Mary Queen of Peace
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Office Hours: Closed Monday, Tues. – Fri. 9am to 4pm
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www. maryqueenofpeacebillings.org

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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We Wish to thank our Parish’s Volunteers & Benefactors!

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November 10, 2019
32nd Sunday In Ordinary Time

Ministers for November 16 & 17

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Readings for Next Sunday:
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
1st Reading
Malachi 3:1-20
Psalm 98
2nd Reading
2 Thessalonians 3:7-12
Gospel
Luke 21:5-19
**NEXT SUNDAY — JOIN US!!!**

**GOBBLE, GOBBLE, GOBBLE!**

You know what that means— time for TURKEY BINGO!!

Win a turkey November 17th from 1:30 to 4:30 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall located at 2216 Grand Avenue in the upper hall. We will play 20 bingo games— 16 games at $0.50/card to win a turkey and 4 games at $2/card to win a dinner basket containing all the items needed for a complete Thanksgiving dinner or play all day for $35. Bring your friends and family-- include someone who might not get out much-- and have a great time! Gobble, gobble! All proceeds go to the Mary Queen of Peace operating budget.

**Join the fun!**

Join the fun, watch 'em win! The parish needs volunteers to help at TURKEY BINGO which will be November 17th from 1:30 to 4:30. Donate food for the dinner basket prizes, **underwrite** the event with a cash donation or **work** a 2-hour shift. We'll train you on-site-- either set up, collecting money during the game, calling the game, food sales or clean up. Then, play to win with your friends or family. Sign up in back of church, contact Celest at 406-294-7605 or Kathy Smit at 406-850-3642, kathysmit@live.com. Easy work for NO pay!! Gobble, gobble.

**PRAYER PETITIONS: Pope’s November Intention**

Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East. That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

**St. Vincent de Paul SATURDAY BRUNCHES**

SVdP wishes to thank The Sisters of Charities of Leavenworth Associates for serving the first of what we hope will be many Saturday Brunches. About 70 of our friends were treated to egg burritos, which they enjoyed. If you know of a group of at least seven that would like to participate in this act of charity, please call Cameron at 252-1855 to discuss this opportunity.

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**Enrich your spiritual life; get to know Jesus better**

**Marian Charismatic Prayer Group**

The **Marian Charismatic Prayer Group** meets every Monday at 4pm at Mary Queen of Peace (3411 3rd Ave. South).

**Rosary Wednesdays**

Parishioner-led Rosary recital after every Wednesday morning Mass. Be part of a prayer devotion that makes a difference in our daily lives!

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Pope John XXIII was quoted as saying one ought to sit in Eucharistic Adoration in some church at least once a day. MQP offers Eucharistic Adoration, every Thursday following the 9:00AM Mass until 6:00PM.

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group**

The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets the third Thursday of the month at 5:30pm at Mary Queen of Peace.

**Cornerstone Prayer Group**

We meet the first Tuesday of the month after 9am Mass in the lower parish hall.

**TMIY That Man is You**

Open to men of all ages, a weekly program on Thursdays, 6am, at SVDP (3005 1st Ave S). Addressing the pressures that face men in our modern culture. Breakfast included.

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**Craft and Bake Sale!**

The MQP CCW is having their annual fundraiser Bake & Craft Sale, on November 16th and 17th before and after all the masses. The proceeds will help support the purchase of a new **Hot Water Heater** for the church hall, and at least **One Family** for Christmas. Donations for the hot water heater would be greatly appreciated. Homemade, handmade, made with the freshest ingredients, made with love, don’t miss out the delicious taste sensations to the palette or the canvas of eye-catching crafted items for gifting, homemaking or just for whimsy. Thank you, MQP CCW.

**Weekend Reflection**

“Some Saducees, those who deny that there is a resurrection, came forward and put this question to Jesus ...” In this Sunday’s Gospel, the Saducees avoid their real question. Is there a resurrection from the dead or not? Rather than ask this question point blank, the Saducees try to prove their point through a roundabout, unrealistic scenario. Jesus cuts straight to the question behind the question, citing Scripture passages relating to the resurrection. The Saducees are trying to trick Jesus. While we may not intend to stump God, our doubts and questions may have more in common with the Saducees than we care to admit. Doubts are part and parcel of life in a fallen world. Still, there are different ways we can word our doubts to ourselves, God, and others. When we’re struggling, truly struggling, about some article of faith, do we admit it? Or do we cloak it with other, obtuse questions to hide our concern? Have you considered leaving the Church over the hypocrisy of some of her members and leaders? Perhaps the real question is: “How can a place blessed by God and instituted by Christ have this evil in it? Can I reconcile with the concept that an institution has an admixture of good and bad? What do I expect from others, from myself? What responsibility do I have to try and remedy evil in an institution I’m part of?” Perhaps you’ve wondered about the nature of romantic love, and if God is love, does He really care so much about the details of this particular scenario? Perhaps the real question is: “Can my mind wrap around the concept of a God whose law seems — on the surface, in this situation — to make people unhappy? What is the relationship between the moral law and human flourishing?” These aren’t easy questions, but they are more honest ones. This week, don’t be afraid of your deeper questions! Bring them to God, to someone you trust, and to yourself.
November 10, 2019

Ministers Needed for
Mary Queen of Peace

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

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

Calendar of Weekly Events:
11-10  CCW meeting & PBJ Sandwich making 10:30am lower hall
11-11  Marian Charismatic Prayer Group
11-17  Turkey Bingo 1:30pm – 4:30pm Knights of Columbus Hall

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.

“Your toil is not in vain when it is done in the Lord”

Much like the early Apostles, it is for the common good of all people within our Diocese of Great Falls-Billings to support one another. I, personally, support the annual Care and Share appeal. God has blessed us in the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings. My wish is that each person and family will stretch their generosity and make a gift proportionate to the way the Lord has blessed you. Let your gift reflect the generosity that God has shown to you.

Mary Queen of Peace Parish
2019 Care and Share Report
Care and Share March 2019 thru February 2020

| Assessment 2019 | 41,045 |
| Less Cash Contributions 8-28-2019 | 25,240 |
| 2019 Care and Share Balance | 15,805 |

Help for the Holiday’ Candle Lighting and Remembrance Celebration
Dahl Funeral Chapel will host their 25th annual Holiday Program. ‘Help for the Holiday Candle Lighting and Remembrance Celebration. This program has been well received and helpful to families in our community who have suffered a loss. Join us on Thursday, Nov. 21st at 6:30pm, 10 Yellowstone Ave. For more information about providing a picture or needing a ride call 248-8807.

Hospice Tree of Lights
Hospice Tree of Lights helps families and friends with their grief. Join TODAY Sunday, Nov. 10th at 4pm at RiverStone Health. To remember a loved one at the Hospice Tree of Lights celebration, visit RiverStoneHealth.org by Monday Oct. 28th.

Mary Queen of Peace Parish
Stewardship Report
Fiscal Year: July 1, 2019 thru June 30, 2020
Weekend of October 27, 2019

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| Year-to-date income Total: | 116,799 |
| Year-to-date Total Expenses Budget: | 133,704 |
| Over (Short) | (16,905) |

Your contribution has made an impact on the lives of so many. Happy Veterans Day!

MQP RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Mondays 5-6:45pm Pre-K to 3rd Good Shepherd Program
Wednesdays 5-6:45pm Pre-K to 6th Good Shepherd Program
Wednesdays 5-6:45pm RCIA (for children <18 years)
Thursdays 5-6:45pm RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
Youth Group contact Valerie Johnson 259-3389
Registration forms at entrance of church and on the website. Contact Bill Kuzma for more info: 294-7607, mqp.dre@gmail.com
Fees for the year: $20 per family, $15 Bible