February 12, 2023

The Parish of Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace & St. Veronica

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Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday - 4:30 PM St. Veronica - 5:30 PM QOP
Sunday - 8:00 AM QOP - 9:45 AM St. Veronica - 11:30 AM QOP

Daily Mass Schedule
Monday - 9:00 AM QOP

First Friday Adoration
(April through December) 9:00 AM through 5:20 PM

The Light is On For You Penance Service

Mondays Starting
February 27th through April 3rd 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

The season of Lent is a special time of grace, inviting and enabling all of us to deepen our relationship with Jesus and to embrace a life of meaning and purpose.

Please participate in this opportunity to make a good Lenten confession.

Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace and most Catholic parishes in the Diocese of Scranton will be open on Lenten Mondays from 5:30-7:00pm. Please participate in this opportunity to make a good Lenten confession, and please also reach out to the Catholics you know who have been away from the regular practice of the faith and invite them to participate in this chance to begin again.

- Monday, February 27th
- Monday, March 6th
- Monday, March 13th
- Monday, March 20th
- Monday, April 3rd

Praying the Rosary for Peace

Every Tuesday During Lent

Tuesday Evenings at 7:00 pm During Lent at Queen of Peace Church

We pray the Rosary, accompanied by scripture readings, music [psalms & songs] and Decade prayers. We pray for: World peace, Peace within our country and communities, Peace of mind and heart, and for good health of all.

Everyone is welcome to attend and join in. Rosaries and booklets will be available for use and to take home for our homebound friends and family.

The Rosary for Peace is done in honor of Father Healey. The Rosary for Peace prayer service was started by Reverend William Healey in 2002.

This year will begin on Tuesday, February 28, 2023.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday During Lent

Commemorating the passion and death of Jesus Christ, will be prayed at:

Queen of Peace - 5:30pm
and
St. Veronica - 10:30am

- Friday, February 24, 2023
- Friday, March 3, 2023
- Friday, March 10, 2023
- Friday, March 17, 2023
- Friday, March 24, 2023
- Friday, March 31, 2023

A Lenten Lecture Series

Tuesdays from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
In the Queen of Peace Parish Hall

- February 28th
- March 7th
- March 14th
- March 21st
- March 28th

More Information to Come!

ASH WEDNESDAY, February 22th will mark the start of the solemn 40-day season of Lent. Parishes throughout the 11 county Diocese of Scranton will distribute Ashes as a sign of penance and to remind individuals of their mortality.

Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace
9:00AM Mass with Ashes after Homily, 4:00PM Ash Service, 6:30PM Ash Service.

St. Veronica
5:30PM Mass with Ashes

Inclement Weather The Rectory will be following the Wallenpaupack School District Schedule. If the schools are delayed, closed, or released early due to inclement weather our offices will also be delayed, closed, or released early.

Breakfast with Friends

Sunday, February 19th

You are invited to attend the 8.00 am Mass or the 11.30 am Mass on February 19 with light snacks following.

Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor Please visit out website to review the process with reporting sexual abuse of a minor for the Diocese of Scranton.

www.queenofpeacehawley.com

Annual Attendance and Parish Life Statics

The Blessed Virgin Mary Queen of Peace & St. Veronica, Hawley, PA

As our Diocese continues to plan for the opportunities and challenges of the future with the Vision 2030 process, we recognize the value in the information that is contained in this report.

On our website **(www.queenofpeacehawley.com)** you will find your parish report, which includes a 5-year trend of attendance and parish life statistics from 2018 to 2022.

Included in this one-page summary:

- **Parish Demographic Information:** Number of Households, Parishioners, Total number of Masses, Total Average Weekend Mass Attendance.
- **Sacramental Infomation:** Number of Baptisms, First Holy Communions, Confirmations, RCIA/Baptisms, RCIA/Full Communions, Marriages, and Funerals.
- **Faith Formation Participation:** Number of students broken out by K-12, 9-12, and Adults.

Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace Parish

Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace Church, Hawley
Saint Veronica Church, Lake Wallenpaupack

Pastor: Rev. Richard W. Beck

Honesdale Deanery

- Queen of Peace, Hawley
- Saint Ann, Shohola
- Saint John Neumann, Lords Valley
- Saint John the Evangelist, Honesdale
- Saint Joseph, Matamoras
- Saint Mary, Waymart
- Saint Patrick, Milford
- Saint Thomas More, Lake Ariel
- Saint Vincent de Paul, Milford

PARISH DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Number of Households	752	689	687	697	898
Number of Parishioners	1848	1731	1770	1803	2163
Total Number of Masses	5	5	5	-	-
Total Average Weekend Mass Attendance	515	423	218	-	-

2022 Worship Site Attendance Breakdown:
Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace Church—365
Saint Veronica Church, Lake Wallenpaupack—150

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Baptisms	15	0	12	14	10
First Holy Communions	24	27	0	27	19
Confirmations	16	34	0	24	17
RCIA/Baptism	3	0	0	0	0
RCIA/Full Communion	2	0	0	0	2
Marriages	5	4	5	8	8
Funerals	31	22	-	22	27

FAITH FORMATION PARTICIPATION

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Religious Education K-8	156	98	-	139	145
Religious Education 9-12	0	0	0	0	12
Catholic School Students	0	0	0	0	0
Adult Faith Formation	3	0	0	4	0

*All data in this report has been supplied to the Diocese by your Parish.

VISION 2030 — *Creating Parish Communities Rooted in the Life of Jesus Christ* — DIOCESE OF SCRANTON

http:// queenofpeacehawley.com

Visit our website to download the report.

Mass Intentions & Candles

Tabernacle Candle

Burns in Loving Memory for

Patrick John McHugh

From Maryellen & Joseph Olsheski

MONDAY

February 13th - 9:00 AM QP - Mark Rechtorovic- Shawn Utegg

TUESDAY

February 14th - 9:00 AM QP - Patrick John McHugh- Maryellen & Joseph Olsheski

WEDNESDAY

February 15th - 9:00 AM QP - Natalie Fiore- Anne & Louis Berkowitz

THURSDAY

February 16th - 9:00 AM QP– Kathy Kmetz

FRIDAY

Feburary 17th - 9:00 AM QP – no Mass

Saturday & Sunday

February 18th - 4:30 PM SV – Special Intention of Healing- Lou Jerge
5:30 PM QP - Al Butler- Wife, Ann

February 19th - 8:00 AM QP - Jerome Cartwright- brother Bob & sister, Cheri
9:45 AM SV – Ann Wiedenman
11:30 AM QP – Jimmy Thompson- Paul & Bonnie Rotella and Family

Blessed Virgin Mary Candle

Burns in Loving Memory for

Ann Widenman

From Daughter, Barbara

Keep In Your Prayers

Georgiana Howe, Denise Brindle, Jack Dee, Bill Seland, Eileen Manassy, Dorothy Russell, Patricia Farley, Danny Krouse and the Krouse family, Theresa Decosta, Fay Schrank, Gladys Gibbons, Eleanor Parra, Lou Jerge, Ken, Arlene Dempsey, Kathy, Sordi, Gail Barnes, Gunther Unflat, Rosemarie Mazzotta, Marilyn Krochta, Matthew and family

To Everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven

Baptism

- Karena Levandowski
- Greyson Luca Basilicata
- Everett Drake Rotella
- Ella Marie Anke

Marriage

- Marianne Gorski & Christopher Heylin

Welcome

- Mr. & Mrs. Adam Boehmer and Family
- Mr. & Mrs. Matt Domas
- Mr. & Mrs. Ben Ruley
- Jennie Dabney and family
- Mr. & Mrs. Robert Slevin

Time to Die ~ Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

- Madlyn Borelli
- Grover White
- Edward Gunthner
- Nancy Domas

DEANERY WIDE LENTEN HOLY HOURS

7:00 P.M. IN EACH LOCATION

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL 2022 2025

Thursday, Feb. 23
Saint Rose of Lima Parish, Carbondale

Tuesday, Feb. 28
Most Holy Trinity Parish, Cresco

Wednesday, March 8
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Montoursville

Thursday, March 9
SS. Peter and Paul Parish, Towanda

Monday, March 13
St. Robert Bellarmine Parish, Wilkes-Barre

Tuesday, March 14
Mary Mother of God Parish, Scranton

Monday, March 20
St. Gregory Parish, Clarks Green

Wednesday, March 22
Corpus Christi Parish, West Pittston

Thursday, March 23
SS. Cyril and Methodius Parish, Hazleton

Monday, March 27
Queen of Peace Parish, Hawley

Tuesday, March 28
SS. Anthony and Rocco Parish, Dunmore

Wednesday, March 29
St. John the Baptist Parish, Larksville