

# MARY QUEEN OF PEACE



**JUNE 16, 2024**

**11TH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Mary Queen of Peace

Office & Mailing Address:

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Church: 3411 3rd Ave South

P: (406) 259-7611

[www.maryqueenofpeacebillings.org](http://www.maryqueenofpeacebillings.org)

### 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)



## 11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.” - Mk 4:30-32b

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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.*



#### **Pastor**

**Fr. Jose Marquez** (406) 259-7611  
[jmarquez@maryqueenofpeacebillings.org](mailto:jmarquez@maryqueenofpeacebillings.org)

#### **Sacramental Minister**

**Fr. Tom C. Harney** (406) 259-7611

#### **Deacon Minister**

**Deacon Bob Wiesner** (406) 259-7611

#### **Accountant**

**Celest Kessler** (406) 294-7605  
[ckessler@maryqueenofpeacebillings.org](mailto:ckessler@maryqueenofpeacebillings.org)



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## PARISH MINISTRY STAFF

#### **Religious Education**

**Daphne Sutton** (406) 294-7607  
[mqp.dre@gmail.com](mailto:mqp.dre@gmail.com)

#### **Music Ministry**

**Ann Hefenieder, Pat Oertli, Jessica Duray  
Amy Aguirre** [aguirreamyd@gmail.com](mailto:aguirreamyd@gmail.com)

**We Wish to thank our  
Parish's Volunteers  
& Benefactors!**

**Readings for Next Sunday:  
12th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading**  
Job 38:1-11

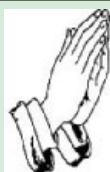
**Psalms** 107

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**  
2 Corinthians 5:14-17

**Gospel**  
Mark 4:35-41



**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.**

*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.*



Giving to our parish through your IRA is a financially wise way to give and, when endowed, your IRA gift will help our church forever! If you own an IRA and are age 70 ½ or older, you may donate any amount (up to \$105,000) this year, tax-free, directly from your IRA. If you also have an RMD, your gift can satisfy that requirement. For more information or assistance in making a gift for our church directly from your IRA, please contact Judy Held, President, at the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana at (406) 315-1765 or [judy@catholicfoundationmt.org](mailto:judy@catholicfoundationmt.org).

**MAGNIFICAT SUBSCRIPTIONS**

(subscription thru MQP)

- Place a new order -Renew your current subscription
- Enrich your daily prayer -Your cost \$25 for 12 months (July-June) - Call Celest, 294-7605

**PRAYER PETITIONS:** Pope's June Intention: For migrants fleeing their homes. We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

**Calendar of Weekly Events:**

- 06-16 Fiesta Mtg 10:30 AM MQP Lower Hall
- 06-20 Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00AM Mass

**Catholic Social Services of Montana**

**Baby Boutique:** @ Riverstone Health Building. Open Monday & Thursday 11-1pm. helping families in need with diapers, wipes, clothing. Volunteers welcome. Contact, Deb Carroll at parish office.

**Mental Health Services:** New Counseling Program, to get started call 406-442-4130 or [www.cssmt.org](http://www.cssmt.org)

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!**

**Prayer for Fathers**

Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, his foster father. Bless all fathers and grandfathers as they care for their families. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience, give them ability to love in a way that reflects your love.



**Thank You Mary Queen of Peace**  
A big thank you to all who helped with the brunch for friends in need at Saint Vincent de Paul this month. Your food donations made a hearty homemade meal that was welcomed by all. **THANK YOU! NEXT date is 7-20-2024.**

**25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination**

Fr Jose celebrates 25 years of Holy Orders. As parish community we want to celebrate and congratulate Fr Jose with a party on the lawn.

**Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2:00pm to 6:00pm, Grilling and Barbequing** by the parish

**Hot side dish** by parishioners last name begins with A-L

**Salad side dish** by parishioners last name begins with M-Z

**Dessert** by the parish

Please bring your canopy to contribute to the shade. **Holy Father, thank you for the gift of Fr Jose for his years of service and we ask that You bless us with many more years!**

CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR



*Ordination Anniversary!*

## MASS INTENTIONS

6-18 9:00AM For all who suffer with Mental Health Issues by Marion SchAAF  
 6-19 9:00AM † Roma Leligdowicz by MQP Parish  
 6-20 9:00AM † Crystal Badura and intentions of her family  
 6-21 9:00AM † Caroline Cruse by MQP Parish  
 6-22 4:00PM † Wendy Wrzesinski by Pat Oertli  
 6-23 9:30AM † Marvin Chamberlain by Lydia Chamberlain  
 6-23 6:00PM Parishioners of Mary Queen of Peace

Offertory for weekend of June 4, 2024  
 Envelopes, Visitors, Loose \$4,671  
 Other \$2,470

YTD Offertory 285019  
 YTD Other Income 93783  
 YTD Total Income \$378,802

## MINISTERS FOR JUNE 22 & 23

Ministers	4:00pm	9:30am	6:00pm
Altar Servers	Needed	Needed	Needed
Crucifer	Rick Pirami	Needed	Needed
Greeters	Needed	Needed	Mike Harrington
Lector 1	Doug Mitchell	Joe Siebert	Bill Kuzma
Lector 2	Doug Mitchell	Audrey Wagner	Bill Kuzma
Eucharistic Ministers	Maggie Bargar Marian Leligdowicz Linda Leligdowicz	Paul Tweden Lydia Chamberlain Angela Byrd	Celest Kessler Pat Brown
Sacristan	Maggie Bargar	Paul Tweden	Celest Kessler



### Do you like to Sing?

Share your voice with the community at Sunday evening mass. Instrumental accompaniment is also welcome. Jessica invites you to the choir. Practice is at the church one hour before Sunday evening Mass.

## Happy Father's Day!

**St. Pius X is seeking a full-time Children's Ministry Coordinator** for our youth, preschool through grade 5. You'll have an assistant to help you and our former Coordinator, Jessie, will be available for training. If you have questions call Karyn Haider at 406-281-8500 or email [khaider@stpiusxbgls.org](mailto:khaider@stpiusxbgls.org). Send résumé and cover letter with references to either Fr. Martin Ezeihuaku, MSP, or Karyn Haider, St. Pius X Catholic Church in Billings **by June 30**.

### Faith Formation Information

Thank you for a wonderful year!  
 Registrations will begin in August.  
 New classes start the week of Labor Day  
 Bring a friend and come learn about the Faith!  
 Registration forms at entrance of church and on MQP website.  
 Contact Daphne Sutton for information or to volunteer:  
[mqp.dre@gmail.com](mailto:mqp.dre@gmail.com), 406-294-7607

### Diocese of Cheyenne, Diocese of Great Falls-Billings, Diocese of Helena



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience:**

The next Experience will not be until Nov 1-3 at The Ranch in Ucross. Each presentation becomes applicable to couples of any age, whether newlyweds, or married for many years, in a first marriage, or 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup>. Non-Catholics are welcome as well. To learn more, watch: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=635747607124827> OR visit the website: [wwme.org](http://wwme.org)

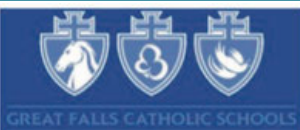
### SAINT THOMAS CATHOLIC CAMP

The goal is that every teenager who sets foot on the property would feel

the love of Christ, experience a great adventure in the outdoors and be challenged to become the saint God wants them to be." **St. Thomas Summer Camp Registration open!**

+June 23 - 28 High School Week #2  
 +July 7 - 12 5th & 6th Grade Girls Week  
 +July 14 - 19 Middle School Week #1  
 +July 21 - 26 5th & 6th Grade Boys Week  
 +July 28 - August 2 Middle School Week #2

The cost is \$375 per camper. For more details and to register go online at [www.saintthomascamp.com](http://www.saintthomascamp.com). Financial assistance is available from St Thomas Camp.



### Job Opportunity

Director of Advancement  
 Great Falls Catholic Schools

The Director of Advancement serves as the senior fundraising professional with primary responsibilities for raising charitable gifts, donor relations and stewardship, oversees all special events, and developing grants. **For full job description, contact the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings at 406-727-6683 and on the website: [diocesegfb.org](http://diocesegfb.org). Send resume, cover letter, and three references with contact information to:** Christina Vierra McGill, WCEA Commissioner of Accreditation and School Improvement, Email: [christinav.mcgill@gmail.com](mailto:christinav.mcgill@gmail.com)



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