



# Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God. - Jn 3:20-21

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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 12 noon



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Monday, March 15

No Mass

### Tuesday, March 16

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Rush Limbaugh.

### Wednesday, March 17 *St. Patrick, Bishop*

12:00 p.m. Missa Pro Populo.

### Thursday, March 18 *St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*

5:30 p.m. A special intention for Nathan Richard Novak.

### Friday, March 19 *St. Joseph, Spouse of the B.V.M.*

12:00 p.m. For the Women of the Parish both living and deceased.

### Saturday, March 20 *Spring Begins*

5:00 p.m. A special intention for Mike Rollins for his 80th Birthday.

### Sunday, March 21 *5th Sunday of Lent*

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

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Lyle Becht.



PRAY FAST GIVE

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.

## Holiday Bulletin Deadline

The upcoming holiday season brings with it changed deadlines for submitting the bulletin to Liturgical Publications, the publisher of our bulletin. 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 for each Sunday:

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
March 28	Tuesday, March 16
April 4	Tuesday, March 23

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 [charlotte-pell@aol.com](mailto:charlotte-pell@aol.com) and [tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net).



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

### Treasure

#### Collections March 7, 2021

Sunday Collection (77 envelopes)	\$6,410.00
Gold Envelope Collection (17 envelopes)	\$860.00
Criterion Newspaper (to offset cost of newspaper) (9 envelopes)	\$198.00
Collection for Church in Central & Eastern Europe (1 envelope)	\$20.00
Collection for the Church in Africa (1 envelope)	\$15.00
Budgeted Year-to-Date	\$297,702.50
Actually Received	\$282,815.38
Online Giving (February)	\$5,988.00
Total Received	\$288,803.38
Variance to Budget	- \$8,899.12

### 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.



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## Christmas Bazaar

In anticipation of having the annual Christmas Bazaar this year the Women's Club is accepting applications for vendors. It will be held November 6th. If you know someone who is crafty and or has unique items or a small business, please direct them to Jan Adams 317-508-4458 or email at [jan\\_e\\_adams49@icloud.com](mailto:jan_e_adams49@icloud.com). Ave Maria!



*"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,

Today the Church celebrates **Laetare Sunday**. Taken from the Latin for "rejoice", we today hear of rejoicing in the readings. The Church points out to us, while in the midst of Lenten prayer, fasting and charity, that the glory and joy of Easter are approaching! The solemn violet of the vestments is set aside, and the rose vestment is worn. Mixing the violet with the glorious white of Easter, we have rose. And so, let us rejoice in our hearts!

We hear on this Laetare Sunday of the greatest mercy shown us by God our Father: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son." We gaze upon the Son, "lifted up" for our salvation. We look upon Him "Whom they have pierced." We behold the Son of God, the source of everlasting life! What perfect thoughts for a rejoicing Sunday! And, it is important for us to remember, that it is not merely by LOOKING upon Jesus that we may gain salvation. We must LIVE Jesus, the One Who was pierced for our offenses!

I remind one and all of the continuing "Light Is On For You" confessional schedule. Each remaining Wednesday of Lent, I will be available for confession from 6:00-7:00pm. Of course, the regular Saturday time (3:45-4:30) continues as well. If you haven't made a good confession during Lent...there is still time! Pick up an "Examination of Conscience" flyer in the vestibule to help make a good confession! In the bulletin, we continue to publish confession times available at both St. Malachy and St. Susanna as well.

It is not too early for you to start thinking and resolving to make the upcoming HOLY WEEK & PASCHAL TRIDUUM your priority as we soon approach those holy and sacred days of our Catholic Faith. Set aside those watches and have the resolve to be HERE for the holiest days of our Faith! PALM SUNDAY MASSES will be at the usual times. HOLY THURSDAY MASS will be at 7:00pm. GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY OF THE LORD'S PASSION will be at Noon. EASTER VIGIL will be at 8:00pm. EASTER SUNDAY MASSES will be at 8:00 & 10:30am

Let us continue to pray for one another on our Lenten journey of faith!

*Father Michael Letour*

## Knights of Columbus Corner



The Council encourages all to participate in praying the Rosary and the Divine 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 from 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm. The cost will be a free will donation. They will run for six consecutive weeks on every Friday throughout Lent. The Council will be assisting the Youth group in this fundraiser. Please enter off of Mackey Road. As in previous fish fries this will be a drive thru event.

Possible upcoming events under discussion: The Council has formed a committee to interact with other Mary Queen of Peace organizations in discussing and possibly replacing the existing Church sign with a more modern one. An example would be similar to the one currently used at Ellis Park. The Council is also looking into holding some type of raffle as a fund raiser.

The Council is taking applications for Scholarships. This year's recipient will be awarded a \$1,500 Scholarship. As before, one winner from Mary Queen of Peace and one from St. Suzanna. You can find the applications on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

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](mailto:rowdy251@yahoo.com) or call 317-354-5603.



## 40 Days for Life - Indianapolis Spring Campaign

40 Days for Life will run Feb. 17-March 28, 2021. The peaceful, prayerful vigil is 24 hours a day throughout the campaign in front the Planned Parenthood at 8590 Georgetown Rd. Join pro-lifers from across central Indiana in praying to change hearts and save lives. If you are part of a group or would like to start a group that could commit to an hour a week every week, or even if just once during the campaign please consider doing so. For those that cannot travel to get out to the site, please take at least an hour a week, if not a few minutes a day to pray for the safety of the unborn and their mothers and fathers to have a change of heart. For more information or to sign up to participate visit [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com) and our local site at [www.40daysindy.org](http://www.40daysindy.org) or contact Lisa Martin the MQP coordinator at [scootercap01@juno.com](mailto:scootercap01@juno.com). 40 Days – peaceful, prayerful, and powerful.

## Women's Club News

Our "March Undergarment Campaign" will start the week-end of March 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>. Our goal this year to is provide all sizes of new packaged socks and undergarments for the homeless families at Family Promise in Plainfield. There will be a container marked for the donations stationed in the narthex beginning March 6<sup>th</sup> and ending March 28<sup>th</sup>. Thank you in advance for your donations.

## 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, Cathy Hazelett, Fr. Victor Karls, Laurel & Bob Kult, Kelsea Kushner, Fr. Victor Laroche, Dr. Vladimir Laroche, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Michael Gerard Moyer, Dan Parsons, Goldie Parsons, Matthias Pfister, 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, March 15, 2021

Isaiah 65:17-21/Psalm 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]/John 4:43-54

### Tuesday, March 16, 2021

Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12/Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [8]/John 5:1-16

### Wednesday, March 17, 2021

Isaiah 49:8-15/Psalm 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18 [8a]/John 5:17-30

### Thursday, March 18, 2021

Exodus 32:7-14/Psalm 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]/John 5:31-47

### Friday, March 19, 2021

2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22/Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Luke 2:41-51a

### Saturday, March 20, 2021

Jeremiah 11:18-20/Psalm 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]/John 7:40-53

### Sunday, March 21, 2021

Jeremiah 31:31-34/Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 [12a]/Hebrews 5:7-9/John 12:20-33

## 'The Light is On For You' Confession Schedule

Wednesday, March 17th	6:00-7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 24th	6:00-7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 31st	6:00-7:00 p.m.
Saturday Confessions	3:45-4:30 p.m.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule

### St. Malachy

Every Wednesday during Lent, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, 8:45 - 10:00 a.m.

*Or anytime by appointment*

### St. Susanna

Monday, 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.

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*

## Prayer to St. Michael

*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 14

Religious Education Classes - Virtual  
Confirmation Class

### Monday, March 15

### Tuesday, March 16

### Wednesday, March 17

### Thursday, March 18

### Friday, March 19

4:30 p.m. Drive thru Fish Fry hosted by K of C

### Saturday, March 20

### Sunday, March 21

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