

MARY QUEEN OF PEACE



FEBRUARY 11, 2024

**6TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

MASS SCHEDULE

Mary Queen of Peace

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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)



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A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him
and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean."

- Mk 1:40

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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: 1st Sunday of Lent

1st Reading
Genesis 9:8-15

Psalm 25

2nd Reading
1 Peter 3:18-22

Gospel
Mark 1:12-15



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.

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



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.**

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Bishop Fleming invites you to join him for a Synod on Synodality Listening Session

Thursday February 15, 2024 - 6:30pm
Holy Spirit Parish, Great Falls, MT

Sunday March 3, 2024 - 3:30pm
St. Thomas the Apostle, Billings, MT



MASS INTENTIONS

02-13 9:00AM †Carlyle Emtter by Celest Kessler
02-14 9:00AM †Crystal Badura & Intentions of her family
02-14 Noon Liturgy of the Word & Ashes
02-14 6:00PM Liturgy of the Word & Ashes
02-15 9:00AM †Carolyn Cruse by JoAnn Driscoll
02-16 5:30PM †Kert & Larry Dolechek by Jeanette Koch
02-17 4:00PM †Jenny & Merle Simon by Simon Family
02-18 9:30AM †Mary Lou Anderson by MQP Parish
02-18 5:00PM Parishioners of Mary Queen of Peace



DÉCÖLÖRÉS!

Fellow 4th Dayers...we are filled with anticipation to have our upcoming weekends at **Billings Central High School**. May we each stay close to our Lord in the months ahead and be His hands and feet as you reach out to share the amazing gift that you received on your weekend. **Christ is Counting on You!** The next set of weekends will be: **Men's Weekend, June 6-9** and the **Women's Weekend, June 13-16**. **Make a friend, be a friend, and bring that friend to Jesus.** For more information contact: Jodi Samel at 406-670-6812; email: jomadler@yahoo.com. **Application deadline is May 9th.** Applications are also available online at: <https://www.bigskycumchristo.org/billings-laurel>.

Black and Indian Mission Collection

Next week, our parish will take up the 140th annual National Black and Indian Mission collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

Church in Central and Eastern Europe

On Ash Wednesday, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the Church in more than 20 countries that still struggle to recover from Communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection.

What is synodality?

Synodality means journeying together as the People of God. It indicates a way of listening to each individual person as a member of the Church to understand how God might be speaking to all of us. In this way, synodality reminds us of the work of the Holy Spirit through each of us and through all of us working together for our common mission.

MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 17 & 18

Ministers	4:00pm	9:30am	5:00pm
Altar Servers	Needed	Needed	Needed
Crucifer	Needed	Needed	Needed
Greeters	Needed	Needed	Mike Harrington
Lector 1	Nic Tognetti	Mary Alvarez	Bob Tambo
Lector 2	Nic Tognetti	Steve Repac	Bob Tambo
Euch. Ministers	Mary Rose Simon Janet Simon Fayette Latterell	John Mota Pam Berckmoes Gabriel Lopez	Celest Kessler Bob Tambo
Sacristan	Mary Rose Simon	John Mota	Celest Kessler

PRAYER PETITIONS: Pope's February Intention:
For the terminally ill. We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

Saint Vincent de Paul Saturday Brunches



MQP and Saint Cyril and Methodius parishes continue to serve brunches to our friends in need on the third Saturday of every month. **Our NEXT date is February 17th. TACO TIME!** This month the food items needed are small flour tortillas, shredded cheese, soft fresh fruit i.e. grapes, bananas, small oranges and homemade/baked sweet treats. **Drop off your food items at the parish center. Please note:** Grace will pick up items on **Friday, February 16th by Noon.** Grace Reif is the MQP contact person (406-281-0495).

Calendar of Weekly Events:

- 02-11 CCW meeting 10:30am lower hall
- 02-14 9:00AM Mass with distribution of Ashes
- 02-14 Noon—Liturgy of the Word & Ashes
- 02-14 6:00PM—Liturgy of the Word & Ashes
- 02-15 Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00AM Mass
- 02-16 "Light is on for You" 4:30 – 5:30 PM Confessions, 5:30 PM Mass,
- 02-16 6:00 -7:00 PM Stations of the Cross, Confessions, Soup & Bread
- 02-18 Fiesta Mtg 10:30 AM MQP Lower Hall



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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

Billings Catholic Young Adult Events

Lenten Book Study: Men's group reading "The Full Armor of God" by Larry Richards, Sundays 2-3pm, begins Feb.18th. **Women's** group reading "Extreme Makeover" by Teresa Tomeo, Mondays 6-7pm, begins Feb.19th. Where: St. Patrick Co-Cathedral. **Knights of Columbus Fish Fry-volunteer on Friday, February 16,** 5:30pm-7:00pm at the Columbia Club. Volunteers get a free meal and drink. More info.: Sabrina 406-694-3180 or Valerie 406-208-3642, Website: www.billingscya.com
 Facebook: facebook.com/billingscya

Offertory for weekend of January 28, 2024

Envelopes, Visitors, Loose \$6,876
 Other \$341

YTD Offertory 188482
 YTD Other Income 65727
 YTD Total Income \$254,209

Catholic Social Services of Montana

Baby Boutique: Riverstone Health Building, Mon.& Thurs.11am-1pm, helping families in need with diapers, wipes, and some clothing items, Ways to help: Pray for families and the boutique, volunteer, donate supplies or money (If you bring donations to the parish office or church we will see to it that they get to the boutique.) **Mental Health Services:** New Counseling Program, to get started call 406-442-4130 or www.cssmt.org



Billings Catholic Radio

Annual Fundraising Banquet

March 19, 2024

"Faith over Fear"

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