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@quest.net, also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ● September 20, 2015
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Monday, September 21**  
NO MASS.

**Tuesday, September 22**  
5:30 p.m.  NO MASS.

**Wednesday, September 23**  
8:30 a.m.  NO MASS.

**Thursday, September 24**  
5:30 p.m.  NO MASS.

**Friday, September 25**  
8:30 a.m.  NO MASS.

**Saturday, September 26**  
5:00 p.m.  In loving memory of Victor Bruno.

**Sunday, September 27**  *26th Sunday*  
8:00 a.m.  † In loving memory of Violet Keller.  
10:30 a.m.  For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.

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**In Honor of our Blessed Mother  
Mary, Queen of Peace**

**To Celebrate Susie Riddle's Birthday**

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

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**Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure**

**Treasure**  
Collection for September 13, 2015

- This Week's Regular Collection (167 envelopes) $8,289.87
- This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (14 envelopes) $570.00
- Budgeted Year-to-Date $83,402.00
- Actually Received $84,123.44
- Variance to Budget $ + 721.44

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**Baptized in the Name of the Father and of the Holy Spirit**

**Damian Russell Snively**  
**Sabastian Cole Snively**  
**Tabitha Marie Snively**  
**Angel Jade Snively**

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**Catholic Men's Conference**

Men, mark your calendars for the Indiana Catholic Men’s Conference on Saturday, October 31, at the Indiana Convention Center. Join Archbishop Joseph Tobin, Bishop Paul Etienne and several national Catholic speakers to be a part of a very dynamic day of renewal. Go to www.indianacatholicmen.com or call 317-888-0873 for more information.

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**Come and See**

This Thursday at 7:00 pm.  
This week's topic is "In one God, the Father Almighty" (God the Father). Assignments are Exodus 3:1-17 and paragraphs 203-207 and 214-221 in the Catechism. Everyone is welcome.

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**Knights of Columbus**

Save the Date - Saturday, September 26 - and Save the Time, 9:00 a.m. to noon. Why? To give the Gift of Life. The Knights of Columbus is organizing a Blood Drive for that date and time in the lower level of the church. This will hopefully be the first of many such blood drives and your support and participation will be greatly needed. Thank you all in advance - God Bless and have a remarkable week.

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**Blood Drive**  
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.

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**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

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**Advanced Notice**

We will be holding a costume party for the children of the parish on All Saints Day, November 1, after the Masses. No vampires or witches - dress up as a saint instead! All activities will be saint-themed. Start planning your costume! See how many you can identify that day.
“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’s readings are among the most challenging for people who live in a world and culture such as ours. In the Gospel the disciples are arguing with one another over which of them is the greatest; isn’t that funny?

The Letter of St. James tells us that “where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every foul practice. That’s pretty strong language.

In a culture that seems to value being “number one,” these words cut to the heart. Jesus, in choosing to place a small child in the midst of His bickering disciples, is perhaps telling us that living a more simple life of trust in Him, is what is of true, lasting value.

These readings today are all about becoming good stewards of the gifts God so freely bestows on us. Each is different; each is valued. Maybe we could pray this coming week that we will be given the strength to embrace a life of grateful stewardship of our blessings.

One manner in which to show gratitude is how we treat our neighbor and what we can do to further life. Never be embarrassed to share the treasure that is our Catholic Faith! While called to further life in this life, our most important call is to impart the knowledge of eternal life through Jesus Christ and His Church.

I would like to thank ALL those who helped with the Oktoberfest 2015 this past Saturday night! The food was great, the music wonderful and the fellowship grand. Thanks, especially to our Knights of Columbus for organizing and making our first annual Oktoberfest such a great evening! It was a nice evening together. Thanks, too, for your compliments on my lederhosen!

Next weekend, the Crosier Fathers will be with us here at St. Mary, Queen of Peace. Each year we are assigned a missionary from the Archdiocese and this is our weekend to host. Welcome Father!

Each calendar year we diocesan priests are given by the Archdiocese, four weeks of vacation time. It does not accrue from year to year. Because the Italy pilgrimage did not achieve the number of folks needed to happen and because the Crosier Fathers are coming to MQP, I will be using more of my allotted days. Yes, “there he goes again!” We are also required by Canon Law, to make a retreat each calendar year. His Eminence, Cardinal Raymond Burke, will be offering such a retreat at Mother of the Redeemer Center in Bloomington, October 5-9. I am booked for that retreat. I will keep the parish in my prayers during these days! Pray for all of us priests as well!

“May the Lord, Who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion!”

Religious Education classes have begun! You can still register late and pay for classes in the RE building after 9:15 a.m. for the month of September.

The level 6 class will be leading a Living Rosary on Sunday, October 4, at 9:15 a.m. Everyone is invited to recite this devotional prayer together that morning.

Our next youth group meeting is September 27 - plan to come, bring a friend. We’re going to play a few games and then talk about sex.

Congratulations to our new confirmation candidates celebrating the Rite of Calling this week:

Austin Arnold, Matthew Bratt, Isaac Brown, Cody Burd, Kailey Burkett, Liam Fallon, Derek Garzinski, Grace Larsen, Alicia Lombardo, Matthew Monzingo, Janelle Morris, Leslie Pell, Meredith Perry, Jacob Petrunich, Juan San Martin, Elizabeth Shepard, Maggie Van Laere, Logan Walliser, Jacob Yarnell

Please continue to pray for their continued formation and strengthened faith!

MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT! Students in grades 6-8 are invited and encouraged to attend the West Deanery middle school retreat here at MQP on the 3rd of October. Bonfire, dinner and laser tag that evening after Mass. Look for registration forms on the bulletin boards in the narthex and RE classrooms.
Fall Mum Sale!

This is the last week to get your fall mums here at Mary Queen of Peace! Big, one-gallon pots are only $10. These plants are covered with buds, and will bloom beautifully for a long time!

Our delegation of eight to the National Catholic Youth Conference is set! If parishioners would like to help our teens with the cost of the conference (about $400), the youth group would happily accept your scholarship donations. You can drop off checks (to MQP, 'NCYC funds' in the memo line) in the religious education office, or in the collection plate at Mass. Thank you!

Mary Queen of Peace Christmas Bazaar
Saturday, November 14, 2015
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Vendor space is available for interested crafters. There are only a few spaces left. For information contact, Sandy Montgomery 317-727-0691 or feamore08@gmail.com

At A Glance Parish Calendar

**SUNDAY, September 20**
9:00 a.m.  Religious Education begins with prayer in the church.
9:00 a.m.  Adult Education - The Story of Salvation.

**MONDAY, September 21**
7:00 p.m.  Adult Education - The Story of Salvation.

**TUESDAY, September 22**

**WEDNESDAY, September 23**
7:00 p.m.  Choir Practice.

**THURSDAY, September 24**
7:00 p.m.  R.C.I.A. “In One God, the Father Almighty” (God the Father).

**FRIDAY, September 25**

**SATURDAY, September 26**
9:00 a.m.  K of C Blood Drive

**Liturgical Meditations**

**Monday, September 21, 2015**
Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13/Matthew 9:9-13

**Tuesday, September 22, 2015**
Ezra 6:7-8, 12b. 14-20/Luke 18:19-21

**Wednesday, September 23, 2015**

**Thursday, September 24, 2015**

**Friday, September 25, 2015**

**Saturday, September 26, 2015**
Zechariah 2:5-9, 14-15a/Luke 9:43b-45

**Sunday, September 27, 2015**
Numbers 11:25-29/James 5:1-6/
Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**Liturgical Ministers Schedule**

**Weekend of September 26 & 27**

**COORDINATORS**
5:00 p.m.  Phil Schneider
8:00 a.m.  Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m.  Not Filled

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY**
5:00 p.m.  Michael Guadaitis, Noah Schneider
            Jack Williams, Not Filled
8:00 a.m.  Michael Corbitt, Colin Deno
            Todd Deno, Debbie Green
10:30 a.m.  Isaac Brown, Austin Brown
            Derek Brown, Justin Snider

**READERS**
5:00 p.m.  Kathy Stamper, D.J. DesJarlais
8:00 a.m.  Nick Schmutte, Michelle Pritchett
10:30 a.m.  Anna Marie Fallon, Mary Kay Hood

**SERVERS**
5:00 p.m.  Korey Berg, Averie Wray
8:00 a.m.  Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell
10:30 a.m.  Greta Fallon, Nina Fallon

**EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**
5:00 p.m.  Ciborium:  Margie Williams
            George Juzza, Tom Konechnik
            Bob Mathis, Renaye Parsley
8:00 a.m.  Ciborium:  Jeannie Thurmail
            Margie Cope, Anita Dieckmann
            Beth Dieckmann, Nick Pell
10:30 a.m.  Ciborium:  Ann Mooney
            Dixie Chaille, Matthew Fallon
            Kim Lovejoy, Mary Lovejoy
            Gina Perry, Julie Petree

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