



# Mary, QUEEN OF PEACE

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## Pastoral Council

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Joe Pecar ..... At-Large Representative

Tony Shepard ..... At-Large Representative

Scott Simpson ..... At-Large Representative

Tom Swords ..... At-Large Representative

Jack Williams ..... At-Large Representative



## 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" - Lk 13:2-3

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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 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday, Thursday	NOON
Wednesday, Friday	8:30 a.m.



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Monday, March 24**

No Mass

**Tuesday, March 25 *The Annunciation of the Lord***

Noon † In loving memory of Chonga Goecke.

**Wednesday, March 26**

8:30 a.m. A special intention for Noah Thomas Novak.

9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Most Holy Eucharist.  
Until Noon

**Thursday, March 27**

Noon For the Faithful departed souls.

**Friday, March 28**

8:30 a.m. For the health and wellbeing of Virginia Apostol.

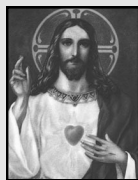
**Saturday, March 29**

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Gene Trapp.

**Sunday, March 30 *4th Sunday of Lent***

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

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  
Paul Leondis*



**STATIONS OF THE  
CROSS**  
Fridays During Lent at  
6:00 p.m.

### Bulletins

Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00 pm on  
Fridays to [MQPbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:MQPbulletin@gmail.com).



## Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

### Treasure

#### Collections for March 16, 2025

Sunday Collection (125 envelopes)	<b>\$8,170.00</b>
Gold Envelope Collection (4 envelopes)	<b>\$210.00</b>
Ash Wednesday (3 envelopes)	<b>\$130.00</b>

Regular Collection Received	<b>\$428,999.32</b>
Online Giving (February)	<b>\$8,442.00</b>
Total Received	<b>\$437,441.32</b>

**Fish Fry Gross Proceeds March 14, 2025 \$4,327.00**



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Kathy Baker, Susan Baker, Anne Boudreaux, Dan Brennan, Maureen Crowder, Patty Edwards, Bill Fattic, Marge Goecke, Dick Griffith, Donna Haas, Sven Hansen, Marilyn Harrigan, Carlton Howard, Cathy Jeffries, Tom Kerkman, Toby Kult, Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Mary Lovejoy, Margaret Mahoney, Anthony Martinez, Michael Gerard Moyer, Mary Mueller, Goldie Parsons, Patty Price, Marty Pursel, Karl Schmutte, Loren Schubert, Lou Schubert, Candace Schurter, Rick Shafer, David & Dee Sheets, Joe Sluss, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Barbara Taylor, 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.

### "The Light is on for You" Confessions



Wednesdays during Lent  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

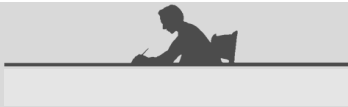
And, every Saturday 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.

**Confessions during Lent at St. Susanna:** Wednesdays 5:00-5:45pm, Fridays 5:30-6:30pm, Saturdays 10-10:45am

**Confessions during Lent at St. Malachy:** Tuesdays 5:00-6:00pm, Saturdays 9:00-10:00am, and Penance Service March 27 6-8pm



**PRAY FAST GIVE**



*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,

The very familiar story about Moses and the burning bush reminds us today that our God is shrouded in mystery. (And that's a *good* thing!) Our life's journey, as does our journey during the holy time of Lent, has only one goal: eternal life with Jesus Christ.

The way to God is made more clear each time we gather to celebrate the Mass in this holy place we call St. Mary, Queen of Peace. The way is made more clear each time we celebrate Penance. Jesus is The Way.

We listen, hopefully like eager children hearing a fascinating story for the first time, to words that bring us closer to Jesus Christ. The Lord Jesus' words today remind us that the more we come to know Him, the more we are expected to respond in word and deed.

Jesus makes it quite clear in today's Gospel that we are all sinners and have often times fallen short of His way. The wonderful thing is that He offers us the means by which to return to Him and to His Bride, the Church!

Perhaps we could each reflect and name one way that we have grown closer to Jesus during this season of Lent.

As we continue our Lenten journey, remember that the Stations of the Cross are offered each Friday of Lent beginning at 6:00pm. Of course, the Fish Frys continue as well! I tell you, the volunteers who make sure these events take place, are to be commended. Without them, things would not happen!

**\*\* Brochures** are now available for the **Pilgrimage to Switzerland, Germany & Austria in October!** We need a minimum of 20 folks to sign on and can add up to 27 if needed. Brochures are in my sacristy for you to look over. Consider joining for a great pilgrimage!! If interested, please let us know in the office so a list can be made!

And, certainly not the least in a few days....**WELCOME TO SPRING!!** Gott is good. While the temperatures may still go up and down, we've officially made it! Enjoy the simple things like flowers starting to bloom, trees budding forth and the sunshine. Even in the midst of trial and world unrest, our God is with us.

Let us continue those good Lenten resolutions!

*Father Michael Lutz*

## Knights of Columbus Corner



Please join the Knights each day to pray the Rosary on the Mary Queen of Peace Facebook Page or YouTube Site. Council members also lead the Rosary prior to all Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

**Our Lenten Fish Frys run through every Friday of Lent except for Good Friday.** This is our largest fund raiser of the year and as is our norm we share this with the Youth Group. We ask for your support. The price for a fish dinner continues to be a free will offering. Seating is available for those that wish to eat in the Parish Hall. For those eating inside or attending the Stations of the Cross please park in the west side parking lot.

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 email [rowdy251@yahoo.com](mailto:rowdy251@yahoo.com)



### Women's Club

Our annual **March Undergarment Collection** continues through next Sunday, March 30th. Only new packaged items can be accepted. Look for the blue bin marked for donations in the narthex. Thank you in advance for your support.



There will be an **EASTER EGG HUNT** after the 10:30 Mass on Easter Sunday, April 20th, for children in pre-school through 6th grade, Sponsored by the Women's Club.

### Women's Club Thank You!

We want to thank our fellow parish members for their generous contributions/donations to our Bake Sales. The proceeds made our donation of \$3,500 possible towards the purchase of the new gas range. We really appreciate your support.



# Liturgical Ministers Schedule

## Weekend of March 29 & 30

### READERS

5:00 p.m. Carra Origer  
8:00 a.m. Michele Stolz  
10:30 a.m. Graham Youngs

### EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Betty Kessinger  
8:00 a.m. Jim LeClerc  
10:30 a.m. Julie Petree, Dixie Chaille, Mary Kay Hood

### SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Nathaniel Origer, Gabe Origer  
8:00 a.m.  
10:30 a.m. Drew Petree

### MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Scott Simpson, Joe Osburn, Trevor Adams,  
Tom Mills  
8:00 a.m. Todd Deno, Dick Harvey, Jim Johnson,  
Renaye Parsey  
10:30 a.m. Rebecca Saylor, John Schulte, Anita Johnson,  
Mary O'Brien

### MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper  
8:00 a.m. Pat Baldwin  
10:30 a.m. Mary O'Brien



## Liturgical Meditations

### Monday, March 24, 2025

2 Kings 5:1-15b/Psalm 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/  
Luke 4:24-30

### Tuesday, March 25, 2025

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

### Wednesday, March 26, 2025

Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9/Psalm 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/  
Matthew 5:17-19

### Thursday, March 27, 2025

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

### Friday, March 28, 2025

Hosea 14:2-10/Psalm 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab,  
14 and 17/Mark 12:28-34

### Saturday, March 29, 2025

Hosea 6:1-6/Psalm 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/  
Luke 18:9-14

### Sunday, March 30, 2025

Joshua 5:9a, 10-12/Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 (9a)/  
2 Corinthians 5:17-21/Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

## 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 17th.

### Sunday School 5th Grade Class Project-Donations Requested

**Toiletry Kits for the Homeless.** Our 5th grade class is  
collecting items to prepare toiletry kits for the  
homeless during lent. The kits will include **travel size**  
toothbrush, toothpaste, and Kleenex tissues; also  
Chapstick, socks and a snack. Please place donations  
in our collection bin located in the Narthex This project  
is generously supported by our Knights of Columbus.

## At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

### Sunday, March 23

9:05 a.m. NO Religious Education Classes  
9:05 a.m. NO Confirmation Class

### Tuesday, March 25

6:00 p.m. OCIA Meeting-Order of Christian  
Initiation of Adults

### Wednesday, March 26

9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Most Holy  
Until Noon Eucharist  
6:00 p.m. "The Light is on for you"  
- Confessions

### Friday, March 28

4:00 p.m. Lenten Fish Fry  
6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

### Sunday, March 30

9:05 a.m. NO Religious Education Classes  
9:05 a.m. NO Confirmation Class

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