

Let's Celebrate!!

First Annual Keys & Roses Award Banquet

You are cordially invited to attend our Parish *First Keys & Roses Award Banquet* on **Friday January 18, 2019 at 6:30 PM** at the Resorts Casino & Hotel in Atlantic City. Featuring Cocktails, Live Band Music, Dinner, Awards, Dancing and lots of fun!! The proceeds from this elegant *formal* affair will benefit the Parish of St. Gianna in Northfield, New Jersey.

Keys and Roses Story: First of all the name. The *Keys* are the symbol of St. Peter, one of our Holy Patrons since St. Peter's Church in Pleasantville merged with St. Bernadette Church back in 2009 to form St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish. *The yellow roses* represent St. Bernadette and *the red roses* represent St. Gianna.

Fr. Anthony J. Manuppella has launched this premier event to recognize individuals and friends for their extraordinary contribution and selfless dedication to the Parish of St. Gianna. This accolade celebrates those among us with attributes of vision and character that rise above the norm through their past and present service to the Church.

The 2018 Keys and Roses Honorees: Father Anthony J. Manuppella, Pastor of St. Gianna Parish, will present the Keys and Roses Award to **Mr. Anthony Mazzeo** and **Mrs. Rosemary O'Dowd**. Both honorees are long time Parishioners who have always worked tirelessly for the good of our Parish.

The 2018 Caritas Awards: In conjunction with our Keys and Roses Award, Father Anthony J. Manuppella will grant two Caritas Awards to two people, not necessarily Parishioners, who have gone above and beyond the call of duty to be charitable to St. Gianna Parish. The Caritas Award will be granted to **Mrs. Donna Fox** and **Mrs. Jill Slotoroff**.

Mrs. Donna Fox, Parishioner of St. Gianna, has been extraordinarily generous to the Parish in the restoration of the Parish Church. She recognizes the importance of beauty in our Catholic churches and thereby has contributed over \$200,000 in helping to accomplish the restoration and beautification in our Church and Parish plant.

Mrs. Jill Slotoroff, whose husband and son are Medical Doctors, donated to the Parish, the Doctor's office located on 1500 New Road. She was so impressed by our Christmas Tree display and our 4:30 pm Christmas Eve Children Mass last year that she was inspired to generously give the house to the Parish.

We will name the house "**CRAIG HOUSE**" in honor of her deceased son, who died at the young age of 40 and was a Urologist.

Tickets for the Keys and Roses Award Banquet are \$125 per person. The featuring menu is posted below.



**St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish
Dinner/Dance**

Cocktail Hour

Selection of Butler Passed Bites to Include:

Tomato & Mozzarella Bruschetta

Clams Casino

Capriccio Meatball Slider

Coconut Shrimp Shooters

Seared NY Strip, Caramelized Onion, Chimichurri, Bleu Cheese, Crostini

Three Course Sit Down Dinner

First Course: Salad

Traditional Caesar Salad

Crisp Romaine Leaves, Shaved Parmesan Cheese, Focaccia Croutons

Second Course: Entrée

8oz Filet Mignon

Roasted Fingerling Potatoes, Asparagus

Breadsticks & Pretzel Rolls

Chili oil & whipped herb butter

Vegetarian Option: Mushroom Risotto

Third Course: Dessert

Duet of Chocolate Mousse Cake & New York Style Cheese Cake

Coffee, Tea, Decaf Coffee, Iced Tea

Table Side Wine Service with Dinner

Cash Bar

\$125.00 per Person

If you wish to make a reservation please fill out the form below and send it to the Parish Office by mail or can be dropped in a collection basket on any Sunday up to and including Sunday, January 13, 2019. If you wish, you may reserve a table for 10 people for family and friends.

RESERVATION FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS: _____

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