



Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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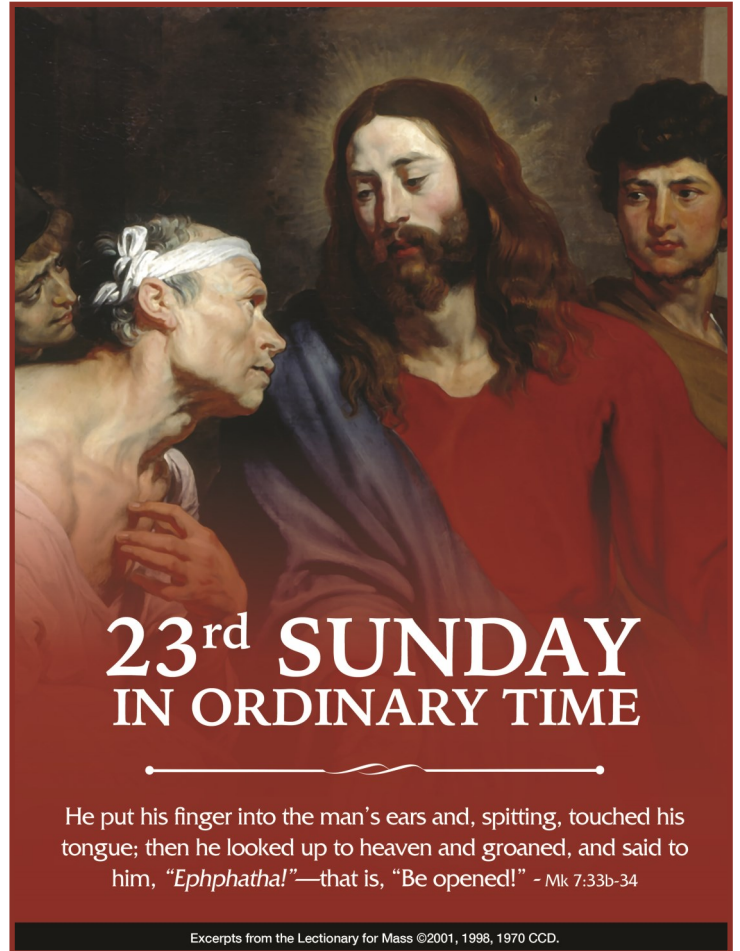
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23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!" - Mk 7:33b-34

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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, September 6

No Mass

Tuesday, September 7

5:30 p.m. For Christians in Afghanistan.

Wednesday, September 8 *The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Walter Puckett.

Thursday, September 9 *St. Peter Claver, Priest*

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Janet Sturm.

Friday, September 10

8:30 a.m. † For the Faithful departed souls.

Saturday, September 11

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Eva Tax,

Sunday, September 12 *24th Sunday of Ordinary Time*

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Cathy Hazelett.

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*

The Leondis Family

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@mcpdanville.org, also a copy to charlottepell@aol.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collections August 29, 2021

The collection figures for August 29 will be in the Sunday, September 12 Bulletin.

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

There are two methods to make contributions to the parish. The first method is to use the online giving feature on the website: www.mcpdanville.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



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Dan Brennan, Eileen Clark, Sarah Cooney; Bill Fattic, Dick Griffith, 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, Joe Sandler, Helen Schweizer, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Shelton, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Harold Walliser, 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.



Congratulations and welcome to the newest members of our parish family.

Connor Walter Schmitt
Son of Adam and Kayla



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

Ralph and Sharon Bukowski



**"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,

In today's Gospel, our Lord Jesus bids the deaf man with a speech impediment, "Be opened!" Note the choice of words. Jesus does not say to the deaf man, "Hear!" or "Speak!" He rather says, "Be opened!"

It shouldn't take a theologian to figure out that each of us can take this an indication of how we are called to live our lives as followers of Jesus Christ!

Each one of us should be open and receptive to the voice and teaching of Jesus Christ. This receptivity and openness then urge us to tend and care for those who need us in this life. Opening ourselves up to Christ's truth enables us to be open to others and truly follow His example.

This openness and receptivity can only occur when we *humble* ourselves before Christ. Most of our problems when it comes to prayer and trust come from this lack of humility. Admit it to yourself. Don't you normally come to Holy Mass or approach other moments of prayer with an agenda? Don't you normally want to *tell* Jesus: a) what you want and, b) when you want it? We all do at various times. It's part of our fallen human nature. When one struggles with a particular teaching of Jesus or His Church, nine times out of ten, part of the struggle is a lack of humility and openness. We simply think we know best and that's all there is to it ... even when speaking with the Lord!

A beautiful practice that St. Therese, the Little Flower, often used was to go before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament and simply say: "I offer You my nothingness; my emptiness." Then, she would quietly wait for the Lord's word to her; often hearing nothing. Still, she was persistent in her faithfulness. She offers us a wonderful example of how to approach the Lord in prayer and at the same time, be as the deaf man in today's Gospel; "Be opened!"

St. John Vianney would often say that some things cannot be accomplished without prayer *and fasting*. It was his way of being open. Fasting implies a need to be filled. Rather than with food we don't really need, St. John Vianney echoes the Lord's call today ... be open to ME!

A quick update ... the current level of unpaid pledges stands at \$20,892. Our parish has done a wonderful job in making our new facility a reality! We continue to work with the Archdiocese concerning the roofing situation for the kirche. Hopefully, we will be able to have the current roof replaced soon!

Here is what I know concerning ongoing Covid procedures. At this time, we are not required to wear masks at Mass. Certainly, more folks are doing so but it is for now, voluntary. My prediction is that we very well may return to them for Masses. Our RE students and teachers may also be wearing them as well. Again, at this writing, it is volun-

tary. It is undeniable that cases are rising again. I am not entering the fray of arguing who to believe. However, personally, if something like wearing a mask MAY help, why not wear one? As in most aspects of life my friends, one should err on the side of precaution; not react out of anger. I have a feeling we will be dealing with this situation for some time. "Patience is a virtue."

Wow, Labor Day weekend already! I think most of us are ready for a change in temps and weather, right? Have a great week, everyone!

Gott Bless and Keep You All!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

Are you living a busy life and don't really have time to talk to your spouse? We have a gift to share with you; it's called a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The Weekend will give you the opportunity to examine your lives together. A time to share your feelings, hopes, joys and frustrations without the interruption of family commitments, TV, internet and phone calls, rather it is a time to get to know your spouse all over again and rediscover your deep love for each other. We are planning an in-person Marriage Encounter Weekend at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House, Indianapolis, from 5-7 November 2021. Visit www.wwme.org for further information.

Indiana Women's Conference

The Indiana Women's Conference is on September 25, 2021. If enough people are interested in going, we may be able to carpool. Call the office if you are interested in carpooling.

Women's Club Meeting

The Women's Club meetings will start up again on September 14, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. Please join us for the Rosary in the church as 6:30 p.m.



Through our monthly donations and continual supply drives, Mary Queen of Peace has helped make an impact on the Hendricks County community! Thank you for your continued support!

Family Promise has immediate need for the following items:

- 18 month old Fall/Winter Clothes
- Diapers Size 6
- Pull-Ups - 2-3T
- Bottled Water
- Pasta, sauce, mac & cheese, fruit cups, jelly,
- Spaghettios
- Speedway Gas Cards (Blue)

Please contact Candace Monzingo for furniture deliveries.
317-506-1869.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of September 11 & 12

READERS

5:00 p.m. Stephanie Hensley
 8:00 a.m. Graham Youngs
 10:30 a.m. Audrey Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. George Juza
 8:00 a.m. Pat Baldwin
 10:30 a.m. Tina Becht, Julie Petree, Jan Adams

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Sam Origer
 8:00 a.m. Theo Pritchett, Braeden Morris
 10:30 a.m. Isabelle Daniel, George Laranja

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Bart Hensley, Joe Osburn, Tom Mills,
 Tom Swords
 8:00 a.m. Max Pritchett, Mike Pritchett,
 Michelle Pritchett, Luke Howard
 10:30 a.m. Loren Becht, Vance Bullock, Derek Brown,
 Thaddeus Brown

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Phil Schneider
 8:00 a.m. Pat Baldwin
 10:30 a.m. Jan Adams



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, September 6, 2021

Colossians 1:24 - 2:3/Psalm 62:6-7, 9 [8]/Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday, September 7, 2021

Colossians 2:6-15/Psalm 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11 [9]/
 Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday, September 8, 2021

Micah 5:1-4a or Romans 8:28-30/Psalm 13:6ab,
 6c [Isaiah 61:10]/Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Thursday, September 9, 2021

Colossians 3:12-17/Psalm 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [6]/
 Luke 6:27-38

Friday, September 10, 2021

1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14/Psalm 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8,
 11 [cf. 5]/Luke 6:39-42

Saturday, September 11, 2021

1 Timothy 1:15-17/Psalm 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 [2]/
 Luke 6:43-49

Sunday, September 12, 2021

Isaiah 50:5-9a/Psalm 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/
 James 2:14-18/Mark 8:27-35

MASS OF HEALING FOR VETERANS
 SEPTEMBER 11TH, 2021
 10:30 AM
 ST. MALACHY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 LET US REMEMBER THOSE WHO PROTECTED OUR COUNTRY

8TH GRADE GARAGE SALE
 SATURDAY OCTOBER 2ND
 8AM-2PM

SUPPORT THE ST. MALACHY 8TH GRADE CLASS TRIP

DONATE & DROP-OFF SALE ITEMS AT SCHOOL GYM FRIDAY, OCT. 1ST FROM 3-7 PM

EARLY BIRD HOURS 10/1 8-10 PM, *ONLY \$5 ENTRY FEE

POWER HOUR 1-2 PM FILL A BAG FOR \$3

BAKE SALE

CASH ONLY

QUESTIONS, OR FOR LARGE ITEM HOME PICK-UP (FRI. OCT. 1ST)
 CONTACT JENNIFER WILKE, JENRWILKE@GMAIL.COM/317-626-3974

ST. MALACHY PARISH SCHOOL
 9833 E. COUNTY RD. 750 N, BROWNSBURG

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, September 5

No Religious Education or Confirmation Class - Labor Day Weekend

Monday, September 6 *Labor Day*

Tuesday, September 7

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

Sunday, September 12

9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes begin
 No Confirmation Class

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