Mary Queen Of Peace
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MASS SCHEDULE
Mary Queen of Peace
3411 3rd Ave South

Daily Mass
Tuesday through Friday@ 9 am

Weekend Mass
Sat. 4:00 pm
Sun. 9:30 am
Sun. 5:00 pm Oct. – May
Sun. 6:00 pm June – Sept.

Reconciliation
1 hour before Mass
Or by appointment

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Third Sunday In Lent

March 24, 2019
3rd Sunday Of Lent

Ministers for March 30 & 31

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**SAFE AND SACRED* DO IT!**
From Bishop Michael: all volunteers and all employees with access to Children, Young Adults and Vulnerable Persons are required to complete annual training and background checks or not be allowed to volunteer or be employed.

**Funerals:** Initial funeral planning:
Contact Fr. Jose Marquez, 294-7606

If you or a family member are homebound, in the hospital or scheduled for surgery and would like the Sacrament of the Sick, please call Father José at the office @259-7611 #06.

**Catholic Relief Services Collection**
On the weekend of March 11th, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and bring Christ’s love and mercy to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC and help Jesus in disguise.

“Your toil is not in vain when it is done in the Lord”
The 2019 Care and Share Annual Catholic Appeal calls us to step forward in our faith by sharing those gifts and blessings, we have been granted, with our brothers and sisters in faith. If you have not already done so, please take this opportunity to review your appeal packet and prayerfully consider a contribution to aid in the support of the greater Catholic community of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings. We are a large and diverse family, who are called by faith to care for one another, with the sure and certain knowledge that our toils are not in vain when it is done in the Lord!

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**Stewardship Report**

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2018 thru June 30, 2019
Weekend of March 10, 2019

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| Year-to-date Income Total: | 270,448 |
| Year-to-date Total Expenses Budget: | 332,458 |
| **Over (Short)** | (62,010) |

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**2018 Care and Share Report**
Care and Share March 2018 thru February 2019

| Assessment 2018 | 41,045 |
| Less Cash Contributions | 318 |
| Less Electronic Pledges collected | 0 |
| 2018 Care and Share Balance | 40,727 |

**Travel the Footsteps of St. Paul**
Join Fr. Jose Marquez, September 17th thru 26th, 2019 on a trip to Greece. Cost is $3,999/person. Trip includes: airfare from Billings, two meals/day, wine at dinner, 4* & 5* star hotels, taxes, tips, transfers, fuel charges and guided tour fees. If you choose to register, call 855-842-8001 and mention trip#7633 or trip with Fr. Jose Marquez. Call Christine Tyler for more information 672-0105.

**Ministers Needed**
Mary Queen of Peace Parish is seeking additional ministers in the following areas: Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Lectors, Ministers to the Homebound, and Sacristans. If you are called or you know good candidates.

**Easter Lily Envelopes**
Remember your loved ones with an Easter Lily offering. Envelopes are in the pews. Your loved ones will be remembered “In Memory of” or “In Honor of” with a special bulletin insert on April 21st.

- **Incorrupt Heart of St. Jean Vianney - RELIC TOUR VISITS ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH** - Monday, March 25
A major relic of the saint who is held up as the ideal of what a Catholic priest should be, will make one stop in our Diocese visiting Saint Anthony Catholic Church. Laurel, on Monday, March 25th. The tour has been dubbed “Heart of a Priest,” which refers to the physical heart of Jean Vianney that has resisted decay for more than 150 years and to the good character that should belong to every priest. The saint’s heart is contained in special casing and will be visible to the faithful for veneration 12:30 pm - 9:00 pm. All are welcome to join us for any part of the day. View the Schedule: https://www.saintanthonycatholicchurch.org/relic-tour
---PRAYER LINE---
Would you like prayers for a special person, a need, an intention, or an illness? Your parish community is here to help and to support you with prayer. Our parish community has a network of prayer ministers who remember each day in their prayers the intentions/needs of those who request. “Ask and you shall receive.” To activate our prayer line, please call Marion Walton: 259-5784.

PRAYER PETITIONS: Pope’s March Intention: Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities. That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

Remember in your prayers the souls and families of: Maggie Jacobs whose funeral was on Friday, March 15, 2019 and Melody Reighard, whose funeral was on Tuesday, March 5, 2019, Terry Blackwell, husband of Cynthia Graham who died on Friday, March 15, 2019.

Ever wonder why we at St. Vincent de Paul do what we do? Join us, along with a Western Region guest speaker, for training on our founder, Frederic Ozanam. Let us show you what we do, why we do it, and why it is important for you to become involved in your parishes, conferences, and District Council of St. Vincent de Paul. This free Ozanam Training will be held at our Charity office at 3005 1st Avenue S., Saturday, March 30th from 9am to 2pm. A free lunch will be served. Seating is limited, so please call Vicki or Amanda today to reserve your seats at 406-252-1855.

You are invited to participate in the Mass of Chrism at the following site:

Tuesday, April 2, 2019 6:00 pm
St. Patrick Co-Cathedral, Billings
The Oils used in the celebration of sacraments during the year will be blessed during this special Eucharist. Representatives from the parishes will carry the Blessed Oils back to the parish where they will be presented to the Parish Community during one of the Eucharistic Celebrations before the Easter Vigil.

"Knights of Columbus #1259 invites you to join them for their Annual Friday Fish Fries, March 8th - April 12th. 5:30pm-7:00pm at the Columbia Club, 2216 Grand Ave. Billings. After dinner stick around for Bingo Starting at 6:30pm. Bring your friends and join us for a for a fun evening out." Adults $10, small Children $5.

**2019 Lenten Penance Service for City of Billings**
3-26 7:00pm  St. Patrick Co-Cathedral
3-29 10:00am  St. Francis Grade School
4-2 6:00pm  Chrys Mass
4-4 7:00pm  St. Thomas (West-end)
4-9 7:00pm  St. Bernard

Diocesan Victim Assistance: Confidential Line 406-750-2373, Email victimassistancecoord@gmail.com

We Wish to thank our Parish’s Volunteer Benefactors!

---CALENDAR OF WEEKLY EVENTS---
03-25 Marian Charismatic Prayer Group 4:00 PM Upper Church
03-25 6:00PM Mass—Annunciation of the Lord
03-26 7:00PM Lenten Penance Service-St. Patrick Co-Cathedral
03-29 10:00AM Lenten Penance Service-St. Francis Grade School
03-29 “Light is on for You” 4:30 – 5:30 PM Confessions, 5:30 PM Mass, 6:00 -7:00 PM Confessions
6:00PM Stations of the Cross followed by Soup & Bread

"FEED MY LAMBS"
The Annual Spring Vicariate Council of Catholic Women Meeting will be held at Mary Queen of Peace, on Saturday, April 6th, beginning with registration at 8:30 am, then Mass at 9. This is a great opportunity to build on our pillars of spirituality, leadership and service with our sisters in faith. We will have a cooking lesson, business meeting and mini-retreat so it will be a fast-moving day! Cost is $10/lady, with rsvp to Cricky at 672-0105 by April 1st. Check with your PCCW president or parish office for details for roll call and raffle items.

**A Lenten Encuentro/Encounter**
Each Sunday of Lent the V Encuentro team will lead reflection groups on the theme of Encuentro/Encounter. The five themes are inspired by writings in "The Joy of the Gospel.” Attendance is FREE - booklets are included. We will meet after the 9:30am mass. Refreshments/brunch will be hosted by the V Encuentro team.
- March 24 - Walking Together with Jesus
- March 31 - Bearing Fruits of New Life
- April 7 - Celebrating the Joy of Being Missionary Disciples
Please call Amy Aguirre at 690-0332.

GOOD FRIDAY PRO-LIFE WAY OF THE CROSS & DIVINE MERCY IN SONG
Join us for our annual ecumenical Good Friday Pro-Life “Cross” Walk
- Pro-Life Meditations on the Passion
- April 19th, 12:30 pm, starting at St. Bernard’s parking lot (226 Wicks Lane)
- There are exactly 14 power poles between St. Bernard’s and the abortion clinic, so each one becomes a Station of the Cross for us! We will read scripture and do a meditation for each station, and then sing hymns and do a final prayer in front of the abortion clinic. It should take about 45 minutes.
- Afterward, 1:15pm, at St. Bernard’s we will sing the Divine Mercy Chaplet with meditations from St. Faustina’s diary.
- Join us bring/invite other pro-life friends, both Catholic and non-Catholic! Questions? Call Amy Seymour at 962-3260 or 855-3737.