

MARY QUEEN OF PEACE



NOVEMBER 19, 2023
33RD SUNDAY

MASS SCHEDULE

Mary Queen of Peace

Office & Mailing Address:

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Daily Mass

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am

1st Friday 5:30pm

Weekend Mass

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 9:30 am

5:00pm September - May

6:00pm June - August

Reconciliation

1 hour before Mass

Or By Appointment

Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

(Closed Monday)



33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Well done, my good and faithful servant.” – Mt 25:21

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MARY QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a welcoming, evangelizing, worshipping parish community, encouraging all to step into a deeper spiritual encounter and loving experience with our Lord Jesus Christ. We pray for peace, love, truth, and social justice through active stewardship - notably through our advocate - Mother Mary. We proclaim the promise of the Kingdom of God and the grace - filled nourishment that comes when our humanness becomes one with God's Divinity in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.



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Readings for Next Sunday:

Christ The King Sunday

1st Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-12,15-17

Psalm 23

2nd Reading

1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28

Gospel

Matthew 25:31-46



MASS INTENTIONS

- 11-21 9:00am † Ken Cox By Celest Kessler
- 11-22 9:00am † Les Magers By Pavlish Family
- 11-23 9:00am † Fr. Tom Ogg By Jim & Daphne Sutton
- 11-24 9:00am † Norman Zrubek By Zrubek Parish
- 11-25 4:00pm † Jeanette McPhearson By Sky LeDuc
- 11-26 9:30am † Antonio Morfin By Maria Morfin
- 11-26 5:00pm MQP Parishioners

FUNERALS: Initial funeral planning: Contact Fr. Jose Marquez, 406-294-7606

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 @406-259-7611 #06.



PRAYER REQUESTS

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 ministers who remember each day in their prayers the intentions/needs of those who request. "Ask and you shall receive." Our parish community remembers each day in their prayers, the intentions/needs of those who request. **To activate our prayer line, please call the office at 406-294-7605.**



Drawing Closer To God: A Catholic Art Show for Kids



Invite families to join art teacher Ms. Kim as she teaches children to draw different scenes from the Nativity story. As kids learn new art skills, they also begin to see the connections between the big

picture of God's story and their place within it.



Praying....

Read the **upcoming Sunday Mass Readings**-posted in the bulletin each week. Remember in your prayers **those who are sick in the parish**...those healing from medical procedures, living with critical illnesses, coping with the emotional challenges of daily life. **Novena** recited following Tuesday morning Mass. **Rosary** prayed following Wednesday morning Mass. **Eucharistic Adoration** following Thursday morning Mass until 6pm. **Pray the Rosary for Vocations:** St Patrick's, Tuesdays, 6:30pm.



Did you know that free and professional charitable estate planning services are available to you through the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana?

Sometimes the hardest part of planning is knowing what questions to ask and who can help you. You are not alone if you don't know where to start. Do you have a vision about what you could do for the Church through your Will? It may be worth determining *how* to include the Catholic Church in your plans. Just talk to Father or contact Judy Held, President of the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana, at judy@catholicfoundationmt.org or 406-315-1765

Faith Formation Information

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd--Pre-K to 6th grade
 Tuesdays 6-7:30pm--Good Shepherd 3-6 years old
 Wednesdays 6-7:30pm--Good Shepherd 1st to 6th grade
 Youth Group—7-12th grade TBD w/volunteers
 OCIA—Thursdays 6:30pm after Benediction
 Registration forms entrance of church and on MQP website.
 Contact Daphne Sutton for info. or to volunteer: mqp.dre@gmail.com, 406-294-7607

The Liturgical Calendar

While the civil calendar orients us to secular life, the liturgical calendar orients us to religious life and, more importantly, helps us to re-live various aspects of the life of Jesus. When we refer to the seasons and feasts on the liturgical calendar, we are not only remembering the historical events that happened in the past, but we are celebrating what continues to happen today. We can do so because the person who is the center of our seasons and feasts is the person of the Risen Christ, who is alive and continues to be revealed to us. In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium, the children learn about and work with the liturgical calendar.

Offertory for weekend of November 5, 2023

Envelopes, Visitors, Loose \$7,341

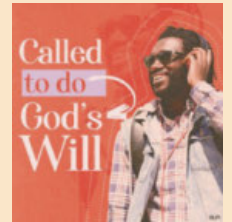
Other \$2,384

YTD Offertory \$103,177

YTD Other Income \$28,790

YTD Total Income \$131,967

Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you have been faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities." MATTHEW 25:21



God calls us to nurture and develop the gifts He has given us and then generously through Stewardship, return a portion with increase. He doesn't want us to waste or hoard the gifts He has given us. He expects us to grow our gifts, to use them wisely, and to be generous with them. Unfortunately, many of us are not generous in proportion to all that God has given us. God asks us to be generous with all our gifts, especially the one that means the most to you.

MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 25 & 26

Ministers	4:00pm	9:30am	5:00pm
Altar Servers	Needed	Needed	Needed
Crucifer	Needed	Needed	Needed
Greeters	Needed	Needed	Mike Harrington
Lector 1	Grace Reif	Audrey Wagner	Bob Tambo
Lector 2	Grace Reif	Mary Kay Lynaugh	Bob Tambo
Euch. Ministers	Fayette Latterell Janet Simon Mary Rose Simon	John Mota Pam Berckmoes Gabriel Lopez	Celest Kessler Bob Tambo
Sacristan	Mary Rose Simon	John Mota	Celest Kessler

Calendar of Weekly Events:


- 11-23-2023 Thanksgiving MASS 9:00 AM
- 11-23-2023 NO Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00AM Mass

CCHD


Please be generous in this week's special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in eight people lives in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins.

PRAYER PETITIONS: Pope's November

Intention: For the Pope. We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him with the help of the Holy Spirit.



GOBBLE, GOBBLE, GOBBLE! You know what that means-- time for TURKEY BINGO!! Gobble, gobble! Win a turkey **TODAY, November 19th from 1:30 to 4:30 pm at the Mary Queen of Peace Parish Center (Little Flower School)**. 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.



Bishop Warfel, now Bishop Emeritus, invites all area Marriage Encounter couples to a gathering at Mary Queen of Peace Parish Center, 120 South 34th St. in Billings (formerly Little Flower School) at 1 PM on Sunday, December 3rd. Having participated recently at the World Council for World Wide Marriage Encounter, Bishop Warfel will share how Marriage Encounter is enriching the domestic church around the world. The gathering will also provide an opportunity to extend congratulations to Bishop Warfel upon his transition as the Bishop of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings to Bishop Emeritus. Participants are asked to bring a snack or a dessert to share. Beverages will be provided.

CAKE AUCTION- this is a major fundraiser and fun memory for the BCCHS Senior Class!

TODAY, Sunday, November 19, 2023

Billings Central Catholic High School Gymnasium
Doors open to public at 2:30pm
3:00pm Auction begins - we invite everyone to attend to see the cakes and bid! All are welcome!
Chili and Cinnamon Roll dinner following the auction in the cafeteria. Everyone is invited to the dinner following the auction- cash donation for dinner.

Billings Catholic Young Adults Christmas Party
All young adults (ages 18+) are welcome to our annual Christmas Party Saturday, December 9 at 6:30pm. Join us at the Columbia Club for some games, trivia, food and more! We will provide pulled pork, please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Optional White Elephant exchange \$25 max. Wear your Christmas gear!



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