

# St. Frances Cabrini Parish

*"Come and See"* 325 S. Oxford Valley Road, Fairless Hills, PA

**28th Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

Rev. Msgr. Michael P. McCormac  
*Pastor*

Deacon Paul S. Ablaza

Deacon Mace M. Mazzoni

Rev. Msgr. Michael K. Magee

Mrs. Theresa Leonetti O'Connor  
*Director of Parish Services*

Miss Jean E. Madden  
*Director of Religious Education*  
*Director of Music*

Mr. Henry J. Wajda, Jr.  
*Principal Organist*

Mrs. Karen M. David  
*Parish Business Manager*

Miss Mary Ann Allton  
*Parish Secretary*

## **Rectory Office**

Hours: Monday-Friday  
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, 1:00 - 8:00 PM  
Phone Number: 215-946-4040  
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## **Office of Religious Education**

Phone Number: 215-946-1115

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Evening Vigil: 5:30 PM

Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 AM

Monday - Saturday: 9:30 AM

HOLY DAYS: 6:30 AM, 12:00 Noon, 7:00 PM  
*(except January 1st which follows a Sunday Mass schedule)*

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

SATURDAY: 4:15-5:15 PM or by appointment

## **DAILY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

### **SAINT JOSEPH CHAPEL**

MONDAY - SATURDAY: 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM

SUNDAY: 12:30 PM - 8:00 PM



## **Holy Family Regional Catholic School**

2477 Trenton Road, Levittown, PA 19056

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*Enrollment Director:* Ms. Regan Downey

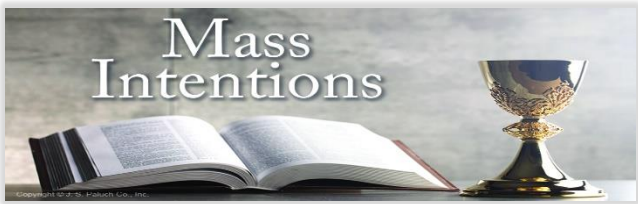
*Business Manager:* Mrs. Susan Weed

*Secretary:* Mrs. Michelle Mangapit

## **SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH PURPOSE STATEMENT**

The Purpose of Saint Frances Cabrini Parish is to be reverently and passionately committed to the Liturgy and celebration of the Eucharist. Our Parish Community is a Catholic family ignited by the love of Christ, embracing compassion, love, and mutual respect for each other. We encourage and welcome everyone to share our life journey bearing witness to the teachings of Jesus Christ and joyfully praising God in our everyday lives.

*Please visit our website: [www.saintfrancescabrini.net](http://www.saintfrancescabrini.net)*



**Week of October 9, 2022**

- MONDAY**            *Weekday*  
**9:30 AM**    Rudy Cislak – his wife, Alice
- TUESDAY**        *St. John XXIII, Pope*  
**9:30 AM**    Suzette Panzarella - her husband, Joe
- WEDNESDAY**    *Weekday*  
**9:30 AM**    Al Pillich - Carmine and Lynne Maggio
- THURSDAY**        *Weekday*  
**9:30 AM**    Anthony Fucellaro – Malinowsky Family
- FRIDAY**            *Saint Callistus*  
**9:30 AM**    Mario Graglia – Msgr. McCormac
- SATURDAY**        *St. Teresa of Jesus*  
**9:30 AM**    Al Pillich – Marjorie McClintock

**October 5, 2022**

The **5:30 PM Mass** will be celebrated for the deceased members of Saint Frances Cabrini Parish.



**SANCTUARY LAMP MEMORIALS**

Sanctuary Lamps are being provided this week in memory of *Katlyn Groom* by her grandmother, Helen Groom, and in memory of *Richard Sabatini* by Denise Sabatini.

**BREAD AND WINE MEMORIALS**

Our bread and wine are being provided this week in a special intention.



**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Please pray for all those listed in our White Intercessory Book. We also pray for the following people and those who care for them:

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| Edward Baranoski   | Janet Law         |
| Harriet Beatrice   | Judy McCormick    |
| Marie Breen        | Megan McCormick   |
| Peter Cellucci     | Joe Merrick       |
| Ralph Connor       | Maria Percaccia   |
| Nicholas Curato    | Dennis Pierce     |
| Josephine Dominick | Marie Ranniello   |
| Grace Ford         | Mimi Sabol        |
| Marc Gravante      | Justin Saunders   |
| George Kasperitis  | Janice Sutchko    |
| Joseph Killian     | Samantha Tomasick |
| Hailey Knorr       | Jean Wilt         |

*Please Note:* With regard to parishioners, relatives, and friends who are ill, we invite you to write their names in our White Intercessory Book. Your loved ones will be remembered in each of our weekend Masses.

**PRAY FOR THE DECEASED**

We pray for our own families, our parish family, and all those who have lost their lives through war and violence.

We especially remember:

- Joan Babowitch, Rita Caton, Joan Costello, Mike Kane, Father Frederick Miller, Mike Olszewski, and Mary Smith*

May the Lord Jesus bring all our loved ones into His Kingdom.





## *Walking With Moms in Need*

*~ by Joe Dembik*

Happy Respect Life Month! My name is Joe Dembik. Some of you may recognize me as a lector or a member of our parish's Men's Prayer Group, while others may know me as "Stephanie Spinosa's husband." My wife and her family were very involved at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, and, together, we are now active parishioners here at St. Frances Cabrini Parish. Our family fills an entire pew (or two) with my mother and father-in-law, my wife and I, our infant daughter, my sister and brother-in-law and their two children, and we cannot forget about Grandmom! It can be quite the adventure to partake in the Mass with three children under two years old in one pew!

Being a parent for the first time has been an incredible blessing from the Lord, and I realize how blessed I am not only to have a healthy child, but also to have a loving and supportive wife as my partner in raising her. Additionally, I'm extremely blessed that we both have stable jobs, close family nearby, and the financial stability to support our growing family. Of course, you know as well as I do that not every woman and not every family has those same blessings. Indeed, to some women, a positive pregnancy test does not feel like a blessing but rather a great misfortune, and women who feel as if they do not have the resources or support to take care of a child are more likely to consider abortion. I pray for a culture and a Church that empowers women in crisis pregnancies and enables mothers to celebrate the gift of life. I pray that our St. Frances Cabrini Parish Community can provide support and connect women to the appropriate resources so that their growing families may not only survive but thrive.

In light of the recent *Dobbs* decision, I believe our parish should elevate its efforts to reach out to pregnant women and moms-in-need in our area. As Pope Francis reminds us, our parishes need to be "islands of mercy in the midst of the sea of indifference." Everyone in our Parish Community should know where to refer a pregnant woman or mom-in-need. Therefore, St. Frances Cabrini is

joining a nationwide effort entitled: "Walking with Moms in Need." As part of this initiative, our parish will undertake a yearlong process to assess, expand, and better communicate resources to pregnant moms and families in our local community.

For more information, and to ensure you receive news and updates, please contact me at [joedembik@gmail.com](mailto:joedembik@gmail.com) or 215-219-4705. To learn more about the nationwide initiative, visit [www.walkingwithmoms.com](http://www.walkingwithmoms.com). Thank you and God Bless!

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## **Baby Bottle Collection**



Please remember to fill your bottles with change, dollar bills, or even checks. Your support will make a difference in the lives of young mothers and their babies.

**Thank you for your generosity!**

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## **Congratulations to New Altar Servers**

We are pleased to welcome the following four new altar servers who were commissioned last Sunday morning at our 11:00 AM Mass for their ministry at the altar:

***Emily Darr  
Julianna Darr  
Megan Eisenbrey  
Gavin Kwasniewski***

As we congratulate, commend, and thank these children for their willingness to serve our worshipping community, we also thank their parents for their support and encouragement to their children and their own personal commitment to our Parish Community, modelling for their children their faith in Jesus and their willingness to serve His Church.



**SCRIPTURE**

**READINGS:**

**THE 28TH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**



**First Reading ~ 2 Kings 5: 14-17**

Elisha, who lived about 800 years before Christ, was the successor of the great prophet Elijah. Naaman was a pagan army officer from Syria who came to Elisha, seeking a cure for his leprosy.

**Second Reading ~ 2 Timothy 2: 8-13**

The second letter to Timothy was written about 30 years after Paul's death. Today's passage begins with a summary of Paul's teachings about Christ and concludes with what may be part of an ancient Christian hymn.

**Gospel ~ Luke 17: 11-19**

In today's story, Jesus cures ten lepers, and among them is an Israelite. Luke then tells us that one of the lepers, upon realizing that he was healed, "returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked Him. He was a Samaritan." The only one who returned to give thanks was a foreigner and the foreigner's faith brought his salvation.



Did you know that we have a library full of inspiring spiritual books in the room next to the St. Joseph Chapel in the Parish Center?

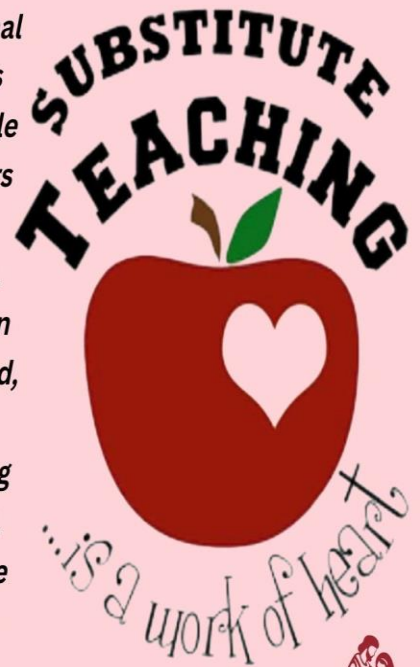
**Feel free to visit and pick out some books that will refresh your spirit!**

**CONGRATULATIONS to**  
*our newly baptized:*  
*Charlotte Mae Moleski,*  
*Zachary Owen Orlando*

**Parish Mission**  
**with Father Tom McCarthy**  
**November 13, 14, 15**



Holy Family Regional Catholic School is looking for available substitute teachers for the 2022-2023 school year. State and diocesan clearances required, college degree accepted, teaching degree preferred. Please contact the school for more information - 215-269-9600.



**Catholic Women's Conference**

**Saturday, October 22, 2022**  
**9:00 AM-4:30 PM**  
**National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa**  
**Doylestown, PA**

Join Catholic women from the greater Philadelphia area for a day of fun, friendship, faith formation and prayer at the Catholic Women's Conference. The 2022 theme is "Be Not Afraid: Finding Your Freedom in Christ," in which together we will discover the healing and freedom of heart that Jesus Christ desires to give each of us. **Speakers:** Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT, Michelle Benzinger, Regina Boyd, Matt and Jenn Lozano, Katie Weiss, Sr. Cora Caeli, SV, Martha Reyes, and Sue Gudenkauf.

**More info & registration:**  
[www.catholicwomensconference.org](http://www.catholicwomensconference.org)



*"Choose life, then, that you and your descendants may live, by loving the Lord, your God, heeding his voice, and holding fast to him."*

*Deuteronomy 30:19-20*

THIS WEEK ON  
**FORMED**

Week of October 09, 2022



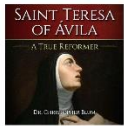
**John XXIII: The Pope of Peace**

This movie tells the life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and eventually his life as pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the advisers around him, John XXIII proved to be his own man when he surprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Council.



**The 13th Day**

In a world torn apart by persecution, war, and oppression, three children in Fatima were chosen by God to offer an urgent message of hope to the world. Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, The 13th Day dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady, which culminated in the final prophesied miracle on October 13.



**Saint Teresa of Avila: A True Reformer by Christopher Blum**

Dr. Christopher Blum unfolds the inspiring life of St. Teresa and her important role in the Catholic Reformation. After having already been a nun for twenty years, she had a radical transformation in her own life and then became one of the most powerful forces for bringing about conversion and positive change in the history of the Church. Listen and learn about this Mystic, Doctor of the Church, and True Reformer.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription.  
Visit [signup.formed.org](http://signup.formed.org) and select our parish name.

An offering from the ALGUSTINE INSTITUTE and AMERICAN PREPRESS

**PUBLIC SQUARE  
ROSARY CRUSADE**

*America Needs Fatima* (ANF) is a special campaign to spread the message of Fatima in the United States. The goal of *America Needs Fatima* is to win the heart and soul of America for Mary by spreading Our Lady's Fatima message and promoting devotion to Her Immaculate Heart. America urgently needs the prophetic messages of Our Lady at Fatima. Above all, America needs a clear direction, a great purpose, and the means to achieve it. The admonitions, requests, and warnings of Mary can rightly be called a heaven-sent survival manual.



**Join the 2022 Public Square Rosary Crusade!** We will be praying the Holy Rosary on **Saturday, October 15 at 12:00 noon at the corner of Oxford Valley Road and Hood Blvd.** All are welcome to join us. For more information contact Edie at 267-333-6264.

**CanaNight**

Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
from 7PM – 9PM  
Archdiocese of Philadelphia

Meet and mingle with other couples and receive an entertaining and encouraging message:  
**"If Consent Makes a Catholic Marriage, What is Consent?"**  
~ by Deacon Chuck Lewis

Register Now!  
[Bit.ly/CanaNight](http://Bit.ly/CanaNight)

**Gypsy Blu Restaurant** \$20.00 entrance fee per couple;  
Appetizers provided, cash bar  
34 E Butler Avenue, Ambler, PA 19002

**SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH COMMUNITY**

**POT OF GOLD**

**WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM**

October 3, 2022

2 - 12 - 17 - 19 - 25

**JACKPOT PRIZE WINNER (NONE)**

**CONSOLATION PRIZE WINNERS**

5 @ \$200



**WINNER**

Bob Letter  
Pogorzelski  
Charles Shaw  
Mr. and Mrs. Jason Lawson  
Theresa Rivera

**SELLER**

Enzo Piskorski  
Catherine Pogorzelski  
Charles Shaw  
Mr. and Mrs. Jason Lawson  
Enzo Piskorski

**NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT PRIZE**

**\$46,000**

Thank you for participating in the Pot of Gold Program.  
For more information, contact the Rectory at 215-946-4040.

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**WE ARE A TITHING COMMUNITY**

Sunday Collection – October 2, 2022	\$10,952
Parish Giving Electronic Fund	\$ 3,629
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$14,581</b>
<b>Prior Year's Collection</b>	<b>\$14,333</b>



Holy Family Regional Catholic School presents:  
**DESIGNER BAG BINGO**

Saturday,  
November 12, 2022

St. Frances Cabrini Gym  
Doors open at 6p | Games start 7p  
\$30/ticket | Extra games 50/50s  
raffles will be sold  
groups of 8+ reserved table  
Tickets: Contact 215-601-6012 or  
any board member



## 5K and 1 Mile Fun Walk

Presented by Gifts from Gwyn

Gifts from Gwyn is sponsoring its 6th annual 5K and 1 mile fun walk on Saturday November 5th at 9:30 AM. This professionally timed 5K run will travel through beautiful Falls Township Community Park. Every runner/walker that signs up by October 20th gets a Gifts from Gwyn t-shirt and wristband. You won't want to miss this year's event, as we will have something for everyone. There will be multiple door prizes and refreshments available to all participants. There will be raffles for Flyer's tickets, sports memorabilia, restaurant gift cards, theater tickets, basket of cheer and many more. It will be a great time for the whole family. Please sign up and help us keep Gwyn's memory alive. Proceeds will go towards scholarships for Holy Family Regional and Conwell-Egan Catholic high school, in Gwyn's name.

For teams or large family discounts (4+), contact Mike Rivells @ 610-331-3451

For more information and to sign up, go to the web site: [www.Giftsfromgwyn.org](http://www.Giftsfromgwyn.org)

Registration fee is \$25.00 for all runners and participants, registered by November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022. Registration fee is \$35.00 for all runners and Fun Walk Participants after Midnight November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, online registration is available at [Giftsfromgwyn.org](http://Giftsfromgwyn.org). Online registration closes Wednesday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at Midnight. Online registration is preferred. All major credit cards accepted.

## Monthly Mass for Those with Special Needs and their Families

October 16, 2022 at 1:30 p.m.

St. Martha's Church  
11301 Academy Road  
Philadelphia, PA 19154

The Mass on **October 16<sup>th</sup>** will be celebrated in a calmer environment for those with special needs and their families. Lights will be lower, there will be no music, and the homily will be shorter.

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

For more information or questions, please call or text Walt Mulholland at 267-918-3911



CONWELL-EGAN  
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

### Discover CEC This Fall

- ✚ October 20, 2022- Open House
- ✚ October 22, 2022- Scholarship Exam

Visit [www.conwell-egan.org/admissions](http://www.conwell-egan.org/admissions) for more information.