

# Mary, Queen of Peace



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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](mailto: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](mailto:rcia@mqpdanville.org).

## Bulletin Deadline

Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on Sunday's to [amw1005@iquest.net](mailto:amw1005@iquest.net), also a copy to [patsmooney@indy.rr.com](mailto:patsmooney@indy.rr.com) and [tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net) Thank you.

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time • January 17, 2016



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Monday, January 18

No Mass.

### Tuesday, January 19

5:10 p.m. Rosary.

5:30 p.m. For the Poor Souls.

### Wednesday, January 20

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Evelyn Rist.  
Rosary.

### Thursday, January 21 *St. Agnes*

5:10 p.m. Rosary.

5:30 p.m. † For the Poor Souls.

### Friday, January 22

8:30 a.m. Mass for Protection & Dignity of Human  
Life.  
Rosary.

### Saturday, January 23

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Marian Schneider.

### Sunday, January 24

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Martha Bates.

10:30 a.m. † For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.



### *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*

### “Catholics Returning Home” Series

The “Catholics Returning Home” series will be offered at St. Malachy Parish in Brownsburg, on six consecutive Tuesdays at 7 p.m. beginning January 12. The sessions are for non-practicing Catholics seeking answers to questions about returning to the Church. There will be informal sharing and an update on the Catholic faith. For more information, call 317-650-5751.



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,

Eva Tax, Meeda Lentz, and Carlos Bessolo.

***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.



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

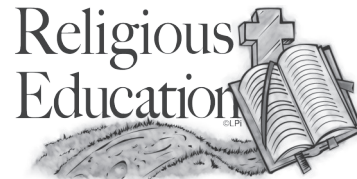
### Treasure

#### Collection for January 10, 2016

This Week's Regular Collection (119 envelopes)	<b>\$14,994.87</b>
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (14 envelopes)	<b>\$480.00</b>
Solemnity of Mary (2 envelopes)	<b>\$102.00</b>
Initial Offering (51 envelopes)	<b>\$2,197.00</b>
Budgeted Year-to-Date	<b>\$212,296.00</b>
Actually Received	<b>\$228,784.24</b>
Variance to Budget	<b>\$ + 16,488.24</b>



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Casey Juza, and for the comfort and consolation of her family. May she rest eternally in the loving arms of our Father in heaven.



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

The next RE class to participate in the sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation will be Level 8, on January 24. On deck will be the Level 5 class on February 7.

If it has been some time since your students last confession, please help prepare them ahead of time: review the procedure, the steps of the ritual itself, and the Act of Contrition with them. Thank you. The Catholic faith is what we believe, the Catholic faith is what we do.

The Religious Education department is looking for future catechists. You can review a job description on the narthex bulletin board or talk with Matthew for more information, or to nominate someone for the position.

### **St. Susanna School Open Registration for the 2016-17 school year begins February 1, 2016**

Stop by our “Meet and Greet” between Masses on Sunday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, and chat with our principal.

All Saint Susanna School students participate in a rigorous academic program enhanced by monthly missions, weekly all-school mass, daily prayer, and religious instruction.

St. Susanna School extends parishioner tuition rates to members of Mary, Queen of Peace parish.

We also participate in the School Choice Voucher program.



*“Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful”*  
(Luke 6:36)

January 16-17, 2016: We pray for all those engaged in Pilgrimage Work. For those within the Archdiocese of Indianapolis and around the world who work at retreat centers, parishes and shrines.



*"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,

"To each individual," writes St. Paul, "the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." We might think that being given the Spirit means having all the answers, or for that matter, having no questions!

Holy Scripture provides little support for such supposition. All that the Holy Spirit gives us...and blessed are we if we can handle so much...is an awareness of, an openness to, Christ's Presence and activity in our lives.

Let's consider our Blessed Mother at Cana. She simply tells her Son what she sees: "They have no wine." Are you thinking, "just like a mother?" Her implied petition is not given an immediate reply. Mary does not ask again or assume Jesus isn't interested. Mary simply accepts that Her Son will answer her prayer/petition as is best for all.

Next comes one of the most powerful statements of New Testament faith and the faith of the Church: "Do whatever He tells you." In that simple and deeply faithful directive, Our Lady undoes terrible words screamed at God by Lucifer: "I will not serve!"

Whatever Jesus decides will be for the best. He doesn't need a script or teleprompter. Better we turn to Him trusting, turn over the things we cannot handle alone. In the Holy Spirit, we invoke God's power, not for our own good or selfish desires, but for the good of salvation. We pray always, "Thy will be done." Can we honestly utter that statement of faith? To help us, we have Our Lady and her motherly advice: "Do whatever He tells you." Mothers do know best you know!

A reminder that our second town hall meeting regarding possible building/remodeling of our parish facilities is coming up on Tuesday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Everyone is invited to attend! It should last no longer than an hour and a half.

May God bless you and keep you always! May Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, lead, guide and compassion you!

*Father Mike*

## ANNUAL WEEK OF CHRISTIAN UNITY PRAYER SERVICE

January 18-25 is annually designated the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Come join other Christians in prayer on January 20, 7:00 p.m., at Allisonville Christian Church (7701 Allisonville Road, Indianapolis). Representatives from various Christian denominations will be present (including Archbishop Tobin) to lead our prayer. Preaching will be Rev. Robert Welsh, president of the Disciples' Council on Christian Unity. As an ordained minister, he has been involved for more than 30 years in the ecumenical dialogue process in the United States between the Catholic Church and the Disciples of Christ.

## Lenten Mission

Get ready! Our Lenten Mission of parish renewal is just a few weeks away. The dates are Sunday night (January 31) through Wednesday evening (February 3). Bill Wegner, a Catholic Lay Evangelist, will be leading this year's mission. Many of you will remember how well-received he was a few years ago, and so he's back by popular demand! Each evening's presentation will be followed by refreshments and fellowship in the Lower Level. Plan to be there, and bring a friend!



Middle school students: get a taste of your NCYC future at the Indianapolis MS Youth Rally. **THIS ACTIVITY IS WIDELY REGARDED AS THE CAN'T MISS MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENT!** 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 6<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 - 8:00 p.m. Registration deadline is January 25; find information on the bulletin board in the narthex and in your RE classrooms.

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 21<sup>st</sup>. 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. You will need to arrange your own transportation to this event. Matthew can help arrange a carpool.

We have room for a couple more people on our summer mission trip - but spots are filling up at our host site. We will be working in Harlan, KY from July 10-16. The price is listed as \$375, but our fundraising will reduce that cost substantially. Find out more at catholicmissiontrips.net, then change somebody's life - and yours.

The next youth group meeting will be hosting the Taco-Bingo night!

Plan ahead in March: St. Michael in Indy is hosting an over-night 24-hour fast event, including service and spiritual components - March 11-12. Contact Matthew to register.

For King And Country - do you remember this band from NCYC? They will be in Indy on March 18<sup>th</sup>; tickets only \$10. More info to come, or go online.

SENIORS: The archdiocese is hosting a retreat for high school seniors on February 12-15, at Camp Rancho Framasa in Nashville, IN. Contact Matthew for details, or go online at archindyym.com to register. Some scholarship money available from the youth group.

The Middle School Youth Group will be having their monthly event on Sunday, January 24. We will be watching "Heaven is for Real" in the Youth Room in the basement. You will need to bring \$5 for pizza and drinks. We will start after the 10:30 Mass. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Beth Dieckmann at 317-709-6765 or elizabethdieckmann15@gmail.com.





## Parish Town Hall Don't Forget!

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

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.

## A Special Request

We are in need of a host family for our Lenten Mission presenter, Bill Wegner. He will arrive on Saturday afternoon and depart on Thursday morning. If you can provide a bed and meals (to be reimbursed), it would be greatly appreciated! For more information, contact John Chapin at (317) 902-2052. Thanks.



## Family Taco-Bingo Night

The youth group will host its annual Family Taco-Bingo Night on January 23<sup>rd</sup>, right after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Come enjoy a meal and the excitement of bingo. Advance tickets sold after the Masses are \$7 for adults, \$5 for ages 6-14, and \$25 for a nuclear family. Tickets sold at the door will be an additional \$2; \$5 for a family. Proceeds will help us pay for our Mission Trip to Appalachia next July.

## Share Your Heart Fundraiser

**It's just around the corner!** Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 19 (third Saturday in March). Join your parish family for an evening of fun, including a spaghetti dinner and live auction. Look for more information to come in the weeks ahead. If you have auction items to donate or if you need help with ideas, please contact Beth Cherry at 847-6576 or Michelle Pritchett at 446-1869.



## At A Glance Parish Calendar

### SUNDAY, January 17

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

### MONDAY, January 18

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

### TUESDAY, January 19

7:00 p.m. Town Hall Meeting #2 held in the church.

### WEDNESDAY, January 20

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

### THURSDAY, January 21

7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

### FRIDAY, January 22

### SATURDAY, January 23

6:00 p.m. Taco-Bingo Night sponsored by our youth.



## Liturgical Meditations

### Monday, January 18, 2016

1 Samuel 15:16-23/Psalms 50:8-9, 16-17, 21, 23/  
Mark 2:18-22

### Tuesday, January 19, 2016

1 Samuel 16:1-13/Ps 89:20-22, 27-28/Mark 2:23-28

### Wednesday, January 20, 2016

1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Psalms 144:1-2, 9-10/  
Mark 3:1-6

### Thursday, January 21, 2016

1 Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Psalms 56:2-3, 9-13/  
Mark 3:7-12

### Friday, January 22, 2016

1 Samuel 24:3-21/Psalms 57:2-4, 6, 11/Mark 3:13-19

### Saturday, January 23, 2016

2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Psalms 80:2-3, 5-7/  
Mark 3:20-21

### Sunday, January 24, 2016

Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Psalms 19:8-10, 15/  
1 Corinthians 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/  
Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### Weekend of January 23 & 24

#### COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Phil Schneider  
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell  
10:30 a.m. Ann Mooney

#### MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Alex Earl, Tonya Earl  
Bob Mathis, Jack Williams  
8:00 a.m. Dave Adams, Austin Arnold  
Megan Arnold, Timothy Arnold  
10:30 a.m. Nick Beaman, Ron Beaman  
Jackson Franchville, Justin Snider

#### READERS

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper, Peg Glover  
8:00 a.m. Beth Arnold, Nick Schmutte  
10:30 a.m. Anna Marie Fallon, Carra Origer

#### SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Amy Earl, 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: Judy Schneider  
8:00 a.m. Ciborium: Jeannie Thurnall  
10:30 a.m. Ciborium: Dennis Graves  
Mary Lovejoy, Kim Lovejoy

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