



# Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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Kathy Stamper .....At-Large Representative



## 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT



"Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come." - Mk 13:33

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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, November 30**

**Tuesday, December 1**

5:30 p.m. † A special intention for Sr. Christa.

**Wednesday, December 2**

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Jim Collins.

**Thursday, December 3 *St. Francis Xavier, Priest***

5:30 p.m. † For the Faithful departed souls

**Friday, December 4**

8:15 a.m. Benediction

8:30 a.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

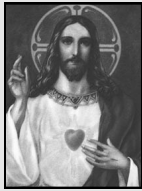
**Saturday, December 5**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Danny Glissman.

**Sunday, December 6 *Second Sunday of Advent***

8:00 a.m. For the Women of the Parish both living & deceased.

10:30 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.



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

***In Loving Memory of Mary Leondis***

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*

## Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule

**St. Malachy**

Saturday, 8:45 – 10:00 a.m.

*Or anytime by appointment*

**St. Susanna**

Saturday, 10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

*Or anytime by appointment*

**Mary, Queen of Peace**

Saturday, 3:45 – 4:30 p.m.

*Or anytime by appointment*



# Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

## Treasure

**Collections November 15, 2020**

This Week's Sunday Collection (61 envelopes) **\$12,769.75**

This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (5 envelopes) **\$190.00**

Because of an early publication deadline, the collection figures for November 22 will be in the **Sunday, December 6** bulletin.

Budgeted Year-to-Date **\$165,390.00**

Actually Received **\$140,748.07**

Online Giving (October) **\$5,079.00**

Total Received **\$145,827.07**

Variance to Budget **-\$19,562.93**

## How Can I Continue to Contribute My Regular Offering to the Parish?

There have been questions about how parishioners can continue their contributions to the parish during this very difficult time. There are two methods. The first method is to use the online giving feature on the website: [www.mqpdanville.org](http://www.mqpdanville.org) (on the opening page there is an icon in green on the right). The other method is to mail your contributions to 1005 West Main St., Danville, IN 46122.

We are all facing financial uncertainties. Any offertory that you can give will be greatly appreciated. If you have any difficulty with online giving, please email Anna Wray and we will assist you.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary Schmitt, and pray for the care and consolation her family. **Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

## Revised Bulletin Deadlines

The holiday season brings with it changed deadlines for submitting the bulletin to our printer. If you have anything you would like included in the bulletin for the following Sundays, please be sure to submit it by the deadline listed.

Sunday

Deadline

December 13

Wednesday, December 2

December 20

Wednesday, December 9

December 27

Monday, December 14

January 3

Monday, December 21

Thank you for your cooperation in meeting these deadlines.

Articles should be submitted to [awray@mqpdanville.org](mailto:awray@mqpdanville.org), also a copy to [charlottepell@aol.com](mailto:charlottepell@aol.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,

Welcome to Advent! The new year of liturgical grace, 2021, has begun! The first words spoken by our Lord Jesus in today's Gospel set the tone for this holy season of expectant longing: "Be watchful! Be alert!"

We stand ready at the beginning of this holy Advent season, for we do not know when Jesus will return in glory. We open our hearts to Scriptures and reflections that call us to be mindful of the ways of the Lord.

If our faith lives have become "withered like leaves," as Isaiah laments, let God's word instill new life in all of us! Let that word penetrate our hearts and fill us with life and joy. One of the beautiful aspects of Advent is the prospect of yet another "new beginning."

Advent offers us the opportunity to prayerfully reflect on how we are doing when it comes to living, celebrating, and praying our Catholic Faith. Whether or not it is taking the time to come and celebrate the Sacrament of Penance, attending a daily Mass when one can, remembering the Holy Day of Obligation of the Immaculate Conception or taking part in our Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Advent is *the* time to begin anew. As we reflect on the message of today's Mass, let this be our prayer: "Come, Lord Jesus!"

Don't forget, the Holy Day of the Immaculate Conception is coming up! Vigil Mass on December 7<sup>th</sup> will be at 7:00 p.m.; on December 8<sup>th</sup>, Mass will be at Noon!

Also, remember "The Light is on For You" in place of an Advent Penance Service, I will be hearing confessions each Wednesday of Advent from 6 to 7 p.m. I will be hearing confessions downstairs in our current location. Make a good confession for Advent. The bulletin also contains the information regarding our neighboring parishes of St. Susanna and St. Malachy. No west deanery parishes are offering a penance service this year. Remember, also, our regularly scheduled Saturday confessions, from 3:45 to 4:30 p.m. will continue.

Another reminder, 2021 Misselettes are available for a donation in the narthex. This will be YOUR missalette for the year; take home and bring to Mass with you. We cannot put the misselettes out as usual due to the pandemic.

I truly believe I can state without reservation, each of us prays that 2021 will be a much better year than 2020! We pray the virus finally leaves us and life can resume some sort of normalcy.

May our Advent Season be one of prayerful, expectant prayer, repentance, and joy!

*Father Michael Antkowiak*

## Knights of Columbus Corner



Please join the Council daily for the rosary! Join us on our Facebook page or on Mary Queen of Peace YouTube page.

The Council again thanks everyone who enjoyed our fish fry. We will be having another fish fry on Friday December 11, 2020. Serving will be 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. We are also having a raffle for a 55 inch television. You can buy your tickets at the fish fry. Price per raffle ticket is \$5. You can buy as many as you like. The Council will also be selling trash bags during the fish fry. The fish fry will be drive thru as in the past and please enter from Mackey Road. The Council apologizes for running out of fish too early. We will be ordering extra fish for the December 11th fish fry.

The raffle discussed in earlier publications of the Knights Corner is still in the planning stage. As soon as plans are completed, I will notify you on the here in the Knights Corner.

Monies collected for the parish at the last fish fry was about \$2,400.00. After deductions, the Parish netted around \$1,800.00. A big Thank you for all that turned out for the fish fry.

The Council has purchased several TV's for the Parish. These will be used to help broadcast Mass for those in attendance in the Church basement during Christmas and also in the new addition. Afterwards the TV's will be used at the discretion of the Parish in the new addition.

During the Sunday Masses for December 13, 2020, the Council will be holding a membership drive.

As stated in the last Knight's Corner, \$2,500.00 was donated to the parish by the Council for five windows that will be installed in the new addition. Also under consideration is the cost of the phone and internet service installation that will be used by the parish.

This year the Council will be awarding two scholarships as in years past. The only change this year will be raising the amount awarded from \$1,000.00 to \$1,500.00.

Are you interested in becoming a Knight or want information regarding the Knights of Columbus? Contact Mark Richardt at (317) 354-5603 or by email at [rowdy251@yahoo.com](mailto:rowdy251@yahoo.com).



## Women's Club Meeting

Attention all women of Mary Queen of Peace: If you are a member of the church you are automatically part of the Women's club! We want to extend a special invite to any new members of the church to join us. Since onset of the virus, we have not held any meetings. Now that December is here we are hoping to be able to gather for a live meeting Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 for a rosary in the church then at 7pm for the meeting in the church basement. Masks are of course required and we will be social distancing. No food or beverages will be served. Please pray that the virus does not get any worse where we have to stop live meetings all together. If this occurs we will try to set up a virtual meeting. If you would like to be added to the contact list for the Women's club or have ideas/items for the agenda please email Lisa Martin at [scootercap01@juno.com](mailto:scootercap01@juno.com).

## ATTENTION: Liturgical Ministers

Needs for the upcoming weeks include: one Extraordinary Minister of Communion and four Ministers of Hospitality for each weekend Mass. Your help is needed so we can carry on with the celebration of the Mass. Please sign-up for the Mass of your choice through the MSP app or send Mary Kay Hood an email. Thank you for your help.



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Dan Brennan, Peggy Cave, Eileen Clark, Hursel Disney, Bill Fattic, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith,

Fr. Victor Karls, Laurel & Bob Kult, Kelsea Kushner, Fr. Victor Laroche, Dr. Vladimir Laroche, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Michael Gerard Moyer, Goldie Parsons, Donald Pell, Matthias Pfister, Andrew Rehn, Joe Saddler, Helen Schweizer, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Shelton, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, 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.



## Liturgical Meditations

### Monday, November 30, 2020

Romans 10:9-18/Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10]/  
Matthew 4:18-22

### Tuesday, December 1, 2020

Isaiah 11:1-10/Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 [cf. 7]/  
Luke 10:21-24

### Wednesday, December 2, 2020

Isaiah 25:6-10a/Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [6cd]/  
Matthew 15:29-37

### Thursday, December 3, 2020

Isaiah 26:1-6/Psalm 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a  
[26a]/Matthew 7:21, 24-27

### Friday, December 4, 2020

Isaiah 29:17-24/Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/  
Matthew 9:27-31

### Saturday, December 5, 2020

Isaiah 30:19-21, 23-26/Psalm 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6  
[cf. Isaiah 30:18d]/Matthew 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

### Sunday, December 6, 2020

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11/Psalm 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/  
2 Peter 3:8-14/Mark 1:1-8

## "The Light is on for you" Advent Confession Schedule

### St. Mary, Queen of Peace

Wednesday, December 2nd	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, December 9th	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, December 16th	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, December 23rd	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday Confessions	3:45 - 4:30 p.m.

### St. Susanna

Fridays in December	6:00 - 6:30 pm
Monday, December 14th	6:00 - 6:30 pm.
Monday, December 7th after 6:00 p.m.	vigil Mass
Saturdays	10:00 - 10:30 a.m.

### St. Malachy

Wednesday, December 9th	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, December 16th	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, December 23rd	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

## Giving Tree

This year's Giving Tree will be up November 20, 2020. Please feel free to grab 1 or more tags from the tree this weekend! Unfortunately, the need is even greater this year. We have received requests for assistance from the Archdiocese's Christmas Store downtown, Family Promise, Mental Health America of Hendricks County, as well as many others. Many of these facilities are asking for the gifts to be received within the next few weeks. **Therefore, we are asking for all donations to be delivered by December 13, 2020.** Please do NOT wrap these gifts, but please attach the tag's string with tape to the gift. Of course, we will continue to collect gifts if they come later, but they may be stored until next year and may not get to the individual families in time.

Please contact Candace Monzingo with questions:  
[cmmonzingo@yahoo.com](mailto:cmmonzingo@yahoo.com) or 317-506-1869..

## At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

### Sunday, November 29

No Religious Education - Thanksgiving Break

### Monday, November 30

### Tuesday, December 1

7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation

### Wednesday, December 2

### Thursday, December 3

6:00 p.m. Adoration of the Most Holy Eucharist

### Friday, December 4

### Saturday, December 5

### Sunday, December 6

9:00 a.m. Religious Education-all grades via Zoom

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