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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
dtbt1412@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 tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net Thank you.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, January 4

No Mass.

Tuesday, January 5

5:10 p.m. Rosary.

5:30 p.m. † For the Poor Souls.

Wednesday, January 6

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Mabel Gibbs.

Rosary in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Thursday, January 7

5:10 p.m. Rosary.

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Martha Bates.

Friday, January 8

8:30 a.m. † For the Poor Souls.

Rosary in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Saturday, January 9

5:00 p.m. For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.

Sunday, January 10

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Stephen Desmond Swords.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Edward J. Fishencord.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collection for December 20, 2015

This Week's Regular Collection (160 envelopes)	\$7,685.59
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (6 envelopes)	\$470.00
Christmas Collection (6 envelopes)	\$355.00
Solemnity of Mary (2 envelopes)	\$45.00
Immaculate Conception (2 envelopes)	\$11.00

Budgeted Year-to-Date	\$189,550.00
Actually Received	\$189,294.94
Variance to Budget	\$ - 255.06

Because of an early publication deadline for this bulletin, collection numbers for December 25 and December 27 will be in the January 10 bulletin along with collection numbers for January 3.



The parishioners of St. Mary, Queen of Peace extend a warm welcome to our newest members:

Bruce & Carol Farrar



*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*



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Bob Elliott, Ken Warner, Betty Schmutte, Rita Fritsch, David Sheets, Bob Sturm, Pauline Cave, Casey Juza, Eva Tax,

and Meeda Lentz.

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



Middle school students: get a taste of your NCYC future at the Indianapolis MS Youth Rally. Speakers, concert, T-shirt, breakout sessions, dinner - all for \$30 (youth group will pay for half). The rally will be held at Roncalli High School on February 6th from 1:00 - 8:00 p.m.

You may not go to the March for Life in D.C., but you can send the pilgrims off in a big way at the Vigil for Life on January 21st. There will be speakers (including Archbishop Tobin), music by Matt Faley, and opportunities for Reconciliation and Adoration. Admission is free. Please consider bringing a donation to the Birthline Ministry: diapers to size 5, wipes, clothes to 2T, baby wash. The doors at Ss. Peter & Paul Cathedral in Indy open at 6:30 p.m., the vigil will run from 6:45 to 9:00 p.m. Contact Matthew for registration information, or go online to archindyym.com

The youth group will host its annual Family Taco-Bingo Night on January 23rd, right after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Come enjoy a meal and the excitement of bingo. Advance discounted tickets will be on sale after the Masses in January; walk-ins are also welcome. Proceeds will help us pay for our Mission Trip to Appalachia next July.

We have signed the contract for our Mission Trip, but you can still join us for the July 10-16 service trip. Talk with Matthew or explore at catholicmissiontrips.net, and then make the commitment to be there!

Our next scheduled youth group meeting is January 10, 6:30-8:30 p.m. This time it's 'movie night.'



"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,

Again, **HAPPY NEW YEAR ONE AND ALL!** Today, the Church celebrates the ancient **Solemnity of the Epiphany**. The three magi, or kings as we call them in song, spent a good deal of their lives searching for the Christ. We are **privileged** to find Him every day of our lives right here, in St. Mary, Queen of Peace Church! He is in our midst as the **Bread of Life, the Holy Eucharist, the Most Blessed Sacrament!**

On the Solemnity of the Epiphany, which commemorates the visit of the magi to Jesus, it is tradition that the **Epiphany Proclamation** is read. I reprint it here for you to enjoy:

"The glory of the Lord has shone upon us and shall ever manifest itself among us until the day of His return. Through the rhythms and changes of time, let us call to mind and live the mysteries of salvation."

"The center of the whole liturgical year is the **Paschal Triduum of the Lord**, crucified, buried and risen, which will culminate in the solemn **Vigil of Easter**, during the holy night that will end with the dawn of the **27th of March**."

"From Easter there comes forth and are reckoned all the days we keep holy: **Ash Wednesday**, the beginning of the Lenten spring, the **10th of February**; the **Ascension of the Lord**, the **8th of May**, and **Pentecost**, the **15th of May**; the **First Sunday of Advent**, the **27th of November**."

"To Christ, Who was, Who is, and Who is to come, the Lord of time and history, be endless praise forever and ever. Amen!"

Many Catholic households pray to ask God's blessing upon the family home on the Solemnity of the Epiphany. Printed here on this page of the bulletin, you will find the blessing prayer to be offered by the family gathered inside the front door. Afterwards, using chalk, the following is inscribed over the door: **20 + C + B + M + 16**.

Caspar, Balthasar and Melchior are the names

given to the Three Wise Men; the Magi. Consider doing this blessing as a family!

Once again, my sincere thanks to **ALL** for your prayers and remembrances offered at Christmas. I thank all who helped in any way with the Liturgies of this Holy Season. I hope and pray your New Year, 2016 is off to a great beginning! God Bless You All!

Father Mike



Epiphany Home Blessing Prayer

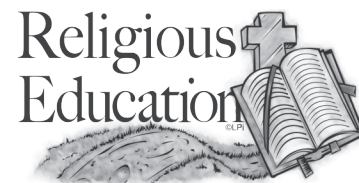
Lord God of Heaven and earth, you revealed your only-begotten Son to every nation by the guidance of a star.

Bless this house and all who inhabit it.

Fill us with the light of Christ, that our concern for others may reflect your love.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen



We are getting into the season for winter weather. If winter snow causes classes to be cancelled the primary communication will be **by email**.

Students in the Level 3 and Level 4 classes may participate in the sacrament of reconciliation during their religious education class on January 10th. The Catholic faith is what we believe. The Catholic faith is what we do.

The levels 3, 4+5 classes won the Office of Missions Penny Drive contest. Thank you for your generosity!

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of January 9 & 10

COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Judy Schneider
 8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann
 10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Alex Earl, Tonya Earl
 Michael Guadaitis, Bob Mathis
 8:00 a.m. Michael Corbitt, Hayden Deno
 Dick Harvey, John Ulicne
 10:30 a.m. Eli Brown, Isaac Brown
 Austin Brown, Derek Brown

READERS

5:00 p.m. Greg Purvis, Damon Carl
 8:00 a.m. Dusti VanLaere, Nick Schmutte
 10:30 a.m. Mary Lovejoy, Kim Lovejoy

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Amy Earl, Averie Wray
 8:00 a.m. Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell
 10:30 a.m. Thaddeus Brown, Daniel Hazelton

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Ciborium: JoAnn Morton
 8:00 a.m. Ciborium: Beth Dieckmann
 Anita Dieckmann
 10:30 a.m. Ciborium: Ann Mooney
 Dixie Chaille, Mary Kay Hood

Parish Town Hall

The next town hall meeting will be **Tuesday, January 19**, from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. in the church.

We had one town hall in November to gather feedback from members of the parish before we solidify the scope of our project, and encourage members of the parish to attend this second gathering so we can learn more.

Please bring your ideas for sharing with the group. We will be not only collecting ideas but also sharing some concepts that have been developed to-date by the team for your feedback. We look forward to talking to you.

Creighton Model of Natural Family Planning

Are you interested in learning a natural approach to planning your family? Would you like to understand more about your cycles and your gynecological health? There will be a free Introductory Session on the Creighton Model Fertility Care System on the evening of **Wednesday, January 13**. This System allows women and couples to navigate the natural time of fertility and infertility as well as monitor the woman's health. Please contact **Maria Morgan** at **570-259-2801** or **mxb437@gmail.com** for more information and to register for the class.



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, January 4, 2016

1 John 3:22-4:6/Psalms 2:7-8, 10-12/
 Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday, January 5, 2016

1 John 4:7-10/Psalms 72:1-4, 7-8/Mark 6:34-4

Wednesday, January 6, 2016

1 John 4:11-18/Psalms 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mark 6:45-52

Thursday, January 7, 2016

1 John 4:19-5:4/Psalms 72:1-2, 14-15, 17/
 Luke 4:14-22a

Friday, January 8, 2016

1 John 5:5-13/Psalms 147:12-15, 19-20/Luke 5:12-16

Saturday, January 9, 2016

1 John 5:14-21/Psalms 149:1-6, 9/John 3:22-30

Sunday, January 10, 2016

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 or Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7/
 Psalms 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30/Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7
 or Acts 10:34-38/Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

At A Glance Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, January 3

9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes
 9:00 a.m. Adult Education - Bible Timeline

MONDAY, January 4

7:00 p.m. Adult Education - Bible Timeline

TUESDAY, January 5

7:00 p.m. Liturgy Meeting

WEDNESDAY, January 6

THURSDAY, January 7

7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. "I believe in One, Holy, Catholic & Apostolic Church."

FRIDAY, January 8

SATURDAY, January 9

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