

## **MAY CROWNING IN SCRANTON**

**by**

**Judy Soma**

On Sunday, May 6th 2012, the Daughters of Saint Ann, the youth sodality of Saint Ann Maronite Church in Scranton, PA performed the May Crowning of the Blessed Mother. They were assisted by the girls who had just received their First Holy Communion.

The May Queen was Prefect Sarah Nicole Wheeler who wore a long white gown and a blue satin cape and carried a bouquet of Madonna Lilies and white roses. Vice-Prefect Rebecca Abdo carried a bouquet of pink roses. Each girl wore a white dress and carried a white rose to present to the Blessed Mother. The youngest member, Lena Ligorio, carried the crown of roses on a blue satin pillow.

The May Court included: Lucy Abdalla, Rebecca Abdo, Katherine Harding, Gemma Hashem, Ava Hazzouri, Natasha Hazzouri, Anna Ligorio, Lena Ligorio, Ava Russo, Ava Tayoun, Angelina Wheeler and Sarah Wheeler. The traditional event was coordinated by the group's moderator, Judy Soma.