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 Intentions**

**for the Week**

**Monday, May 11, 2015**

NO MASS.

**Tuesday, May 12, 2015**

11:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Dale Taylor.

**Wednesday, May 13, 2015**

8:30 a.m. † For all the Women of the Parish both living & deceased.
Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

**Thursday, May 14, 2015**

5:10 p.m. Rosary.
5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Lolly Shultz.

**Friday, May 15, 2015**

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Ron Osmialowski.
Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

**Saturday, May 16, 2015**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of June Cirkl.

**Sunday, May 17, 2015**

8:00 a.m. For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.
10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Jeff Baldwin.

**Flowers Given this Weekend Are to Honor The First Communion Class**

If you would like to make a donation for fresh flowers to be placed before Mary’s statue in the church, please use the envelopes that are located in the vestibule. Donations will be accepted in honor of our Blessed Mother, Mary, Queen of Peace and given in the name of whomever you choose. Envelopes can be dropped in the collection.

Thank you, The Liturgy Committee

**Time & Talent**

Thank you to Mike Wigger, Phil Schneider and Stewart Williams for installing the new air conditioning units at the rectory.

**Adult Confirmation**

Are you an adult who would like to be Confirmed? Archbishop Tobin invites any baptized Catholic to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 31st. If you have been catechized, and are practicing the Catholic faith, but happened to miss confirmation when you were younger, this is another chance!

You will need a confirmed sponsor, and names must be submitted through the parish by May 18th. Contact Matthew for more information, or to put your name on the list.

**For Mom**

*By Jeanne Gawith*

I remember yesterday, when I took for granted time.

I thought, I can do it later; I know she will not mind.

But here it is, tomorrow.

Time has gone too quickly,

I need to tell my Mama what is on my mind.

I want to thank her for being mine-

Always there beside me.

Even through the toughest times,

Her wisdom it would guide me.

And when she disagreed with me,

She usually was right.

Yet she never turned away-

Just reminded me, “It’s your life.”

On those many lonely nights

My best friend she would be.

Mama was there, without a doubt,

To love and reassure me.

She’d let me know that I was loved

That Life would turn around.

When peace and calm eluded me

Mom kept me on solid ground.

So, here it is, all too soon,

Time to say goodbye.

I see she is on her way

To God’s eternal light.

I only hope and pray she knows

I’ll carry her with me

Every day of my entire life.

My Mom – so loving, so bright.
“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,

“If you keep My commandments, you will remain in My love. I have told you this that your joy might be complete.”

The resurrection of Jesus has the power to transform death into life, lives of sin into lives lived in the image and likeness of God our Father, and a world torn by war and terrorism into a world where peace can reign!

Today’s Gospel lets us all know exactly what role WE play, as baptized believers, in this possible transformation. Our responsibility, our privilege, is to imitate Jesus Christ: “As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.”

How awesome it is to hear Jesus today say to us: “It was not you who chose Me, but I Who chose you.” To think that each and every one of us has personally been called by Christ Jesus through His Holy Church! I don’t think we will ever adequately comprehend the love of God toward us. Do you? It is simply beyond us that the One True God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit, calls us BY NAME! And, He calls us “friends,” not slaves. It is THAT love that our Lord challenges us to show forth by the way we act and speak in our daily lives. Oh, if it were only that easy, right? I like this quote from a Jewish victim of the Nazi death camp of Auschwitz: “I fold my hands in a gesture that I have come to love, and in the dark I tell You silly and serious things, and implore blessings upon Your honest, sweet head….Goodnight Beloved.”

As we go forth from this Holy Mass today, let us ask for the strength to love even more, breaking down any walls of hostility, revenge or calumny that perhaps we have helped build!

A VERY HAPPY MOTHERS’ DAY TO ALL MOTHERS OF OUR PARISH!!

Today is Mom’s day, so treat her to an extra special day. If Mom has gone before you in death, today is a day to remember all the kindness, all the acts of love, she shared in your years together. It’s a day to pray for Mom in a special way. And, through the Communion of the Saints, it’s also a day to ask Mom to continue to pray for YOU! God Bless Them All!

You all have a blessed week! God Bless You All!

Forever Young will meet on Tuesday, May 12. We will celebrate Mass at 11:30 a.m. followed by a pitch-in lunch featuring hamburgers and hot dogs hot off the grill. Please make plans to join us!

Our next middle school event will be held on May 17th. We will travel to SkyZone and Culver's for lunch. We'll meet in the narthex after the 10:30 Mass and return to the church afterwards. SkyZone charges $13/hr. and Culver's will likely be $12, depending on what you order, so if you let Beth know you're coming by May 11th, we'll bring the cost down to $7 and $7. If you have any questions, concerns, or would like to help chaperone, please contact Beth Dieckmann at elizabethdieckmann15@gmail.com or 317-709-6765!

An informational and registration meeting for the new Confirmation preparation class will be held on June 7th after the 10:30 Mass.

We would like to honor our graduating high school seniors at the 10:30 Mass on May 31st. Please fill out and return the information form sent out to you and plan to be part of our celebration. Graduates will receive a gift in honor of your achievement. Winners of the K of C scholarship also will be announced at the Mass.

Summer Fun for you and your families:

♦ Watch the Indians baseball game and then a fireworks show, at Victory Field on June 26th. Discount tickets ($13) available, sign-up on the narthex bulletin board.

♦ Make a (literal) splash at the Ellis Park pool on July 31st, 7:00-9:00 p.m. Splash contest at the diving board at 8:00 p.m. Bring a treat to share if you can (not required).

Congratulations to our ‘Perfect Attendance’ students: Ethan Birchman, Mason Stewart, Olivia Pell, Kaitlyn Schack, Braedon and Ethan Morris, Nate and Clare Wigger. Enjoy your reward from Dairy Queen!

When you leave home this summer, remember Jesus is always with you - and take along Flat Jesus! You can find copies of Flat Jesus in the church vestibule. You can find copies of Flat Jesus in the church vestiule. Take a picture with Flat Jesus wherever you go, near or far. Bring it back to church (Matthew Fallon) and we’ll make a collage of everywhere Flat Jesus was spotted this spring and summer!

Join together with other RE students and your whole family for a few fun summer events:

• June 26th - Indianapolis Indians baseball trip, group discount ($13) on tickets. Fireworks show after the game. Sign-up sheet on the narthex bulletin board and the RE building.

• July 31st - cool off at the pool in Ellis Park, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Bring a treat to share if you like (not required).

Vacation Bible School

VBS is just around the corner! Please mark your calendars for June 7-11. We will gather each evening (Sunday-Thursday) from 6:00-8:30 at the Danville Christian Church. This year’s theme is Kingdom of the Son: A Prayer Safari, which will revolve around the Lord’s Prayer. More information will be coming soon! If you have any questions or you are interested in volunteering, please contact Beth Cherry, at 847-6576.
Fish For Sale!

Can't get enough of that great fish from the Lenten youth fish fry? Now you can take some home for yourself! We have some un-breaded, frozen fillets that we are offering for the low price of $1/per fillet, while they last. Contact Matthew, if you are interested.

Clean-Up Day!

Our Parish clean-up day is scheduled for May 16th. Please plan to spend a couple of hours to help clean up leaves, landscaping areas, garage, etc. Bring your own tooling. We will start by 8:00.

Parish Nursing Ministry

Someone said Jesus was the first public health nurse. He cared for and educated wherever He went. Parish Nursing (Faith Community Nursing) has been around for awhile. This type of nursing could be very advantageous to our parish. It could start out small and increase wherever the needs and wants of the parish take us.

Some of the possibilities include: Education on pertinent health issues, information on Advanced Directives and Living Wills, explanation and clarification of medicines, monthly blood pressure readings, movie nights, health fairs, the younger helping the older with physical needs, the older helping the younger with wisdom and patience, speakers to increase our knowledge base to make wiser decisions, etc. The parish has much to give to each other.

How can we improve the health and wellness of our parishioners at Mary Queen of Peace? Contact Theresa Donahue with any input (pro and con) on this issue. Also, she is seeking any ideas that are important to you: needs, wants, values, questions, fears. Email her at mtheresa44@aol.com or call her at 317-745-7065.

At A Glance Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, May 10, 2015
9:00 a.m. Breakfast honoring Mother’s Day hosted by the Nights of Columbus.

MONDAY, May 11, 2015
11:30 a.m. Mass with the Forever Young followed by a pitch-in luncheon in the Parish Hall.

WEDNESDAY, May 13, 2015
THURSDAY, May 14, 2015
7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. - “Wrap up” Pot Luck Dinner
FRIDAY, May 15, 2015
SATURDAY, May 16, 2015
8:30 a.m. Parish Clean-up Day

Parish Council Elections

Elections will be held for new Parish Council members on June 21st. There are four seats available. If you know of anyone that would be a good addition to the council, please nominate them using the form below. You can turn the form into the collection basket, drop it by the parish office, or you can nominate someone via email kylie@lawsonandco.com. You can also nominate yourself!

I nominate ____________________________ to run for the Parish Council.

Ascension

The Ascension of the Lord falls on May 14th this year. It has been changed permanently to the 7th Sunday of Easter.

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, May 11, 2015
Acts 16:11-15/John 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday, May 12, 2015
Acts 16:22-34/John 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 13, 2015
Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/John 16:12-15

Thursday, May 14, 2015
Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/John 15:9-17

Friday, May 15, 2015

Saturday, May 16, 2015

Sunday, May 17, 2015

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of May 16 & 17

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY
5:00 p.m. Bart Hensley, Bob Mathis
Jack Williams, Not Filled
8:00 a.m. Dave Adams, Jan Adams
Michael Corbitt, Dick Harvey
10:30 a.m. Tonya Earl, Alex Earl
Payton Perry, Jeff Perry

READERS
5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper, D.J. DesJarlaids
8:00 a.m. Logan Walliser, Michelle Pritchett
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Mary Kay Hood

SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Faith Florence, Not Filled
8:00 a.m. Megan Howard, Braden Walliser
10:30 a.m. Amy Earl, Meredith Perry

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
5:00 p.m. Ciborium: Judy Schneider
Bob Freed, George Juza
Betty Kessinger, Renaye Parsey
8:00 a.m. Ciborium: Jeannie Thurman
Margie Cope, Anita Dieckmann
Nick Pell, Tony Steinmetz
10:30 a.m. Ciborium: Pat Baldwin
Marcia Castagno, Vince Castagno
Matthew Fallon, Tom O’Brien
Gina Perry, Joyce Schmitt

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