



CHRISTMAS

A Savior Is Born



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, December 27

No Mass

Tuesday, December 28

No Mass

Wednesday, December 29

No Mass

Thursday, December 30

No Mass

Friday, December 31 *Mary, Holy Mother of God Vigil*

4:00 p.m. For all the Blessed Mother's petitions and intentions.

Saturday, January 1 *Vigil of The Epiphany of the Lord*

5:00 p.m. A special intention for Sean Michael Gilligan.

Sunday, January 2 *The Epiphany of the Lord*

8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Rita and Fred Saler.

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

Holiday Bulletin Deadlines

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

January 2

Deadline

Monday, 12/20

Thank you for your cooperation in meeting these deadlines. Articles should be submitted to awray@mpqdanville.org, also a copy to charlotte-pell@aol.com and tjmobrien@sbcglobal.net.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Due to an early publication deadline, collection figures for December 19, will be in the Sunday, January 2 bulletin.

Collections December 12, 2021

Sunday Collection (134 envelopes)	\$7,460.25
Gold Envelope Collection (15 envelopes)	\$515.00
Immaculate Conception Holy Day Collection (45 envelopes)	\$1,151.00
Retirement Fund for Religious Collection (21 envelopes)	\$1,310.00
Budgeted 2021-2022	\$191,538.48
Actually Received	\$204,077.58
Online Giving (November)	\$8,057.00
Total Received	\$212,134.58
Variance to Budget	\$20,596.10



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Dan Brennan, Eileen Clark, Sarah Cooney; Bill Fattic, Dick Griffith, Eric Hansen, Steve Hansen, Fr. Victor Karls, Laurel & Bob Kult, Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Michael Gerard Moyer, Dan Parsons, Goldie Parsons, Rita & Mario Rodriguez, Joe Saddler, Richard & Sherrie Schmutte, Helen Schweizer, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Shelton, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Harold Walliser, Mary Williams, and Kira Wray.

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.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Eileen J. Clark, and pray for the care and consolation of 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.**



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

Ashley Sutherland and son Jackson
Michele Stolz



"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,

As we continue our Christmas Celebration, Holy Mother Church calls us together to observe the **Feast of the Holy Family**.

Two holy elderly couples are presented to us in today's Mass. Abram and Sarah, and Simeon and Anna. The common thread that weaves through each of these people's lives is that they longed for something. Who among us has not experienced this same feeling and desire?

For Abram and Sarah, it was for a child. For Simeon and Anna, it was to behold the Messiah before they died. Perhaps the message of these holy people is that for a people of faith, often what we greatly desire comes only after a very long wait. We can draw inspiration from the great faith and patience shown us by Abram, Sarah, Simeon, and Anna.

As the new year prepares to dawn, we gather to place ourselves and our world under the protective mantle of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God! She is the Queen of Peace, to whom we can pray for an end to violence and all threats against the dignity and protection of human life, from conception to natural death. She is the Mother of Sorrows, who joins her heart and voice to ours as we bring to God our prayers and needs. She is **Theotokas, the God-Bearer**, through whose intercession we raise our prayers to the Lord Jesus, Who reigns in eternal glory! Mary is the Mother of the Church and our Mother. Who better to turn to in prayer than the Mother of Christ Himself? Bishop Sheen once said, "How can we fail to love and honor her, whom her Son so loved?" Mary, Mother of God, pray for us!

My humble thanks for your kind remembrances at Christmas! I wish you all a very **Happy New Year 2022!** May this coming year be a time of good health of mind and body for all of us, our families, and our friends!

Again, due to the unique fact of both Christmas and New Years falling on a Saturday, please remember the Mass Schedule for New Years this coming weekend!

Father Michael Sutedjo

Knights of Columbus Corner



Please join the Knights in praying the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet daily. You can join us on our Facebook Page as well as the Mary Queen of Peace YouTube page.

The following are the winners of the Keep Christ in Christmas Poster contest:

Age group 5 - 7	
Adelyn Tiatje	\$50
Age Group 8 - 10	
Olivia McLaughlin	\$50
Zoey Snider	\$35
Maryanna Lombardo	\$25
Age Group 11 - 14	
Cora Schmitt	\$50
Chloe Semier	\$35

Starting on Epiphany Sunday (January 2, 2022), the Council will be selling raffle tickets for a 70" television. All tickets will sell for \$10 and will be sold after all Sunday Masses. The drawing will be held during the Chili/Gumbo Smackdown. All monies collected from the raffle will be going for televisions to be used in the religious education classrooms at Mary Queen of Peace.

The Knights of Columbus Scholarship applications will be available next month. Applications must be submitted no later than April 3, 2022. Award will be made in May 2022.

The Chili/Gumbo Smackdown will take place Saturday February 5, 2022, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. All entries will be in crockpots to keep them warm. Please bring your entries to the Church basement prior to the start of Mass. The entry fee will be \$20. All tasters coming will pay \$10 a person and children 10 and under are free. The Council will provide bowels, cups, spoons, chopped onions, macaroni, cheese, and drinks such as iced tea. Hotdogs with buns for those wanting a chili dog or no chili at all. The Council will also be selling pull tabs for a little gaming enjoyment. We will also be taking contributions for our tootsie roll campaign as well. Monies collected for the tootsie roll campaign goes to the Hendricks County Special Olympics.

If anyone has an interest in joining the Council or has questions regarding the Knights of Columbus or our activities, please contact Mark Richardt at 317-354-5603 or email at rowdy251@yahoo.com.

2022 Cincinnati Men's Conference

Actor Jim Caviezel (Mel Gibson's The Passion of the Christ) and Raymond Arroyo (EWTN/ FOX News) are coming to Cincinnati April 2, 2022 to speak at the Cincinnati Men's Conference. LADIES, there is no better or more meaningful Christmas gift this year than to buy tickets to this conference for the men in your life. Don't know what to get Dad or your significant other for Christmas?! We just solved it. Go to www.CincinnatiMensConference.com to get tickets. Give the gift of spiritual uplift this Christmas season; your men will thank you!

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of January 1 & 2

READERS

5:00 p.m. Mary Kay Hood
8:00 a.m. Brandi Morris
10:30 a.m. Elizabeth Shafer

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Betty Kessinger
8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann
10:30 a.m. Gina Perry, Rebecca Bratt, Jan Adams

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Sam Origer, Nathaniel Origer
8:00 a.m. Braeden Morris, Clare Wigger
10:30 a.m. Paul Morgan, George Laranja

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Judy Schneider, Joe Osburn, Jim Schweizer,
Tom Swords
8:00 a.m. Ethan Morris, Jim Parsey, Michael Corbitt,
Todd Deno
10:30 a.m. Derek Brown, Thaddeus Brown, Jeff Perry,
Joan Kimbley

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Mary Kay Hood
8:00 a.m. Anita Dieckmann
10:30 a.m. Not Filled



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, December 27, 2021

1 John 1:1-4/Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/
John 20:1a, 2-8

Tuesday, December 28, 2021

1 John 1:5-2:2/Psalm 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/
Matthew 2:13-18

Wednesday, December 29, 2021

1 John 2:3-11/Psalm 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/
Luke 2:22-35

Thursday, December 30, 2021

1 John 2:12-17/Psalm 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/
Luke 2:36-40

Friday, December 31, 2021

1 John 2:18-21/Psalm 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/
John 1:1-18

Saturday, January 1, 2021

Numbers 6:22-27/Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/
Galatians 4:4-7/Luke 2:16-21

Sunday, January 2, 2021

Isaiah 60:1-6/Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/
Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6/Matthew 2:1-12



Holiday Mass Schedule

Masses for the Feast of the Holy Family

Sunday, December 26th

8:00 a.m. Mass
10:30 a.m. Mass

Mass for the Solemnity of Mutter Gottes

Friday, December 31st

4:00 p.m. Mass

Masses for the Epiphany of the Lord

Saturday, January 1st

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, January 2nd 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Masses



The staff of Mary, Queen of Peace wishes everyone a very Blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year!

The parish offices will be closed December 24 through December 31.

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, December 26 *Solemnity of the Holy Family*

No Religious Education or Confirmation Classes -
Christmas Break

Sunday, January 2 *The Epiphany of the Lord*

No Religious Education or Confirmation Classes -
Christmas Break

The Liquor Shop

Beer ~ Wine ~Liquor

317-745-4531

625 E. Main Street ~ Danville

Parishioner