



# QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH PARROQUIA REINA DE LA PAZ

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## MASS SCHEDULE WEEKEND MASSES

**Saturday** 4:00 PM  
**Confessions** 3:00–3:50 PM  
**Sunday** 9:00 AM  
11:00 AM Mass in Spanish  
**Confesiones** 10:15 AM–10:50 AM  
4:00 PM Mass

## DAILY MASSES

**Tuesday–Friday** 12:05 PM  
**Confessions** 11:30 AM–11:50 AM  
**Viernes** 7:00 PM (español)  
**Confesiones** 6:30 PM–6:50 PM

*If there is a funeral, the daily Mass for that day will be cancelled & Mass intention will be rescheduled.*

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Participation in the Baptismal Program required. Please contact the Parish Office.

### Confirmation

Call Faith Formation Office at 319-233-0498.

### Holy Matrimony

Contact the Pastor 6 months in advance.

## PARISH STAFF

### Pastor:

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## OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
Tuesday – Thursday: 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Friday: Office Closed

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

By noon on Monday in person or by email at  
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**Website:** www.queenofpeaceparish.net



## THE HOLY FAMILY

He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor before God and man. - Lk 2:51-52

Entonces volvió con ellos a Nazaret y siguió sujeto a su autoridad. Su madre conservaba en su corazón todas aquellas cosas. Jesús iba creciendo en saber, en estatura y en el favor de Dios y de los hombres. - Lc 2, 51-52

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## PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL

We encourage you to remember Queen of Peace Catholic Church in your Last Will and Testament. It is a wonderful way to help ensure that the many good works of your parish keep becoming realities. Thank you, parishioners, for your generosity!



### All Masses Live Stream

- Monday, December 27** ~ No Mass
- Tuesday, December 28** ~ No Mass
- Wednesday, December 29** ~ No Mass
- Thursday, December 30** ~ No Mass
- Friday, December 31** ~ No 12:05 PM Mass
- Friday, December 31 (Spanish)** ~ 7:00 PM  
+Luz Maria Tapia Aguilera
- Saturday, January 1, 2022**  
9:00 AM: +Roger Craig  
4:00 PM: +Ed Graverson
- Sunday, January 2, 2022**  
9:00 AM: All Parishioners  
11:00 AM: +David Jaramillo  
4:00 PM: +Mary Lou Regenold

**Year End Giving:** A reminder that contributions need to be received in the parish office or postmarked by December 31, 2021 or deposit in the offertory boxes in the church in order to appear on your 2021 contribution statement. Contributions received after that date will appear as your 2022 contributions. This is in accordance with tax laws. Contributions statements will be ready in the back of the church by the second week of January 2022. If you wish your statement mail directly to you, please call the parish office.

**Donaciones de Fin de Año:** Un recordatorio las contribuciones deben recibirse en la oficina parroquial o tener el sello del correo antes del 31 de diciembre de 2021 o depositarse en las cajas del ofertorio en la iglesia para que aparezcan en su declaración de contribución de 2021. Las contribuciones recibidas después de esa fecha aparecerán como sus contribuciones de 2022. Esto es en línea con las leyes fiscales. Las declaraciones de contribuciones estarán listas en la parte trasera de la iglesia la segunda semana de enero de 2022. Si desea que su declaración se envíe por correo directamente a usted, debe llamar a la oficina parroquial. Agradecemos sus contribuciones y generosidad.



**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**  
Please consider your parish in your Will.  
Summary of your Financial Stewardship  
for the week of December 19, 2021

**Due to an earlier submission the stewardship will be published later.**

We thank you for your commitment to your parish. We encourage others to give generously as we have all received so generously from God. If every parishioner gave ONLY \$10.00 a week, we would be able to meet our weekly goal. | Agradecemos a todos ustedes por su continuo apoyo financiero a su parroquia. Si cada feligrés contribuye \$10.00 por semana, su parroquia podrá cubrir todos los gastos.



## QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH PASTORAL CARE CORNER – OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

### Pray for the Sick

- |                          |                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Dave Fox                 | Margarita Vazquez      |
| Flor de María Sánchez    | Laura Soledad Berduo   |
| Adolfo Calderón, Jr.     | Marge Fitzgerald       |
| Lisa Steiner             | Chase Brunchseon       |
| Silvia Ríos              | Joe & Vera Pfiffner    |
| Leticia Guerrero         | Cecilio Torres         |
| Miguel González          | Juan Navarrete         |
| Angel Álvarez Cortes     | Carol Witt             |
| Ramón Chávez García      | Carol Keninger         |
| Margarita Melchor        | Marie Irene Calderón   |
| Carmen Tovar Tacklenberg | Maura Zacarias Bravo   |
| Areli González           | Ramon Chávez           |
| Lula Davis               | Jean Salsbury          |
| Griselda Reyes           | Mónico Ramírez         |
| Mike Walton              | Blanca Estela Guerrero |
| Robert Marcotte          | Josh Rodgers           |
| Kevin Keninger           | Irene González         |
| Lidia Rodríguez Flores   | Estela Nava            |
| Brett Love               | Lilian Hernández       |
| Darlene Nation           | Maricela Gojara        |
| José Jesús Becerra       | Tirza Medina           |
| Bartolo Díaz             | Margarito Calderón     |
| Fidel Moncada            | Familia Berduo Miguel  |
- We pray for all the victims of COVID-19. Oramos por todas las víctimas del COVID-19.

### PRAY FOR THE DECEASED | OREN POR LOS DIFUNTOS

Lucas Gerard Wilding (Son-in-law of Scott & Ruth Elliot)  
Elsie Weiden  
For all the faithful departed, may God grant them eternal rest. For all victims of COVID-19. May they rest in peace. Amen. | Por todos los fieles difuntos, que Dios les de el eterno descanso. Por todos los que han fallecido víctimas del COVID-19. Que descansen en la paz del Señor. Amén.

### COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND | COMUNIÓN PARA LOS ENFERMOS

Call the Parish Office at 319-226-3655 if you are unable to attend Mass and wish to receive Communion and/or be anointed or if you or a member of your family are in the hospital or know that you are going to be hospitalized.

### ENFERMOS

Si desea una visita a su enfermo, favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial. Con mucho gusto se le visitara. Durante la pandemia tendremos que guardar la distancia social por su protección.



### Liturgical Schedule January 1-2, 2022

- Saturday, January 1, 2022 @ 9:00 AM**  
Lector: Rod Crowe
- Saturday, January 1, 2022 @ 4:00 PM**  
Lector: Kathy Stevens
- Sunday, January 2, 2022 @ 9:00 AM**  
Lector: Janice Frost
- Sunday, January 2, 2022 @ 4:00 PM Mass**  
Lector: Jim Rodgers

**Ushers:** Continue as you have been assigned by Karen. We need more lectors. Please contact Karen.

### Due to COVID-19 restrictions

We are in need of lectors. If you would like to become one, please call Karen. Thank you!

**GLUTEN INTOLERANT: We have special hosts available.**  
**GLUTEN INTOLERANTE: Tenemos hostias disponibles.**



# PARISH Announcements

Tuesday, January 4, 2022

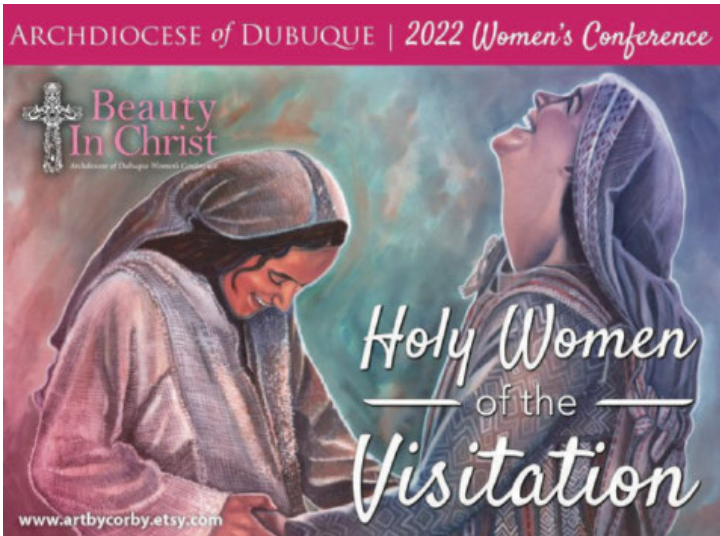
8:00 AM Quilting Club & Social Grace Rm.  
4:30-5:30 PM Community Meals Parish Hall



**Queen of Peace Parish Live Streaming** continues to be possible due to the generosity of many. All Masses are live stream daily, Saturdays and Sundays (English & Spanish). We encourage and welcome your continued financial support for this important ministry that benefits our parishioners and beyond. We thank all parishioners and those from outside our parish who continue to donate towards the live streaming ministry. All donations small or large are truly appreciated.

**Face Masks Use in Church & Parish Offices:** A reminder that we have implemented the use of masks in church and parish offices. For your own protection and other fellow parishioners, please be mindful of this as we would like to **protect all those who are most vulnerable during this pandemic.** We ask all visitors to **please follow this** as the pandemic continues to change. This may not be easy for some people. Nevertheless, as Pope Francis says it is an act of love and charity. We truly appreciate your cooperation and would like to commend those who do respect this way of protecting everyone.

**The Our Faith STO and Catholic school families have reasons to celebrate!** Thanks to the support of almost 1,200 donors across the Archdiocese, the Our Faith School Tuition Organization (STO) has reached its fundraising goal of \$5,391,464! This total is dramatically higher than what was donated during the pandemic and derecho year of 2020. It will enable us to help hundreds more school families with tuition assistance for the 2022-23 school year! 2021 donations are still being accepted **but will not qualify for the 75% tax credit.**

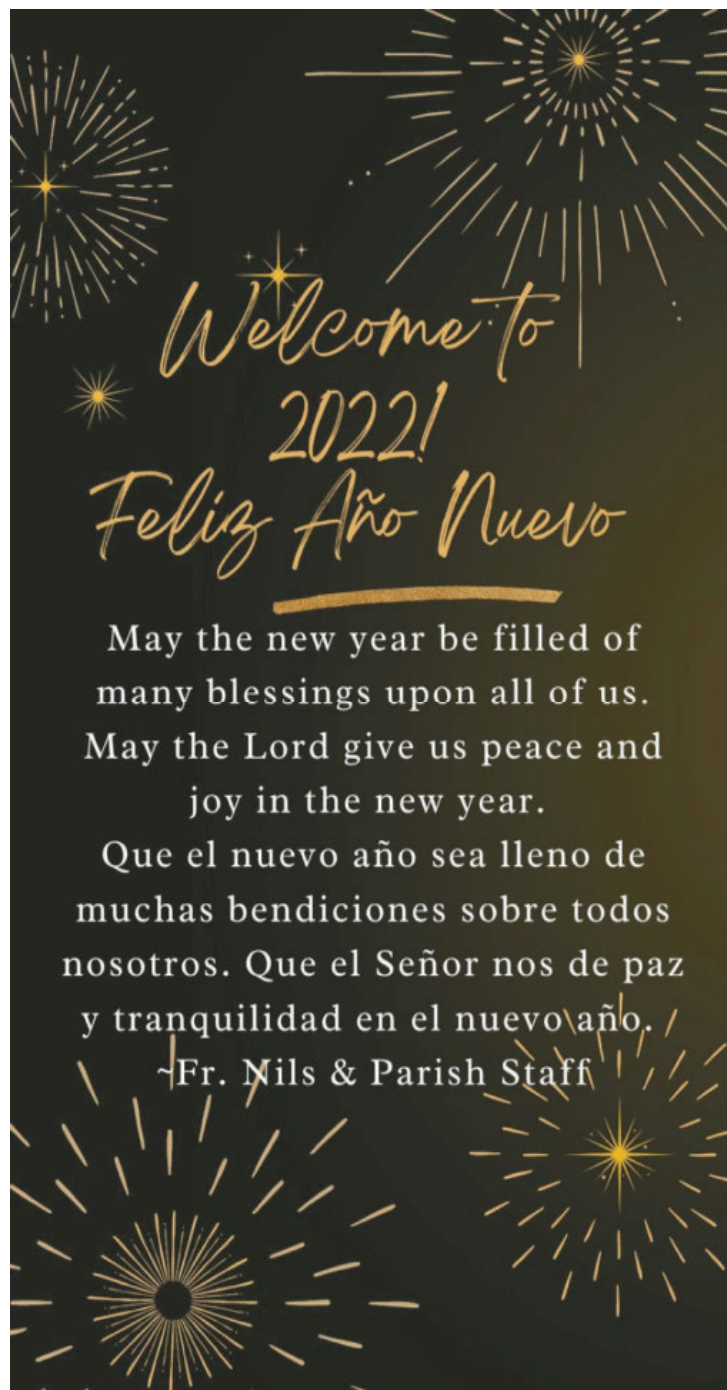


Dear Beautiful Sisters in Christ,

We are SO very excited as we already have over a dozen parishes/groups registered to host this year's Beauty in Christ: Holy Women of the Visitation in their own parish/cluster!

How does this work? The 2022 Beauty in Christ will be offered virtually (women may still participate from the comfort of their own homes) while parishes/clusters also have the opportunity for women to gather and participate in-person by hosting in their own parish center/gathering space.

If your parish hosts by registering and purchasing a minimum of 25 tickets at \$10.00 per person, you'll be able to gather with women/friends from your parish to hear our national speakers together on a big screen and then discuss the talks in-person, while enjoying snacks, laughter, and prayer (perhaps your priest would be available to greet the participants, lead prayer or hear confessions that morning)—together, in person!



**At this point, these are our registered parishes:** St. Mark, Iowa Falls; St. Patrick's, Clear Lake; St. John the Baptist Catholic Church/Mount Vernon; St. Benedict Parish, Decorah; Holy Family Cluster, Clarion; Notre Dame Parish, Cresco; St. Joseph, Bellevue; Epiphany Parish Mason City; Holy Spirit, Dubuque; Blessed Trinity Cluster, Manchester; St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Hiawatha; St. Edward, Waterloo; & St. Mary, Eldora.

For information hosting Beauty in Christ in your parish/cluster: <https://www.archwomensconference.org/parish-event/>. If you do not see your parish listed and would like to help make this happen in your parish/cluster, please check with your parish leadership/pastor.

To check out our FANTASTIC national speakers, who will have their talks available in Spanish: <https://www.archwomensconference.org>.

Above all, please pray for the success of our conference and ALWAYS feel free to contact us with any questions or ideas for hosting Beauty in Christ in your parish/cluster.

Blessings,

Joanne Pohland & Mary Pedersen



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8:00 AM a 4:00 PM

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**Transmisión en Vivo de las Misas:** Es posible debido a la generosidad de todos aquellos que continúan contribuyendo con este ministerio. Si desean colaborar económicamente lo pueden hacer depositando su donativo en un sobre marcando **"Donativo para Misas en Vivo"**. Las transmisiones en vivo se hacen por medio de las plataformas de Facebook, YouTube y nuestra página de la parroquia. Agradecemos su generosidad.

**Uso de Máscaras:** Durante esta pandemia si no se ha vacunado es de suma importancia proteger a los demás. Si no se ha vacunado en contra del COVID-19 considere en hacerlo y usar de máscaras cuando atienda las Misas o a la oficina. Es por eso que les pedimos que usen mascarillas en todas las Misas o cuando visiten las oficinas parroquiales como un acto de caridad. Si no se siente bien favor quedarse en casa para la protección de todos.

**Oportunidad de Trabajo:** El Food Safety Solutions esta contratando a \$18 la hora mas \$2,000 de bonos. Interesados llamar al teléfono 319-232-2383.

**Biblias:** Tenemos Biblias disponibles en español y en ingles. El costo es de \$25 por unidad. Interesados favor de llamar a la oficina parroquia.

**Clases prebautismales:** Durante el invierno las clases prebautismales se cancelan y se van a reanudar hasta en abril de 2022. Si ya recibieron las clases y desean bautizar pueden llamar al padre y si necesitan tomar clases por circunstancias especiales favor de llamar a la oficina.

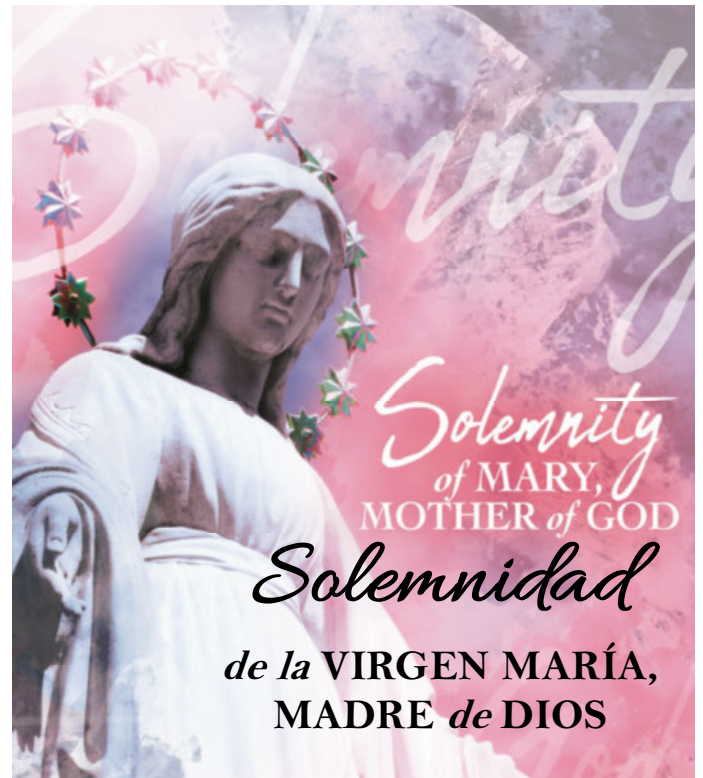
**Mensaje del Padre Nils:** Durante este tiempo de celebraciones en preparación (durante el Adviento) para el nacimiento de Jesús, las celebraciones de la Virgen del Adviento (Ntra. Sra. de Guadalupe) y por último las posadas, he reflexionado cuanto tiempo nos tomamos para celebrar emotivamente estos eventos importantes para nuestra fe. **Primero** el Adviento que son cuatro semanas diseñadas litúrgicamente para prepararnos para dar la bienvenida a Jesús en nuestros corazones. Espero que todos hayamos tomado tiempo para la oración más intensa y para hacer cosas que nos ayudan a crecer más y más en nuestra relación con Dios y los demás. **Segundo** este tiempo me hace pensar cuantas familias no podrán celebrar gozosamente por las tragedias de la pandemia, enfermedades crónicas o terminales, desempleos, economía familiar, violencia domestica, separación de los padres y niños sin el rol de cada padre, muertes, desastres naturales, víctimas de la opresión y persecución política y religiosa, exilio, etc. **Tercero** todo esto me hace pensar que hacemos como cristianos bautizados en Cristo para traer la paz y la esperanza a aquellos lugares que necesitan un rayo de luz en la oscuridad.

**En conclusión,** oremos cada día para que el nuevo año 2022 sea lleno de paz y alegría y que todos podamos gozar de un mundo mejor. Pidámosles a la Santísima Virgen María que nos acompañe en nuestras vidas e interceda ante su Hijo Jesús por todos nosotros. Agradezco a todos ustedes por su continuo apoyo y oraciones. Que todos nosotros sigamos creciendo como una comunidad de fe y que todos ustedes mis feligreses queridos experimenten en sus vidas el amor incondicional de Dios. Que la Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y José nos protejan. -Padre Nils

#### **Oración del Papa Francisco durante la Pandemia**

En la dramática situación actual, llena de sufrimientos y angustias que oprimen al mundo entero, acudimos a ti, Madre de Dios y Madre nuestra, y buscamos refugio bajo tu protección. Oh Virgen María, vuelve a nosotros tus ojos misericordiosos en esta pandemia de coronavirus, y consuela a los que se encuentran confundidos y lloran por la pérdida de sus seres queridos, a veces sepultados de un modo que hiere el alma. Sostiene a aquellos que están angustiados porque, para evitar el contagio, no pueden estar cerca de las personas enfermas. Infunde confianza a quienes viven en el temor de un futuro incierto y de las consecuencias en la economía y en el trabajo. Amén.





*Solemnity*  
of MARY,  
MOTHER of GOD

*Solemnidad*  
de la VIRGEN MARÍA,  
MADRE de DIOS

**Mass Schedule | Horario de Misas**

**New Year's Eve – Friday, December 31**

7:00 PM (Spanish / español)

**New Year's Day – Saturday, January 1**

9:00 AM (English)

**Masses Epiphany of the Lord**

**Misas de la Epifanía del Señor**

Saturday, January 1 – 4:00 PM

Sunday, January 2 – 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

(Spanish / español) & 4:00 PM

**No daily Masses from December 28-30, 2021.  
Parish Offices will be closed on December 30  
and will resume on Monday, January 3, 2022.  
Las oficinas parroquiales estarán cerradas el 30  
de diciembre y se abren hasta el lunes 3 de  
enero de 2022.**

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**  
LECTURAS PARA ESTA SEMANA

**Monday:** 1 Jn 1:1-4 / Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 / Jn 20:1a and 2-8

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 1:5–2:2 / Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8 / Mt 2:13-18

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 2:3-11 / Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 / Lk 2:22-35

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 2:12-17 / Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 / Lk 2:36-40

**Friday:** 1 Jn 2:18-21 / Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 / Jn 1:1-18

**Saturday:** Nm 6:22-27 / Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 / Gal 4:4-7 / Lk 2:16-21

**Sunday:** Is 60:1-6 / Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 / Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 / Mt 2:1-12

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