



Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."
- Jn 20:28-29

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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
Tuesday, Thursday	5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Friday	8:30 a.m.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, April 8

No Mass

Tuesday, April 9

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Elvin Ray Cassity.

Wednesday, April 10

8:30 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.

Thursday, April 11 St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

5:30 p.m. † In loving memory of Paul Tax.

Friday, April 12

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

Saturday, April 13

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Mary Williams.

Sunday, April 14 3rd Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m. † In loving memory of Jim and Frances Fattic.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Sarah Lindsey Cooney.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

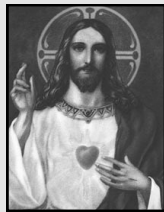
Collections for March 24, 2024

Sunday Collection (139 envelopes)	\$7,945.00
Gold Envelope Collection (23 envelopes)	\$105.00
Catholic Relief Services Collection (1 envelope)	\$5.00
Criterion Subscription Collection (1 envelope)	\$22.00

Collections for March 31, 2024

Sunday Collection (56 envelopes)	\$4,857.07
Easter Collection (113 envelopes)	\$6,160.00
Gold Envelope Collection (8 envelopes)	\$1,228.00
Holy Places Collection (36 envelopes)	\$1,052.00
Catholic Relief Services Collection (1 envelope)	\$30.00
Criterion Subscription Collection (1 envelope)	\$22.00

Regular Collection Received	\$454,712.26
Online Giving (March)	\$11,193.00
Total Received	\$465,905.26



***In Honor of our Blessed Mother
Mary, Queen of Peace,
The Sacred Heart of Jesus
or St. Joseph***

John Williams

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

Bulletins

Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on Fridays to MQPbulletin@gmail.com.



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Anne Boudreaux, Dan Brennan, Lila Corbitt, Maureen Crowder, Patty Edwards, Bill Fattic, Marge Goecke, Dick Griffith, Donna Haas; Eric Hansen, Marilyn Harrigan, Carol Hinshaw, Cathy Jeffries, Scott Johnson, Tom Kerkman; Jean Knarr, Toby Kult, Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Michael Gerard Moyer, Goldie Parsons, Patty Price; Lois Ray, Mike Rollins, Lou Schubert, Helen Schweizer, David & Dee Sheets, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Barbara Taylor, Barbara Temple, and Marci Thomas.

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.

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





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,

Each year on this Sunday following Easter, we listen to the Gospel story of St. Thomas, "the doubter." He has become synonymous with someone experiencing doubts, fears and anxiety in life. He refused to believe that the other Apostles had seen the risen Jesus.

"Unless I see the mark of the nails in His hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into His side, I will not believe."

None of us gathered here for Mass has ever had an encounter of seeing the risen Jesus either. In faith, we gather each week, and even daily, for the celebration of the Mass to be caught up once again in the love that flows from the death and resurrection of our Eucharistic Christ!

Sometimes we allow that flow to ebb like St. Thomas, especially in the face of trials and pain. That's only natural. We are human after all. But we need remember the words of Jesus to St. Thomas: "Blessed are they who do not see yet believe."

Let us turn to St. Thomas, praying that through his intercession our faith will remain strong, that through the grace of the Sacraments, it will be made ever stronger!

This Sunday following Easter is designated **Divine Mercy Sunday**. Saint Faustina, a young nun of Poland had the vision we see depicted in the image of Divine Mercy. The words "I trust in You!" are placed below the feet of Jesus. How very appropriate that, during the glory of the Easter season, we proclaim and celebrate the Mercy that is Jesus Christ! We pray that the Divine Mercy that is Jesus, will always be with us!

*****An early note concerning the Sunday 10:30am Mass on April 21st:** We will be celebrating **First Holy Communion** for our young boys and girls. Due to the normally high number of folks attending this Mass, if you do not have a family member making his or her First Holy Communion, you might consider attending either the Saturday 5:00pm or Sunday 8:00am Mass! You might ask, "Why celebrate First Communion at a "regular" Mass? Well, quite simply, it is a *parish celebration; not a private one*. It SHOULD take place within the context of a "regular" Sunday Mass celebration because the young boys and girls belong to us all! Let us pray for them on this very special day!

One final invitation.....Because Jan Adams is stepping out from leading our Art & Environment group, the parish is in need of new leadership! Jan has done a wonderful job and will be available for questions, ideas, directions, as called upon. I believe it to be a good idea to have someone to lead the décor for Advent/Christmas....someone to lead Lent/Holy Week/Easter...and perhaps someone to head up "Ordinary Time." In this way, no one person will feel the pressure of organizing everything involved. I would encourage those interested in helping us out, to contact Jan or myself for more info.! Our kirche always looks so nice and we want to ensure that this continues! DANKE, SCHOEN!

Easter Blessings to one and all!

Father Michael Lutzel

Knights of Columbus Corner



Please join the Knights for our daily Rosary on Facebook and YouTube. We also lead the Rosary prior to all the Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses. Please join us!

The Knights serve coffee and donuts every Sunday between the 8:00 a.m. Mass and the 10:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. Come and Join us!

If anyone has questions or concerns about the Knights of Columbus or may want to join the Council, please contact Mark Richardt at (317-354-5603) or e-mail (rowdy251@yahoo.com)



THANK YOU
for your generosity

Many thanks to all who participated in the March Undergarment Collection. The clients of Family Promise in Hendricks County truly appreciate your kindness and generosity.



Mary, Queen of Peace – Women's Club
It's that time of year....

to start cleaning out your closets, cabinets, etc. and donate those unwanted items to the Women's Club rummage sale. **SAVE THE DATES Thursday, April 11th Friday, April 12th Saturday, April 13th**

Members of the Women's Club will be accepting items **beginning Tuesday, April 2nd, through Wednesday, April 10th**. All items are to be delivered to the lower level (basement entrance).

Items not accepted: TV's, large furniture (sofa's, entertainment centers, etc.) For questions or if you would like assistance with selling large items online (with proceeds benefitting the Women's Club), please contact Helen Corbitt at 317-626-5963 or Pam Richardt at 317-437-3693.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of April 13 & 14

READERS

5:00 p.m. Miriam Orelup
8:00 a.m. Nick Schmutte
10:30 a.m. Elizabeth Shafer

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper
8:00 a.m. Vince Castagno
10:30 a.m. Jan Adams, Tina Becht, Loren Becht

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Noah Origer
8:00 a.m. Luke Howard
10:30 a.m. Logan Fraley

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Joe Osburn, Bart Hensley, Jack Williams,
Tom Swords
8:00 a.m. Dick Harvey, Michael Corbitt, Renaye Parsey,
Kim Pecar
10:30 a.m. Carson Spurlock, Rebecca Saylor, Mason
Stewart, John Schulte

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper
8:00 a.m. Pat Baldwin
10:30 a.m. Mary Kay Hood



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, April 8, 2024

Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10/Psalm 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/
Hebrews 10:4-10/Luke 1:26-38

Tuesday, April 9 2024

Acts of the Apostles 4:32-37/Psalm 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/
John 3:7b-15

Wednesday, April 10, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 5:17-26/Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,
8-9/John 3:16-21

Thursday, April 11, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 5:27-33/Psalm 34:2 and 9, 17-18,
19-20/John 3:31-36

Friday, April 12, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 5:34-42/Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14/
John 6:1-15

Saturday, April 13, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7/Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/
John 6:16-21

Sunday, April 14, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19/Psalm 4:2, 4, 7-8,
9 (7a)/1 John 2:1-5a/Luke 24:35-48



All are invited to attend the third annual **Marriage on Purpose Conference on April 20th**. Come and spend the day enriching your marriage with our keynote speakers, Tom and Marcy Renken, as they speak about Dreaming and Goal Setting together as a couple, as well as Forgiveness. Then, choose your own breakout session for the first time at the Marriage on Purpose Conference! Options for the breakout sessions include Theology of the Body, His Needs/Her Needs- Love that Lasts, and a Parenting Panel. We'll end the evening with a presentation from Nathaniel Rea on Praying together and a special blessing for your marriage.

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, April 7

9:05 a.m. Religious Education Classes
9:05 a.m. Confirmation Class

Tuesday, April 9

6:00 p.m. Rosary in church with Women's Club
6:30 p.m. Women's Club Meeting

Thursday, April 11

9:00 a.m. Women's Club Rummage Sale

Friday, April 12

9:00 a.m. Women's Club Rummage Sale

Saturday, April 13

9:00 a.m. Women's Club Rummage Sale

Sunday, April 14

9:05 a.m. Religious Education Classes
9:05 a.m. Confirmation Class
11:30 a.m. Youth Group Activity

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