

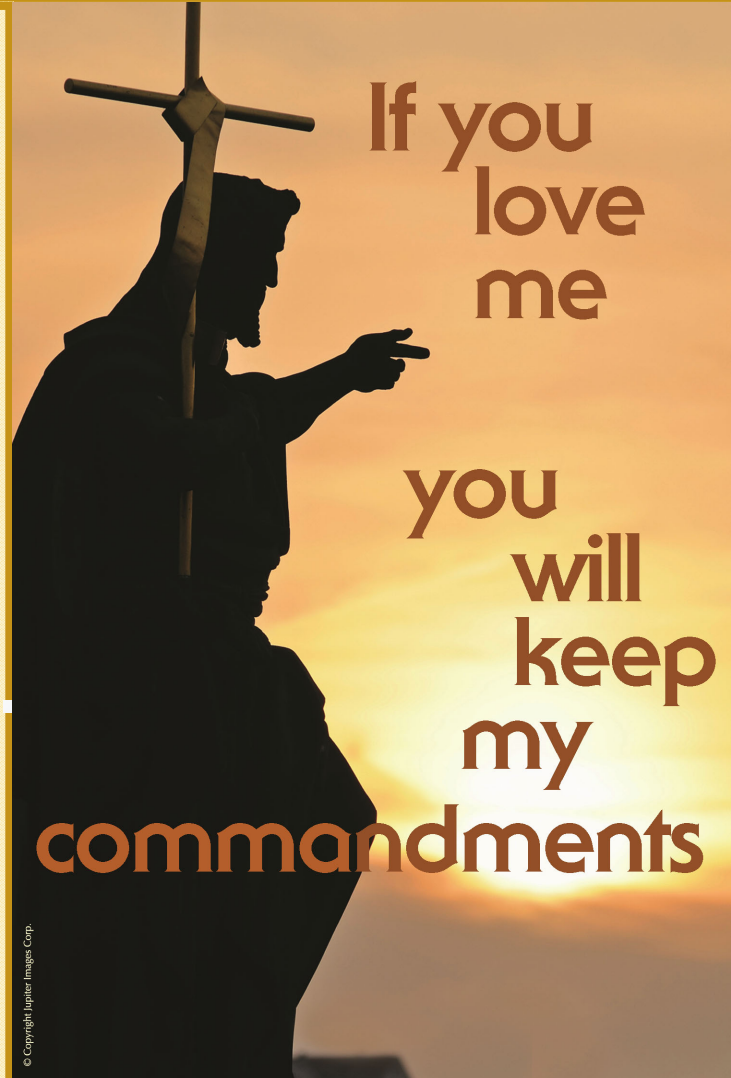
Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church

676 W. Lockwood Avenue, Webster Groves, Missouri 63119 ~ www.mqpwg.org ~ 314.962.2311

Mission Statement *Closer to God, Closer to One Another*

We, the people
of Mary Queen of Peace Church,
are called by God to live in community
as disciples.

Through the sacraments,
God nourishes and empowers us
to follow the example
of our namesake,
Mary Queen of Peace.
With the help of God's love and grace,
our mission is to build up
the kingdom of God on earth,
bringing our Community
closer to the Lord
and closer to one another
as we worship together,
educate and serve.



Schedule of Services

Sunday Masses

5:00 pm on Saturday
7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am
2nd & 4th Sunday 5 pm

Weekday Masses

6:45 and 8:00 am

Saturday Mass

8:00 am

Perpetual Help Devotions

Tuesday after 8 am Mass

Confession

Saturday: 3:45 - 4:45 pm
Anytime by calling the rectory.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Monday, 8:30 am— 9:00 pm
Third Monday, 8:30 am— 9:00 pm

Marriage

To be arranged with one of the parish priests as soon as the decision to marry has been made or at least six months before the wedding date.

Baptism

Sunday-12:00 pm with arrangement made by calling the Parish Office.

Preparation Class for Parents every first Tuesday at 7:00 pm.
in the Parish Office 962-2311

Rectory - 676 W. Lockwood, 63119

Phone 314-962-2311

Website: www.mqpwg.org

School - 680 W. Lockwood, 63119

Phone 314-961-2891

Archdiocese of St. Louis website:

www.archstl.org

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday
8:00 am -- 4:30 pm

Bulletin Deadline: Tues. 12:00 pm

**Please arrange for keys, etc.
before Sunday afternoon**

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Peg Abeln

Stewardship:

Tim Brown

Finance:

Eric Scott

Home & School:

Becky Lane

Board of Education

Jan Schuster

Athletics:

Ryan Moore

A NEW WEEK — FR. JOHN VIEN

These Easter and Springtime days are filled with so many celebrations, and so many of our parishioners and families are celebrating Graduations at this time. Many of our college and graduate students are earning their degrees. Certainly most will be beginning their careers, many will be moving away from St. Louis and their families, and some will settle back in St. Louis. Congratulations to all our college graduates! As you embark on your new life, keep God and your faith at the center. Now that you are an adult, register in the parish where you live and become an active member, celebrating the Sacraments and serving the community.

Many of our young parishioners are graduating from high school. Congratulations to you! The Catholic high schools in St. Louis and the public schools here in Webster and Kirkwood are among the finest in the state, so I know that all our high school graduates have received an excellent education and are well prepared as they move on to college. To our high school graduates, again, stay close to Jesus and the Church! When you go away to college, find your parish or your Newman Center and remain active in your faith. Make new friends who share your Catholic and Christian values that can support you and challenge you. Continue to pray about your vocation, asking God to reveal the plan for your life and seeking the courage to say yes to where God is leading you. Onward!

Our 8th Grade class of MQP School graduates this coming Wednesday, May 24. What a year they have had! This year our 8th Graders completed their Sacraments of Initiation as they were Confirmed by Archbishop Carlson. They showed their acting and musical talents in a most excellent production of "The Music Man Jr." Many participated and excelled in CYC sports. This past week they celebrated the Rose Mass, where they thanked their teachers and celebrated their friendships at MQP. They also had the much-anticipated Mystery Trip. Throughout this year, they have been excellent leaders and role models. To each and every one of our 31 MQP graduates, you know what I'm going to say: Stay close to Jesus and the Church! Build on this foundation you have received here by continuing to pray and ask Jesus for his help and guidance and grace. I hope that all of you will be active participants in our Youth Ministry and Life Teen program. And continue to come to Mass, Sunday after Sunday, with your family and parish family. Congratulations to the MQP Class of 2017!

Even our Kindergarten class is celebrating a Graduation! 32 Kindergarteners will graduate this coming Wednesday morning, so Congratulations to them and their families. We pray for them as they move on to 1st Grade. Not to be outdone, even our MQP Pre-Schoolers will "graduate" this Wednesday as well. Yea for our Pre-Schoolers!

Graduation is a time to look back and to look ahead. We look back with gratitude and wonder and awe for all the things that God has accomplished and for all that we have learned and achieved. And we look ahead with confidence and hope, knowing that God will continue to lead us and guide us as we move forward in faith. To all our graduates and their families, take time in your prayer during these days to look back and to look ahead, seeing the hand of God in all things. Even if you are not graduating, this is a most wonderful prayer: to look back on your life with gratitude to God and to look ahead with confidence and grace, knowing that God is with you. So, this week and always, let us pray! Congratulations, Graduates!

STEWARDSHIP-COLUMN

OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Weekly Offertory Summary

Last 4 Weeks' Offertory 4-23 thru 5-14	\$	124,974
Four Weeks' Offertory Budget	\$	136,000
Surplus/ (Shortfall)	\$	(11,026)
Weekly Goal	\$	34,000
Last four weeks' average	\$	31,244

If interested in enrolling with OSV Online Giving for ACH, credit / debit card, call Barb at the Parish Office, 962-2311.

Walk of Trust

Archbishop Carlson invites you to join him on Sunday, May 28, at 2pm for the **Walk of Trust**. This event is meant to be a visible sign of unity & healing within our communities, a coming together of people of various racial, socio-economic and faith backgrounds. The walk departs from the Cathedral Basilica at 2pm. If you are unable to walk, please join us for a rally and prayer at 4pm at the Chaifetz Arena. No registration is required. A detailed schedule and route can be found at www.pilgrimageoftruststl.com/walk

Dynamic Catholic, Alive!

May 21— The Gift of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is called the Advocate, the Paraclete, and the Consoler in Scripture. He is the gift of the Father whom we received at Baptism and then more fully in Confirmation. The Holy Spirit is our defender, the one who stands by us in the midst of the attacks of Satan (the accuser). Constantly reminding us of what Jesus has taught us and guiding us into prayer, the Spirit leads us just as He led Jesus. "The Holy Spirit, whom Christ the head pours out on his members, builds, animates, and sanctifies the Church" (CCC 747). Praise God for the gift of the Holy Spirit, our anointing, our dove, our fire. archstl.org/dynamic



FROM OUR MQP MUSIC DIRECTOR

As the school year draws to a close, I want to invite you to prayerfully think about joining the music ministry this fall. God calls us to give of our time, TALENTS & treasure. We also have one more concert coming up. The University of Notre Dame Folk Choir will be at MQP in concert May 23 at 7pm in the Church. This is a free concert, however, an offering will be taken up to benefit Catholic Charities of St. Louis. Cantate Domino!



—Marc mstrathman@mqpwg.org

MEMORIAL DAY

Mass on Memorial Day, Monday, May 29, will be at 8:00am.

There is no 6:45am Mass on Memorial Day.

The Parish Offices will be closed on Memorial Day. If you have parish business, please take care of that at another time.



SUNDAY YOUTH MASS

Our final Youth Mass will be at 5:00pm Sunday, May 28. All our teens and families and parishioners are invited, especially as we continue to say "Thanks and Farewell" to Angela Fiordelisi for all her efforts as our Youth Minister. There will be no 5:00pm Sunday Mass during the summer months as we transition with a new Director of Youth Ministry, but we plan to begin the Youth Mass again after Labor Day.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

We would like to invite you to a reception on Sunday, May 21, after the 11am Mass. We will say "Farewell" to Amy Schroff and Angela Fiordelisi. Amy has served as principal of our full-time school for the last 5 years; and Angela has been our Director of Youth Ministry for 4+ years.



Please drop by to say goodbye and wish them well as they continue their journey of service to others.

WEDDING BANNS

Katie Fechter and Steve Collet will be married at Mary Queen of Peace Church on Saturday, May 27.

Stephanie Fisher and Brian Grubb will be married at Mary Queen of Peace Church on Saturday, June 3.



BAPTISM

We congratulate & welcome into the Mary Queen of Peace family this baby girl who was recently baptized:

Nora Rose — daughter of Markus and Alison Smiley — baptized on Sunday, May 14.



Interested in Youth Group?

Contact Youth Minister: **Angela Fiordelisi**

Email: youthministry@mqpwg.org

Please let us know if you'd like to be added to the email list to receive updated info, reminders, & event info.

Follow us for updated information and reminders:

Facebook: [mqpyouthministry](https://www.facebook.com/mqpyouthministry) Twitter: [@mqpyouth](https://twitter.com/mqpyouth)

Instagram: [@mqpyouthministry](https://www.instagram.com/mqpyouthministry)

MQP Youth Ministry strives to lead teens closer to Christ. We're committed to providing experiences, relationships, & opportunities for our parish teens to encounter Christ.

Life Teen Youth Group

All high school teens invited and welcome.

Mass - 5PM; Life Night 6-7:30PM in the Lubeley Room (2nd & 4th week of month)

MQP YOUNG FAMILIES FAMILY PICNIC

Pack a picnic dinner and enjoy the chance to socialize with friends while the kids play!



Wednesday, May 24 – 5pm to dusk
Larson Park Pavilion, Webster Groves

WOMEN'S LEAGUE --

Please join us June 1 at our annual Summer Patio Party. Kick off summer with cool drinks and great friends at the home of Molly Kelly, 822 Hawbrook Lane. 7pm to 10 pm. All ladies are welcome!

GUIDE BOOK & DIRECTORY ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY

We are in the process of updating our annual Guide Book & Directory for the church. This book will contain everything pertinent to our church: the various ministries, organizations, committees, activities, functions & events plus a complete directory of all members. This book is being provided and direct-mailed to each family at no cost to our church, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call the Parish Office. Recent survey results by Guide Book Publishing show that 92.1% of families would rather patronize a Guide Book & Directory advertiser over a non-advertiser.

— It "will pay" to advertise in our new Guide Book & Directory.

Liturgical Roles

MONDAY, May 22, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: A. Burns -- C. Busch

TUESDAY, May 23, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: A. Burns -- C. Busch

WEDNESDAY, May 24, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: E. Altomari -- M. Brown

NO 9:15 A.M. Mass today

THURSDAY, May 25, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: E. Altomari -- M. Brown

FRIDAY, May 26, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: Adult Server

10:00 A.M. (All School Mass)

SATURDAY, May 27, 2017 -- 8:00 A.M.

Servers: C. Albus -- J. Combs

5:00 P.M.

Servers: C. Schoen -- A. Van Ness -- Z. Nourie

Lectors: A. Bergan -- M. Brennan

Ministers: K. Hewlett -- T. Milford -- A. Poelker -- J. Poelker

B. Purcell -- B. Rogers -- T. Mullarkey -- J. Lynch

Hospitality: T. Milford --

SUNDAY, May 28, 2017 -- Ascension of the Lord

7:30 A.M.

Servers: T.J. Soriano -- S. Sullivan -- A. Sullivan

Lectors: J. Mayer --

Ministers: J. Gianino -- M. Black -- A. Cole

B. Eichner -- C. Gianino

9:00 A.M.

Servers: M. Grimmer -- K. James -- B. Pavelonis

Lectors: M. Longtine -- N. Nester

Ministers: M. Skelton -- C. Turek -- J. Grimmer -- B. Hufford

D. Hufford -- C. Ryan -- M.E. Schukai -- D. Skelton

Hospitality: E. Trusler -- P. Welch -- S. Schoenbeck

C. Ryan -- H. Telfair

Cantor: C. Phillips

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY: P. Greenblatt -- A. Barnidge -- J. Borchers

11:00 A.M.

Servers: A. Grassi -- S. Johnson -- G. Leritz

Lectors: P. Baxendale -- C. Myers

Ministers: R. Tueth -- C. Lawhorn -- T. Fleischut -- T. Riecken

H. Sallee -- M. Sawyer -- M. Sharpe -- M.K. Smit

Hospitality: M. & T. Grassi -- M. Kelly -- B. Helmer -- M. & R. Brice

5:00 P.M.

Servers: D. Moore -- M. Fiordelisi -- M. Tripp

Lectors: E. Campbell -- K. Dolan

Update Membership Information

Does our Church database have YOUR family membership record correct? Here is your chance to update YOUR record for our annual Guide Book & Directory (if you haven't already done so). It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions, or deletions that may have occurred in YOUR family over the past year. Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Do you want your record published? If you have not already informed the Parish Office about changes to your record, please let us know now so that the information in the Guide Book & Directory is correct.

The Parish Office number is 962-2311. Thank you for your help!!

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN

Today we will take up a second collection for the Catholic Communications Campaign. This collection supports a number of communications efforts throughout the archdiocese, including those of parishes and ministries in urban and rural areas. Your support of the Catholic Communications Campaign is appreciated. You can learn more and give online at archstl.org/cc. Thank you and God Bless you!

**MAY MEETINGS****Sunday May 21 -- Sixth Sunday of Easter**

11:45am "Farewell" Reception — Amy Schroff & Angela Fiordelisi
 9:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level I in the Atrium
 9&11am Children's Liturgy of the Word in the Msgr. O'Toole Room
 6:00 pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level II in the Atrium

Monday, May 22, 2017

6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop meeting in the Cafeteria
 7:00 pm Parish Council meets in the Holy Family Room
 7:15 pm St. Vincent de Paul meeting in the Msgr. O'Toole Room

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

8:30 am Kindergarten/8th Grade Angel Breakfast in the Cafeteria
 9:00 am MQP Quilters meet in the Msgr. Lubeley Room
 10:00 am Rosary Grp at Kay Kromm's (727 S Laclede Sta Rd, 962-8663)
 4:00 pm Dinner for Concert Choir in the Cafeteria
 7:00 pm Notre Dame Folk Choir Concert in the Church
 7:00 pm Technology Committee meets in the Holy Family Room

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

9:30 am Kindergarten Graduation in the Church
 10:00 am Teddy Bear Picnic (4 year-olds)
 11:30 am 8th Grade dismissal
 6:00 pm 8th Grade Graduation Mass in the Church

Thursday, May 25, 2017

7:00 pm Chorale rehearsal in the Church
 7:00 pm Home & School meeting in the Holy Family Room
 9:00 pm Rosary under the Portico

Friday, May 26, 2017

10:00 am All School Mass
 11:15 am MQP School dismissal for the Summer
6:00 pm Wedding rehearsal in the Church
 7:30 pm AA meeting in the Msgr. Lubeley Room

Saturday, May 27, 2017

8:30 am Pro-Life Rosary in the Church
1:30 pm Wedding Mass/Ceremony in the Church
3:45 pm Confessions in the Church

Sunday, May 28, 2017 — The Ascension of the Lord

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd on summer vacation
 Children's Liturgy of the Word on summer vacation
 4:00 pm LifeTeen Youth Group meets in the Msgr. Lubeley Room
 4:00 pm EDGE Youth Group meets in the Gym

GAMAM**DUE MAY 27/28****Items needed:**

Toilet Paper
 Canned Tuna
 Canned Beef Stew
 Canned Chili with Meat
 Canned Pasta with Meat
 Canned Chicken & Dumplings
 Canned Meats (Ham, Chicken, SPAM)



Thank You for your generosity!!

Confirmation Preparation Classes

Confirmation for 8th grade students of MQP will be celebrated in Spring, 2018. If you have a child who attends a private school, please contact Donna Maurer, PSR Director, (314)961-2891 or dmaurer@mqpwg.org for registration & additional info. Confirmation preparation classes meet on Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:00pm during the school year.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ON-LINE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!**

MQP presents, "Maker Fun Factory: Created by God, Built for a Purpose!" July 10-14, 2017, 9:30am—12:30pm. Participants, age 3 (potty trained) thru children entering 4th grade, and volunteers (8th grade and up) can now register!

****REGISTER ONLINE****

To register and/or volunteer, go to <https://vbspro.events/p/events/mqp2017>. Be sure to scroll down the registration page to the link for online payment.

Registration will run through June 9, or until we have all the spots filled!

Our wish list will be available soon, so please check back for information on how you can support this great ministry.

Questions?? Want to help?? Please contact Jill Right at right229@hotmail.com

**Parish School of Religion (PSR)**

Registration for the 2017-2018 PSR Program is open to children in grades 1-8 who attend public schools. PSR meets on Tuesday evenings, 6:45-8:00pm, beginning in August and concluding in May.

Registration and additional information can be found on the MQP website or by contacting Donna Maurer, PSR Director, (314)961-2891 or dmaurer@mqpwg.org

ATTENTION: MQP PARISH ORGANIZATIONS!!

FYI — The freezer in the school cafeteria is going to be shut down for maintenance on June 12.

If any organizations have food in the freezer, it will need to be removed before the weekend of June 10-11.

We have no other place on campus to store frozen food.



ATTENTION: SEPARATED, DIVORCED, WIDOWED OR REMARRIED OF ALL AGES

You are invited to join us for fun and to make new friends at the next meeting of the South County Separated, Divorced, Widowed and Remarried Catholics (SCDC) on Thursday, May 25, 7:00pm at the Saint Catherine Laboure Parish cafeteria (9740 Sappington Rd). At this meeting, volunteers from the Missouri Department of Conservation will discuss the Powder Valley Conservation Nature Center. For more information please call Pat Lynch at 314-537-5930 or Bill DeCoursey at 314-894-0733.

God's Garage Sale for Melissa's Hope Orphanage of Haiti In memory of Jane Corbett

— St. Clement of Rome in Des Peres is sponsoring a huge garage sale for the poor of Haiti. Please save items to donate for this very worthy cause. Donations accepted Sat, June 10, 9am to 3pm; & Mon, Tues, & Wed, June 12, 13, & 14, 9am to 7pm in the gym. Items needed: gently used & new household items, furniture, baby equipment, clothing, sporting goods, toys, books, and CD's. Sorry, we cannot accept large appliances, computers, mattresses or car seats. For more info, please contact Colleen Corbett Hanlen at 314-799-5830 or alolly@aol.com. If you have questions, wish to volunteer, or want to make a monetary donation (payable to Kare Drew Haitian Children's Foundation, Inc) please contact Barbara Walz at 314-775-7789. The sale will take place on June 15, 16 and 17.

DONATE A PURSE AND HELP AN ORPHAN

Donate your gently used or new bag, wallet, jewelry or watch and help an orphan in need. *In His Hands* is a non-profit organization dedicated to orphan care and adoption support. We are currently collecting designer handbags, watches & jewelry items for our upcoming silent auction fundraiser, *Totes for Orphans*, August 3, 6-10 pm at Whitmoor Country Club. Email: Linda@InHisHandsOrphans.org or visit www.InHisHandsOrphans.org for more information.

SAVE THE DATE

Please join us for
Dinner and Dancing

The Friends of Birthright Gala
at THE RITZ-CARLTON
September 23, 2017
Cocktails at 5:30 PM
Program begins at 6:30 pm

All proceeds benefit
Birthright
Counseling
St. Louis
For more info,
please contact Joan
Arbuszewski at 636-530-7933 or
iluvvrhds@gmail.com



Pray for the Deceased

We pray for the repose of the souls of

Vincent J. Krobath, Jr.

Glennon John Woods

Jerome W. "Jerry" Friedeck
(Husband of Jackie Friedeck)

Richard G. "Bucky" Buckhold

May God welcome them home,
fill them with peace, and bless
all those who mourn their loss.

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, May 21 — Sixth Sunday of Easter

READINGS: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17
1 Peter 3:15-18
John 14:15-21

7:30 am Jean Twardowski
9:00 am People of Our Parish
11:00am Jack Uhlenbrock

MONDAY, May 22, 2017

Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

READINGS: Acts 16:11-15
John 15:26—16:4a

6:45 am Ann Geraty
8:00 am J. Rogers Vien

TUESDAY, May 23, 2017

READINGS: Acts 16:22-34
John 16:5-11

6:45 am Rev. Arthur Althoff
8:00 am Special Intention of Carol Doelling

WEDNESDAY, May 24, 2017

READINGS: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1
John 16:12-15

6:45 am June Fix
8:00 am Special Intention of Jorie O'Malley

NO 9:15am Mass today

THURSDAY, May 25, 2017

READINGS: Acts 18:1-8
John 16:16-20

6:45 am Rev. Aloysius Forst
8:00 am Jayne Walters

FRIDAY, May 26, 2017

Saint Philip Neri, Priest

READINGS: Acts 18:9-18
John 16:20-23

6:45 am Poor Souls
8:00 am Special Intention of Felix Baz-Dresch
10:00 am Special Intentions of MQP students

SATURDAY, May 27, 2017

Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

READINGS: Acts 18:23-28
John 16:23b-28

8:00 am Gordon Flack
5:00 pm Daryl Gulley

SUNDAY, May 28, 2017

Ascension of the Lord

READINGS: Acts 1:12-14
1 Peter 4:13-16
John 17:1-11a

7:30 am Dr. Robert Marklin
9:00 am Peggy Salarano
11:00 am People of Our Parish
5:00 pm Special Intention of Nancy Van Ness

MQP WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Want to know more about the
Women's League?

Send your email address to:

mqpwomenleague@earthlink.net
to be added to our email list!!

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