



Saturday	May 10 - Vigil
5:30PM	Justin Ng
Sunday	May 11 - Pentecost
7:45AM	Jenny & Orazio Maldonato
10:00AM	Hugh & Margaret Challener
12 Noon	Parishioners of St. Mary's
Monday	May 12 - Weekday
7:00AM	Theresa Serafini
8:45AM	Patricia Goodman
Tuesday	May 13 - Weekday
7:00AM	Helen Stegman
8:45AM	Apolonia & Anthony Horoszewski
Wednesday	May 14 - St. Matthias
7:00AM	Frank Louise Rivera II, James Lee & Mary Lee
8:45AM	Antonio Bussanich
Thursday	May 15 - Weekday
7:00AM	Carmella Sciarra
8:45AM	Helen & Herman Latz
Friday	May 16 - Weekday
7:00AM	Edda Malich
8:45AM	Elizabeth Lewis
7:30PM	Memorial Mass for William Ramm
Saturday	May 17 - Weekday
8:30AM	Deceased Gryszko Family
5:30PM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
Sunday	May 18 - Most Holy Trinity
7:45AM	Vucci Family
10:00AM	June Miloscia
12 Noon	Margaret Wall

In Loving Memory

The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Frances G. Schaf requested by her son, Henry and daughter, Frances.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Frances G. Schaf requested by her son, Henry and daughter, Frances.



We ask your prayers for our recently deceased parishioner Benjamin J. Intorre, Sr.

If you would like our parish to continue to pray for family, friends or loved ones who are ill and in need of prayer, please call the rectory office – 201-384-0557. We will put their names on the sick list once again and continue our prayer for them. If you want their name to be added to our Prayer Chain, please let us know that as well.

Please pray for the sick

Mariana Cardenas...Rita...George Magno...Peter Ramzi...John R. Arthur Rudolph...Susan G. Klarer... Katherine Marie Mirabile Maria Martinez...Rosa Goffi...Emily Del Vecchio Bill Bochicchio Crocetta Pidi...Anne O'Neill...Margherita Bonaldo...Marion Roe Teresa Colgan...Patricia Marino...Brian Soltas...David Storick Mary Ellen Muccarone...Valerie Kana`

Bishop John Moolachira at St. Mary's

Bishop John Moolachira, who ministered at St. Mary's as "Father John" in the summer of 2006, will be with us next Sunday, May 18, to celebrate the 7:45 Mass with us. We will have a light reception afterward in the Spiritual Formation Center. In addition to leading us in prayer, Bishop John will be asking for our financial support since he serves in a diocese in India, which is extremely poor. Whatever help you can offer is sincerely appreciated. You can make a check out to **St. Mary's**. We will then make out one check to his diocese. Please pray for Bishop John and the people of his diocese in India.

This Week

Sunday – May 11

10:00AM & 12:00Noon Masses First Communion
11:00AM-12Noon Adult RCIA SFC
11:00AM-12Noon Teen RCIA Youth Room
1:00PM-6:00PM Couples for Christ-Christian Life Program SFC
Mother's Day



Pentecost

Monday – May 12

4:30PM-5:30PM Brownies #1531 Cafeteria

Tuesday – May 13

9:30AM Parents Group B10
6:45PM & 7:30PM FHC Practice UC
7:00PM-9:00PM Adult Choir Chapel
7:30PM Catholic Daughter SFC

Wednesday – May 14

4:00PM-6:00PM Children/Bell Choir Chapel/UC
6:45PM FHC Practice UC
7:00PM OLPH Novena LC
7:00PM-9:00PM Knitters Youth Room
7:30PM Liturgical Committee Meeting
7:30PM-9:30PM Line Dancing SH

Feast of St. Matthias

Thursday – May 15

7:30PM Baptism Class SFC

Friday – May 16

7:00PM-8:30PM Yoga Class Youth Room
7:30PM Memorial Mass for William Ramm UC
7:30PM Rosary for Peace LC
7:30PM Transfiguration Talent Show SH
7:30PM Women's Spiritually Group SFC

Saturday – May 17

9:30AM Catholic War Veterans RCA
5:30PM Mass First Communion UC
Commitment Weekend
Food Collection
Armed Forces Day



Sunday – May 18

7:30AM-12:00Noon Feeding-Sisters of Charity Convent-Newark
After 7:45AM Mass Reception for Bishop John SFC
10:00AM & 12:00Noon Masses First Communion
Commitment Weekend
Food Collection



The Most Holy Trinity

Happy Mother's Day



To all the mothers, grandmothers, godmothers and guardian mothers – may the Lord bless you and keep you all the days of your life for the love that you have shared and continue to share with your children and family. We pray that Mary, the Mother of the Lord and the patroness of our parish, will intercede with her son to guide and protect all mothers and all women who fulfill that wonderful role of care and nurturing. We pray also that all mothers who now sleep with the Lord may enjoy the rewards of all the good that they did on earth.

May the Lord bless Peter, our seminarian!

Next Sunday, May 18, at 12:00 Noon, at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark, Peter Iwuala, the seminarian whom we have financially supported through out parish tithe, will be ordained a deacon for service in the Archdiocese of Newark. As Peter prepares in a special way for this final step before ordination to the priesthood in May of 2009, please ask the Lord to help Peter to continue to recognize the Lord as his companion and guide. We will let the parish know when Peter will be with us to assist as a deacon at one of our Sunday Masses.

Serving in Iraq

We ask God to keep in his care all those who are serving overseas in our armed forces, especially in Iraq or Afghanistan. They are listed below and we ask your prayers for them.

Christopher Iacobino Michael Whitford Michael Bianco
 Matthew Pareti Alicia Newball Thomas Brovarone
 James Markert Mathew Rosica James Phillips Kyle Zownir
 Brian Collins Kristine Becker Donald Dickson Danny Hilsdorf
 Edward Bryan Frago Angelica Peji John Paul McLaughlin
 Joshua M LaBazzetta James R. Melady Robert Dellner
 Walter F. Fawcett David Christopher Pierson Stefan Hutnik
 Christopher Lynch Zane Campbell Christopher Kishbach
 Robert Challenger, Jr.

If you have a relative serving in Iraq or Afghanistan, please call the rectory so that we can add his/her name and offer a prayer for him/her.

PALAD Corner

Frequently Asked Questions regarding the June 7 discernment of 4 new members of the Executive Board (EB):

Question: What is discernment?

Answer: In this context, discernment is the process of perceiving and recognizing, through the promptings of the Holy Spirit, if one is called to service in the faith community. This is carried out in a prayerful environment, with everyone open to the manifestation and gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Question: I know of someone who I believe can, and is willing to, serve in the EB. How can I get him (her) interested?

Answer: Nominate and submit your friend's name and contact information to any EB member or to the Rectory Office. An EB officer will get in touch with the person.

Question: How can I participate and get involved?

Answer: Come to the day of discernment: Saturday, June 7 at the Spiritual Formation Center, from 9:00 to 11:00 am. (Brunch will be served.) For further details, contact Tito at (201) 387-9140 or send email to palad@stmarysdumont.org.

**CARNIVAL NEWS!**

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! This is the year for a "Fantastic Carnival"

HELP US MAKE IT THE BEST! HOW?

- S SPIN THE WHEEL!
- U UNITY – VOLUNTEER!
- C CARNIVAL SPIRIT
- C COME – JOIN!
- E ENJOY!
- S SAVOR THE BOARDWALK!
- S SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!

Don't forget our **White Elephant Booth** – drop off items starting Friday, May 30th, after 12:00noon outside the gym (no clothing please). One man's unwanted items may be another's treasure!

Pre-Sale Ride Tickets are now available after each Mass and in the Rectory, Monday through Friday 9:00AM-6:00PM.

Our great **International Food Nights** will be back.

Most of all don't forget to return your **Chance Books. You have to be in it to WIN IT!**

Please volunteer your time at the **Carnival** to work at the booths. We're looking forward to seeing you there. Your help and support is greatly appreciated.

Thank you!

Mark your calendars! Vacation Bible School is coming to St. Mary's July 14th-18th!

Vacation Bible School is open to children in Pre-K through Grade 5. More information and registration forms will be available in future bulletins.

**Realizing the Dream**

Our capital campaign is moving along so well, thanks to the time that our volunteers have offered and the generosity of those who have listened and welcomed these volunteers into their homes. We have now reached a new total as of Tuesday, May 6. Thus far, **57 families** have pledged **\$215,340.00**. We continue to move forward toward our goal of at least \$1,000,000.00. Below is a list of the parish families who have said "Yes!" – **We are willing to help St. Mary's in our quest of Realizing the Dream and repairing, restoring and renovating our buildings and grounds.** Our volunteers will continue to contact our parish families so that we can explain what we need and hope to accomplish regarding our buildings and grounds and to ask families to participate in this venture. As always, we remember that we, as the present family of St. Mary's, have received from those before us the church we call our spiritual home. **As we have received with gratitude, so must we do what is necessary now to pass this home on to future generations who will come here to praise and thank our God.** Here are the families who have said, "Yes!" to **Realizing the Dream!!**

Anonymous	Abad Family
Asistin Family	Barba Family
Exequiel & Rowena Bautista	Lidia Belulovich
Barbara Berger	James & Anne Marie Bishopp
Kristen, Lauren, and Jaclyn Bishopp	Walter & Dorothea Boettger
Richard & Lynn Bon	Robert & Rosalia Callahan
William & Mary Cannon	Aida Cansino
Thomas & Jill Ciotti	Kenneth & Joan Cole
Art & Sue Conklin	Michael & Mary Daly
John Decepida	Kenny & Myra D'Silva
Elizabeth A Duffy	Ken & Nancy Florio
Grace Fray	Hollis Family
Warren & Janet Kaine	Timothy & Peggy Keating
Robert & Marge Kenter	George & Kathleen Krone
Rev. Robert G. Laferrera	Francis & Bridget Martin
Mascarelli Family	Greg & Barbara McEllen
Jeanne M. Messina	Miloscia Family
Thomas O'Brien	Nestor & Judith Olegario
Lena O'Malley	Rose O'Shea
Justina Josie Parrella	Steve & Ruth Pochini
Potenski Family	Nancy Poznanski
Tony & Cely Rosal	Amadeo Santos
John Scalice	Schreiber Family
Beverly Serafini	Sylvester Family
Al & Anne Taxter	Louis & Joan Toupin
Carmen Vicente	Helen Vilorio
John & Dory Weiss	Margaret Yu

Senior Housing Project

Below is a current timeline for the St. Mary's Senior Residence project.

October 2007 – August 2008

Receive a commitment from HUD to proceed with construction.
 Work with Borough of Dumont to obtain site and plan approvals.
 Demolish convent building.
 Select a contractor and award the contract.

September 2008 – September 2009

Complete an estimated 12 months of construction on the 50-unit housing residence.
 Make tenant applications available – tentatively on July 1, 2009 - at Dumont Borough Hall and at the residence site.

October 2009

First tenants move into their units.

We welcome the newest members of our Parish Community

Lena Elise Permuy
 Luke John Sobek
 James Thomas Kelly

James Nicholas Cicoria
 Karl Patrick Andre III
 Angelo Vittorio Czach

