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3rd SUNDAY OF LENT

"He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area." -Jn 2:14-15a

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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 Sunday Weekday 5:00 pm 8:00 am and 10:30 am Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 pm Wednesday and Friday at 12 noon

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, March 8

No Mass

Tuesday, March 9 St. Frances of Rome, Religious5:30 p.m.† In loving memory of Marke Koehne.

Wednesday, March 10 12:00 p.m. A special intention for Joseph Ross Novak.

Thursday, March 11 5:30 p.m. Missa Pro Populo.

Friday, March 12 12:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Fr. Peter Gallaher.

Saturday, March 13 5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Helen Disney.

Sunday, March 14 4th Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Dick Donald Jr. 10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of John Keegan.



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.

Family Promise Needs

Shampoo Peanut butter and jelly Dish soap Men's clothing - XL shirts/sweatshirts and jeans 32/34x30/32 Paper towels Toilet paper

They are always looking for furniture and used vehicles as well! If you're looking for a place to volunteer, give Family Promise a call! 317-296-3742

Bulletin Deadline

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



Treasure

Collections February 28, 2021

Sunday Collection (79 envelopes) Gold Envelope Collection (5 envelopes) Criterion Newspaper (to offset cost of		\$7,267.01 \$155.00
newspaper) (12 envelopes)		\$273.00
Collection for Church in Central & Eastern		
Europe (2 envelopes)		\$30.00
Budgeted Year-to-Date	\$289,432.50	
Actually Received	\$264,966.38	
Online Giving (January)	\$11,439.00	
Total Received	\$276,405.38	
Variance to Budget	- \$13,027.12	

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: <u>www.mqpdanville.org</u> (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.



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 kn ow 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. Ave Maria!



If you have lost a loved one recently or know of a parishioner who has, please contact Helen Disney so that we can include the family in our ministry. 317-745-4867 or jimandhelendisney@gmail.com.



"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,

Some people are just never happy! At Mass this weekend, we hear of how the people grumbled against Moses, saying, "Why did you ever make us leave Egypt? Was it just to have us die here of thirst...?" They were actually saying that they would have preferred to stay *in slavery* rather than fending for themselves. It's better to be a fed and watered slave than to be responsible for one's self!

And so, Moses cries out to the Lord, "What shall I do with this people? A little more and they will stone me!" The Lord answered Moses, "Go over there in front of the people, along with some of the elders of Israel...Strike the rock, and the water will flow from it for the people to drink." This Moses did. And the grouchy, ungrateful people had their thirst satisfied.

For us, this episode prefigures Christ Jesus and the lifegiving waters of grace that flow from Him through His Church. It is through the life-giving waters of the Sacraments, given to the Church by Our Lord, that you and I have recourse to the true source of eternal life...thanks be to God!

We hear of this episode during Lent in order for us to concentrate once more on the treasure given the Church by Her Lord. All of us can become somewhat "jaded" in life. We can begin to take for granted the Church, the Mass, Penance, even the Lord Himself. The continuing pandemic certainly hasn't helped either. FAR too many folks still haven't returned to Mass. Honestly, I don't get it. Ball games, shopping, even vacations are all "safe" but I guess Mass is not. It's good for us to hear once again on the tremendous and awesome gifts that Jesus shares with us!

During this holy season of Lent, we need to try our best to grow in prayer and in the Presence of Jesus Christ. Remember during this holy time, Confessions are heard on Saturdays as normal AND each Wednesday from 6:00 to 7:00pm. If you have been away for some time, take a copy of the Examination of Conscience found in the Narthex and use it to prepare to make a prayerful, contrite Confession! Remember something important: we use the Examination BEFORE coming to confession; not when we sit or kneel down and then read through it! Remember as well, confession is not a therapy session; it is the confession of sins. That needs to take place outside the Sacrament if necessary. As the old TV show Dragnet used to say: "Just the facts, Ma'am."

As we continue our journey toward the glory of Easter, let us keep up our good works of prayer, fasting and charity! Have a good week everyone!

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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 up coming 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 <u>rowdy251@yahoo.com</u> 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 and our local site at

www.40daysindy.org or contact Lisa Martin the MQP coordinator at <u>scootercap01@juno.com</u>. 40 Days – peaceful, prayerful, and powerful.

Women's Club News

Our "March Undergarment Campaign" will start the weekend of March 6th & 7th. 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 6th and ending March 28th. Thank you in advance for your donations.

3rd Sunday of Lent

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 8, 2021

2 Kings 5:1-15ab/Psalm 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 [cf 42:3]/ Luke 4:24-30

Tuesday, March 9, 2021 Daniel 3:25, 34-43/Psalm 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8 -9 [6a]/Matthew 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 10, 2021 Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9/Psalm 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20]/Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday, March 11, 2021

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

Friday, March 12, 2021

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 13, 2021

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

Sunday, March 14, 2021

2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23/Psalm 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6ab]/Ephesians 2:4-10/John 3:14-21

'The Light is On For You' Confession Schedule

Wednesday, March 10th Wednesday, March 17th Wednesday, March 24th Wednesday, March 31st Saturday Confessions 6:00-7:00 p.m. 6:00-7:00 p.m. 6:00-7:00 p.m. 6:00-7:00 p.m. 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 7 Religious Education Classes - Virtual Confirmation Class Monday, March 8 Tuesday, March 9 Wednesday, March 10 Thursday, March 10 Thursday, March 11 Friday, March 12 4:30 p.m. Drive thru Fish Fry hosted by K of C Saturday, March 13 Sunday, March 14 Religious Education Classes - Virtual Confirmation Class

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