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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 🖷 MAY 11, 2014

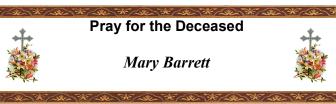
Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, N	lay 10, 2014
8:00 am +	• Michael Spagnuolo, Req. Holy Family
	Religious Ed.
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
SUNDAY, May	
	 Lottie Knapp & Theresa Kelly, Req. Bill & Marlene Kelly
	- Grace Leo, Req. Daughter
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
	- Mary Coffey, Req. Son, John
	Bernadette Severe, Req. Family
NO 5:00 P.M.	
MONDAY, May	
	Purgatorial Society
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
TUESDAY, Ma	•
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
	 Alfred Lucas, Req. Wife
WEDNESDAY,	
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
	- Peter Konopko, Req. The Seery Family
THURSDAY, M	
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
	- Guiseppe Caterino, Req. Wife & Family
FRIDAY, May	
	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
SATURDAY, N	
8:00 am +	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
	- Unborn
5:00 pm +	 Josephine DeSimone, Req. Family
+	- Carmen Barreto, Req. Jim Kenney
SUNDAY, May	18, 2014
7:30 am 🕂	 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
+	Frances Alesia, Req. Mr. & Mrs. R. Polo
9:00 am +	· Gene & Johanna Parsons,
	Req. Petrizzo Family
	 Anna Kofoed, Req. Joan Chasey
	 Anthony Palermo, Req. Family
	- Saint Lucy, Req. Catherine Mele
	- Jean Rahm, Req. The Ubriaco Family
+	Frank & Clara Slater, Req. Frank Slater









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First Reading: Acts 2:14a, 36-41

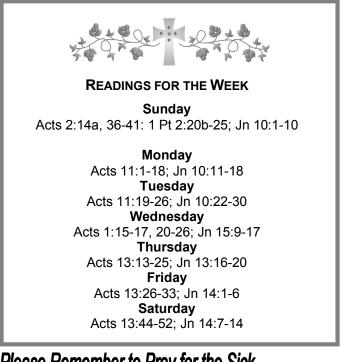
With great authority, Peter proclaims to the people that the Christ who was crucified is indeed the Messiah. Urging them to reform and be baptized in the name of Christ, three thousand responded to his words and were baptized.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 2:20b-25

This is a strong exhortation from Peter to the people to endure suffering for Christ as he did for them. Healed by his wounds, they have "returned to the shepherd."

Gospel: John 10:1-10

Christ uses the beautiful image of the shepherd to describe his care for his sheep. He also says he is the sheepgate and promises that "Whoever enters through me will be safe."



Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Patricia Verbovsky, Patrick Piserchia, George Valania, Sr, Fr. Joseph Mary Kavuma & Parishioners, Grace Wojcik, Kevin Kret, Jack Sitty, Florence Kulikowski, Luis Alvarado, Luis Cruz, Rodney Lirazan, The Watson & Whittaker Families.

RECENTLY ILL: Bernard Fahey, Pamela Risser, Sean Clayton Jr., Simplicio Dionisio, Paul McGinnis, Michael DeAngelo, Christopher Lackner, Danny Smith, Christina & Charlotte Gallagher, May Jurecki, Jean Murphy, Arthur Czech.

Dear Parishioners,



The Church teaches that the suffering and dying should be treated with respect and care because they are members of Christ's body, and as such, they participate in the suffering and death of Christ. The Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and the

Holy Eucharist ("Holy Communion") are rites the Church uses to help the faithful prepare for death.

The Church encourages people to prepare for the hour of their deaths. The ancient Litany of the Saints contains the petition, "From a sudden and unforeseen death, deliver us, O Lord." St. Joseph is the patron saint of the happy death, and in the Hail Mary Catholics beseech Mary to "pray for us now and at the hour of our death."

Fr. Mark

A Christian Can Never Be Sad

"Do not be men and women of sadness; a Christian can never be sad! Never give way to discouragement! Ours is a joy not of having many possessions but from having encountered a Person: Jesus, in our midst. It is born from knowing that with him we are never alone, even at difficult moments, even when our life's journey comes up against difficult problems and obstacles that seem insurmountable, and there are so many of them!" - Pope Francis

(Homily, St. Peter's Square, Vatican City, Palm Sunday, March 24, 2013)

Ministry Schedule Weekend of May 17 & 18 Serving at the Altar

	5:00 P.M.	7:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
	Brian Healey	Brian Mocarski	Stephanie Abrams
	Gabriella Malinconico Mia Malinconico	Charles Penszynski Luke Quinn	Jenna DelMasto
ł	11:00 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	Philip Walsh
	11:00 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	
	Nicholas Gates	Eddie Reash	
	Aiden Mulvey	Faith Reash	
	Kyle Mulvey	Volunteer Needed	

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 P.M.	F. Verbovsky	M. Bentley, M. Christopher,				
		T. Healey, E. Malinconico				
7:30 A.M.	B. Picardi	E. Cassidy, A. Gallo,				
		S. Quinn, L. Robinson				
9:00 A.M.	S. Bauer	C. Abrams, V. Abrams,				
		K. Duffy, M. Gross				
11:00 A.M.	D. Mulvey	D. Javins, D. Karpinski,				
		C. Piserchia, G. Rotella				
5:00 P.M.	T. Mathias	T. Aiken, L. Lonnay,				
		F. Maysonet, J. Reash				

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



Residents of Regency Park enjoyed a morning of dying eggs on Good Friday with our Youth Ministry. Youth ministry members pictured above left to right are: Mariah Dean, Luke Quinn, and Annalisa Leite.

Collection for Youth Conference Promoted Change May 17 & 18

Our high school youth ministry will be collecting donations after Mass for the Youth Conference Promoted Change which will be held in Uganda this summer.

LOST & FOUND

If you think you may have left something behind in the church/chapel, please contact the parish office.

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Last Week – May 4 1st Collection – Weekly \$6255 2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment \$1569 <u>This Week – May 11</u> 1st Collection – Weekly

2nd Collection – Programs & Facilities

<u>Next Week – May 18</u>

1st Collection – Weekly

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2nd Collection – Programs & Facilities

HOLY ROSARY Monday Evenings in May

All are invited to come and pray the Holy Rosary every Monday evening in May beginning at 7 P.M. in front of the Holy Family Shrine (large parking lot outside). We will pray for peace and all children of the world born and unborn. This is being sponsored by our St. Vincent de Paul Society.

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH MAY CROWNING & PROCESSION SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2014

Holy Family Parish honored our Blessed Mother during the May Crowning and Procession at the 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday May 4th. Our First Holy Communion children participated in the procession along with the Altar & Rosary Society of Holy Family, and the Knights of Columbus,



Keyport council.

Crowning our Lady was Kathy Duffy, President of the Altar & Rosary Society, and assisting our crowner were Corinne Kelleher and Joseph Matone (pictured right)..



Mother Teresa Regional NEWS

MTRS Summer Scholars Program offers a variety of camps to students in PreK-8th grade. Most camps are \$75 for the week. Morning and afternoon sessions are available. Campers do not need to attend MTRS. Please visit <u>www.mtregional.com</u> or call the school office (732-291-1050 ext. 110) for more information.

HELP WANTED Part-Time Music Director/Organist

Over the next several weeks Holy Family Church will be seeking to employ a part-time music director/organist. We ask for our parishioners' prayers that we will find someone who will suitably fill this very important ministry. Anyone seeking more information regarding this matter is asked to contact our parish business manager Grace Fagan at 732-264-1484.

Rachel's Vineyard Upcoming Retreat – May 16 – 18

Do you live with the pain of an abortion? Even though you may feel this could never be understood or forgiven, there is hope in Christ. Rachel's Vineyard is a weekend retreat for post-abortive men and women. It is a beautiful opportunity for healing and reconciliation for any man or woman who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. Our retreats are held at the Archdiocesan Retreat Center, 499 Belgrove Dr., Kearny, NJ 07032. You will be made to feel at home, comforted, and loved. To register contact Cheryl Riley 973-497-4350 or email rileych@rcan.org.

Save the Date – June 7, 2014 Charismatic Rally and Retreat Day Great Auditorium, Ocean Grove

The Catholic Charismatic Renewal in the Diocese of Trenton is co-hosting a Multicultural Day of Prayer and Worship: "All Together in One Place" (Acts 2:1) at the beautiful Great Auditorium, Ocean Grove, NJ, featuring Keynote Speaker Fr. Bill Halbing, nationally renowned Charismatic Conference Leader and Speaker. The day will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Registrations will begin at 8 a.m. Cost for the day: Adults \$10 and children \$5. Bring your own lunch. There will also be an optional Son-Rise Prayer Service at 7 a.m. Bishop O'Connell will celebrate Mass.



Holy Family Parish

P.R.E.P. (Parish Religious Education Program) **NEWS**

First Holy Communion



Holy Family Parish celebrated the sacrament of First Holy Communion

Saturdav last May 3rd. Our Pastor Fr. Mark Devlin was the main celebrant.



The children prepared beautiful banners which were hung throughout the church celebration. Pictured left Alessia Ausiello prepares to read the second reading. Seventy children in all received their First

Holy Communion. Special thanks to all who assisted in the preparations for this special day!

P.R.E.P. **RE-REGISTRATIONS**

Parents with children in our religious education program received their re-registration forms by hand from their children for the 2014-2015 school year. Please make any necessary corrections, SIGN and return the form, including the non-refundable registration fee, or promissory note by May 29, 2014: SIGNED registrations ONLY will be accepted, for each child. DO NOT MAIL REGISTRATION TO THE SCHOOL use P.O. BOX ONLY. You may also drop it off to our SCHOOL office (Front door, ring bell) May 5th thru June 30th, <u>call for hours</u>. CLOSED FRIDAYS Fees increase June 2nd thru June 30th. Absolutely no re-registrations will be taken after June 30. Your child will have to wait for the 2015-16 year. NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN BY PHONE.

Re-registrations Continued:

Classes begin on Tuesday September 16th or Wednesday, September 17th 2014, or shortly thereafter, depending on your child's grade. First grade begins Sunday, October 5, 2014. No other notice will be sent home to you. Class assignments will be posted on those days. PLEASE READ YOUR

LETTERS CAREFULLY!

NEW REGISTRANTS

To register NEW STUDENTS in our religious education program, the following requirements must be met:

- 1. Family MUST first be registered in Holy Family parish, at the rectory.
- Registration (in person) at the religious education 2. office (At school).
- 3. Copy of baptismal certificate for each child (even if baptized at Holy Family).
- 4. A non-refundable registration fee as stated below for each child:

1 CHILD \$100 **2 CHILDREN \$150 3 OR MORE CHILDREN \$180.00**

- A referral letter (proof of attendance) is required 5. from a former parish for students transferring to our parish.
- Grades 3 through 8 must also present proof of other 6. sacraments they have made.
- 7. The normal time to begin religious education is the year your child begins first grade.

REGISTRATION DATES & HOURS: May 5th thru June 30th call for office hours . OFFICE IS CLOSED FRIDAYS. Call 732-264-7043



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Prayer to the Mother of the Lord for all mothers

Mary, on this day when we honor all mothers, we turn to you. We thank, the <u>Lord</u> whom you serve for the great gift of motherhood. Never has it been known that anyone who sought your *intercession* was left unaided by

grace. Dear Mother, thank you for your "Yes" to the invitation of the angel which brought heaven to earth and changed human history. You opened yourself to God's word and the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

Dear mother, intercede for all of our mothers. Ask your Divine Son to give them the grace of surrendered love so that they could join with you in giving their own "Fiat." May they find daily <u>strength</u> to say yes to the call to the sacrificial love- the very heart of the vocation of motherhood. May their love and <u>witness</u> be a source of great inspiration for all of us called to follow your Son.

On this Mothers day, Mother of the Word Incarnate, pray for us who have recourse to you...

In the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

A	Holy Family Parish	H
L	Catholic High School	0
Т	Scholarship	L
A	ATTENTION	Y
R	8 th Grade Students entering Catholic High School in September 2014	N
æ	Holy Family Parish's Altar & Rosary and Holy Name Societies are awarding a \$1500 scholarship to a deserving 8 th grade student meeting the following criteria:	A
R	• Must be a registered member of Holy Family Parish	E
0	Must be entering a Catholic high school in September 2014	
S	To be considered, please submit the following to the "Holy Family Parish Catholic High School Scholarship Committee",	S
A	P.O. Box 56, Keyport, NJ 07735.	C
R	 Name Address Telephone Number 	C
Y	 Date of Birth Name of Catholic high school attending in September 2014 A personal statement with information about your community service, 	Ι
S	 leadership ability or any volunteer activities you have participated in. 7. An essay of 250-words or less on "Why it is important for me to receive a Catholic high school education". 	E
0	Applications MUST be received by June 13, 2014. Please include your name, address, telephone number and date of birth on a SEPARATE sheet of paper All	T Y
С	address, telephone number and date of birth on a SEPARATE sheet of paper. All essays will be judged anonymously by the Scholarship Committee on the basis of originality and content. The winning entry will be selected with the approval of the	
I	Pastor. DO NOT type or sign your name to the personal statement or essay to ensure the	
E	anonymity of your entry. Scholarship will be paid directly to the school of choice.	
T	Questions may be directed to Sam Fortino, 732-739-2442	
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