

# 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; 3:30-4:30 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.

20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time • August 14, 2016



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Monday, August 15**

No Mass.

**Tuesday, August 16**

5:30 p.m. A special intention for the Cave Family both living & deceased.

**Wednesday, August 17**

8:30 a.m. † For the Poor Souls.

**Thursday, August 18**

5:30 p.m. † For the Poor Souls.

**Friday, August 19**

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of John Lupo. Rosary.

**Saturday, August 20**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Linda Sailer.

**Sunday, August 21 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. For our Family, Mary, Queen of Peace.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Bobby Hennessy.



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

### Treasure

Collection for August 7, 2016

This Week's Regular Collection (141 envelopes)	<b>\$7,678.30</b>
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (51 envelopes)	<b>\$1,562.00</b>

Budgeted Year-to-Date	<b>\$47,202.00</b>
Actually Received	<b>\$44,258.26</b>
Variance to Budget	<b>\$ - 2,943.74</b>



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

Stephen & Molly Haines and their daughter, Clara

Jeremy & Anne Tennery and their children, Bristol, Olivia & Grady

## A Million Works of Mercy

Calling all women of the parish 18 years plus, beginning on April 3<sup>rd</sup> the National Council of Catholic Women launched a new initiative called "A Million Works of Mercy" in honor of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy. We are the hands, feet and voices of Jesus – in our homes, our parishes, and our communities. Women are responding to Pope Francis' call to re-awaken our passion to help the poor and needy of our communities through corporal and spiritual works of mercy. Ladies start counting your works – with a goal of one million works before the end of the Jubilee year in November 2016. Any hours you donate to our parish or community are count. Please contact Anita Dieckmann with your hours at 745-6493 or email at PAD1986@att.net. For additional information visit: [www.nccw.org](http://www.nccw.org)

## Seeking Business Sponsors for Oktoberfest

We are seeking business or individual sponsors for Oktoberfest. Thanks again to all of our sponsors from last year. Your help enables this event to be put on with minimal/no expense to our parish. Recognition and signage at the event will be provided, as well as recognition through our parish bulletin. If you are interested in sponsorship or would like more information, please contact Jim Disney at 745-4867 or Mike Wigger at 374-6023 or Ken Dreyer at 765-719-3566. Thanks!



**In Honor of our Blessed Mother  
Mary, Queen of Peace,  
The Sacred Heart of Jesus,  
or St. Joseph**

**Roseann Zielinski**

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*



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Bob Elliott, Ken Warner, Rita Fritsch, David Sheets, Pauline Cave, Meeda Lentz, Carlos Bessolo, Don Fritsch, Peggy Cave, Marie Wimsett, Paul Leondis, and Barbara Taylor.

**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.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule



### St. Malachy

Saturday, 8:45 – 10:00 a.m.  
*Or anytime by appointment*

### St. Susanna

Saturday, 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.  
*Or anytime by appointment*

### Mary, Queen of Peace

Saturday, 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.  
*Or anytime by appointment*



***"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,

Being a follower of Jesus is not easy. At least not without all the roadblocks we put up in our lives! Saying "yes" to the teachings of Jesus Christ and His Church can cause division from those who do not embrace the Gospel. It can result in rejection, even by family members.

The teachings of Jesus and the living of these, often flies in the face of the kind of life that TV and movies portray as fulfilling. Today's readings remind us that, even though the life journey of a Catholic is difficult at times, help is always available! Just as Jeremiah was rescued from the well, we, too, are helped through Jesus, His Sacraments and His Church! Praise be to God for that!

I was reading some words of the Archbishop: "There are signs that God doesn't rate very highly for some of us. I am told that far less than 50 percent of our Catholic community attends Eucharist on the weekend. I am told that less than half of the Catholic students in our high schools and elementary schools attend Eucharist on Saturday or Sunday. One pastor told me that perhaps 100 or so youth attend weekly religious education, but if there is a social activity, say a soccer game, only 50 % show up."

"I can usually tell when candidates for Confirmation (and their sponsors) are accustomed to being in church and when they are not. Understandable nervousness aside, when candidates and sponsors approach for the anointing at Confirmation (or for Communion) chewing gum, I know they are not!

"It is so easy for us to forget what truly counts in our lives. No matter how much we may wish it, or how much we may try, this life is not the final kingdom.

"Religious education and Sunday Eucharist and the sacraments of penance and reconciliation are the basic helps available for strengthening our vision of faith. For the life of me, I cannot understand why parents would sacrifice so much to offer their children the opportunity of a fine Catholic education, and then not see they attend Sunday Eucharist.

"Apparently some parents do not attend Eucharist either. Is it because some of us do not understand that the purpose of the Mass is to give thanks and worship to God who gives us all that we have or supports us in our struggles? The Church establishes a Sunday and Holy Day obligation to attend the Holy Eucharist in order to remind us to thank God for saving us from sin and death.

"Providing religious instruction and formation is as important as looking after our children's need for food and clothing and good health. Religious education and Sunday Eucharist and the sacrament of penance and reconciliation are minimal aids to the life that really counts. I don't think we should frighten our children and youth (or ourselves) into having reverence and gratitude for God, but a good dose of the sober truth about the final thing is wholesome for our spiritual health."

Great Advice from our diocesan shepherd! You know the Third Commandment: Keep Holy the Sabbath. Exactly what does this mean for us Catholics? The Israelites set aside the Sabbath in honor of the One God, Yahweh. The commandment was given by God as a constant, weekly reminder to reverence and honor the God who gives life, creation and purpose. Surely, out of all the days of the week, one could be set aside for God's will and not our own.

Being Catholic doesn't mean that the Third Commandment binds only the Jewish people! The Ten Commandments form the basis and foundation of all Christian teaching. For we who call ourselves Catholic, the Commandment takes concrete form in what is called the **FIRST PRECEPT OF THE CHURCH: "YOU SHALL ATTEND MASS ON SUNDAYS AND HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION."** This first precept requires all of us to participate in the Eucharistic celebration on all Sundays (or Saturday evenings) and Holy Days.

The obligatory character of these positive precepts is meant to guarantee to us the **INDESPENSABLE MINIMUM** in the spirit of prayer and communal worship. In other words, if we do nothing else when it comes to daily prayer, we need to gather together with the Church to offer the One Sacrifice of Jesus Christ! We need to pray the prayer of Christ Himself! We need to know we are not in this world **ALONE!**

God did not say to the Israelites, "if time permits," or "if you have nothing else to do." He made it a commandment. The Church does the same today.

Our Cohort Parishes of Mary, Queen of Peace, St. Malachy and St. Susanna are offering a special **"YEAR OF MERCY PENANCE SERVICE" ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, HERE AT MQP, BEGINNING AT 7:00 PM!** The priests of the three parishes will be hearing confessions. Frs. Vince Lampert and Peter Jagan from St. Malachy along with Fr. Glenn O'Conner from St. Susanna, will be joining yours truly. Plan on attending!

Because the **ASSUMPTION OF MARY** falls on a Monday this year, it is **NOT** a Holy Day of Obligation this year.

May God, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion!

*Father Mike*

## Join Us for Our 2nd Annual



Join us for an evening of fellowship, food, music, games and fun on Saturday, September 10. Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m. with the event to follow immediately after at 5:00 pm. Come enjoy some delicious German food and music by the Polka Jammers. There will be lots of games and activities for kids and adults alike, including corn hole tournaments. Tickets may be purchased the evening of the event, but we prefer they be purchased ahead of time. Tickets are being sold in the narthex following all Masses. We hope to see you there! If you are interested in volunteering for the event, please contact Mike Wigger at 374-6023.

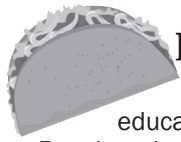
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Our First Youth Group event will be on Sunday, September 11, from 6 - 8 p.m. We will be combining middle school and high school for a meet and greet at the church. More information will come.

We are in need of some more seating in our youth room! If you see/hear/know of someone who has a cheap couch or chair, please keep it and contact Beth Dieckmann:

E-mail: mqpyouthgroupbeth@yahoo.com  
Phone Number: (317)-709-6765



## Restaurant Fundraiser

You can eat out and help the religious education program at the same time. Visit La Ranchera in Danville anytime on Wednesday, August 31, and we will get 20% of the total. Look for coupons to present to the cashier in our church entry, in the main office, or at the restaurant. Proceeds this month will help send catechists to Franciscan University 'John Bosco' conferences next summer. Thank you for your support!

## Religious Education News

It is time to **register for Religious Education** classes for the school year. Packets will be available in the narthex after all the Masses. Registrations received in August will remain the same cost as previous years; those received in September will be charged an additional \$15 late fee. Classes begin on September 11.

If you love your faith and want to share it, here is a perfect opportunity. The parish is looking for **catechists to teach religious education classes** beginning in September. Openings exist in the fourth, fifth, and sixth grade classes. Religious education classes are helpful, but they rely on the involvement of parishioners like you. Please pray about it and that our needs for class leaders be filled. Contact Matthew Fallon for more information about this opportunity to serve. Thank you.

Don't forget the **Penance Service** (along with our cohort parishes) here at MQP on Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup>! We can send you an examination of conscience and review of the procedure of the rite to help and prepare your child (ren); just send Matthew an email request at mfallon@mqpdanville.org.

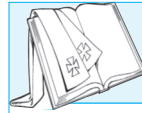
## At A Glance Parish Calendar

**WEDNESDAY, August 17**

7:00 p.m. Penance Service "Year of Mercy"

### Weaver & Randolph Funeral Homes, Inc.

102 S. Indiana St., Danville  
317-745-4411  
4712 Pennsylvania St., Clayton  
317-539-4567



## Liturgical Meditations

**Monday, August 15, 2016**

Revelations 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Psalms 45:10-12, 16/1 Corinthians 15:20-27/Luke 1:39-56

**Tuesday, August 16, 2016**

Ezekiel 28:1-10/Deuteronomy 32:26-28, 30, 35-36/  
Matthew 19:23-30

**Wednesday, August 17, 2016**

Ezekiel 34:1-11/Psalms 23:1-6/Matthew 20:1-16

**Thursday, August 18, 2016**

Ezekiel 36:23-28/Psalms 51:12-15, 18-19/  
Matthew 22:1-14

**Friday, August 19, 2016**

Ezekiel 37:1-14/Psalms 107:2-9/Matthew 22:34-40

**Saturday, August 20, 2016**

Ezekiel 43:1-7a/Psalms 85:9-14/Matthew 23:1-1

**Sunday, August 21, 2016**

Isaiah 66:18-21/Psalms 117:1-2/Hebrews 12:5-7  
11-13/Luke 13:22-30

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### Weekend of August 20 & 21

#### COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Judy Schneider  
8:00 a.m. Jeannie Thurnall  
10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood

#### MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Kailey Burkett, Alex Earl  
Tonya Earl, Jim Schweizer  
8:00 a.m. Michael Corbitt, Debbie Green  
Dick Harvey, John Ulicne  
10:30 a.m. Derek Brown, Eli Brown  
Isaac Brown, Austin Brown

#### READERS

5:00 p.m. Helen Disney, Jim Disney  
8:00 a.m. Brandi Morris, Greg Purvis  
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Pat Mooney

#### SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Amy Earl, Averie Wray  
8:00 a.m. Ethan Morris, Clare Wigger  
10:30 a.m. Thaddeus Brown, Daniel Hazelton

#### EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. George Juza, JoAnn Morton  
Renaye Parsey, Judy Schneider  
Kathy Stamper  
8:00 a.m. Margie Cope, Anita Dieckmann  
Beth Dieckmann, Nick Pell  
Jeannie Thurnall  
10:30 a.m. Pat Baldwin, Vince Castagno  
Marcia Castagno, Matthew Fallon  
Ann Mooney, Julie Petree  
Joyce Schmitt