



Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He walked along a little farther and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They too were in a boat mending their nets. Then he called them. So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him. - Mk 1:19-20

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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, January 25

No Mass

Tuesday, January 26 *Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops*

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Helen L. Disney.

Wednesday, January 27 *St. Angela Merici, Virgin*

8:30 a.m. For the Women of the Parish both living & deceased.

Thursday, January 28 *St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest & Doctor of the Church*

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Joe Masner, Sr.

Friday, January 29

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Sr. Marianne Mader.

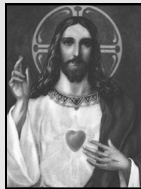
Saturday, January 30

5:00 p.m. Missa Pro Populo.

Sunday, January 31 *4th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Donald Pell.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Helen Root.



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

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*

Bulletin Deadline

Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on Fridays to awray@mqpdanville.org, also a copy to charlottepell@aol.com and timbrien@sbcglobal.net.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collections January 10 & January 17, 2021

Sunday Collection (41 envelopes)	\$4315.00
Gold Envelope Collection (11 envelopes)	\$485.00
Propagation of the Faith (2 envelopes)	\$35.00
Initial Offering Collection to offset cost of envelopes (4 envelopes)	\$50.00
Budgeted Year-to-Date	\$206,737.50
Actually Received	\$187,071.07
Online Giving (November)	\$6,684.00
Total Received	\$193,755.07
Variance to Budget	-\$12,982.43

Year-end financial statements for 2020 will be arriving either in your email or mailbox.

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 (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.

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

Sacrament of Marriage

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

To be married at Mary, Queen of Peace, one must be a registered, practicing member of the parish six months **before** preparation may begin.



*"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,

After a two-week absence...welcome back! I must say I can think of a much better way to spend two weeks than by being cooped up in the rectory! I would have preferred the white sands of Lido Beach and sun with ocean waves. If I didn't have Lucy here, I would be deranged by this time. I hope and trust you all are healthy and surviving!

In today's first reading, we hear the story of the people of Nineveh who repented of their sinful ways and offer a shining example of our Father's divine mercy and forgiveness.

Our Lord Jesus calls us to repent and believe in the Gospel. It is note-worthy that our Lord's call to follow Him is issued within the context of repentance. Sometimes, we don't make the connection in our own lives. Following Jesus entails conversion and repentance; it must always do so in order to be authentic and graced.

When we forget this connection, we are actually attempting to follow Jesus on *our terms*, not His. It's as if we say to the Lord, "I will follow You, Lord, BUT allow me to bring this old habit, sin or attitude along with me."

Well, sooner or later we learn that we can't have it OUR way. We need to always remember, we are members of the CATHOLIC CHURCH. Therefore, there are as many aspects of our faith life that are simply bigger than we are! We are not St. Mary, Queen of Peace Catholic Church alone...we belong to the Church Universal as well as the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. We are not a community that can "pick and choose" what we believe or profess or do. Our freedom and unity are ours precisely because we belong to the Church! Sometimes it takes a bit of hardship or "skinned knees" for us to learn this but, God willing, we do learn! How good and gracious is our Father!

On a very cheery note...Spring is less than two months away! That should lift our spirits! From my maternal grandmother, I have inherited a dislike for January and February! She was all about flowers, gardening, etc. While I am not into that like her, I share her innate weariness as the dark days move slowly along. I can tell things are lightening up but still, God help us! "Sic transit Gloria mundi!" Thus passes the glory of the world.

Like St. James tells us: "...stay warm and well-fed!"

Father Michael Litzsch

Knights of Columbus Corner



The Council encourages all to participate in praying the Rosary and the Devine Mercy Chaplet daily! You can join us on our Facebook Page as well as Mary Queen of Peace YouTube page.

The Lenten fish fries will start on Friday February 19, 2021. They will run for six consecutive weeks on every Friday throughout Lent. The Council will be assisting the Youth group in this fundraiser.

The City of Danville has raised the required monies needed to complete the installation of the Safe Haven Baby Box. The Council donated \$250 towards Monica Kelsey's Safe Haven Baby Box, so that she can continue to manufacture the Baby Boxes.

If anyone has questions concerning the Knight's of Columbus or would like to join our Council, please contact Mark Richardt at rowdy251@yahoo.com or call 317-354-5603.



I am the bread of life

Liturgical Ministers are Needed

When we think about the future, we may wonder: Are we doing all that God has called us to do? If you have been thinking about becoming more involved in Mass, now is the time to act. There is a need for additional people to help with all aspects of Mass:

- Readers (Bob Freed)
- Servers (Phil Schneider)
- Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (Mary Kay Hood)
- Ministers of Hospitality (Mary O'Brien)
- Mass Coordinators (Mary Kay Hood)

There is a place for everyone and it takes everyone to make the Catholic faith community a family. Please consider what God is calling you to do. Feel free to contact Mary Kay Hood or the chair of the ministry of your choice for additional information. May you find it in your heart to answer the call to serve.

Parish Family Care Line

If you are interested in being informed when someone from the parish has died or is ill, send your email address with the subject *Parish Family Care Line* to awray@mcpdanville.org and you will be put on the list to receive these notifications. Likewise, if you know of someone who has died or is ill and wants the information shared, please send an email with the same subject line.

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, 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, 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, January 25, 2021

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Psalm 117:1bc,
2 [Mark 16:15]/Mark 16:15-18

Tuesday, January 26, 2021

2 Timothy 1:1-8 or Titus 1:1-5/Psalm 96:1-2a, 2b-3,
7-8a, 10 [3]/Mark 3:31-35

Wednesday, January 27, 2021

Hebrews 10:11-18/Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/
Mark 4:1-20

Thursday, January 28, 2021

Hebrews 10:19-25/Psalm 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/
Mark 4:21-25

Friday, January 29, 2021

Hebrews 10:32-39/Psalm 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40
[39a]/Mark 4:26-34

Saturday, January 30, 2021

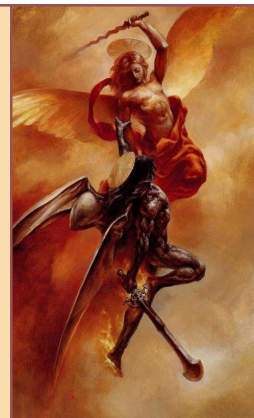
Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19/Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75
[cf. 68]/Mark 4:35-41

Sunday, January 31, 2021

Deuteronomy 18:15-20/Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 [8]/
1 Corinthians 7:32-35/Mark 1:21-28



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, January 24

Religious Education Classes - Virtual
Confirmation Class

Monday, January 25

Tuesday, January 26

Wednesday, January 27

6:30 p.m. Parish Council Meeting

Thursday, January 28

Friday, January 29

Saturday, January 30

Sunday, January 31

Religious Education Classes - Virtual

The Liquor Shop

Beer ~ Wine ~Liquor

317-745-4531

625 E. Main Street ~ Danville

Parishioner