a loved one are hospitalized, confined to home, or residing at a health care facility, contact the Parish Office to receive the Eucharist and/or Anointing.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?
Inquiry classes begin in September as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Contact Jeff Earl 317.626.0811 or rcia@mqpdanville.org.

Bulletin Deadline
Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on Sunday’s to amw1005@iquest.net, also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjbobrien@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.
Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, March 16, 2015
NO MASS.

Tuesday, March 17, 2015  St. Patrick
5:15 p.m. Rosary
5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Alejandro Magallanes.

Wednesday, March 18, 2015  St Cyril of Jerusalem
8:30 a.m. In honor of Nathan Richard Novak.
Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Thursday, March 19 2015  St. Joseph
12:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Matthew Rodriquez.

Friday, March 20, 2015  SPRING
8:30 a.m. † All Souls.
Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Saturday, March 21, 2015
5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Tony Konechnik

Sunday, March 22, 2015  5th SUNDAY OF LENT
8:00 a.m. For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.
10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Bobby Hennessy.

Reconciliation (Confession)
“The Light is On For You”
Every Wednesday During Lent
6-7:30 p.m.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
FRIDAYS
at 7:00 p.m.

Lenten Penance Service
March 19 at 7:00 p.m.
St. Susanna

Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure
Collection for March 8, 2015
This Week’s Regular Collection (172 envelopes)
$8,684.00
This Week’s Gold Envelope Collection (27 envelopes)
$1,125.00
Criterion Subscription (11 envelopes)
$320.00
Propagation of the Faith (1 envelope)
$100.00

Regular Collection
Budgeted Year-to-Date
$262,620.00
Actually Received
$282,544.51
Variance to Budget
$19,924.51

Your Help is Needed for Confirmation

We need your help at the Cathedral for the sacrament of Confirmation. Parishes are responsible to supply many of the workers at the ceremony: ministers of hospitality (3), Eucharistic ministers (7), and servers (2) are roles we need to fill. Our teens will receive Confirmation on Tuesday, April 21, at 7:00 p.m. Training will be provided to workers beforehand. Please contact Matthew with questions and to volunteer.

For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also John Reynolds, Mike Sharkey, Bob Elliott, Ken Warner, Jaycee Peak, Carolyn Meyers, James Premeske, June Cirkl, and BJ Makuh.

We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.

Prayer Line
If you know of someone who needs the special healing power of prayer, or to become a part of this ministry, call Fran Strauss at 317-745-5640.

Bereavement Ministry

If you have lost a loved one recently or know of a parishioner who has, please contact Helen Disney so that we can include the family in our ministry.
317-745-4867 or jimandhelendisney@gmail.com

In keeping with the solemnity of the season of Lent, flowers honoring our Blessed Mother, Mary, Queen of Peace, will not be placed before her statue in the church. Flowers will once again adorn her statue on Easter Sunday. Donations for flowers will still be accepted and scheduled for display after Lent. Thank you.
"God has found me worthy to be a minister of His Gospel, and so when I speak, I strive to please God and not men."

1 Thessalonians 2:4

+ Dear Friends,

Today the Church celebrates Laetare Sunday. Taken from the Latin for "rejoice", we today hear of rejoicing in the readings. Rejoicing during Lent? Well, yes. The Church points out to us, while in the midst of Lenten prayer, fasting and charity, that the glory and joy of Easter are approaching! The solemn violet of the vestments is set aside and the rose vestment is worn. Mixing the violet with the glorious white of Easter, we have rose. And so, let us rejoice in our hearts!

We hear on this Laetare Sunday of the greatest mercy shown us by God our Father: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son." We gaze upon the Son, "lifted up" for our salvation. We look upon Him "Whom they have pierced." We behold the Son of God, the source of everlasting life! What perfect thoughts for a rejoicing Sunday! And, it is important for us to remember, that it is not merely by LOOKING upon Jesus that we may gain salvation. We must LIVE Jesus, the One Who was pierced for our offenses!

I remind one and all of the continuing "The Light Is On For You" confessional schedule. Each remaining Wednesday of Lent, I will be in the confessional from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Of course, the regular Saturday time (3:45-4:30) continues as well. If you haven’t made a good confession during Lent...there is still time! I also will be helping at St. Susanna when they have their penance services as well. Pick up an “Examination of Conscience” flyer in the vestibule to help make a good confession!

It is not too early for you to start thinking and resolving to make the upcoming HOLY WEEK & PASCHAL TRIDUUM your priority as we soon approach those holy and sacred days of our Catholic Faith. Set aside those watches and have the resolve to be HERE for the holiest days of our Faith! PALM SUNDAY MASSES will be at the usual times. HOLY THURSDAY MASS will be at 7:00 p.m. GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY OF THE LORD’S PASSION will be at Noon. EASTER VIGIL will be at 8:00 p.m. EASTER SUNDAY MASSES will be at 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Remember, Stations of the Cross are prayed each Friday evening of Lent, beginning at 7:00 p.m. We have had excellent attendance. Hope to see you there!

Let us continue to pray for one another!

Rejoice

Father Mike

Dear Parishioners,

Cross Catholic Outreach wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Father Bernard Olszewski on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having shared in their lives. May our Lord continue to bless all of you for your love and support.

Yours in Christ,
Jim Cavnar, President

You are invited to ‘Frydays,’ the Lenten fish fry - hosted by the youth group. Only two dinners to go. Come meet the kids as they serve dinner! The fish is always hand-battered and the sides vary some each week. We welcome donations of desserts, or even volunteer help, thank you. See you on Fryday!

Who will be the 'top shot' on Saturday, March 21, at Xtreme Lazer Tag in Avon? Can anyone unseat defending champion Chris Genin? We’ll meet there at 7:30 p.m. - $5 gets you into the action.

A guest speaker from the Archdiocese Office of Missions will visit the youth group on April 19th. Middle school students in grades 6-8 are welcome as well as high school teens. Let's learn, and then plan our own mission trip!

The Middle School Youth will be having their next event on March 22. We are going to watch a movie and have some pizza. We will meet in the youth room after 10:30 Mass. If you could bring $3 for pizza, that would be greatly appreciated. If you have any suggestions on a good movie for us to watch or any questions, please contact elizabethdieckmann15@gmail.com or 317-709-6765.

Religious Education

This Sunday, after Morning Prayer, the level 8 Religious Education class will re-enact the Stations of the Cross at the east end of the parking lot (weather permitting). All interested parishioners are invited to attend and pray with the students. The level two class has begun their preparations to begin receiving the Holy Eucharist. They will celebrate the Sacrament at the 10:30 Mass on April 19th.

This week’s principle of Catholic social teaching is The Call to Family, Community and Participation. We, like the early disciples are called to come together as a community whether that community is our classroom, work place, or family.

The CRS rice bowl project brings our Lenten journey back to Africa this week, to the Democratic Republic of the Congo. We join our fasting in solidarity with people who go hungry, and we remember in prayer the importance of building a community that is willing to support those most in need.
Family Promise
We are in need of donated items for our hosting weeks for Family Promise. Needed items range from breakfast and lunch foods to games and puzzles. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex. Any help you can give will be greatly appreciated!

Women’s Club Spring 2015
RUMMAGE SALE
The Spring Rummage Sale is scheduled for April 16th & 18th. Set-up dates are April 13th, 14th & 15th. The hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. daily. Since all women of our parish are members, it would be such a blessing if our ladies would donate a small portion of your “LEISURE TIME” with the set-up or the selling of this yearly Rummage Sale. We have fun and lunch is provided. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex. For more information, contact Rosemarie Warren, Chairman, 317-272-2152.

At A Glance Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, March 15, 2015
9:00 a.m. Religious Education begins with prayer in the church.
9:00 a.m. Stations of the Cross
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class

MONDAY, March 16, 2015
TUESDAY, March 17, 2015
WEDNESDAY, March 18, 2015
6:00-7:30 p.m. “The Light is On for You” Reconciliation

THURSDAY, March 19, 2015
7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults - “Spiritual & Corporal Works of Mercy.”

FRIDAY, March 20, 2015
4:30 p.m. Youth Fish Fry
7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, March 21, 2015
6:00 p.m. Share Your Heart Dinner & Auction

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of March 21 & 22

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY
5:00 p.m. Ron Beaman, Bart Hensley
Tom Lindsey, Jim Parsey
8:00 a.m. Michael Corbitt, Dave Peak
Jaycee Peak, John Ulicne
10:30 a.m. Alex Earl, Jason Franchville
Mary O’Brien, Justin Snider

READERS
5:00 p.m. Miriam Orelup, D.J. DesJarlais
8:00 a.m. Helen Disney, Jim Disney
10:30 a.m. Anna Marie Fallon, Sub Needed

SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Nick Beaman, Korey Berg
8:00 a.m. Leslie Pell, Nick Pell
10:30 a.m. Nina Fallon, Clara Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
5:00 p.m. Ciborium: JoAnn Morton
8:00 a.m. Ciborium: Jeannie Thurnall
10:30 a.m. Ciborium: Dennis Graves
Need two others to sign in:
Marcia Castagno, Vince Castagno
Matthew Fallon, Mary Kay Hood
Tom O’Brien, Julie Petree

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, March 16, 2015
Isaiah 65:17-21/John 4:43-54

Tuesday, March 17, 2015
Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12/John 5:1-16

Wednesday, March 18, 2015
Isaiah 49:8-15/John 5:17-30

Thursday, March 19, 2015
2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22/
Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Luke 2:41-51a

Friday, March 20, 2015
Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22/John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday, March 21, 2015
Jeremiah 11:18-20/John 7:40-53

Sunday, March 22, 2015
Jeremiah 31:31-34/Hebrews 5:7-9/John 12:20-33

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