

# CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION-ST. JAMES

## Mass Intentions for the Week

**SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2008 FIRST SATURDAY**  
SJ 4:00 PM Renata Stirpe

By Daughter & Family  
George Persichetti  
By Nina & Dan Gowaty  
I 5:30 PM Bill Glahn  
By Wife  
Elizabeth Daly (Anniv)  
By Family

**SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2008**  
I 7:30 AM J. Raymond Riordan  
By Warren, Connie & Christina Bechman

SJ 9:30 AM John E. Henry  
By Thomas E. Henry  
Betty, Etta & Joseph Kuhn, Sr.  
By Mary Ann & Joseph Kuhn  
I 11:00 AM Margaret Brennen  
By Daughter, Kathleen Smith  
William Piard  
By Edline Souffrant  
I 5:30 PM Mary Lea Savage  
By Mary Bedard

**MONDAY, MAY 5, 2008**  
I 6:45 AM Sam Slowinski  
By John & Michele DeMatteo  
SJ 8:00 AM Frank Rotondo Jr.  
By Babe Fabe

**TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2008**  
I 6:45 AM Ann DeUmberto  
By Vivian Micklewright & Family  
SJ 8:00 AM Americo Silvestri  
By M/M Angelo Recine

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 2008**  
I 6:45 AM Sophie Ionata (Anniv)  
By Family  
SJ 8:00 AM Anthony Poleo  
By Theresa Cammarata

**THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2008**  
I 6:45 AM Joseph Amstock  
By Susie & Jack Carney  
SJ 8:00 AM Carmen J. Severino  
By Larry LiMato

**FRIDAY, MAY 9, 2008**  
I 6:45 AM Flor Santos  
By Linda Meyer & Ellen Schissler  
SJ 8:00 AM Michelina Zangrilli  
By Maria Zangrilli  
I 9:00 AM L. William Ullrich  
School Mass By Marie & Steve Agocs

**SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2008**  
SJ 8:00 AM Jack Fabe  
By M/M Anthony Enourato  
Giuseppe & Giovannina Giancarli &  
Michelina Zangrilli  
By Donna Zangrilli  
I 9:00 AM Mary Hayman  
By Leon & Mary Hendrickson  
SJ 4:00 PM Edward Enourato  
By M/M Anthony Enourato  
I 5:30 PM Patricia J. Pizzo  
By John & Dottie Jachym

**SUNDAY, MAY 11, 2008**  
I 7:30 AM Rosemarie Nicolai (Anniv)  
By Husband John Nicolai & Family  
SJ 9:30 AM Rev. Garrett J. Fitzgerald  
By Peter & Josephine Zangrilli  
Michelina Zangrilli  
By Daughter, Nancy and Family  
I 11:00 AM Francis Trainor  
By Dr/Mrs. Bruce Bitcover  
I 5:30 PM Stella Cegielski  
By Deacon/Mrs. Frank Golazeski



*The Incarnation Sanctuary Candle burns this week*  
In Loving Memory of:  
Florence Houde  
By Debbie Smith  
*The St. James Sanctuary Candles, Bread & Wine*  
*used at Mass and Altar Flowers are:*  
In Loving Memory of:  
Bernard Petroni  
By Wife, Laurenza Palma  
& Bernadette

### MEMORIAL DATES ARE AVAILABLE

Please call the Rectory 882-2860 to reserve the Sanctuary Candle, Bread & Wine and/or the Altar Flowers. Dates OPEN:

#### St. James Campus:

June 15, 22, July 13, 27, August 24, September 21, 28, October 12, 19, 26, November 9, 16, December 21.

#### Incarnation Campus:

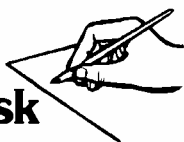
May 18, 25, June 1, 22, July 13, 27, August 24, Sept. 21, 28, October 12, 19, 26, November 9, 16, December 21, 28



### ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

Please pray for the repose of the soul of: *Tina Taglireno and Dorothy O'Grady*. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

## From the Pastor's Desk



Dear Parishioners and Friends of ISJ,

### **CHRIST IS RISEN FROM THE DEAD AND BY DEATH HAS TRAMPLED DOWN UPON THE GRAVE! Alleluia!**

With the celebration of this Sunday's Eucharist we begin the final week of this glorious Easter Season. Next Sunday is the grand finale with the coming of the Holy Spirit in wind and fire. This past Thursday, Ascension Day, we celebrated the end of the earthly life of Jesus, a life that began in Bethlehem's Crib and ended on Calvary's Cross. For nearly thirty-three years Jesus walked among us, curing the sick, raising the dead, showing us the Way, the Truth and the Life. Sunday after Sunday we walk with Him the dusty roads of Jerusalem and follow Him step by step as He slowly makes His way to the Cross.

The Easter Mystery that we have been celebrating these past 90 days, since the beginning of Great Lent, is the very center-piece of the Life of Jesus. Every thought, word and action of Jesus was under the sorrowful shadow of the Cross. Even when the Church celebrates the great Feast of Christmas in all its glory, the Cross is never far away. Every Sunday Gospel no matter what time in the Church Year it is read, in some way points to the Passion, Death and Resurrection. As the Second Vatican Council reminds us in its historic decree on the Liturgy, every Sunday is Easter, a little Easter, to be more precise. Every eight days we celebrate again and again the dying and rising of Christ to new life.

This last week of Easter we prepare ourselves frequently and reverently for the outpouring of the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity, the Holy Spirit. Beginning this past Friday, the day following the Ascension and ending this coming Saturday, the original Novena was prayed by the early followers of Jesus. During these nine days, Our Blessed Lady and the Apostles prayed that the promise of Jesus to send Another in His place would all take place. So this Sunday after the Ascension and before the Feast of Pentecost forms a transition, as it were, for our lives to be lived without the physical presence of the Lord Jesus. He has gone from our sight, not to return until as we pray Sunday after Sunday in the Creed "... when He will come in glory to judge the living and the dead."

The many weeks after Pentecost until the beginning of Advent in late November or early December point us in two ways: to the Easter Mystery and also the anticipation of the Lord's coming again in glory. All of the prayer, fasting and works of charity done during the Lenten Season that bore such wonderful fruit during the days of Easter, now fully ripen under the warming sun of the Holy Spirit. The Summer and Fall Seasons are full of references to the Second Coming of Jesus as the Church returns to Ordinary Time or the Season after Pentecost. This wonderful cadence of time, of one festival after another, propels us one day into the very arms of God. And, after all, is this not the reason for our life here on earth as the Baltimore Catechism reminds us: "to know, love and serve God in this life and to be happy with Him in the next." There always is a bit of sadness when we leave the great Feasts of the Liturgy such as Christmas and Easter. Everything seems so drab and monotonous without the excitement and preparation of the Liturgical Festivals. But we have scaled the heights of the Church Year and have seen everything in the light of Jesus rising from the dead and nothing can ever be the same again. So on this in between Sunday, we thank God for all that He has given to us during this Lenten and Easter Season and look forward to what He shall give. As St. Paul writes: "Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love Him." How really wonderful God is to us!!!

Yesterday, we had the joy of celebrating First Communion with our sons and daughters. I'm sure we all wish we could bottle all that innocence and enthusiasm for about twenty-five years and then uncork it!!! How beautiful our children were and how proud they made us feel. May every encounter with Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar be as special and holy as their first.

Today, on this Sunday following the Ascension, we honor Our Blessed Lady following the 11AM Mass with Her Rosary and crowning as we begin the month of May, a month especially dear to Her. Remember when we were children in school and every classroom would vie with the other on who had the best May Shrine? Remember bringing in flowers wrapped in aluminum foil at the base and putting them into the vases at the foot of Our Lady's Statue? And what Eighth Grade girl would be picked to crown the Statue? Chances are she wore her mother's yellowed wedding gown for the occasion. What precious memories we hold deep in our hearts.

May this coming week burn brightly with the light of the Holy Spirit as we await His coming in wind and in fire.

*"Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful with the fire of Your Love!"*

*In the Love of Jesus Risen  
from the dead,  
Father Daniel, O.S.S.T.*

**INCARNATION-ST. JAMES LAY MINISTRIES**

**Saturday, May 10, 2008**

- 4:00 PM Reader: Dan Gowaty  
EMHC: Deacon Joe Hannawacker,  
Jo. & Je. Maruca
- 5:30 PM Reader: Diana Ionata  
EMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, C. Funari,  
K. Golazeski, D. Sapp, M. Tovar

**Sunday, May 11, 2008**

- 7:30 AM Reader: Prayther Denson  
EMHC: L. & P. Brennan, C. Rudnick, Deacon  
Joe Hannawacker
- 9:30 AM Reader: Theresa Cammarata  
EMHC: Deacon Frank Golazeski, Ja. & Je.  
Alessi
- 11:00 AM Reader: Ron Prykanowski  
EMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, C. Davis, M.  
Delaney, Tim Rivella
- 5:30 PM Reader: Bob Gordon  
EMHC: Deacon Tom Rivella, M. & B. Seaman

**Remember the Sick in Your Prayers....**

Daniel Adams, Lucille Altamare, Mary Aveni, Lucy Boczany, Theresa Puca-Bond, Rose Bonifazi, Margaret Ann Bruno, Lillian Bulanowski, Eileen Byrne, Steve Cebulko, Claire & Ugo Cesaro, McKenna Codd, Jean DelVecchio, Blanche DiFalco, Richard Dotter, Tom Dzubek, Marie Emma, Eileen Fell, Rennie Funari, Josephine Geraci, David Gillico, Constance Gizzi, Sharon Gizzi, Jennie Gliottone, Vincent Guagliardo, Dorothy Kalnas, Barbara Kelly, Joseph Kelly, Mary Lanzoni, Rogelio Lopera, Frances Malick, Jeanette Marasco, Nicholas Matteo, Joseph Minotti, Terry Moulton, Eileen Meagher, Bill McKnight, Marie Morello, Helene Mule, Samuel Nalbhone, Frances Nardone, Pia Paul, Bernice Pearre, Helen Persichetti, Laura Petroni, Wilson Piard, Amanda Radice, Kathleen Reed, Dolores Rogers, Fena Romano, Grace Rossi, Carol Salender, Maureen Scibilia, Florence Sperazza, Tina Taglireno, Barbara Taunitas, Liliane Tocatlian, Herman Upstein, Joseph Vocheck, Theresa Wilde, Imelda Wollert and Nicholas Zuccarello.

Please call the parish office at 609-882-2860 to add a name to the prayer list and inform us when all is well so we may take a name off the list.



**COLLECTION FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 26-27, 2008**

**TOTAL: \$10,086.00**

**The Catholic Home Mission Collection amounted to \$1,545.00.  
Thank you for your generosity.**

*Thank you for your ongoing Catholic Stewardship and support of our Incarnation - St. James Parish Family. Nothing can be done without you, your participation and generosity in time, spirit and financial support.*

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

Religious Education Classes will be held this Monday evening from 6:30-7:45 p.m. Please have the children on time.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Remember to return your Re-Registration form for the 2008-2009 school year so we may place your child/ren in the CCD Program for next year. Please contact our Director of Faith Formation, Sister Mary Ellen Diehl IHM, if you have any questions at 609-882-8989.



**ISJ SCHOOL NEWS**

**[www.isjschool.org](http://www.isjschool.org)**

**What's New at ISJ?**

**PRE-K PLAY DAYS:** Wednesdays in May (7<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>) the Preschool will be bustling with activity as they open their classroom up to potential students for the Fall. **Pre-K Play Days** is a drop-off program open to children who will turn 4 by September 30<sup>th</sup>, and features story time, play time, healthy snack time, activities and fun with our Preschool teachers and students! Program runs from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. each Wednesday in May. Cost is only \$20! Seating is limited, so call the school at 609-882-3228 to register today!

**Want to See More? [www.isjschool.org](http://www.isjschool.org)**

Check out the Principal's weekly podcast for more news and pictures of what ISJ students are doing each month!

**ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY**

**TODAY**

The **Annual May Crowning** to honor Mary, our Blessed Mother. Following the 11:00 a.m. Mass, gather at the circle by the Church. You are most welcomed to participate.

**NEXT WEEK**

Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 p.m. – The Monthly Meeting will take place at Incarnation. Plan now to attend.

Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 a.m. – Join us for our One-Day Retreat for ladies of the Parish. The bus leaves from the Pennington Road Fire House parking lot for the Stella Maris Retreat Center Elberon, NJ.

- Father Daniel will celebrate Mass.
- Retreat fee, morning refreshments, lunch, and transportation are included in the \$50.00 cost.
- Reservations are necessary by May 7<sup>th</sup>.
- Please call Claire, 609-883-1111.

**ATLANTIC CITY – SHOWBOAT**

The Rosary Altar Society is sponsoring a bus trip to the Showboat on May 18, 2008. Bus leaves the Incarnation Campus parking lot at 1:00 p.m. and returns approximately 11:00 p.m. The cost is \$25.00 per person and you receive back \$20.00 in coin.

Hope you can join in the fun!

**RESERVATIONS: ANNE PATRONE 883-7317**

**SENIORS CLUB**

The Incarnation-St. James Senior's Club meets the First and Third Wednesday's at 1:00 p.m. in St. James Trinity Hall. All seniors are welcome to come and join in the fun. Membership is \$12.00 per year. One meeting per month a lunch is planned. We also invite guest speakers and sponsor bus trips throughout the year. Speak with June LiMato our President for more info on joining. Our next meeting is Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>!

The Incarnation-St. James Senior's Club is planning a bus trip! Don't miss it! Climb aboard as we travel to **Villa Roma Resort** in Callicoon, New York. The Date is September 8-12, 2008. The cost per person is \$500.00 and price includes All meals, tips, room, shows and bus. What are ya waiting for call Connie Fanelli today to make your reservation at 609-585-0575. These trips fill up fast so pick up that phone now.

**SENIOR SPIRITUALITY DAY – MERCER COUNTY**

Who: Older Catholic Adults  
What: A day of Spirituality, Entertainment, Education and Socializing  
When: Wednesday, May 21, 9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.  
Where: Our Lady of Good Counsel, W. Trenton.  
Why: To Celebrate Life!  
Lunch is included!

Please register by calling Sister Mary Simon Robb, RSM at 609-406-7400 ext. 5594.

Senior Spirituality Day is funded by: Bishop's Annual Appeal.

**MAY IS THE MONTH TO REMEMBER OUR MOTHER'S**

Mother's Day remembrance cards are available in the pews at both Church worship sites. If you would like to remember your mother, Living or Deceased please take a card. Please complete and return the envelope with your remembrances. The Envelopes will be placed at the Tabernacle for the month of May. Please return your request by April 30<sup>th</sup> by dropping in the collection basket or take/mail to the parish office at 1545 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618.

**MOUNT CARMEL GUILD ...THANK YOU**

Since 1920, Mount Carmel Guild has been a beacon of hope by helping families in need and caring for the frail elderly in their own homes.

Your support allows us to live our motto:

*"With reverence to God and respect for human dignity, we serve."*

With a special thank you, your intentions will be remembered in our prayers.

Thank you and God bless you for your generous donations of Food and financial support. Sister Margaret Donahue, on behalf of the Staff. Containers are located at all Church entrances to receive your non perishable food items.



**Please join us**

**Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup> for the Parish  
Crowning of the  
Blessed Mother  
following the 11:00 a.m. Mass at  
Incarnation  
in the circle.**

**(if weather permits, otherwise in the church)**

**AND**

**Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup> for the  
Incarnation-St. James School  
Crowning of the Blessed Mother  
in the Incarnation Prayer Garden  
following the 9:00 a.m.  
School Mass.**

**(if weather permits, otherwise in the church)**

**All are welcome to participate in our  
May Devotions to our Blessed Mother.**





Stella Maris Retreat Center  
Stella Maris Retreat Center is sponsored  
by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Peace

INCARNATION-ST. JAMES ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY INVITES THE LADIES OF OUR PARISH TO...  
A ONE DAY RETREAT FOR WOMEN

COME AND ENJOY A FEW HOURS BY THE SEA TO BE RENEWED AND ENRICHED

OUR THEME FOR THE DAY IS:  
THERE IS SOMETHING ABOUT MARY  
A DAY OF CELEBRATION OF MARY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 2008

10:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.



Mary continues to capture the heart and imagination of many people of good will. Some theologians think that today Mary's influence can affect us in additional ways. Come to this day of presentation prayer and procession and join with others to honor this woman of strength, courage and insight. A lovely dinner is included.

#### **PRESENTERS**

Sister Honora Werner, OP is a Caldwell Dominican sister who is currently in leadership in her community. She has degrees in theology, music and education and has taught Homiletics at St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore. She comes with insight, depth, and wisdom and a deep love of Mary.

Laura Finucan, OPA is a Caldwell Dominican Associate and an accomplished musician, counselor and retreat presenter. She will add her gifts to the day.

We will meet at the Pennington Road Fire House parking lot at 7:45 a.m. our Charter Bus will take us to Elberon, NJ for our day by the Sea. We will arrive to a coffee reception, enjoy spiritual conferences, quiet time, a delicious lunch, afternoon talk and Liturgy.

The cost per person is \$50.00 and includes the Retreat, Lunch and Transportation. Deadline for reservations 5/07/08. Limited to 47. To reserve your seat call Claire at 609-883-1111.



### **ISJ Rosary Altar One Day Retreat for Women – THERE IS SOMETHING ABOUT MARY**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL # ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED @50.00 PER PERSON \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to ISJ Rosary Altar Society, take or mail to 1545 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 or drop in the collection basket in an envelope marked One Day Retreat. Please call Claire at 883-1111 to reserve your seat.

LIMITED TO 47 PASSENGERS

PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATION BY MAY 7, 2008