

Mother Cabrini Church

214 North Shamokin Street

Shamokin, PA, 17872

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Website:

<http://www.revivingtogether.com/>

Twenty-Fourth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
September 11, 2022



Mother Cabrini Friary

Fr. Martin Kobos, OFM Conv., Pastor

Friar Nicholas Spano, OFM Conv., Pastor
of Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick Churches

Friar Teodoro Neculaes, Parochial Vicar

Friar Timothy Geiger, In Residence

Cabrini Parish Staff

Deacon Robert Wislock, Pastoral Associate

Ann Marie Drust, Parish Secretary/Cemetery Coordinator

Jim Yost, Maintenance

Dennis Bobber, Music Director

Mary Gillam, Religious Education Coordinator



Cabrini Mass Schedule

Weekends: Saturday, 4PM Vigil – Sunday: 7AM, 8:45AM & 11AM

Masses: Monday through Saturday, 8AM

Holy Days of Obligation: As Announced

Cabrini Confessions

Tuesday and Thursday: 7:30 to 7:50AM

Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45PM

Mass Intentions for the Week



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 – Vigil Mass
4PM ++Clara & Ed McAlanis by Anita Shaffer

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
8:45AM +Emilie Kanaskie by Mary Ann & Paul
11AM +Deceased Members of Cort Family
by Bolick Family

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
Twenty-Fourth Monday in Ordinary Time
8AM +Emma Alice Kerstetter by David Dehoutaint

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
St. John Chrysostom
8AM +Joseph E. Knapik by Daughter, Joy

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
8AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15
Our Lady of Sorrows
8AM +Lee C. Patrick by Wife, Sandy

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
Sts, Cornelius & Cyprian
8AM ++Sophia & Frank Smulski by Daughter, Sandy

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17
Twenty-Fourth Saturday in Ordinary Time
8AM +Anna Knapik by Daughter, Joy
4PM +Eleanor Olcese by Daughter, Sue &
Granddaughters

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM +Joseph E. Knapik by Daughter, Joy
8:45AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
11AM +Cecelia Soubik by Son, John Soubik



TEMPORARY PARISH OFFICE HOURS
BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1st

Until further notice, beginning September 1st, the parish office hours for Thursdays & Fridays will be **9AM to 2:30PM**

Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Celebration of 60th Anniversary of Class of 1962 from Lourdes Regional

Mass Candles/Bread & Wine

In Celebration of Nancy & David's 40th Wedding Anniversary by Children

Tabernacle Candles & Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Joseph & Anna Knapik by Daughter, Joy

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .

In Memory of Jeanne Kerstetter by Husband, Doc

Friary Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Tristan Badman by Grandmother, Darlene Snyder

Collection Totals for the Weekend of September 4, 2022

Offertory:	\$4,828.00
Votives:	130.00
Religious Education:	677.00
Parish Dues:	239.00
Miscellaneous:	275.00
Total:	\$6,149.00
Franciscan Missions:	\$ 57.00
Peter's Pence:	\$ 45.00

Remember, the Bill-Collector

Always Shows Up!!



When circumstances prevent you from attending Mass on a particular weekend, please remember to bring and add your offertory envelopes to the following week's collection. The parish builds its annual budget based on projected income and projected expenses. Shortfalls in any weekend collection income strains our ability to pay our regular occurring parish bills. Thank you and God bless all who support their parish, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health and whether in town or not!

We Welcome our New Parochial Vicar, Fr. Theodore Neculaes, OFM Conv.

Fr. Theodore shares the following with us. . .

I will be 43 years old on September 9, 2022. I'm from Luncasi which is a small village in Romania and where my parents are living a peaceful life. I have only a sister that has been working in Germany for a year.

I decided to be a Franciscan friar when I was 14 years old and I started my formation at our seminary in Romania in 1984. After my ordination on June 29, 2009, I worked in Romania for four years. For another 7 years, I worked in Italy in three beautiful cities: Rovereto, Padua, and Venice. It was a very beautiful experience because I learned a new language, met new people, and worked hard. I went back to Romania for a year and I prepared my documents to get a visa for the US in 2020. Last year, I came to the US and studied English in Northampton, Massachusetts for 10 months and lived in Holyoke (MA) during all this period of time.

During my June vacation in Romania, I was assigned to Mother Cabrini in Shamokin and Our Lady of Hope in Coal Town and St. Patrick Churches. I am looking forward to my ministries here in the Coal Region. I'm still learning English and I need your help to improve it. I will gladly accept any correction and I hope that my English can be enough to serve and to be useful to this community. Thank you for your understanding and I hope to work great together.

 **Mother Cabrini
Music Ministry**
Your Parish needs your time and talent, to help lead sung prayer or play an instrument. Call the Parish Office 570 648 4512 or Dennis 570-394-0143 or email Dennis at bobberdt@gmail.com for more info!

Exercise your "Will Power"

Help provide for the future of our parish.
Remember Mother Cabrini Church in your will.

Farewell to Fr. Martin: Fr. Martin will be leaving for his new assignment in Kensington, Connecticut the last week of September.

Reminder that Father's farewell dinner will be held on Sunday, September 18th at the Brady Banquet Hall for all those who replied to attend.

PLEASE NOTE: Father Martin's last weekend Mass here at Mother Cabrini Church will be celebrated at the 11AM Mass on Sunday, September 25th.



MOTHER CABRINI CHICKEN BBQ AT THE CABRINI SHED

(Corner of Race & Cherry Streets)
Sunday, October 9th

11AM to 1PM - Donation \$11.00

Dinner includes ½ chicken,
baked potato, baked beans, roll
and a "sweet".

Tickets can be purchased at the parish office during office hours or by calling 570-648-4512. (Take-Out orders only).

Limited number of chicken halves will be available for purchase.



St. Francis Beneficial Society Memorial Mass

Sunday, October 2nd – 8:45AM.

If you see Father Theodore,
wish him a Happy Birthday
(September 9th)



IMPORTANT:

Religious Education & Sacrament Preparation

Registration for the Religious Education and Sacrament Programs was held on Sunday, August 7, 2022. If you were not able to attend the registration, please stop at Our Lady of Hope Parish Office Monday or Tuesday from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM or Wednesday from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM to register. The fee for registration is \$30.00/child.

First Penance/Communion and Confirmation Candidates can also register at the above times.

Any child that will be in 2nd grade and has completed 1 year of Religious Education or attended 1st grade at Lourdes, will be eligible to register. Confirmation candidates in grade 6th and also 7th or 8th grade students that were not registered last year are required to register. Students must complete 3 years of Confirmation Preparation in order to receive the Sacrament. There is a registration fee of \$30.00 for new registrations to cover books, supplies etc.

**Please call Our Lady of Hope Parish Office if
you have any questions. 570-648-4432**

Sometimes You Just Need to Talk to Someone to Sort Things Out. . .

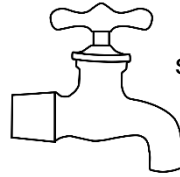
Heart of Mercy Counseling Ministry (Sisters of the Good Shepherd), in the Danville and Shamokin/Coal Township Area, now have two licensed therapists available to serve adults: individual, couples, families. Fee based on sliding scale. Please contact either one of them to schedule an appointment if you are seeking counseling based in Catholic teaching. Information flyers are on the bulletin board in the vestibule of Mother Cabrini Church.

Mother Cabrini Memorials

In Memory of Stanley Kovaleski

\$100 by Caroline and Shawn Kalinoski
and Dawn and Mike Maher and Family
\$ 25 by Stosh & Charlene Kalinoski and Family
\$ 20 by Joan Souza

REGARDING OUR CEMETERIES. . .



Water service in the cemetery will be shut off this Friday, September 16th and trash cans will also be removed that day. Please clean your grave sites of all pots, decorations, etc. and place the debris in the trash cans. Items left over the fall and winter eventually blow all over the cemetery. Please do not deposit your pet waste at the cemetery. It is most rude and discourteous to expect our maintenance crew to empty cans with bags of dog waste inside. If your "Fido" relieves himself in the cemetery, please take that souvenir home with him.

**New Address for
Fr. Tim Lyons
Blessed Sacrament
Friary
514 Parkview Drive
Burlington, NC 27215**



**Our Lady of Hope Church
Fall Food Sale and Basket Raffle**
Friday, October 14th. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Saturday, October 15th. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**Our Lady of Hope Church Hall
Corner of Chestnut & Oak Streets
Coal Township, PA**
Menu includes: Haluski, Potato Cakes, Potato Cake
Batter, Pierogies and more.

Free Car (Vehicle) Show

Sunday September 18 at the Walmart Parking Lot
Registration begins at 10:00AM. For more
information call Joe Cesari at 570-373-3561. Both
events sponsored by Kulpmont Cruise Association.



**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR
TROOPS AND THEIR FAMILIES
IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Bob Hauer, Jim Logic, Kapukui Sykes, Justin Wachter, Candida Davis, Matthew (Butch) Menapace, Betty Menapace, Dennis Shuey, Pete, Ginther, "Henry", George Klemick, Connie Yucha, Audrey Spaulding, Kathy Marquez, Alex & Shirley Stefanowicz, Gertrude Slawek, Pete Yucha, Allen Hornberger, Mark Senoski, Cassandra Senoski, Roberta Jasper, Marge Schiccatano, Sylvia Pappas, Barbara A. Verano, Jaden Leiby, Lorraine Gusick, Dan Noll, Mark M., Mark Krzykwa, John Rauch, Joanne (Cherry) Bailer, Frank and Kathy Purcell, Rose Marie Dunick, Elizabeth Purcell, Ed Griffiths, Katie Bolick, John Nolter, Christian Eby, Connie Fabrizio, Craig Fetterman, Chrissy Geiswite, Diane Kolovich, Bonnie Snyder, Mary Ellen Candelora, Jacqueline Robel, Sharon Casper, Sharon Rome, Berna Surak, Mary Beth Hanadel, Timber Buckwash, Bill Ponatoski, Penny Kaskie, Edward Yeager, Kathleen Marquez, Don & Sue Ponatoski, Kody Scicchitano, Fr. Jude Surowiec, OFM Conv. (Classmate of Fr. Martin), Anita Shaffer, Robert Stoud II, Rosemary Krushinski, LeAndre Hoover, Julie Wehr, Lone Wolf, Betty Gilger, Joe Mazzatesta, Denise Andereya, Ava Elizabeth Boyer, Christine Zalewski, Kapukui Syke, Michael Noll, Amy Catino and Bill Jaworski.

Rest in Peace: Kindly remember in your prayers the souls of Thomas Keyack, Louise Zenel, Lester Burgess, Anna Bartol, Stanley Kovalski, Tony Robert (Bob) Barrett and Irene Grow. May God grant them eternal rest.

IHM Sisters Oktoberfest and Craft Fair

The Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (IHM Sisters) invite you to join them for their annual Oktoberfest and Craft Fair on Saturday, October 15, from 10 am - 3 pm on the grounds of Camilla Hall, 100 Maxis Drive, Malvern, PA. This fun-filled day with the sisters includes craft tables, delicious food, baked goods, children's games, white elephant flea market, and entertainment. Proceeds benefit Camilla Hall Nursing Home for the IHM Sisters.



Annual Crab Feast: Sunday, September 25th, Baltimore MD – **\$95 per person.** Call Tony Stadnicki at 570-495-0229 for more information.

Deacon's Corner

The feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross will be celebrated on Wednesday, September 14. Our Savior, Jesus Christ, sacrificed His life on this precious and life-giving Cross for our salvation. The Gospel of St. John reminds us, "God so loved the world that He gave his only Son" (3:16). The Father gave His only Son to save each of us and to conquer sin and death.

This feast also remembers two historic events. The first event is the finding of the relic of the True Cross by St. Helena in 324; and the second is the building of the first churches in Jerusalem by her son, Constantine, the emperor of Rome. The churches were built at Christ's tomb where He rose from the dead and at Calvary where His passion and death occurred.

The following day, on Thursday, September 15, the memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows is commemorated. This feast reminds us of the seven sorrows of Jesus' Mother: Simeon's prediction that "you yourself a sword will pierce" (St. Luke 2:35); the flight into Egypt (St. Matthew 2:13, 14); the loss of the Child Jesus in the temple (St. Luke 2: 43-48); the meeting of Jesus and Mary on the Way of the Cross; the Crucifixion; the taking down of the Body of Jesus from the Cross; and the burial of Jesus.

Lost Loved Ones Remembrance Day

Mother Cabrini Baseball Association will be holding a Balloon/Lantern release for everyone who has lost a loved one and would like to send them a message. This will be held on Saturday, September 17th from 2PM to 7PM at the Cabrini Baseball field (corner of Logan and Wabash Streets in Coal Township.) Balloon Release at 4PM – Lantern release at dark, approximately, 7PM. There will be music, food, vendors and a few stands for grief support. You can bring your own helium filled balloons or purchase balloons for \$2.00 each during the event. Contact Leo Mirolli at 570-648-0186 to reserve a vendor spot, to preorder lanterns and if you have any questions.

Link for Weekend Readings

Please click on the link below to get your readings for the weekend Masses.

<https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading>

(Cabrini Website) www.revivingtogether.com