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 at 8:30 am
Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, January 8
No Mass.

Tuesday, January 9
11:30 a.m. A special intention for the health & wellbeing of Andrea Kuciej.

Wednesday, January 10
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Roseann Zielinski.

Thursday, January 11
5:30 p.m. † All Souls.

Friday, January 12
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Geraldine Ehrsam.

Saturday, January 13
5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Charles A. Murphy.

Sunday, January 14 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. For our Family, Mary, Queen of Peace.
10:30 a.m. A special intention for the health & wellbeing of Gene & Catherine Trapp.

Time - Talent - Treasure

Treasure
Collection for December 25, 2017
This Week’s Regular Collection (132 envelopes) $12,620.70
This Week’s Gold Envelope Collection (2 envelopes) $100.00
Collection for Christmas (129 envelopes) $8,951.46
Initial Offering (to help offset cost of collection envelopes)
(1 envelope) $10.00

Collection for December 31, 2017
This Week’s Regular Collection (99 envelopes) $9,012.27
This Week’s Gold Envelope Collection (4 envelopes) $1,310.00
Collection for Christmas (9 envelopes) $168.00
Collection for Religious Retirement (1 envelope) $20.00
Collection for The Solemnity of Mary (14 envelopes) $250.00
Initial Offering (to help offset cost of collection envelopes)
(4 envelopes) $55.00

Budgeted Year-to-Date $223,398.00
Actually Received $255,684.09
Variance to Budget $32,286.09

Additional Christmas Memorial Flower Donations

In Memory of Roseann Zielinski

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

Bulletin Deadline
Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on Sunday’s to awray@mqpdanville.org also a copy to patsmooney@indy.rr.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net

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

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

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,

The holy Christmas Season continues! On this first weekend of the New Year, we celebrate the wonderful Solemnity of the Epiphany! It is a celebration of the manifestation of Christ Jesus as the true Light of the World; the Savior of Jew and Gentile alike!

It is an ancient tradition in Catholic households to ask God’s blessings upon the family home. Using chalk, the following is inscribed over the door: 20+C+M+B 18.

Of course, the initials represent the names of the three Magi, or Kings, Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar. As the Magi represent the entirety of humanity coming to and proclaiming Jesus as the Christ, the Messiah of all peoples, may we, too, proclaim Him in our lives and actions! We, too, are called to bring others to the truth and life that is Jesus Christ. What we have been given, we freely invite and share. May the holy Magi, pray for us!

It is also a liturgical tradition that the Epiphany Proclamation is read. I reprint here for your reflection:

"Know, dear brethren, that, as we have rejoiced at the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ, so by leave of God’s mercy, we announce to you also the joy of His Resurrection, Who is our Savior."

“On the Fourteenth day of February will fall ASH WEDNESDAY, and the beginning of the fast of the most sacred Lenten Season. On the First day of April you will celebrate with joy EASTER DAY, the Paschal Feast of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

“On the Tenth day of May will be the ASCENSION of our Lord, Jesus Christ. On the Twentieth day of May, the Feast of PENTECOST. On the Third day of June, the Feast of the MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST. On the Second day of December, the FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT of our Lord Jesus Christ, to Whom is honor and glory for ever and ever. AMEN.”

On another note, the flu and severe cold season has hit us full force! Therefore, as in past years, beginning this weekend, I will suspend the use of the chalices for the Precious Blood until Easter.

Remember too, if you are sick or caring for a seriously ill person, you are dispensed from attending Sunday Mass. Be safe in the parking lot when it is snowy or icy too!

The Capital Campaign is really gearing up with the New Year! Soon everyone will be receiving much more information about the goal and scope of the very needed expansion campaign for our parish! Together, we can help our parish grow into the future!

Ladetur Jesus Christus!

Welcome back to religious education classes! Hope everyone enjoyed their time off.

On Thursday, January 11, at 7:30 p.m. there will be a parent meeting for all the parents of the First Eucharist class. The meeting will take place in the nave of the church.

Thank you to everyone who has donated to the elementary RE fleece blanket making service project! God bless you.

Thanks to a generous parishioner we are able to offer "The Weekly Mass Readings Explained" videos again this year. We will include another showing of this study of the lectionary after the 10:30 Mass. Words and phrases can change meaning over time and through translations - hear the meaning of the readings as the original 1st century Jewish audience would have understood them. No kidding, this is really good; if you can afford a half an hour I think you'll find them very informative and interesting.

On Sunday, January 7, we are having our middle school youth event which is ice skating and Steak ‘n Shake. We are going ice skating at the state fairgrounds from 11:30-1:00 and then having lunch afterward. It will be $15 for the whole day. We will leave after 10:30 Mass. If you are interested, please let us know!!

On Sunday, January 21, we are having our high school youth event which is the Escape Room and Subway. We will leave after 10:30 Mass. You will need about $20 for the Escape Room and Subway.

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Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of January 13 & 14

MASS 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
           Tonya Earl, Tom Swords
8:00 a.m. Ethan Morris, Dave Peak
           Jaycee Peak, Jacob Yarnell
10:30 a.m. Austin Brown, Eli Brown
           Derek Brown, Isaac Brown

READERS
5:00 p.m. Miriam Orelup, Nick Schmutte
8:00 a.m. Greg Purvis, Brandi Morris
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Peg Glover

SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Andrew Earl, Amy Earl
8:00 a.m. Braeden Morris, Braden Walliser
10:30 a.m. Thaddeus Brown, Daniel Hazelton

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
5:00 p.m. Bob Freed
8:00 a.m. Margie Cope
10:30 a.m. Pat Baldwin, Carrie Brown
           Bill Jankowski

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, January 8, 2018
Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or

Tuesday, January 9, 2018
1 Samuel 1:9-20/1 Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd [cf. 1] /Mark 1:21-28 or 1 Samuel 1:1-8 and 1:9-20/
1 Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 6abcd [cf. 1] /Mark 1:14-20 and 1:21-28

Wednesday, January 10, 2018
1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20/Psalm 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9,
10 [8a and 9a]/Mark 1:29-39

Thursday, January 11, 2018
1 Samuel 4:1-11/Psalm 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25 [27b] /Mark 1:40-45

Friday, January 12, 2018
1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a/Psalm 89:16-17, 18-19 [2] /Mark 2:1:12

Saturday, January 13, 2018
1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Psalm 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [2a]/Mark 2:13-17

Sunday, January 14, 2018
1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19/Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a] /1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20/John 1:35-42

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, January 7
9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes
9:00 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class

Monday, January 8
7:30 p.m. Adult Education - Matthew, the King & His Kingdom

Tuesday, January 9
11:30 a.m. Mass followed by a Forever Young pitch-in luncheon
6:30 p.m. Women’s Club Social
7:00 p.m. Women’s Club Meeting
7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Wednesday, January 10
10:00 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained

Thursday, January 11
6:00 p.m. PURE - Confirmation students welcome
7:30 p.m. First Eucharist parent meeting in the nave

Friday, January 12

Saturday, January 13

This Week’s Featured Advertiser

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Family Taco/Bingo Night

Family Taco/Bingo is Saturday, January 27, from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.
We will be selling tickets the weekends of the 14th and 21st at each Mass. Price for adults will be $8.00 and children will be $6.00.
Children 5 and under are free.
Come enjoy a fun-filled night of Family, Tacos, and Bingo!