



# Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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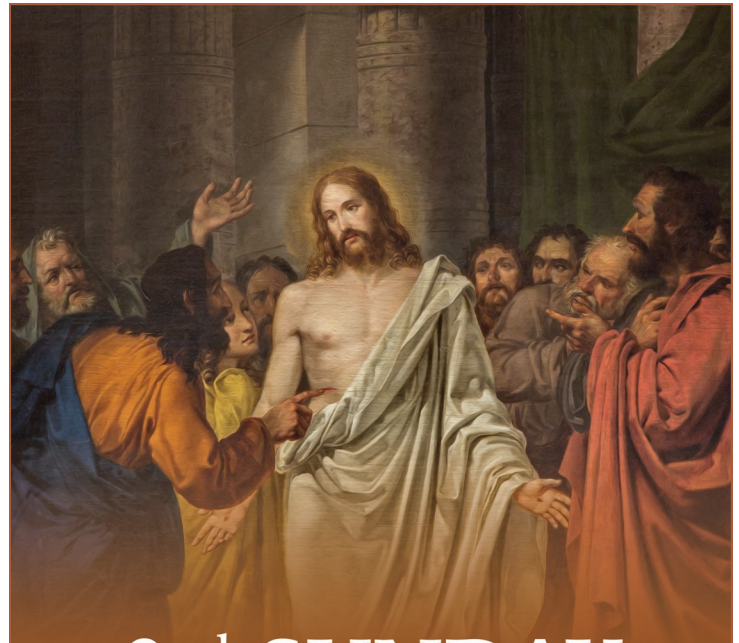
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## 2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:27

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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 at 8:30 am



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Monday, April 9**

No Mass.

**Tuesday, April 10**

11:30 a.m. In loving memory of Charles Quattrocchi.

**Wednesday, April 11 St. Stanislaus**

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Martin Wirtz.

**Thursday, April 12**

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Mary Ann O'Brien.

**Friday, April 13 St. Martin I**

8:30 a.m. † For Poor Souls.

**Saturday, April 14**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Helen L. Disney.

**Sunday, April 15**

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

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Paul Tax.



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

### Treasure

#### Collection for March 25, 2018

This Week's Regular Collection (85 envelopes)	<b>\$5,021.00</b>
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (4 envelopes)	<b>\$120.00</b>
Criterion Subscriptions paid (2 envelopes)	<b>\$44.00</b>

#### Collection for April 1, 2018

This Week's Regular Collection (136 envelopes)	<b>\$10,594.94</b>
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (37 envelopes)	<b>\$2,363.00</b>
Easter Sunday Collection (134 envelopes)	<b>\$4,498.00</b>
Collection for Holy Places (0 envelopes)	<b>\$551.96</b>

Budgeted Year-to-Date	<b>\$330,960.00</b>
Actually Received	<b>\$355,692.63</b>
Variance to Budget	<b>\$24,732.63</b>

## Your Opportunity to Volunteer

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.



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

Pat Birchler

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 Pauline Cave, Peggy Cave, Bob Duffey, Bob Elliott, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith, Bud Harvey, Tom

O'Brien, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Reynolds, David Sheets, Mary Schmitt, Gene Trapp, 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.

## 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*



### Sacrament of Marriage

Barbara Taylor-Wedding Coordinator-941.961.2487 tbt1412@yahoo.com  
Contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance.

### Bulletin Deadline

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

Each year on this Sunday following Easter, we listen to the Gospel story of St. Thomas, "the doubter." He has become synonymous with someone experiencing doubts, fears and anxiety in life. He refused to believe that the other Apostles had seen the risen Jesus.

"Unless I see the mark of the nails in His hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into His side, I will not believe."

None of us gathered here for Mass has ever had an encounter of seeing the risen Jesus either. In faith, we gather each week, and even daily, for the celebration of the Mass to be caught up once again in the love that flows from the death and resurrection of our Eucharistic Christ!

Sometimes we allow that flow to ebb like St. Thomas, especially in the face of trials and pain. That's only natural. We are human after all. But we need to remember the words of Jesus to St. Thomas: "Blessed are they who do not see yet believe."

Let us turn to St. Thomas, praying that through his intercession our faith will remain strong, that through the grace of the Sacraments, it will be made ever stronger!

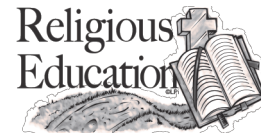
This Sunday following Easter is designated **Divine Mercy Sunday**. Saint Faustina, a young nun of Poland, had the vision we see depicted in the image of Divine Mercy found in the sanctuary here in our local parish church this weekend. The words "I trust in You!" are placed below the feet of Jesus. How very appropriate that, during the glory of the Easter season, we proclaim and celebrate the Mercy that is Jesus Christ! We pray that the Divine Mercy that *is* Jesus, will always be with us!

Our parish observance and celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday will be later this afternoon, beginning at 2:30 p.m. This year, St. Susanna will be hosting the event. It will include Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, a brief reflection and, of course, time for silent prayer.

**\*\*\*A note concerning next Sunday's 10:30 a.m. Mass:**  
We will be celebrating **First Holy Communion** for our young boys and girls. Due to the normally high number of folks attending this Mass, if you do not have a family member making his or her First Holy Communion, you might consider attending either the Saturday 5:00 p.m. or Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass! You might ask, "Why celebrate First Communion at a "regular" Mass?" Well, quite simply, it is a *parish celebration*; not a private one. It SHOULD take place within the context of a "regular" Sunday Mass celebration because the young boys and girls belong to us all! Let us pray for them on this very special day!

PLEASE NOTE....THE WEEKEND OF APRIL 21-22 WILL BE OUR PARISH COMMITMENT OF PLEDGES FOR OUR "GROWING IN GRACE" CAPITAL CAMPAIGN! IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE COME PREPARED TO OFFER YOUR COMMITMENT/PLEDGE CARD ON THIS VERY IMPORTANT WEEKEND!!

*Father Michael Lutz*



A recent Church study concluded that people who leave the Church make the decision to do so at the average age of **13**. Please don't wait to begin educating your children in the faith - by the time you think they're ready, they may have already decided against it...

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!

Our Level 2 students will be receiving Holy Eucharist for the first time next Sunday at the 10:30am Mass! Seating will be at a premium - it will be easier to find seating at other Mass times if you so wish.

The Level 7 class is scheduled for their in-class opportunity for reconciliation on April 22. Parents, please help your students make a meaningful examination of conscience to be prepared to receive God's love and forgiveness.

Level 2 class: we will hold our final practice and family celebration this coming Friday, April 13, at 6:00 p.m. We will meet in the church.



The Spaghetti Dinner planned by our middle and high school students has been canceled. Instead, they are planning a cookie sale after each Mass on the weekend of April 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup>. The kids will be making cookies on April 28<sup>th</sup>. In addition, they are requesting cookie donations from parishioners to be dropped off by 3:00 p.m. on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Let's help our youth by donating, and buying their cookies! If you have any questions regarding the Children's Involvement Campaign, please contact Beth Dieckmann at (317)709-6765 (call or text) or email: mqpyouthgroupbeth@yahoo.com

Our middle school and high school youth event this month is Chicago's Pizza and SkyZone on the 15<sup>th</sup> 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 14 & 15

### MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper  
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell  
10:30 a.m. Mary O'Brien

### MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Kailey Burkett, Tonya Earl  
Jim Schweizer, Tom Swords  
8:00 a.m. Austin Arnold, Timothy Arnold  
Hayden Deno, Todd Deno  
10:30 a.m. Austin Brown, Derek Brown  
Eli Brown, Isaac Brown

### READERS

5:00 p.m. Jim Disney, Helen Disney  
8:00 a.m. Michelle Pritchett, Logan Walliser  
10:30 a.m. Pat Mooney, Carra Origer

### SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Sebastian Whetstone, Averie Wray  
8:00 a.m. Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell  
10:30 a.m. Thaddeus Brown, Daniel Hazelton

### EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Bob Freed, George Juza  
Betty Kessinger, Tom Konechnik  
Renaye Parsey  
8:00 a.m. Bill Bliss, Margie Cope  
Anita Dieckmann, Charlotte Pell  
Jeannie Thurnall  
10:30 a.m. Carrie Brown, Kim Lovejoy  
Mary Lovejoy, Ann Mooney  
Gina Perry, Julie Petree  
Clara Petree

## Liturgical Meditations

### Monday, April 9, 2018

Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10/Psalm 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 11 [8a, 9a]/  
Hebrews 10:4-10/Luke 1:26-38

### Tuesday, April 10, 2018

Acts 4:32-37/Psalm 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 [1a]/  
John 3:7b-15

### Wednesday, April 11, 2018

Acts 5:17-26/Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [7a]/  
John 3:16-21

### Thursday, April 12, 2018

Acts 5:27-33/Psalm 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 [7a]/  
John 3:31-36

### Friday, April 13, 2018

Acts 5:34-42/Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14 [cf. 4abc]/  
John 6:1-15

### Saturday, April 14, 2018

Acts 6:1-7/Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 [22]/John 6:16-21

### Sunday, April 15, 2018

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Psalm 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/  
1 John 2:1-5a/Luke 24:35-48

## Forever Young Monthly Gathering

SPRING IS FINALLY HERE! April showers bring May flowers. Forever Young will be dodging the raindrops on April 10 at 11:30 a.m. for Mass followed by lunch. Because of the rain, Linda thought chili might be nice for the dampness. Please join us for Mass and bring your favorite dish for the pitch-in luncheon.



## Women's Club Rummage Sale

A Reminder: You may bring your gently used items to the church basement anytime now prior to the set-up dates. Also, if you would like to volunteer to help with set-up on any of these dates, April 17, 18, and 19 and/or work during the sale, April 20 and 21, sign-up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board or please call Susan Bliss (913-832-8472) or Pam Richardt (317-539-7966).

## At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

### Sunday, April 8

9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes  
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class  
11:45 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained

### Monday, April 9

7:30 p.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained

### Tuesday, April 10

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, April 11

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

### Thursday, April 12

### Friday, April 13

### Saturday, April 14

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