Mother Cabrini Church

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> Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Friday 8AM to 4PM

Website: http://www.revivingtogether.com/

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 25, 2023



Mother Cabrini Friary

Friar James Fukes, OFM Conv., Pastor of Mother Cabrini Church

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

Friar Theodore Neculaes, OFM Conv., Parochial Vicar

Friar Timothy Geiger, OFM Conv., In Residence

Cabrini Parish Staff

Deacon Robert Wislock, Pastoral Associate

Kris Coulbourn, Finance Manager

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



Saturday, June 24 Vigil Mass 4PM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

Sunday, June 25
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM Father's Day Novena
8:45AM +Marie Kotkoskie by Tom Kotkoskie
and Family
11AM +Tomas Asuncion by Daughter, Gemma
and David Kerstetter

Monday, June 26 Twelfth Weekday in Ordinary Time 8AM Father's Day Novena

Tuesday, June 27
St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church
8AM +Charley Boyle by Patti and Children

Wednesday, June 28 St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr 8AM +Dorothy Goodman by Joy Knapik

Thursday, June 29
Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostle
8AM ++Carol and Kenneth Landau
by Daughter, Mary Landau

Friday, June 30 The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church 8AM +Joseph Bielski by David Yakoboski

Saturday, July 1 St. Juniper Serra, Priest – BVM 8AM +Robert Latsha by Wife 4PM ++Ned and Alma Stank by Stank Family

Sunday, July 2
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30AM +Marie Santor by Ray and Mary Ellen
and Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
11AM ++Alphonse and Violet Dudeck
by Family

Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Memory of Charley Boyle by Patti and Children

Mass Candles/Bread and Wine

In Memory of Walter and Emilie Kanaskie by MaryAnn and Paul

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .

In Memory of Raymond General by the General Family

Collection Totals for the weekend of June 17th & 18th 2023

 Regular:
 \$3,606.00

 Votives:
 138.00

 Parish Dues:
 319.00

 Cemetery:
 150.00

 Miscellaneous:
 109.00

Total: \$4,322.00

Franciscan Friars: \$ 20.00 Catholic Communications: \$ 556.00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

CHANGES IN OUR WEEKEND MASS TIMES AND PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Beginning the weekend of July 1st & 2nd, our Weekend Mass schedule will be as follows:

4PM Saturday - 8:30 & 11AM Sunday.

Mass Intentions that were previously scheduled for the 7 & 8:45AM Masses will be combined at the 8:30AM Mass.

On Monday, July 3rd, our new Parish Office hours will be <u>Monday through Thursday</u> <u>8AM to 4PM.</u> Please do your church business during this time.



Thank You from Friar Jim

I want to thank everyone who made my celebration at Mother Cabrini very special. Everyone

who worked on the preparations and those who attended the luncheon helped to make my thanks to God more deeply felt. The combination choir from Our Lady of Hope, St. Patrick, Mother Cabrini and the added musicians under the direction of Dennis Bobber helped our praises to God more joyful. Thank you also to all who remembered me with cards and gifts but most especially with your prayers. They will continue to assist me with my priestly ministry to you. Thanks also to Dennis and his helpers for decorating the hall so beautifully. Also, to Debbie Snyder and Jim Yost who upgraded our church hall with painting and new curtains in time for the reception. Friar Jim

Mother Cabrini Memorials

In Memory of Edwin (Griff) Griffiths \$50 by Jane and Joe Kasenchak \$25 by Joe and Mary Ellen Candelora

In Memory of Margaret Boblick \$25 by Steve and Connie Dunleavy \$10 by Pauline Mirarchi and Family

In Memory of Michael Todisco \$20 by Vera and Stanley Zbicki

In Memory of Danielle Swartz \$25 by Tom and Janet Thul

In Memory of Helen Witkowski \$25 by Tom and Janet Thul



Mother Cabrini Parish expresses gratitude to those families who, throughout the year, suggest and encourage memorials to the parish in memory of their loved ones.

REST IN PEACE: Kindly remember in your prayers the souls of Leon Guzik and Lawrence Glazik. May God grant them eternal rest.

CABRINI'S SUMMER FOOD SALE and PRIZES GALORE RAFFLE

IMPORTANT: CHANGE OF DATE FOR OUR PRIZES GALORE BASKET RAFFLE

Summer Food Sale & Basket Raffle will take place on the same day. . . Saturday, July 22nd - 11AM to 5PM

ALSO

Basket Raffle Continues on. . . Saturday, July 29th - 10AM to 2PM (Sausage Hoagies and chips will be available for \$6.00)

Basket Raffle tickets will be \$15 per sheet and \$10 each for extra tickets.

The drawing of winners for the prizes will take place on Saturday, July 29th

Prizes can be dropped off at the parish office, Monday through Thursday <u>before the deadline</u> <u>of Thursday, July 13th!</u>

Both events are in the church hall. Keep your eye out for special sales to buy and to donate a prize for our Prizes Galore Raffle. Mark these dates on your summer calendar!

PRIZES GALORE!!! It's time to think of our Prizes Galore event! Once again, we are asking our families, friends, and parish groups/organizations to get their ideas together and fill a basket or container with some great prizes and have it ready for our "Prizes Galore" event on Saturday, July 22nd and also, Saturday, July 29th. The drawing of winners of the Prizes will take place on Saturday, July 29th. Get your thinking caps on and be creative with a theme. (Gift Cards make great gifts, also.) This is a great opportunity for parishioners who are unable to work at our events to do their share. "Prizes Galore" is a very profitable event for our July fund raiser. – We need your help to make this another wonderful success!

OUR "LOTTERY DECORATION" is waiting

to be decorated with an abundance of scratch lottery tickets. Please help us decorate it with your donation of lottery scratch tickets. Chances will then be sold to win this decoration filled with all the lucky lottery tickets at our July 22nd and July 29th events.



TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13

Because the prophet Jeremiah foretold disaster for Jerusalem, he was denounced. But Jeremiah trusted in the Lord and overcame his persecutors.

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-15

Paul explains to the Romans that Adam's sin brought death to all, but Christ's gift of himself brought grace and life.

Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

In authoritative and encouraging words, Jesus urges the apostles to fear nothing — only him who can destroy the soul. Telling them "every hair of your head has been counted," he promises that "Whoever acknowledges me before men I will acknowledge before my Father in heaven."



Don't forget to help supply our Prizes Galore Raffle with your gift basket/prizes and scratch lottery tickets for July 22nd !!! <u>Deadline to drop</u> <u>off prizes is</u> Thursday, July 13th



ATTENTION ALL MOTHER CABRINI PARISHIONERS!

Our beautiful, serene prayer garden here at Mother Cabrini needs your help. Father Adam was an extraordinary gardener, but



since his departure the garden has fallen into a state of disrepair. You do not need to be an expert gardener, just have a willingness to do a little work. Please contact Susan Vanaskie Ward at 570-486-3316 or smvanaskieward52@outlook.com to form a team to weed and prune. Let's help bring this garden back to life.



UPDATE ON THE GARDEN:

Four volunteers came forward a few weeks ago to "clean up" our prayer garden. They are Susan Ward, Barbara Vanaskie, Joe Letcavage and Mary Sullivan. They spent hours out in the

garden and did a great job! Also, Bill Yeager worked for hours a few weeks ago cutting back some of the trees and shrubs.

More weeding in the Prayer Garden was done this past week by Joe Letcavage and Susan Ward. Perennials have been bought and will be planted when the weeding is done. Mulch will be put down to top it off! There is still a lot of work to be done. Anyone who would like to pitch in and help with this effort can call Susan at the above phone number.

Even though you may be away for one or more weekends during these summer months, Mother Cabrini Parish still depends upon your support to meet its fixed weekly bills. Please remember to drop off your

parish support envelopes once you return home. Many thanks!

PONDER POINT

The best thing about the future is that it comes only one day at t time.

Abraham Lincoln



Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Bob Hauer, Jim Logic, Kapukui Sykes. Candida Davis, Dennis Shuey, Pete Ginther, "Henry", Connie Yucha, Gertrude Slawek, Roberta Jasper, Sylvia Pappas, Barbara A. Verano, Katie Bolick, Connie Fabrizio, Mary Ellen Candelora, Rome, Mary Beth Hanadel, Robert Wieland, Timber Buckwash, Anita Shaffer, Rosemary Krushinski, LeAndre Hoover, Lone Wolf, Betty Gilger, Joe Mazzatesta, Bill & Pat Jaworski, Pastor Paul Eby, Gina Fox, Casper Burns Lorraine Gusick, Matthew Manapace, Betty Menapace, Tammy Neron, Alex Stefanowicz, Shirley Stefanowicz, Elizabeth Rebuck, Jaden Leiby, Ann Marie Livingstone, Joy Knapik, Sharon Casper, Rosie Purcell, Pat & Peggy Kazmerski, Tammy (Laczkowski) Le, Goldie Kerstetter, Desiree Castro, Helene McGinley, Holly Madden, Elizabeth Purcell, Diane Fabrizio, Caroline Kalinoski, Carol Fegley, Lorraine Kinder, Nick Spock, Jim Culp, Sandy Boyd, Jackson Floyd, Andrew Wislock, Cassondra Senoski, Helen Pasierb, Mark Senoski, Carl T. Bielski, Joe Candelora, Mary Ann (Anderson) Barrett, Elaine Rado, Faith Ann Smink and Kathleen & Justin Kleskie.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS and PHONE NUMBER:

A reminder to please contact the parish office with a change of address and/or your telephone number. You are important to us and at times we may need to contact you by either phone or mail. When mail is returned to the parish office we are charged a return fee.



Remembrance Opportunities For Your Loved Ones...

The parish has a wonderful array of remembrance opportunities for both, the living and deceased. You may honor your loved one's memory or celebration of a special occasion, like a birthday or an anniversary by offering the flowers by the tabernacle, the candles used at Mass, the bread and wine offered at Mass, the Sanctuary candle, the church bells, etc. What a meaningful way to honor them on their special date! Reserve dates are filling up quickly so call the parish office to make your reservation.

DEACON'S CORNER

The Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles will be celebrated on Thursday, June 29. These two saints are the solid rock upon which the Church is built. This solemnity commemorates the martyrdoms of Saints Peter and Paul in Rome. St. Peter suffered martyrdom on a cross around 64 or 66 A.D and was buried on the hill of the Vatican on the site where the Basilica of St. Peter is erected. St. Paul was beheaded approximately 67 A.D. along the Via Ostia where a Basilica now stands bearing his name.

St. Augustine of Hippo said of Saints Peter and Paul, "Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so, we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."

On this solemnity, may we pray, "God of saints and sinners, by the power of the Holy Spirit, Saints Peter and Paul bore courageous witness to the death and resurrection of your Son. Hear our prayer for your blessings, that we may be more faithful witnesses to the truth of the Gospel, the Good News of Jesus Christ, both now and forever. Amen"

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Express Your "Will Power"

Did you know that you can easily add Mother Cabrini Church to an already

existing will through the use of a codicil? Simply check with your attorney on how it is done.