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
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@quest.net, also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.
For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also 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.
“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,

“Try to enter through the narrow gate.” This statement, posed by Jesus in today’s Gospel, is without a doubt one of the critical statements for us in the twenty-first century.

A great temptation of us is to fall prey to the notion that the accumulation of wealth, possessions and power is the goal to be achieved above all else. When you stop to think about it, having the blessing of being able to have things in this world is just that; a blessing. Yet, at the same time, what really controls our lives? How generous are we with our time, talent and treasure? What legacy do we really leave behind? We’ve all heard the old saying: “I’ve never seen a hearse pulling a U-Haul” certainly is true!

Perhaps saying “no” once in awhile to something that I don’t really need in my life is a good thing. It seems that this is what Jesus is trying to get across to us when He asks us to deny ourselves and take up our crosses. The very idea of doing that sometimes leaves us rather uncomfortable. For in our age, the cross is certainly not what we are told is important or for that matter, necessary in order to follow Christ. I think it’s important for us to pray for one another; to pray for strength and courage to do the will of Jesus; to do all we can through Him, with Him and in Him!

I deeply appreciate your thoughts and prayers for Mom and the family during this time of uncertainty. Mom continues to improve somewhat at St. Mary of the Woods in their rehab unit. What follows that, only God knows. She wanted me to thank you all for the prayers, cards, notes, etc. that have come her way also. It means a great deal to her and all of us. I will continue to keep you all informed as best I can.

May God Bless Us All!

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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. (NOT 5:00) with the event to follow immediately after at 5:00 p.m. 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.

Seeking Business Sponsors for Octoberfest

We are seeking business or individual sponsors for Octoberfest. 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!

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: (317)-709-6765

Young Adult Ministry (Y.A.M.)

All Young Adults ages 18-35, single or married are invited to be a part of Y.A.M. Y.A.M. is a group to unite, connect and empower young adults. Contact us: Katie Maples: 317-850-0928 or Kendall Griffin: 317-627-2308. tsuzym@yahoo.com

Country Cupboard

The Women’s Club is asking for your help in supporting our first MQP Country Cupboard at the Annual Christmas Bazaar in November. Over the summer as you prepare your preserved items of jellies, vegetables, salsas, fruits, etc. please make some extra for the Country Cupboard. We also will be selling jars of cookies/cocoa mixes. If you have jars with lids you want to donate or you have questions, please call Anita Dieckmann at 745-6493.

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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.

Back to School Supplies

The Friends of St. Anthony are currently collecting school supplies for children in need. Supplies will be distributed to local schools. Please place donations in the basket at the entrance to the church by September 11!

- Notebooks, loose leaf paper, graph paper, composition books
- Backpacks
- Pencils, pens, markers, crayons, colored pencils, dry erase markers
- Scissors
- Glue
- Erasers
- Notecards
- Rulers

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!

A Million Works of Mercy

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. The goal is one million works before the end of the Jubilee year in November 2016. Any hours you donate to our parish or community count. Please contact Anita Dieckmann with your hours at 745-6493 or email at PAD1986@att.net. For additional information visit: www.nccw.org

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Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of August 27 & 28

**COORDINATORS**

- 5:00 p.m. Margie Williams
- 8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann
- 10:30 a.m. Mary O’Brien

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY**

- 5:00 p.m. Bart Hensley, Mike Montgomery, Sandy Montgomery, Tom Swords
- 8:00 a.m. Colin Deno, Todd Deno, Jaycee Peak, Dave Peak
- 10:30 a.m. Ron Beaman, Jackson Franchville, Michael Morris, Justin Snider

**READERS**

- 5:00 p.m. Nick Campbell, Stephanie Hensley
- 8:00 a.m. Michelle Pritchett, Nick Schmutte
- 10:30 a.m. Peg Glover, Rebecca Spratt

**SERVERS**

- 5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Sam Origer
- 8:00 a.m. Ellie Howard, Megan Howard
- 10:30 a.m. Toby Kult, Lucy Kult

**EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**

- 5:00 p.m. Bob Freed, Betty Kessinger, Tom Konechnik, Bob Mathis, Renaye Parsey
- 8:00 a.m. Margie Cope, Beth Dieckmann, Nick Pell, Charlotte Pell, Jeannie Thurnall
- 10:30 a.m. Vince Castagno, Marcia Castagno, Dixie Chaille, Andy Kult, Kim Lovejoy, Mary Lovejoy, Joyce Schmitt

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