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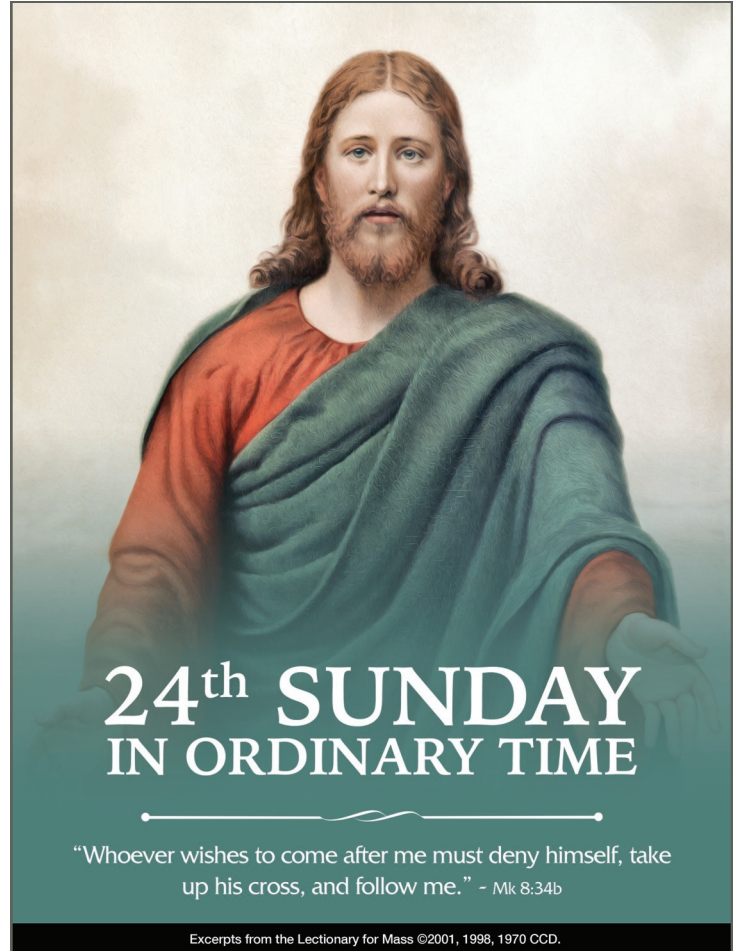
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24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me.” - Mk 8:34b

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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, September 17
No Mass.

Tuesday, September 18
5:30 p.m. A special intention for Finn Soren Gilligan.

Wednesday, September 19
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Albert Scheller.

Thursday, September 20 *Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon,
Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions*
5:30 p.m. In loving memory of Dorien Sendelwect.

Friday, September 21 *St. Matthew*
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Robert & Loretta Long.

Saturday, September 22
4:00 p.m. In loving memory of Carolyn Kashman.

Sunday, September 23 *25th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Bob Shingledecker.
10:30 a.m. For our family, Mary, Queen of Peace.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collection for September 9, 2018

This Week's Regular Collection (125 envelopes) **\$11,549.83**
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (9 envelopes) **\$215.00**

Budgeted Year-to-Date **\$91,113.00**
Actually Received **\$90,623.58**
Variance to Budget **(\$489.42)**



Congratulations and welcome to the
newest member of our parish family.

James Vincent Alessandro Malloy

Catholic Relief Service News
the charity arm of our Church

About 1.8 million people in El Salvador lack access to clean water. CRS and the Inter-American Development Bank's Multilateral Investment Fund launched Azure. It is a blended finance facility using public and private funds through common investment to improve water and sanitation services for under-served communities there.

This project, managed by CRS with local technical service providers, offers hydraulic engineering, project management, and business and financial expertise to water service providers (WSPs). It has a track record working with WSPs to improve their water service delivery and managerial capacity. Using such capital and in-country experience, we help the poor while engaging investors. And the project can be replicated in many other countries. Visit crs.org.



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

Pat Jordan

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 Peggy Cave, Bob Elliott, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith, Bud Harvey, Kelsea

Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Tom O'Brien, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Reynolds, David Roche, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Schmitt, Helen Schweizer, Debbie Such, Gene Trapp, Harold 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.

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



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

Sacrament of Marriage

Barbara Taylor, Wedding Coordinator, 317-935-4483 or dtbt1412@yahoo.com Contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance.



"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 first line of today's first reading from the prophet Isaiah seems to pick up the themes from last week's readings, doesn't it? Isaiah tells us that "the Lord God opens my ear that I may hear."

When we come to Mass, we try our best to open our ears to His word. We do so in order to fashion an answer to the question posed by Jesus to His Apostles: "Who do people say that I am?" I think that each one of us has experienced the presence of Jesus in our lives in some manner. At times it can feel that we have not, when we are in the depths of a suffering or cross.

St. Peter already believed in Christ or he would not have been able to make his profession of faith: "You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God." But, he was not yet ready to accept the whole truth about Christ. Peter was thinking of the Messiah in human terms: he saw Jesus as the one Who would restore freedom to Israel. But the full truth about Jesus soon became evident at the Passion and Crucifixion. Only then did St. Peter fully believe: Jesus was the crucified and risen Christ!

Where this took place is highly significant as well. On pilgrimage to the Holy Land, I specifically asked that our group travel to Caesarea Philippi. Why? Because St. Peter's profession took place at that place. There was a long standing tradition of the cliff there being filled with niches containing pagan idols. It was at this place that Jesus chose to reveal His true identity as the Messiah; the Son of God. It was also thus the sight of the beginning of the primacy of St. Peter and his successors as the leaders of the Church...the succession of Popes down to Pope Francis today! It is an awesome place when one realizes what took place there!

Perhaps today's question posed by our Lord is an opportunity to invite Him into *our* hearts in a renewed way. It can be scary though, right? Let's face it, by inviting Jesus in, we are in effect, surrendering control and self-will to Jesus. That's easy to say that we are able to do so, but look deep into your heart. Is it? But it's the real path to peace and joy. Let us pray for one another!

As a new school year has begun, it's a great time to recognize and thank all those men and women who so very generously volunteer their time and talent in the Catholic religious education of our youth and adults. Together with dedicated parents, the awesome task of imparting the great treasure of our faith is entrusted. We pledge to them our prayers and support! The appeal for needed catechists was successful! All classes are now fully covered with two catechists. THANK-YOU for your spirit of stewardship of your time and talent!

I encourage everyone to continue to pray for the Church; particularly here in the USA. Consider making Thursday a

day of fast and prayer as many priests are now doing. Why Thursday? It is in remembrance of Holy Thursday and the institution of both the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist and Sacrament of Holy Orders. THANK-YOU for praying for me, too!

May the Lord Bless and Keep You All This Week!

Father Michael Litzel



Elementary RE:

Parents, the RE classes will be conducting a Living Rosary on the first Sunday of October. You can help prepare your child(ren) by reviewing the prayers and order of this devotional prayer at home!

The whole parish is invited to join the RE students in reciting our living rosary - we'll be starting at 9:15 in the parking lot.

You can serve God and the parish during the Mass - be an altar server! Is it a fun activity? Find out what current servers say on the RE bulletin board! Contact Phil Schneider for training.

Parents:

The Baltimore Catechism is a traditional tool full of fact-based information and questions (fill-in-the-blank, true/false) that you can use to build up the background for your child(ren)'s faith. It is harder to understand the bigger concepts without this foundation! You may examine the age-based sample copies in the RE building to see if you desire to get a copy to be used at home; sign up on the form there to be included in our group order at the end of the month.

We are taking students' photos this week at class and making prayer cards with them - please help us by distributing these cards to the parish at all three Masses so that we are all building up our youth with prayer! Contact Matthew for supplies and instructions.

Crew Car Wash Coupons for a Cause

During the month of September the Knights of Columbus are selling coupons for Crew carwash. One half of the proceeds will go to fund an ultrasound machine for the Women's Center on West 86th Street, near the Planned Parenthood abortion center on Georgetown Road.

That amount will be matched by the Knights of Columbus Supreme Council, so the total amount donated toward the machine will be equal to the total amount collected for the carwash coupons.

The coupons have no expiration date, so they can be used anytime. The coupons are available in the narthex for \$16 or \$9 each, and would make great Christmas gifts for anyone who has a car. This is a very worthy cause and will have the potential to save many lives.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of September 22 & 23

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Phil Schneider
8:00 a.m. Jeannie Thurnall
10:30 a.m. Ann Mooney

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Kailey Burkett, Bart Hensley
Jim Parsey, Jack Williams
8:00 a.m. Susan Bliss, Debbie Green
Dick Harvey, Ethan Morris
10:30 a.m. Ron Beaman, Adam Bratt
Matthew Bratt, Jeff Perry

READERS

5:00 p.m. Miriam Orelup, Stephanie Hensley
8:00 a.m. Greg Purvis, Brandi Morris
10:30 a.m. Bill Jankowski, Audrey Petree

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Noah Origer
8:00 a.m. Braeden Morris, Not Filled
10:30 a.m. Camden Brewer, Drew Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Betty Kessinger, Tom Konechnik
Bob Mathis, Renaye Parsey
Margie Williams
8:00 a.m. Bill Bliss, Margie Cope
Anita Dieckmann, Peggy Purvis
Tony Steinmetz
10:30 a.m. Carrie Brown, Matthew Fallon
Mary Kay Hood, Gina Perry
Clara Petree, Julie Petree
Rebecca Spratt



OKTOBERFEST 2018! This year's event is Saturday evening, September 22, from 5:00-10:00 p.m. (Mass will be at 4:00 that day). Come join your parish family for some great

German food, live music by our very own "Ricardo and The Brats," and lots of activities including the following:

- Corn hole tournament
- Kids games, including obstacle course & toddler-size bounce house
- Silly relay games
- Cake walk hosted by the Women's Club
- Silent Auction
- Grab Bag
- Raffle and Door Prizes

Tickets are available after each Mass and on the day of the event. \$15 per person/\$25 per couple. Kids under 13 are \$5. Please invite neighbors and friends, and, if possible, buy your tickets in advance. Please note that this is our main fundraiser, and a fun way to support your parish. We hope to see you there!

**If our treasure is in God,
no one can take it from us.**

Jacques Philippe



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, September 17, 2018

1 Corinthians 11:17-26, 33/Psalm 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17
[1 Corinthians 11:26b]/ Luke 7:1-10

Tuesday, September 18, 2018

1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 27-31a/Psalm 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5
[3]/Luke 7:11-1

Wednesday, September 19, 2018

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13/Psalm 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22 [12]/Luke 7:31-35

Thursday, September 20, 2018

1 Corinthians 15:1-11/Psalm 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28 [1]/
Luke 7:36-50

Friday, September 21, 2018

Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13/Psalm 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/
Matthew 9:9-13

Saturday, September 22, 2018

1 Corinthians 15:35-37, 42-49/Psalm 56:10c-12, 13-14
[14]/Luke 8:4-15

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Wisdom 2:12, 17-20/Psalm 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/
James 3:16-4:3/Mark 9:30-37

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, September 16

9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class
9:00 a.m. Adult Education - The Pivotal Players
4:00 p.m. Server Training

Monday, September 17

7:30 p.m. Adult Education - The Pivotal Players

Tuesday, September 18

7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Ministers Meeting

Wednesday, September 19

10:00 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings
Explained
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Ministers Meeting

Thursday, September 20

Friday, September 21

Saturday, September 22

5:00 p.m. Oktoberfest Celebration

Los Patios

Mexican Restaurant
50 Old Farm Rd. Danville
317-563-3077

\$3 coupon on the back of the bulletin