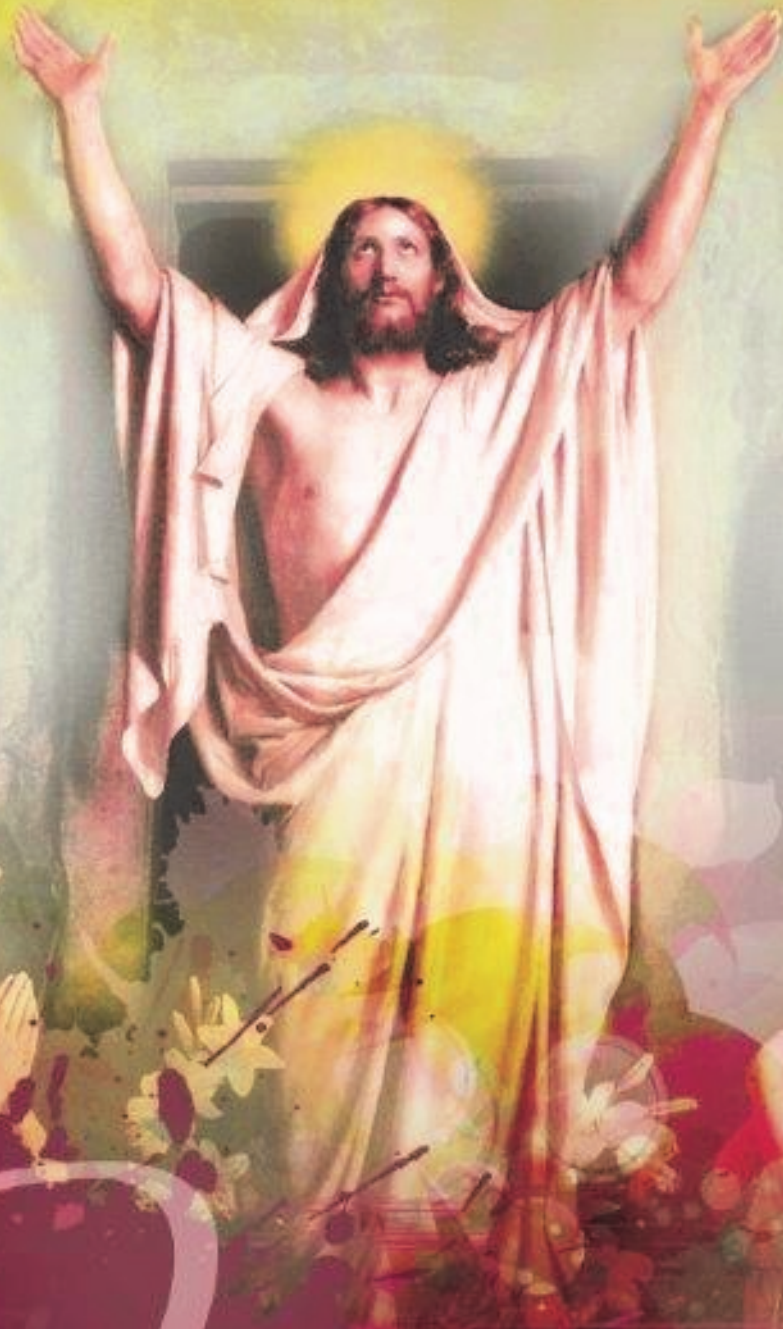


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Resurrection



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, April 2

No Mass.

Tuesday, April 3

5:30 p.m. No Mass.

Wednesday, April 4

8:30 a.m. No Mass.

Thursday, April 5

5:30 p.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

Friday, April 6

11:00 a.m. Funeral Mass in loving memory of Edward Duffey.

Saturday, April 7

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Suzanne Tzouanikis.

Sunday, April 8 *Diving Mercy Sunday*

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Geraldine Ehrsam.

10:30 a.m. For our family Mary, Queen of Peace.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collection for March 25, 2018

Due to an earlier deadline for publishing this Easter Sunday bulletin, collection numbers for Sunday, March 25, will be provided in the Sunday, April 8, bulletin.



Annual Scholarships to be Awarded

As part of our mission to support the parish families, the Knights of Columbus Council 11896 is offering a \$1,000 college scholarship for one student at St. Susanna and one student at Mary, Queen of Peace (total two \$1,000 scholarships). The scholarships are for graduating high school senior candidates who will be attending a trade school or 2/4 yr college in the fall. The qualifications are outlined in applications that are available in the entrance of the church or on the KOC website (<http://www.kofc11896.org>). Interested students are to complete the application, attach a copy of their high school transcript, and participate in a short interview in May. The winner for each parish will be announced during a Mass in May. For questions, contact information is available on the application. Application and transcript are **due by April 6**.

Your Opportunity to Volunteer

Annually, Lent is a time of preparation and renewal. As the Church prepares for our Lord's death and resurrection, take a moment, look into your heart and discern if you should be helping in any of the ministries that play such a vital role in assisting at Mass. The time of renewal is now and there is something for everyone!

Do you like to greet and meet new people? The Hospitality ministry needs people to serve as Ministers of Hospitality, especially for the 5 p.m. and 8 a.m. Mass. Feel free to contact Mary O'Brien for details.

Do you want to be a part of the weekly Masses but prefer something a little more 'behind the scenes'? Mass Coordinators prepare the altar for Mass and put things away after Mass. There is a need for additional Mass Coordinators at each of the Mass times. Contact Mary Kay Hood for additional information if you think this is right for you.

Additional ministry contacts include: Phil Schneider for servers, Bob Freed for Readers, Mary Kay Hood for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, and Ricardo Laranja for music. It takes a village and we are all part of that village. Happy Easter!

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, 3:45 – 4:30 p.m.
Or anytime by appointment



The staff of
Mary Queen of Peace
would like to wish
everyone a
Blessed Easter.

The office will be closed
the Monday after Easter.



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Pauline Cave, Peggy Cave, Bob Duffey, Bob Elliott, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith, Bud Harvey, Denny

Kashman, Tom O'Brien, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Reynolds, David Sheets, Mary Schmitt, Gene Trapp, Ned Walliser, and Mary Williams. **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.

Bulletin Deadline

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



*"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,

A HAPPY AND GLORIOUS EASTER TO YOU ALL!! May the Spirit of the Risen Christ shine upon you on this most joyous day! To those visiting St. Mary, a hearty welcome!

Today hundreds of millions around the world gather to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. From St. Peter's in the Vatican to St. Mary's in Danville IN; throughout the world, the defining event for the Church draws people from every race and culture to praise God for the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection.

Each year, today's celebration of Easter allows the believer to ask in his or her heart: what difference does the resurrection of Jesus make in my daily life? In the past year, since we last gathered to celebrate this holy day, have there been moments in my life in which the risen Christ truly shone forth? Have I lived my life in the light and joy of Easter faith or remained sealed in the tomb of sin, sarcasm and fear?

The Beloved Disciple, St. John, goes to great lengths in narrating the event of the Resurrection of Jesus. He wants us to know that, with his own eyes, he saw the burial cloths, folded neatly in the tomb. To arrange the cloths neatly, as they were found, suggests something quite unique. So his account is precious evidence of a truly extraordinary event. The Beloved Disciple allows us to share in his own experience, to share in the moment when everything began to fit together, when he began to understand fully that death is not the end; Christ triumphs!

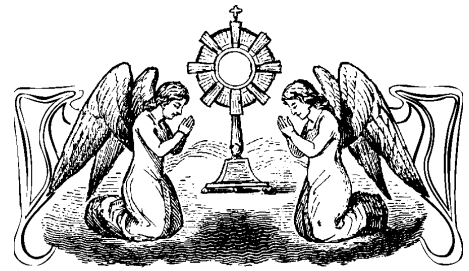
Today is the day of days to allow the joy of Easter to ring through our lives! *Today is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it! Alleluia!*

Today, the parish St. Mary, Queen of Peace, congratulates our chosen Elect who have entered into full communion with the Catholic Church: **Amy Springman, James McClain, Joan Valentine, Josh Butler, and Linda Streeter.** Let us continue to pray for them as they begin their lives within the Catholic Faith!

I would like to personally thank **ALL** those who helped in any way with the planning, decorating and supporting connected with Holy Week and the Sacred Triduum. Your dedication, often unknown, is invaluable! Thanks to Ricardo and all the choir and musicians for their hard work and prayer in adding to our liturgies!

Again, I wish one and all a very joyous Easter Season!
God bless you all!

Father Michael Lutz



"He is there!

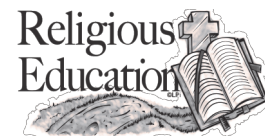
He Who loves us

So much!"

St. John Vianney

Adoration: Thursday 6:00-9:00 p.m.

There will be no Benediction on Friday morning due to a Funeral Mass.



Religious education classes will recommence on April 8th. Have a joyous Easter!

We are looking for 9 (or more) volunteers to help with this year's Vacation Bible School, to be held June 18-22. We are holding our own VBS this year so that we may offer fully Catholic instruction; the theme this year is "The Vatican Express". This means we will need more people to participate!

We are looking for at least:

- 4 faith lesson leaders; 1 Bible lesson leader
- 1 activity leader; 1 craft leader
- 1 snack leader; 1 music leader

Please contact Matthew Fallon for more information about how you can help. Thank you!

The 1st communion retreat for the Level 2 class will be held on April 7th, from 9 a.m.- noon. We will meet in the church. If you have not provided a copy of your child's birth certificate from another parish, or paid the sacramental fee, time to do so is very short!



The middle School and high School teens are hosting a "Spaghetti Lunch" on Sunday, April 8 from 11:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. to help raise money for the capital campaign. It will be \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 6-12 years old, and free for children 5 and under. The lunch will include a salad bar, spaghetti, meatballs, garlic bread or breadsticks, a dessert, and a drink. Please sign up in the narthex and pay at the door. We want an idea for a headcount. If you have any questions please ask Beth Dieckmann.

Our middle school and high school youth event this month is Chicago's Pizza and SkyZone on the 15th of April after 10:30 Mass. We will meet in the youth room and return around 3:30-4:00 p.m. You will need about \$15.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of April 7 & 8

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Phil Schneider
 8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann
 10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Korey Berg, Alex Earl
 Bart Hensley, Jim Parsey
 8:00 a.m. Debbie Green, Ethan Morris
 Dave Peak, Jaycee Peak
 10:30 a.m. Ron Beaman, Ryan Grundman
 Joan Kimbley, Jeff Perry

READERS

5:00 p.m. George Juza, Greg Purvis
 8:00 a.m. Brandi Morris, Nick Schmutte
 10:30 a.m. Audrey Petree, Kim Lovejoy

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Noah Origer, Sam Origer
 8:00 a.m. Braeden Morris, Clare Wigger
 10:30 a.m. Nina Fallon, Drew Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Tom Konechnik, Bob Mathis
 Renaye Parsey, Jordan Riddle
 Margie Williams
 8:00 a.m. Bill Bliss, Margie Cope
 Anita Dieckmann, Charlotte Pell
 Jeannie Thurnall
 10:30 a.m. Vince Castagno, Marcia Castagno
 Matthew Fallon, Gina Perry
 Julie Petree, Clara Petree
 Rebecca Spratt



Please join us for our annual Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday immediately following the 10:30 Mass. We will start near the sidewalk behind the rectory. Hope to see you there!

Women's Club Rummage Sale

The annual rummage sale is April 20-21! We will be setting up April 17, 18, 19. Start your spring cleaning early, and bring your gently used items to the church basement after Easter. If you have large items to donate or a need some assistance, please call Susan Bliss (913-832-8472) or Pam Richardt (317 539 7966) with questions or concerns.

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Liturgical Meditations

Monday, March 26, 2018

Acts 2:14, 22-33/Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/
 Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

Acts 2:36-41/Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [5b]/
 John 20:11-18

Wednesday, March 28, 2018

Acts 3:1-10/Psalm 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [3b]/
 Luke 24:13-35

Thursday, March 29, 2018

Acts 3:11-26/Psalm 8:2, 5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/
 Luke 24:35-48

Friday, March 30, 2018

Acts 4:1-12/Psalm 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27 [22]/
 John 21:1-14

Saturday, March 31, 2018

Acts 4:13-21/Psalm 118:1, 14-15, 16-18, 19-21 [21a]/
 Mark 16:9-15

Sunday, April 1, 2018

Acts 4:32-35/Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/
 1 John 5:1-6/John 20:19-31