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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

Fifth Sunday of Easter ● May 19, 2019
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Monday, May 20**  
No Mass.

**Tuesday, May 21  St. Christopher Magallanes & Companions**  
5:30 p.m. A special intention for Ruby Rhys Gilligan.

**Wednesday, May 22  St. Rita of Cascia**  
8:30 a.m. † For the Poor Souls.

**Thursday, May 23**  
5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Geraldine Ehrsam.

**Friday, May 24**  
8:30 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.

**Saturday, May 25**  
5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Dave Morton.

**Sunday, May 26  Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
8:00 a.m. In thanksgiving for Tim & Anna Wray’s 41st Wedding Anniversary.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Robert & Loretta Long.

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**Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure**

**Treasure**  
Collection for May 12, 2019

- This Week’s Regular Collection (133 envelopes) $8,161.36
- This Week’s Gold Envelope Collection (13 envelopes) $642.00
- Catholic Home Missions Appeal (1 envelope) $50.00

**Budgeted Year-to-Date** $381,018.00  
**Actually Received** $393,836.57  
**Online Giving** $2,468.00  
**Total Received** $396,304.57  
**Variance to Budget** +$15,286.57

**Time & Talent**  
A special thanks to Judy Schneider for serving many, many years as Liturgy Chairperson. Her guidance and leadership to all the committees and staff have given us such beautiful and meaningful Liturgies in which to worship.

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**An Opportunity to Serve the Parish**

The parish is in need of someone to chair the Social Concerns Commission and the Pro Life Committee. These two positions are currently held by one person, but it is possible to split the responsibilities of the commission chair and committee chair between two people.

The commission oversees the activities of the parish related to helping the needy and promoting social concerns. The Friends of St. Anthony and the Pro Life Committee are a part of the Social Concerns Commission.

If you are interested in either of these positions, contact Father Mike for more information.

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**Welcome**

The parishioners of St. Mary, Queen of Peace extend a warm welcome to our newest member:

Kimberly Decker

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**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

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**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

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

Mark & Miriam Orelup’s 69th Wedding Anniversary

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

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**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.
“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,

As the Easter season continues to unfold, even with the “Alleluias,” life can be tough. We live in an imperfect world, one marked by terrorism and war as well as the “ordinary” crosses that each individual may carry.

To this imperfect world and life of testing, the Lord Jesus proclaims in today’s Gospel: “I give you a new commandment: love one another.” We can look with sadness upon the world today, a sadness born from the knowledge that we simply do not love one another.

As followers of Jesus Christ, we simply must not allow this sadness turn into despair, for if this holy Easter-tide gives us anything, it gives us hope for our world and our lives as well. The commandment of Jesus begins in our own heart. It is within our heart that commitment and growth in our Lord Jesus comes about. However, we must realistically admit that this can sometimes feel overwhelming. Don’t we?

I was reading a reflection on this weekend’s Liturgy of the Word and it ended with this: Name a time when you found it difficult to love someone. How did you overcome this? A good thought for us all!

On a personal note....somehow, someone has gotten a list of some of my ‘contacts’ from my phone. Please note: If you receive a text from someone claiming to be me who is asking for gift cards, DO NOT respond! We have had three different parishioners contacted by this someone. It has been turned over to the Attorney General’s Office and police. Believe me, if I were to ask you for money….I would do so personally!!

Other than the above distressing fact, isn’t May wonderful? It finally appears to be springtime and open window weather! Enjoy the gift of God’s creation. This column is rather short, but I do not believe anyone will lodge a complaint!

God Bless You All!

Elementary RE:

This weekend is our final class of this year’s religious education season. Please thank our team of catechists when you see them for their dedication, effort, and care for the young people of our parish family:
- Robyn Stewart and Stephanie Brewer (Pre-K)
- Amy Kotlarski and Michelle Pritchett (Kindergarten)
- Laura Flaherty and Kelli Dillon (Level 1)
- Rebecca Bratt and Mary Lovejoy (Level 2)
- Stephanie Wigger and Ivy Daley (Level 3)
- Mallorie Moore and Jean Knarr (Level 4)
- Pat Baldwin (Level 5)
- Jeremy Flaherty (Level 6)
- Nick Schmutte (Level 7).

We will need more catechists next year, ask these parish volunteers or Matthew Fallon about what it takes.

Adult RE:

Discover what the Patroness of the Americas is conveying through the symbolism of the image she gave to Saint Juan Diego. Meet by the wall hanging to the left of the baptismal fount after the 10:30 Mass. Thank you to the Cautlacuatl-Ramirez family for their donation!

We still have a few more weeks of our study of the Book of the Acts of the Apostles to make up for classes we missed due to inclement weather in January.

General Interest

Our Catholic Relief Services Project Rice Bowl response this year achieved a new high-water mark: almost $620! Thank you for your generosity on behalf of helping transform lives around the world and close to home. God bless everyone who gave and anyone who couldn’t!

Let’s Help Each Other Out!

Do you need a hand getting some yard work or spring cleaning done? Let’s get together to help our fellow parishioners with such tasks. You may find a request form at the display in the narthex: either to fill out for assistance, or to make a connection to help with this work. Share your love and spend a few hours to help make life better in our parish!

A reminder: Coming up this week is the Women’s Club Annual Rummage Sale, Friday, May 24 and Saturday, May 25.

Please continue to bring donations to the church basement. If you would like to volunteer to help, please call Susan Bliss (913-832-8472) or Tina Becht (630-728-2600).

This year we have lowered the prices on most major items.
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

The Rosary in May

The Rosary will be said at each Mass during the month of May in honor of our Blessed Mother except at the 5:00 Mass on May 4. The Rosary will be led at each Mass as follows: Saturday, 5:00 p.m., Barbara Taylor; Sunday, 8:00 a.m., Gene Trapp and Mark Richardt; Sunday, 10:30 a.m., Kathy McSchooler.

Softball season is upon us. We will have a team representing Mary, Queen Peace in the Danville church league. Games will begin the first week of July. Schedule is to be determined.

If you are interested in joining the team contact Kira Wray by text or call at (317) 697-9852 or email: thewrayfamilyof5@gmail.com. All are welcome! Feel free to bring a friend!