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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@vahoo.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@mgpdanville.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.

First Sunday of Lent

February 14, 2016



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, February 15

No Mass.

Tuesday, February 16 5:30 p.m. No Mass.

Wednesday, February 17 8:30 a.m. No Mass.

Thursday, February 18 5:30 p.m. No Mass.

Friday, February 19 8:30 a.m. No Mass. Saturday, February 20

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Casey Juza.

Sunday, February 21 2nd Sunday of Lent

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

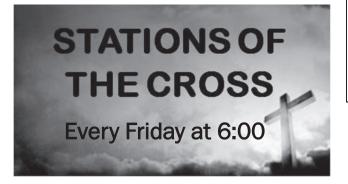


"The Light is on for You" Confessions

Every Wednesday during Lent 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Every Saturday 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.





During the solemn season of Lent there will be no flowers placed before the statue of Mary. They will return at Easter. Your contribution for flowers to remember or honor someone will be accepted, and used after Easter.



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, Carlos Bessolo, Jerry Skoll, Jean Mathis, and Felicia Osmialowski. We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.

Praver 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 February 7, 2016

This Week's Regular Collection (159 envelopes) \$8,195.77
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (49 envelopes) \$1,758.00
Propagation of the Faith (34 envelopes) \$768.00

Budgeted Year-to-Date \$242,624.00
Actually Received \$258,410.63
Variance to Budget \$ + 15,786.63

United Catholic Appeal

U.C.A. pledges to-date total: \$37,469.



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

Michele Morris

LENTEN OBLIGATIONS

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of **FAST and ABSTINENCE.**

ALL other Fridays are days of **ABSTINENCE**.

Other Lenten sacrifices should be chosen by each one according to circumstances. Ideally these will include: increased prayer, almsgiving, good works, and the voluntary surrender of some pleasure.

FAST: Obligatory for all Catholics from 18 to 59 years of age. One full meal is allowed; the other two meals together should not equal another full meal. Snacking between meals is not permitted.

ABSTINENCE: Obligatory for Catholics from the 14th birthday. On these days no meat is allowed.

Additional Town Hall Meetings

After three town hall meetings to discuss our future facility needs, we have collected some excellent ideas from members of the parish. However, the number of parishioners that attended the meetings was lower than we had anticipated. In order to provide more options for people to provide their input, we will be offering an additional town hall meeting between the morning Masses on February 28. We will be sharing the same information that was outlined in the first sessions and gathering additional feedback. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided. We hope to see you there!



Participate in Lent through Project Rice Bowl - an opportunity for prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Pick up your rice bowl in the religious education building, and follow along with the pamphlet as you make your contributions.

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.



"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.

We have begun. The holy season of Lent is with us. At the beginning of Lent, the Holy Scriptures summon us to a posture of remembrance.

Just as the Israelites of old remembered the mighty acts that the Lord their God had done for them, so, too, are we called to remember what God has done for us.

As we continue our Lenten journey. let us focus on the gift that this holy season can be for each one of us. We celebrate the gift of Jesus' life, death and resurrection! We grow closer to the Lord Jesus, Who suffered, died and rose to new life to save us from sin and opened the way to everlasting life!

Occasionally St. Luke likes to use a literary technique called inclusion, a phrase or theme appearing early in a book and then resurfacing approximately the same distance from the conclusion. Today's Gospel includes one.

In the fourth chapter, the devil tempts and then departs from Jesus...for a time. Satan returns in the twenty-second chapter, entering into Judas, who then of course betrayed our Lord. We know Satan is not even remotely an equal to Christ. Jesus doesn't bump into Satan by mistake, but is brought to the desert to triumph over him! Only much later is Satan allowed to re-appear and evil do its worst; an illusory triumph eternally reversed by Christ's Resurrection!

What is central is not Satan's temptations, but the nearness of God, which our Lord acknowledges by quoting Scripture to repel him. Lent is our time to pray about the nearness of God in our lives and how many times we push Him away by our sins and selfishness. The Church's mandate that we pray, fast and give alms, are meant to help us acknowledge both our sins and the nearness and compassion of a forgiving God. Let us take advantage of this holy Season of Lent and all the many offerings afforded us to "repent, and believe in the Gospel." Remember, the "Light is On For You", the hearing of confessions, each Wednesday of Lent from 6:00-7:00 p.m. as well as the usual Saturday afternoons from 3:45-4:30!

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated each Friday of Lent at 6:00 p.m. Come as a family and share in Christ's journey to the cross and resurrection. You can either go the annual Lenten Fish Fry before Stations or after!

"EUCHARISTIC ETIQUETTE #2":

It should come as no surprise that respectful etiquette in the church calls for no eating or drinking (except for water when necessary). This includes no gum chewing. We are in the very Presence of our God! We make a habit of speaking with Him before and after Mass. We're blessed here at SMQP to have a narthex for fellowship and visiting. Let's remember to respect those who are at prayer before and after each Mass.

As we journey together this Lent, let us keep one another in prayer. Pray that we will grow closer to Jesus in the Eucharist and in reconciliation.

God bless one and all!



Let's Go to the Holy Land!



The Pilgrimage will take place September 26 to October 6. To walk in the footsteps of Jesus is an unbelievable experience. Brochures are available in the vestibule entrance of the church. Join us for the journey of a lifetime! Fr. Mike

Good News Ministries & Catholic Radio

Tune in to Catholic Radio who interviewed Bill Wegner from Good News Ministries while he was here for our Parish Mission. It will be broadcast the week of February 29 -March 5. Faith in Action will air the interview on Monday and Thursday at 4:00 p.m., Tuesday and Friday at 10:00 a.m. and Saturday at 12:30 p.m. Catholic Radio 89.1/90.9 FM.



'Frydays at MQP' - our Lenten fish fries have begun! Come to enjoy our hand-battered fish, and a variety of sides. This year we plan to offer soups and grilled cheese for those who don't want fish. Eat in the hall, or take dinner home. The fish fries are looking for donations of desserts or soups. Prices hold steady - \$9 or less for adults,

\$6 for kids 6-12. 5 and under free. \$30 family ticket, and smaller takeout meals \$6 or less. A la carte as well.

Order Easter Chocolates

Chocolate Easter treats from Confection Delights in Danville are available for order! Drop the bunnies; get a real milk chocolate cross. Order sheets are available in the narthex after the Masses in February.



Family Promise

Mary Queen of Peace is hosting homeless families for Family Promise the week of February 14-21. These families will rely on MQP for shelter, meals, and fellowship during that week. A sign-up sheet for needed donations is in the Narthex. Any help you can give is greatly appreciated! If you would like to volunteer during our hosting week or learn more about Family Promise you can visit our website (www.mgpdanville.org) and click on the "Family Promise" tab, or you can contact Kylie Kult (kylie@lawsonandco.com, 317-946-9901) or Beth Cherry (beth@thecherrybunch.com, 317-847-6576).



Another teen has decided to join us on our mission trip! There is still time for you to join us. If the cost is keeping you from coming along, we can help. Some generous donors have given scholarship money to help someone who wouldn't otherwise be able to go. Talk to Matthew for details.

We will be working in Harlan County, Kentucky from July 10-16. Find out more at catholicmissiontrips.net, and get ready to change lives - including yours.

The fish fries have started; thanks to those who helped the first week! We will need your help for our biggest fundraiser! We will host on Friday evenings from February 12 to March 18 (not Good Friday - 6 in all). You may work a shift, or the entire evening. Shifts are: 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., and 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Schedule your work with Matthew now to be sure to get the slot you want.

We need table help to selling Easter chocolates. Signup with Matthew to work for 10 minutes after the Masses. Chocolate crosses, eggs, even Last Supper treats for Easter will be available for order in the narthex after the Masses in February. Profits will go toward our summer mission trip.

Hungering For Opportunity

Our journey with CRS Rice Bowl begins in Colombia, where coffee beans are changing lives! What actions can we take to change lives at home and around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org for more information. Adults of the parish can join the children in our Religious Education classes in the Rice Bowl program. Take a look at the display in the narthex and take home your rice bowl today!

At A Glance Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, February 14

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

9:00 a.m. Breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus

MONDAY, February 15

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

TUESDAY, February 16

WEDNESDAY, February 17

6:00 p.m. "The Light is on for You" Reconciliation in

the Chapel

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

THURSDAY, February 18

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

FRIDAY, February 19

4:30 p.m. Fish Fry

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, February 20



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, February 16, 2016

Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18/Psalms 19:8-10, 15/ Matthew 25:31-46

Tuesday, February 16, 2016

Isaiah 55:10-11/Psalms 34:4-7, 16-19/Matthew 6:7-15

Wednesday, February 17, 2016

Jonah 3:1-10/Psalms 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/ Luke11:29-32

Thursday, February 18, 2016

Esther C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Psalms 138:1-3, 7-8/ Matthew 7:7-12

Friday, February 19, 2016

Ezekiel 18:21-28/Psalms 130:1-8/Matthew 5:20-26

Saturday, February 20, 2016

Deuteronomy 26:16-19/Psalms 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/ Matthew 5:43-48

Sunday, February 21, 2016

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18/Psalms 27:1, 7-9, 13-14/ Philippians 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Luke 9:28b-36

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of February 20 & 21

COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper 8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann 10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Kailey Burkett, Alex Earl

Tom Swords, Jack Williams

8:00 a.m. Dave Adams, Debbie Green

Jaycee Peak, Dave Peak

10:30 a.m. Eli Brown, Isaac Brown

Austin Brown, Derek Brown

READERS

5:00 p.m. Helen Disney, Jim Disney 8:00 a.m. Nick Schmutte, Brandi Morris 10:30 a.m. Peg Glover, AnnaMarie Fallon

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Korey Berg, Alyssa Scales 8:00 a.m. Ellie Howard, Megan Howard 10:30 a.m. Thaddeus Brown, Daniel Hazelton

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 Gina Perry, Joyce Schmitt

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