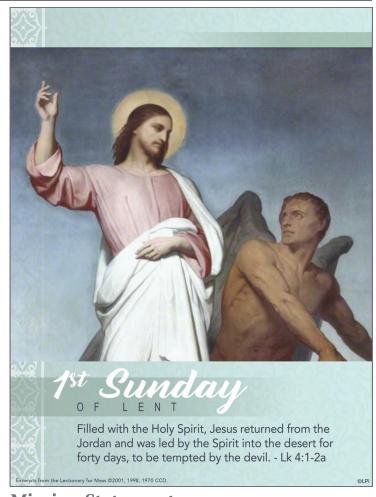


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Mission Statement

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

Kathy Stamper At-Large Representative



Monday, March 11

No Mass.

Tuesday, March 12

11:30 a.m. † Missa Pro Populo.

Wednesday, March 13

† In loving memory of Bernard Hession. 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, March 14

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Larry Taylor.

Friday, March 15

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Susan Klippel.

Saturday, March 16

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

Sunday, March 17 2nd Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Dave Morton. 10:30 a.m. A special intention for Nathan Richard

Novak

During the solemn season of Lent there will be no flowers placed before the statues of Mary, the Sacred Heart or St. Joseph. The flowers will return at Easter. Your contribution for flowers to remember or honor someone will be accepted throughout Lent, and used after Easter.

In Gratitude

The David Morton family would like to express our sincere gratitude to everyone who participated in Dave's celebration of life, including the music ministers, servers, and Father Mike. A loud shout out for a great meal at the luncheon, and to all those who gave of their time and cooking skills to provide a meal and peaceful environment for family and friends to gather after the services. Thank you also to the Mary Oueen of Peace family who attended the visitation services. attended the celebration of life services, cards, prayers and support. We are truly blessed to be a part of such a great church community.

With much gratitude, The David Morton Family.



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Peggy Cave, D.J. DesJarlais, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith, Bud Harvey, Tom

Konechnik, Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Reynolds, David Roche, Robert (Mario) Rodriguez, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Schmitt, Helen Schweizer, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Gene Trapp, Harold Walliser, and Mary Williams. We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.

Praver 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.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collection for March 3, 2019

This Week's Regular Collection (122 envelopes) \$6.992.26 This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (33 envelopes) \$1.416.00 Criterion Subscriptions (6 envelopes) \$132.00

Budgeted Year-to-Date \$298,188.00 Actually Received \$312,239.06 Online Giving \$1,924.00 **Total Received** \$314.163.06 Variance to Budget +\$15.975.06



Growing in Grace Capital Campaign Update Totals to-date:

Goal: \$1,900,000.00

Pledges received 252 Amount pledged: (with generosity & sacrifice) \$1,587,820.85 Total Cash Receipts: \$781.206.87

\$312,179.15 We need in pledges:

Ministers of Hospitality Needed

Do you have a deep faith in Christ, a love for the Mass and a desire to serve? We need additional Ministers of Hospitality at each Mass. A Minister of Hospitality welcomes people to Mass, tends to their needs, helping them find a place, gathering their gifts during the collection, and bidding them farewell when the Mass concludes.

Please contact Mary O'Brien @ 317-627-0752 or tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net, if interested in welcoming parishioners to Mass.

"Welcome one another, then, as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God" Romans 15:7

Forever Young Gathering

Tuesday, March 12, is the next Forever Young Luncheon, and Sharon Courtney will be our hostess. She is planning roast beef for our entree. Please bring a covered dish to share. Mass is at 11:30 a.m. followed by the luncheon in the lower level. Hope to see you there to share in the fun and fellowship.

Your Donations Welcomed Throughout March

The coordinator at Holy Family Shelter has stated that our March Undergarment Campaign is greatly appreciated by their clients. They currently have the greatest need for women's and boy's underwear me. Thank you all for your continued generosity. Please feel free to add your donations to the basket located at the entrance until March



"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,

We have begun. The holy season of Lent is with us. At the beginning of Lent, the Holy Scriptures summon us to a posture of remembrance. For some reason, growing up at Annunciation in Brazil, having the advantage of the Catholic school and both being such solid, lived faith, I have always enjoyed Lent. I know, "Father how can you enjoy Lent!?" Well, for several reasons. We attended Stations of the Cross each Friday as a school, then I would go back that evening with my parents and grandma. Most often, I served with Father, carrying the crucifix or a candle. I always liked the purple vestments and extras. It was just so "Catholic!" There was always a big crowd for the Stations; of all ages, together as families. It was expected and most of us looked forward to it. It all helped my young faith to grow in appreciation of how lucky we were to be Catholic! All the ritual, the chant, the hymns, incense, holy water, all made a deep impression on me. Looking back now, I recognize that all of these influenced my vocation to the priesthood. I have never lost that sense of how blessed we are to be Catholic.

Just as the Israelites of old remembered the mighty acts that the Lord their God had done for them, so, too, are we called to remember what God has done for us.

As we begin our Lenten journey, let us focus on the gift that this holy season can be for each one of us. We celebrate the gift of Jesus' life, death and resurrection! We grow closer to the Lord Jesus, Who suffered, died and rose to new life to save us from sin and opened the way to everlasting life!

Occasionally St. Luke likes to use a literary technique called *inclusion*, a phrase or theme appearing early in a book and then resurfacing approximately the same distance from the conclusion. Today's Gospel includes one.

In the fourth chapter, the devil tempts and then departs from Jesus...for a time. Satan returns in the twenty-second chapter, entering into Judas, who then of course betrayed our Lord. We know Satan is not even remotely an equal to Christ. Jesus doesn't bump into Satan by mistake, but is brought to the desert to triumph over him! Only much later is Satan allowed to re-appear and evil do its worst; an illusory triumph eternally reversed by Christ's Resurrection!

What is central is not Satan's temptations, but the nearness of God, which our Lord acknowledges by quoting Scripture to repel him. Lent is our time to pray about the nearness of God in our lives and how many times we push Him away by our sins and selfishness. The Church's mandate that we pray, fast and give alms, are meant to help us acknowledge both our sins and the nearness and compassion of a forgiving God. Let us take advantage of this holy Season of Lent and all the many offerings afforded us to "repent, and believe in the Gospel." Remember, the "Light is On For You", the hearing of confessions, each Wednesday of Lent from 6:00-7:00 p.m. as well as the usual Saturday afternoons from 3:45-4:30!

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated each Friday of Lent at **6:00** *p.m*. Come as a family and share in Christ's journey to the cross and resurrection. You can go the Lenten Fish Fry either before Stations or after!

The Magnificat Lenten booklet is also an excellent addition to Lenten prayer. Use it daily! Remember, whatever we choose to do during Lent, it is for the Lord, not ourselves!

"EUCHARISTIC ETIQUETTE #1":

It should come as no surprise that respectful etiquette in the church calls for no eating or drinking (except for water when necessary). This includes no gum chewing. We are in the very Presence of our God! We make a habit of speaking with Him before and after Mass. We're blessed here at MQP to have a narthex for fellowship and visiting. Let's remember to respect those who are at prayer before and after each Mass!

As we journey together this Lent, let us keep one another in prayer. Pray that we will grow closer to Jesus in the Eucharist and in reconciliation.

God Bless One and All!



Father Triface Future

Elementary RE:

Have you been working on learning your scripture verse by heart? As well as giving something up for Lent, take on something new. Learn your verse from class, and commit to reading an entire Gospel.

MQP will be hosting its own Vacation Bible School this June, to be thoroughly Catholic in instruction. As a result we cannot rely on other partner churches to supply several volunteers. We are depending on our own parishioners to be part of the action and make the week happen for our young disciples-in-training. If you can help mornings of June 17-21, talk with Matthew Fallon about the various roles available. Look for the display table in the narthex for more detailed information.

WIN MONEY FROM THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: the Knights are sponsoring an Easter poster contest, "Where is Jesus in Easter?" Entry forms are on the stairwell bulletin board for students in kindergarten through 8th grade. Win \$35, \$25, or \$10 for your 11"x17" original poster.

Adult RE:

CRS Rice Bowl, First week of Lent: In Guatemala we encounter Norma, who as a young mother supports her family and shares her skills with her community. Reflect on the importance of family in your life. How can you contribute to support families in your community? Visit crsricebowl.org for more information. 'Rice bowl' donation boxes are in the narthex.

There are still a few spots on the bus going to the Shrine of Christ's Passion on Saturday, March 23. St. Malachy is organizing this pilgrimage; you can find out more, or register on the St. Malachy website: stmalachy.org

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of March 16 & 17

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. **Judy Schneider** 8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell 10:30 a.m. Mary O'Brien

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

Bart Hensley, Joe Osburn 5:00 p.m.

Jim Parsey, Tom Swords

Susan Bliss, Todd Deno 8:00 a.m.

Kim Pecar. Not Filled

10:30 a.m. Austin Brown, Derek Brown

Isaac Brown, Mary O'Brien

READERS

5:00 p.m. Nick Campbell, George Juza 8:00 a.m. Greg Purvis, Michelle Pritchett 10:30 a.m. Audrey Fox, Kim Lovejoy

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Sam Origer

Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Megan Fox, Lucy Kult

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. **Betty Kessinger** 8:00 a.m. Vince Castagno

10:30 a.m. Pat Baldwin, Carrie Brown,

Mary Lovejoy





Liturgical Meditations

Monday, March 11, 2019

Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18/Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [John 6:63b]/Matthew 25:31-46

Tuesday, March 12, 2019

Isaiah 55:10-11/Psalm 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/ Matthew 6:7-15

Wednesday, March 13, 2019

Jonah 3:1-10/Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/ Luke 11:29-32

Thursday, March 14, 2019

Esther C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Psalm 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Matthew 7:7-12

Friday, March 15, 2019

Ezekiel 18:21-28/Psalm 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/ Matthew 5:20-26

Saturday, March 16, 2019

Deuteronomy 26:16-19/Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/ Matthew 5:43-48

Sunday, March 17, 2019

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18/Psalm 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 [1a]/Philippians 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Luke 9:28b-36

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell, satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world

seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen



Lenten Disciplines



Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years and older on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash

Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer, the Church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday, which is on April 18.

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, March 10

Religious Education Classes 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. **Confirmation Class**

9:00 a.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

Monday, March 11

7:30 p.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

Tuesday, March 12

11:30 a.m. Mass followed by the Forever Young

pitch-in Luncheon

6:30 p.m. Rosary with the Women's Club in the

Church

7:00 p.m. Women's Club Meeting

7:00 p.m. RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Wednesday, March 13

10:00 a.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, March 14 Friday, March 15

4:30 p.m. Fish Fry sponsored by the Youth Group

Stations of the Cross 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 16

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