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
dttb1412@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@quest.net, also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Monday, August 24, 2015**
NO MASS.

**Tuesday, August 25, 2015**
5:30 p.m. NO MASS.

**Wednesday, August 26, 2015**
8:30 p.m. NO MASS.

**Thursday, August 27, 2015**
5:30 p.m. NO MASS.

**Friday, August 28, 2015**
8:30 a.m. NO MASS.

**Saturday, August 29, 2015**
5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Cal & Cletus Glissman.

**Sunday, August 30, 2015**
22nd Sunday
8:00 a.m. For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.

**Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure**

**Treasure**
Collection for August 16, 2015

- This Week's Regular Collection (138 envelopes) $7,477.20
- This Week’s Gold Envelope Collection (4 envelopes) $145.00
- Feast of the Assumption (54 envelopes) $1,088.00

**Budgeted Year-to-Date** $53,074.00
**Actually Received** $53,767.80
**Variance to Budget** $693.80

**Time & Talent**
Thank you to Steve Stewart for taking down and cleaning up the dead pine tree on the northeast side of the church.

Congratulations and welcome to the newest member of our parish family.

Rafe Frances Jennings

**Come and See**
Would you like to know what the Catholic Church teaches? Are you looking for an encounter with Jesus? Would you like to learn about the rich liturgy and prayer life of the Catholic Church? Whether you are seeking to join the Church, just wanting to learn about the Church, or are a lifelong Catholic, the Come and See program is for you. Sessions will meet on Thursday nights at 7:00 starting September 10. For more information, go to mqpcomeandsee.blogspot.com or contact Jeff Earl at jeffery.a.earl@gmail.com or 317-626-0811, and pick up a schedule of classes at the bake sale table.

**Fall Adult Education**
Adult Education will be doing "The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation" by Jeff Cavins this year. We will start Sunday morning classes at 9:00 a.m. on September 13 and Monday evening classes at 7:00 p.m. on September 14. Please sign up at the bake sale table. Sign-ups will end on Sunday, August 30, so there will be enough time to order materials and have it ready for the first class.

**Religious Education**
We need a second catechist in the fourth and seventh grade classes, as per the archdiocese. Please consider helping teach the Catholic faith to our young parishioners; call Matthew at the office to discuss the possibility.

Substitutes are also needed to help fill in when a catechist cannot be in class.

Registration for classes continues - pick up a packet in the narthex. Late registrations after August will result in an additional $15 fee.

**Catechists:** If you missed the first information meeting about the upcoming year, don't fret! Another meeting will be held between the Masses next Sunday (the 30th) at 9:00 a.m. in the youth room.

**First Communion Photos: 1951 – 2012**
The Archives Committee has a collection of duplicate First Communion pictures. If you have misplaced your picture, check out the years that we have accumulated: 1951; 53 thru 58; 59; 61; 62; 63; 68; 70; 75; 77; 78; 81; 86; 87; 88; 90 thru 94; 97; 98; 99; 2001; 2003 thru 2012. If you would like a copy of the picture, please contact Mary K. Williams at mkw13@tds.net or 765-246-6876. A copy will be left for you at the parish office.

**In Honor of our Blessed Mother Mary, Queen of Peace**
**The Leondis Family**
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

**Prayer Line**
For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Bob Elliott, Ken Warner, James Premeske, Betty Schmutte, Jim Fisher, and Rita Fritsch.

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

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**Emergency and Religious Needs**

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.

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"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,

The parish of MQP welcomes Fr. Adrian Burke, OSB, from St. Meinrad this weekend. Fr. Adrian will be sharing the work and ministry of the Benedictine monks and staff of the Archabbey and Seminary. Welcome, Fr. Adrian!

In both the first reading as well as the Gospel today, we hear of people who recognized God’s presence among them. The stark and eternal consequences of their choices must be reflected upon.

Joshua recalls God’s protection during the time when the Israelites fled the yoke of their Egyptian masters. Because of this, Joshua swears, “As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.” Alas, others of his company did not make the same choice.

In the wonderful passage from St. John’s Gospel, St. Peter recognizes Jesus as “the Holy One of God.” Alas, others of his company did not.

Each time we gather to offer the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, we proclaim that we, too, recognize the very Presence of Jesus Christ in our lives and in our midst in the Holy Eucharist. This reverential recognition, coupled with our willingness to serve Christ, impels us to extend His Presence into our daily lives. Alas, at times we do not do this.

Any serious study and prayer of the Holy Scriptures includes the awareness that numbers play a very important role. Beginning with the days of creation to the days Noah spent in the ark, to the days the Jews wandered in the desert, the twelve tribes of Israel, the twelve Apostles, the seven Sacraments; all point out the sacred writers’ awareness that God uses these to teach truth.

Therefore, one must conclude that it is no mere coincidence for St. John the Apostle’s “Eucharistic Chapter,” the sixth chapter, to include a rather ominous warning and statement of fact in the sixty-sixth verse: “As a result of this, many of His disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied Him.” (JN. 6:66) Does that number sound in any way familiar to you?

It is the same series of numbers St. John would later use in the Book of Revelation to refer to “the Anti-Christ.” He is making it quite clear that in his revelation, to reject the reality and truth of the Holy Eucharist, is to make one’s self another “anti-Christ.” One cannot claim allegiance to Jesus Christ and at the same time reject His own proclamation of the Holy Eucharist!

It is so important for us to realize that our Lord did not force anyone to accept this supreme teaching; this sublime reality. He allowed those who would not or could not believe, to leave Him. We need to remember the same thing today. No one can be forced to believe in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. At the same time, we need not apologize for the fact that we do! Nor should we feel constrained to not share this belief with others and ask that they respect our belief and His True Presence in the Tabernacles of our churches.

What a Gift! What a Treasure, is the Most Blessed Sacrament! As St. John Vianney wrote:

“What happiness do we not feel in the Presence of God, when we are at His Feet before the Sacred Tabernacle! Redouble your fervor; you are to adore your God; His Eyes rest upon you!”

Father Mike

Youth News & Activities

You have two weeks to decide to join us on our trip to the National Catholic Youth Conference!! We will be finalizing our registration SEPTEMBER 4.

We still have two beds in the hotel rooms for boys and two for girls - commuters are welcome also; you will have to provide your own transportation.

If you need information to convince you, visit NCYC.info, or archindym.com.

The first championship of the football season will be the MQP Tabletop Bowl. Extra events include longest field goal, and highest FG percentage. Please bring the lyrics to your current favorite song (or two) on the radio, and your appetite for ice cream sundaes!

If you missed the first Confirmation informational/registration meeting, all is not lost! Another meeting will be held on August 30th, right after the 10:30 Mass, down in the youth room.

 Helpers Needed

We need helpers for the Come and See program. Please call Jeff Earl at 317-626-0811 if you can help with hospitality, set-up, sharing your faith, or praying for the program.

MQP Jackets For Sale

The Liturgy Committee is selling Mary, Queen of Peace jackets after all Masses during the month of August. They will be delivered September 19th. You may choose between a fleece jacket or a wind breaker style jacket. Both are partial or full zipper. The cost is $40 each. To order or for questions, please see Dennis Graves after the Masses.

The Rite of Calling

Preparations for this year’s Confirmation class will formally begin with the Rite of Calling, on September 20th at the 10:30 Mass. Please consider encouraging our candidates with a personal note. You could include advice for their study this year or for the future, remembrances of your experience and what it means to you now, or just support and best wishes! Send the notes to Matthew Fallon in the office, or at mqpyouthfallon@gmail.com for copying and distribution at the Rite of Calling. Thank you for this act of care and support!

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Parish Life Update

We will not be having the ice cream social this year. We are putting our efforts into children’s activities for the Oktoberfest. We encourage you to bring the whole family to Oktoberfest. We will have games and prizes for the kids. Hope to see you there! Also, the date for our parish Christmas party will be coming soon.

MQP Softball Team

Mary Queen of Peace had a fun and exciting season this year playing in the coed softball church league. Their record for this season is 4 wins, 1 loss and 2 ties. The softball team would like to thank their fans who cheered them on.

We would love to have a few more players come and join us next season. Players need to be entering 9th grade or older. If you want to play, please call Larry Origer at 317-730-1054.

Bake Sale

Thank you to all who brought in baked goods. Please continue to bring in items throughout the month of August. Thank you to all who bought items as well. The money raised will sponsor a well through Cross Catholic Outreach and help defer the cost of next year’s adult education class. If you are able to help work at the booth please email Tonya Earl at patonya@gmail.com or check us out on Facebook at Mary Queen of Peace Adult Education.

Plan on attending the Absolutely Very First Annual Mary Queen of Peace Oktoberfest on Saturday, September 19, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Loads of fun with plenty of activities and prizes for the kids. Also, bring your MUG (ugly or not LOL) along with your good looking Stein for the Oktoberfest Contest, participate in the 50/50 draw and, if you are lucky, you might just catch a glimpse of Father Mike in his “Lederhosen”. Tickets on sale after each Mass or contact Vince Castagno at 317-987-4745 - vcast@outlook.com to reserve your tickets now.

K of C Breakfast

Monthly breakfasts are BACK! The Knights of Columbus just finished their summer hiatus and are back with their monthly Parish Breakfasts starting Sunday, September 13, following the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses. The Knights have changed the menu around a bit and the breakfast is now an “at will” donation. The menu will include pancakes, sausage, coffee, juice and more. Looking forward to seeing you here on Sunday, September 13. Take care and God Bless!

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, August 24, 2015
Revelations 21:9b-14/John 1:45-51

Tuesday, August 25, 2015
1 Thessalonians 2:1-8/Matthew 23:23-26

Wednesday, August 26, 2015
1 Thessalonians 2:9-13/Matthew 23:27-32

Thursday, August 27, 2015
1 Thessalonians 3:7-13/Matthew 24:42-51

Friday, August 28, 2015
1 Thessalonians 4:1-8/Matthew 25:1-13

Saturday, August 29, 2015
1 Thessalonians 4:9-11/Mark 6:17-29

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of August 29 & 30

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY
5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus
8:00 a.m. Dave Adams, Michael Corbitt
        Todd Deno, Colin Deno
10:30 a.m. Tonya Earl, Alex Earl
        Jason Franchville, Joan Kimbley

READERS
5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus
8:00 a.m. Logan Walliser, Michelle Pritchett
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Peg Glover

SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Faith Florence, Alyssa Scales
8:00 a.m. Luke Howard, Braden Walliser
10:30 a.m. Amy Earl, Daniel Hazelton

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus
8:00 a.m. Ciborium: Jeannie Thurnall
        Margie Cope, Anita Dieckmann
        Nick Pell, Tony Steinmetz
10:30 a.m. Ciborium: Pat Baldwin
        Marcia Castagno, Vince Castagno
        Dixie Chaille, Kim Lovejoy
        Mary Lovejoy, Joyce Schmitt

Featured Advertiser of the Week

Godby Hearth & Home
Fireplaces ~ Mirrors ~ Gas Grills
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Paul Adams, Owner/Parishioner