



# Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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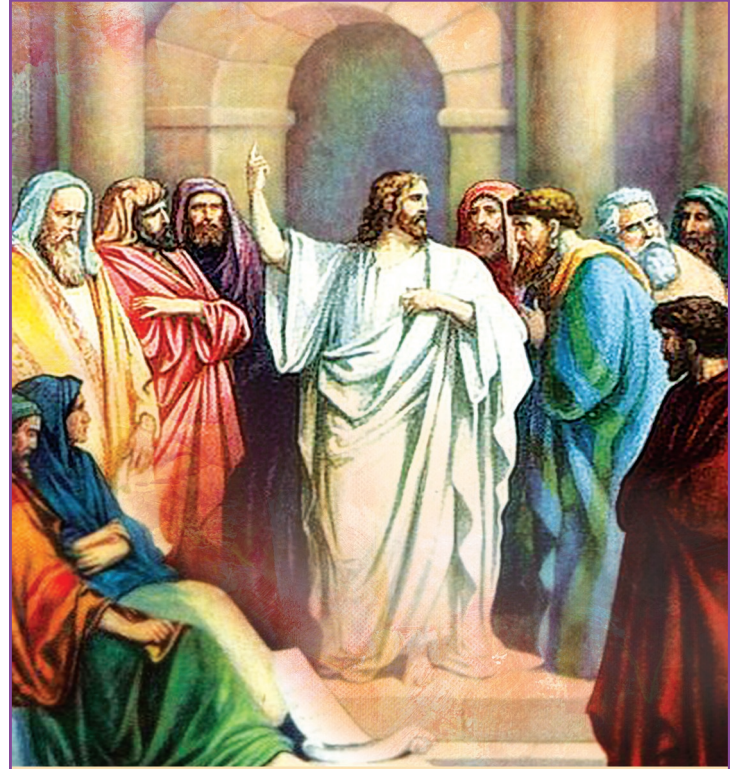
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Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" - Lk 13:2-3

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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, March 25**

No Mass.

**Tuesday, March 26**

5:30 p.m. A special intention for Noah Thomas Novak.

**Wednesday, March 27**

8:30 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.

**Thursday, March 28**

5:30 p.m. In thanksgiving for the blessing of my family.

**Friday, March 29**

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Dave Morton.

**Saturday, March 30**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Shannon Parsons.

**Sunday, March 31 4th Sunday of Lent**

8:00 a.m. For the Poor Souls.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Walter Ray.



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

### Treasure

Collection for March 17, 2019

This Week's Regular Collection (142 envelopes)	<b>\$7,985.83</b>
This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (5 envelopes)	<b>\$195.00</b>
Criterion Subscriptions (3 envelopes)	<b>\$17.00</b>
Collection for Central & Eastern Europe (23 envelopes)	<b>\$506.00</b>

Budgeted Year-to-Date	<b>\$314,754.00</b>
Actually Received	<b>\$329,320.20</b>
Online Giving	<b>\$1,924.00</b>
Total Received	<b>\$331,244.20</b>
Variance to Budget	<b>+\$16,490.20</b>

## National Catholic Youth Conference

NCYC this year is November 21- 24 in Indianapolis and is for grades 9th- 12th. If your teen is interested, there will be a meeting in July with details. I will need two adult chaperones to join me this year. If you are interested in being a chaperone, please let me know ASAP. More information and promo videos will be out in May.

Please contact Beth Dieckmann (mqpyouthgroupbeth@yahoo.com or (317) 709-6765) for more information or to volunteer.

## Thank you...

.....to the Women's Club (Team #3) and all those who served and donated so much food for the funeral meal for Bill Rohl's family and friends.

It is greatly appreciated!

Debbie Miller -Team Leader



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.



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.***

### 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.

## 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.

## "The Light is on for You"



### Confessions

Wednesdays during Lent  
(except March 27)

6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

And, every Saturday 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.





*"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 very familiar story about Moses and the burning bush reminds us today that our God is shrouded in mystery. (And that's a *good* thing!) Our life's journey, as does our journey during the holy time of Lent, has only one goal: eternal life with Jesus Christ. As Moses approached the very Presence of God, he removed his sandals...he was on holy ground. Sound familiar? It should; we do the same each Good Friday as we approach and venerate the sacred cross of Jesus Christ!

The way to God is made more clear each time we gather to celebrate the Mass in this holy place we call St. Mary, Queen of Peace. The way is clearer each time we celebrate Penance. Jesus is The Way.

We listen, hopefully like eager children hearing a fascinating story for the first time, to words that bring us closer to Jesus Christ. The Lord Jesus' words today remind us that the more we come to know Him, the more we are expected to respond in word and deed.

Jesus makes it quite clear in today's Gospel that we are all sinners and have often times fallen short of His way. The wonderful thing is that He offers us the means by which to return to Him and to His Bride, the Church!

Perhaps we could each reflect and name one way that we have grown closer to Jesus during this season of Lent.

As we continue our Lenten journey, remember that the Stations of the Cross are offered each Friday of Lent beginning at 6:00 p.m!

This Wednesday, March 27, there will be **NO CONFESIONS FROM 6 TO 7:00 P.M!** I must attend the Parish Council Meeting that night. There is a reminder on the front door of the church as well.

Believe it or not, we are now half way through Lent! Next weekend is **LAETARE SUNDAY**. Remember to wear something **ROSE** colored to Mass!

Let us continue those good Lenten resolutions!

*Father Michael Suteda*



On Saturday, April 6, the Middle School and High School Youth Group is going Go-Karting and eating at 1911 Grille in Speedway. We will leave at 5:00 p.m. and TBA on when we are returning. We are going to eat dinner and do two tracks. The cost will be \$20. Please RSVP by Tuesday, April 2, to Beth Dieckmann at: mqpyouthgroupbeth@yahoo.com or (317) 709-6765



### Elementary RE:

There is no elementary RE class this week or next. We will resume on April 7th.

**Level 2 Parents:** our First Communion retreat is on Saturday, April 6, from 9:00 a.m. until noon. If you have a glue gun it would be helpful to bring it along. Thank you.

**Students:** use some of your spring break free time to learn your scripture verse by heart! Micah 6:8, "He has told you O mortal what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God." Recite this verse, or one your class is learning and you will get a reward!

There is still time to enter the Knights of Columbus Easter poster contest. A nice idea on the theme, "Where is Jesus in Easter?" is as important as art skills! Get the blue registration form and find more info on the stairwell bulletin board.

**CRS Rice Bowl:** This week of Lent we encounter Christyan Dhathcroos, a farmer in Sri Lanka. When he was 14 his family fled the civil war in his country, and then couldn't return for 16 years. When he did return, he found the farm overgrown and in shambles. He now had a family of his own to support and he needed help to get going. CRS Rice Bowl helped him get seeds and fertilizer, made sure they had access to water, and helped with his children's education. No one in Christyan's family had ever finished their education, but the teacher's in his son Godwin's Catholic school are sure that he will finish and become a scientist as he wishes. Christyan says, "When we had nothing, CRS came and helped us. Now we should help others, too."

Can you do some work or give up some pleasure to donate to the rice bowl this week to help people like Christyan who've been the victims of war rebuild their lives?

**Parents:** If you would like to pray the Stations of the Cross but cannot attend the Friday communal session, the RE building will be open between the Masses so you can use the prayers and stations posted in the hallway.

Our students will participate in this devotional prayer on Sunday, April 14, in the lower level; all are welcome to join us!

### Adult RE:

This summer we will read two books and share our thoughts and learning together. In June the book will be, 'In the Beginning,' by then-Cardinal Ratzinger (now Pope Emeritus-Benedict XVI), and we'll meet on the 29th. For July we will meet on the 27th to discuss Fr. James Mallon's book, 'Divine Renovation.'

If you are able to host this gathering, please contact Matthew to plan it. Thank you!

## Dining Out for the RE Program

Enjoy a meal at Los Patios and help the RE program at the same time. On the evening of Thursday, April 18, MQP will get a share of the proceeds from all meals ordered at Los Patios restaurant. Be sure to take along a ticket from the stairwell bulletin board announcing your participation.

# Liturgical Ministers Schedule

## Weekend of March 30 & 31

### MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus  
 8:00 a.m. Jeannie Thurnall  
 10:30 a.m. Ann Mooney

### MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus  
  
 8:00 a.m. Susan Bliss, Hayden Deno  
 Debbie Green, Dick Harvey  
 10:30 a.m. Austin Brown, Derek Brown  
 Isaac Brown, Not Filled

### READERS

5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus  
 8:00 a.m. Michelle Pritchett, Greg Purvis  
 10:30 a.m. Pat Mooney, Mary Lovejoy

### SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Sebastian Whetstone  
 8:00 a.m. Theo Pritchett, Not Filled  
 10:30 a.m. Addie Beaman, Not Filled

### EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus  
 8:00 a.m. Vince Castagno  
 10:30 a.m. Carrie Brown, Kim Lovejoy  
 Ann Mooney



## Liturgical Meditations

### Monday, March 25, 2019

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

### Tuesday, March 26, 2019

Daniel 3:25, 34-43/Psalm 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Matthew 18:21-35

### Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9/Psalm 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/Matthew 5:17-19

### Thursday, March 28, 2019

Jeremiah 7:23-28/Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/ Luke 11:14-23

### Friday, March 29, 2019

Hosea 14:2-10/Psalm 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mark 12:28-34

### Saturday, March 30, 2019

Hosea 6:1-6/Psalm 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hosea 6:6]/Luke 18:9-14

### Sunday, March 31, 2019

Joshua 5:9a, 10-12/Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [9a]/ 2 Corinthians 5:17-21/Luke 15:1-3, 11-32



## Mother's Day Tea

Save the date!

Sunday, May 5, 1-3:00 p.m.

Women's Club Tea! Inviting all women of the parish to a Cinco de Mayo Fiesta Tea!

Come join us to celebrate with food, fun and sisterhood. We welcome Monica Kelsey, founder of "The Safe Haven Baby Boxes", and Pro life speaker here as our distinguished guest with her powerful story of her abandonment as a baby, and her journey to saving babies.



## Fish Fry

The Friday Lenten fish fry continues! Each Friday from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. Please come support our youth group and eat a good meal. If you are interested in helping during any fish

fry, helping with side dishes, or bringing dessert, please contact Beth Dieckmann.

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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



## At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

### Sunday, March 24

9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes  
 9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class  
 9:00 a.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

### Monday, March 25

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

### Tuesday, March 26

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

### Wednesday, March 27

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

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

### Thursday, March 28

### Friday, March 29

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

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

### Saturday, March 30

## RLS Tax Preparation

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