

Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." - Mt 17:5b

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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 Temporary Weekday while under construction 5:00 pm 8:00 am and 10:30 am Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 5:30 pm

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, March 6

No Mass

Tuesday, March 7

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Mildred & Al Root.

Wednesday, March 8

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Peggy Hall.

Thursday, March 9

5:30 p.m. A special intention for Thomas Joseph Novak, Jr.

Friday, March 10

5:30 p.m.. † In loving memory of Larry Schubert.

Saturday, March 11

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Louise Schubert Ash

Sunday, March 12 3rd Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Vincent Daniels.



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.



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Dan Brennan, Sarah Cooney, Lila Corbitt, Maureen Crowder, Patty Edwards, Bill Fattic, Chris Goecke, Dick Griffith, Eric Hansen,

Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Ron Monts, Michael Gerard Moyer, Goldie Parsons, Lois Ray, Nancy Schubert, Helen Schweizer, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Shelton, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Barbara Taylor, Marcie Thomas, and Mary Williams.

We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.

Praver 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.

Bulletin Deadline

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



Treasure

Collections February 26, 2023

Sunday Collection (117 envelopes)	\$5,675.00
Gold Envelope Collection (5 envelopes)	\$1,185.00
Ash Wednesday Collection (31 envelopes)	\$992.00
Collection for Criterion Subscriptions (10 envelopes)	\$223.00
Collection for Church in Eastern Europe (3 envelopes	s) \$55.00
Initial Offering Collection to help offset cost of	
envelopes (2 envelopes)	\$30.00

Budgeted	\$289,423.05
Actually Received	\$354,039.65
Online Giving (January)	\$8,243.00
Total Received	\$362,282.65
Variance to Budget	\$72,859.60

March Extra Collections Envelopes

Please mark the envelopes carefully with your Name, Address, Envelope number and what it is for.

- Regular •
- Gold
- **Catholic Relief Services**
- Easter Flowers/Decorations Memorial (please list on envelope those who you want to remember)



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Decker Gronefeld, Debbie Miller's mother, 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.





"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,

I would like to begin today by offering a big "Danke" to everyone who helped with the Parish Mission last weekend. Fr. Jim truly enjoyed his time with us ... he always does! Thanks to all who made meals, helped with Benediction and Masses! I hope everyone who came enjoyed his time with us! Great way to begin Lent!

Lent is a forty-day journey or repentance and conversion. Sometimes we do not know where this journey will take us. It demands of us the same kind of faith exhibited by Abram in today's first reading.

Abram is called to leave all that is familiar to him to go to a place that the Lord will show him. Today we are called, as throughout our lives, to leave sinful ways; ways that perhaps have become so routine and familiar that we are quite comfortable, to go to a new place the Lord has prepared for us.

The Transfiguration of Jesus gives us just a glimpse of that new place, that place of glory where we are one with the Holy Trinity. Jesus purposefully allowed His chosen ones to have and experience this glimpse in order to strengthen them for their own "Lenten" journey of life. The same holds true for us. It is good for us to see and know what the Lord has in store for us ... if we follow in His way and remain steadfast.

Let today's Mass call us to embark on that journey Jesus calls us to whose ending promises great blessings!

As we continue our Lenten journey, let us continue to pray for one another. Together we walk the way of Jesus. Together we strengthen and encourage one another.

God bless you all!

Father milace fritsch

5th Grade Lenten Project.

Our 5th grade religious education class is preparing care packages to share with those who find themselves homeless and in need. We are asking for donations of the following items during Lent: thick durable socks, tooth brushes, small size toothpaste, personal size pocket Kleenex packages, chap stick, snack size mini packs of M&Ms (Halloween treat size), single serving size of trail mix or crackers, and breakfast bars. A donation box will be placed in the Narthex of the church, and we will be collecting items all during Lent.

Robin & Michelle Teachers of the 5th Grade Religious Education Class

Knights of Columbus Corner,

Please join the Knights in praying the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet daily. You can join us on Facebook as well as the Mary Queen of Peace YouTube page. Council members also lead the Rosary prior to Saturday evening Mass and all Sunday Masses.



Please support your Knights and MQP Youth Group throughout Lent for our Fish Frys. The free will offering collected will be split with the Youth Group. The Council's share will go to support the Scholarship program.

The council will be having a bingo fund raiser starting in April. Dates and times to follow.

The Council is challenging the Parish for additional donations to the roof fund and the Knights Council will match up to \$5,000. Envelopes for this endeavor will be provided by the Council.

If anyone is interested in joining the Council or has questions regarding the Knights of Columbus or our activities, feel free to contact Mark Richardt at 317-354-5603 or by email rowdy251@yahoo.com.



Women's Club

Our annual March Undergarment Collection will begin March 4th. Please place your donations in the container in the narthex labeled Women's Club Undergarment Donations. The campaign ends March 26th. The donations will be going to Family Promise. They really appreciated your donations last year. Thanks for your participation!

Lenten Disciplines



Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years and older on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer, the Church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday, which is on April 6.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of March 11 & 12

READERS

5:00 p.m. Jim Disney 8:00 a.m. Michele Stolz 10:30 a.m. Elizabeth Shafer

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Betty Kessinger8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell10:30 a.m. Tina Becht, Jan Adams, Mary Kay Hood

SERVERS

5:00 p.m.	Noah Origer, Gabe Origer
8:00 a.m	Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell
10:30 a.m.	Natalie Fraley, Drew Petree

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m.	Jim Johnson, Anita Johnson, Jack Williams, Joe Osburn
8:00 a.m.	
	Michelle Pritchett, Max Pritchett
10:30 a.m.	Loren Becht, Rebecca Saylor,
	Joan Kimbley, John Schulte

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m.	Phil Schneider
8:00 a.m.	Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m.	Mary Kay Hood



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, March 6, 2023

Daniel 9:4b-10/Psalm 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/ Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday, March 7, 2023

Isaiah 1:10, 16-20/Psalm 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/ Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday, March 8, 2023

Jeremiah 18:18-20/Psalm 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/ Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday, March 9, 2023

Jeremiah 17:5-10/Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/ Luke 16:19-31

Friday, March 10, 2023

Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Psalm 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday, March 11, 2023

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20/Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday, March 12, 2023

Exodus 17:3-7/Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/ Romans 5:1-2, 5-8/John 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42



Women's Retreat

The 'Women Pray All Ways' retreat will be held March 25, 2023 in the St. Susanna Parish Center from 8:30 to 3:30 p.m.

The cost is \$15 and includes a light breakfast and lunch. The retreat is limited to 50 participants. Please contact Rose Savini at 317-796-7657 to purchase your ticket.



Help save lives by praying for an end to abortion in your community. February 22 - April 2. For more information, visit <u>https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/</u>.

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, March 5

9:00 a.m.	Religious Education Class
9:00 a.m.	Confirmation Class
1:00 p.m.	Apologetics Program
Wednesday, N	March 8
6:00 p.m.	The Light is On For You Confession
Thursday, March 9	
12:00 p.m.	Forever Young Pitch-in Luncheon
Friday, March 10	
4:00 p.m.	Fish Fry
6:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
Sunday, March 12	
9:00 a.m.	Religious Education Class
9:00 a.m.	Confirmation Class
1:00 p.m.	Apologetics Program

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