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@iquest.net, also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.
Monday, April 11
   No Mass.

Tuesday, April 12
   11:30 a.m.  † In loving memory of Marian Schneider.

Wednesday, April 13
   8:30 a.m.  † In loving memory of Michael Ricke.
   Rosary

Thursday, April 14
   5:10 p.m.  Rosary.
   5:30 p.m.  † In loving memory of Reginald Rodriguez.

Friday, April 15
   8:30 a.m.  † In loving memory of Rose Mary Sheley.
   Rosary

Saturday, April 16
   5:00 p.m.  † In loving memory of Paul Tax.

Sunday, April 17
   8:00 a.m.  For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.
   10:30 a.m.  † In loving memory of John M. Chavez.


In Honor of our Blessed Mother
Mary, Queen of Peace,
The Sacred Heart of Jesus,
or St. Joseph
Pearl Harvey
If you would like to make a donation for fresh flowers to be placed before one of the statues 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, The Sacred Heart of Jesus, or St. Joseph and given in the name of whomever you choose. Envelopes can be dropped in the collection. Thank you,
The Liturgy Committee

We still need two more ministers of hospitality to serve at the cathedral on the evening of May 3 (training begins at 5:30 p.m., Mass begins at 7:00 p.m.), the night our teens will receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact Matthew in the office to volunteer.

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, Jean Mathis, Felicia Osmialowski, and Don Fritsch. 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.

The Catholic Home Missions Appeal will take place the weekend of April 23-24. One way that this appeal works to support home mission dioceses in the United States is by supporting seminarian formation in poor dioceses. The blessing of seminarians places a financial burden on these dioceses, because educating each seminarian costs $35-40K per year. Your support is needed for these young men so that they might go back and serve their parishes. Please strengthen the Church at home by making a generous gift during the appeal.

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Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure
Collection for April 3, 2016
This Week's Regular Collection (145 envelopes) $7,707.19
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (52 envelopes) $1,864.00
Criterion Subscriptions (2 envelopes) $44.00
Easter Sunday Collection (9 envelopes) $490.00
Budgeted Year-to-Date $303,280.00
Actually Received $323,475.28
Variance to Budget $+20,195.28

Time & Talent
Thank you to Mike Rollins and Mike Haught for fixing some technical problems that we’ve been having in the office with computers and equipment. You guys are awesome!!!

First Communion Sunday
Our Level 2 students will be receiving the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist for the first time at the 10:30 a.m. Mass, April 17th. The church will be full of family and friends, and 13 rows of pews will be reserved for them! More seating will be available at the other Masses that weekend.

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
"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,

Our first reading recounts that the Apostles received what amounts to a court order to cease and desist speaking in the Name of Jesus. Their response? They left “rejoicing that they had been found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the Name.”

I think we stand in awe at the depth of the Apostles’ faith and courage don’t we? We also need to pray that our own faith will be strengthened!

The Lord Jesus questions each one of us today, as He did St. Peter, asking us time and time again “do you love Me?” We know that either answer, “yes” or “no” bears consequences but most especially if we answer in the affirmative. Those consequences are all around us and are all about loving and feeding those whom the Lord entrusts to our care.

Strengthened by Christ’s Holy Spirit in the Sacraments, instructed and guided by the teaching of the Church, we are, like those fish, brought to Christ by the Church, symbolized here by the disciples. Brought to Christ, Who then teaches us, as he taught St. Peter, that to remain in communion with Him, we must look after and love one another; nurturing one another in the beauty of our Catholic Faith!

Next weekend, we have a beautiful example of this. Parents, entrusted with the development and nurturing and practice of the Catholic faith in the lives of their children, will present their sons and daughters for their reception, for the first time, of the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist. That joyous celebration continues the wonderful journey in the spiritual development of these chosen young people.

Let us congratulate and pledge continued prayers for: Addison Baker, Addison Bean, Mei Li Clark, Andrew Earl, Abram Fallon, Autumn Muncy, Nathaniel Origer, Andrew Owens, Andrew Petree, Damian Snively, Sebastian Snively, Veralyn Vicente-Infante, and Gabriel Williams! May the Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, bless them today and always!

As is the usual case, a Mass of First Holy Communion, can be a highly attended Liturgy. Therefore, I ask that if you do not have a child or relative making his or her First Communion, to consider attending either the Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass or the Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass.

On a different note, due to the unfortunate events in Brussels and Holy Land recently, the pilgrimage which Fr. Jim Koressel and I were going to lead has been postponed for now. The sad and tragic news of an American tourist being stabbed to death in the Holy Land, was responsible for us to begin reconsidering whether or not we should make the pilgrimage. Finally, a warning from the State Department about the danger of traveling abroad, finalized the decision. We regret taking this action but the potential for danger became too great. When one goes on pilgrimage and does not feel safe, it ruins the journey. Perhaps in the future the pilgrimage may take place. Let us pray for peace!

God bless us all as we continue on our Easter journey of faith!

Father Mike

FertilityCare Intro Session for Single Women/Engaged/Married Couples

The Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System (CrMs) teaches women to better understand their menstrual and fertility cycles during any stage of their reproductive health, including breastfeeding to pre-menopause. Married couples can use the system to plan their families naturally to achieve, avoid, or postpone pregnancy. The CrMs can also identify and treat women’s health problems and assist couples suffering from infertility. CrMs is based on 30+ years of scientific research and is faithful to Pope Paul VI’s encyclical, Humane Vitae. A free intro session will be held on Sunday, April 17, at 2:00 p.m. at St. Susanna School in Plainfield. Registration is required by contacting Maria Morgan at 570-259-2801 or mariamorganfcp@gmail.com.
The final religious education class will be on May 1. Thank you to our catechists for their dedication and contributions to the faith formation of our parish youth.

We will happily take any rice bowls that students bring in the future. This will only be the final reminder.

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, April 11, 2016
John 6:22-29

Tuesday, April 12, 2016
Acts 7:51-8:1a/Psalms 31:3-4, 6-8, 17, 21/John 6:30-35

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

Thursday, April 14, 2016
Acts 8:26-40/Psalms 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/John 6:44-51

Friday, April 15, 2016

Saturday, April 16, 2016

Sunday, April 17, 2016
Acts 13:14, 43-52/Psalms 100:1-3, 5/
Revelations 7:9, 14b-17/John 10:27-30

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of April 16–17

COORDINATORS
5:00 p.m. Margie Williams
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY
5:00 p.m. Alex Earl, Tonya Earl
Dianne Guadaitis, Michael Guadaitis
8:00 a.m. Austin Arnold, Megan Arnold
Timothy Arnold, Jacob Yarnell
10:30 a.m. Joan Kimbley, Michael Morris
Jeff Perry, Justin Snider

READERS
5:00 p.m. Damon Carl, D.J. DesJarlais
8:00 a.m. Dusti VanLaere, Beth Arnold
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Peg Glover

SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Korey Berg, Alyssa Scales
8:00 a.m. Magdalene VanLaere, Clare Wigger
10:30 a.m. Meredith Perry, ClaRa Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
5:00 p.m. JoAnn Morton
Bob Freed, George Juza
Tom Konechnik, Renaye Parsey
8:00 a.m. Beth Dieckmann
Margie Cope, Anita Dieckmann
Nick Pell, Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m. Dennis Graves
Dixie Chaille, Matthew Fallon
Andy Kult, Gina Perry
Julie Petree, Joyce Schmitt

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