

St. Frances Cabrini Parish

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

**29th Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Rev. Msgr. Michael P. McCormac
Pastor

Deacon Paul S. Ablaza

Deacon Mace M. Mazzoni

Rev. Msgr. Michael K. Magee

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Director of Parish Services

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

Mr. Henry J. Wajda, Jr.
Principal Organist

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Miss Mary Ann Allton
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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

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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



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 |

October 15, 2022

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

Week of October 9, 2022

MONDAY St. Ignatius of Antioch

9:30 AM Funeral Mass for Eleanor LaRosa

TUESDAY St. Luke

9:30 AM Dana Victoria Mitchell – Joyce and Brian Mitchell

WEDNESDAY Sts. John de Brebeu and Isaac Jogues

9:30 AM Mario Graglia – Barb Brejck

THURSDAY St. Paul of the Cross

9:30 AM Anthony Fuscillaro – Hank and Cathy Wajda

FRIDAY Weekday

9:30 AM Al Pillich – Carol Pfaff

SATURDAY St. John Paul II

9:30 AM Margaret Carduff – Msgr. McCormac

October 23, 2022

The 7:00 AM Mass will be celebrated for the deceased members of Saint Frances Cabrini Parish.

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:

- Bart Masciulli,
Eleanor LaRosa,
Margaret Mudrick,
and Michelle Wynn*

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

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace.
Amen*

SANCTUARY LAMP MEMORIALS

Sanctuary Lamps are being provided this week in memory of *Katie Carmello* by Robert, Colleen, and Liz Garneau.

BREAD AND WINE MEMORIALS

The Bread and Wine is this week is being offered in a special intention.



The Parish Mission is Coming November 13, 14, 15, 2022

~ by Msgr. McCormac

Once again, we are very pleased to announce that Father Tom McCarthy will be returning to our Parish Community to conduct a Parish Mission. Father Tom will be here on **November 13th, 14th, and 15th**. The theme for this year's Mission is "**Treasures of our Faith, the Seven Sacraments.**" This will be third time that Father Tom will be here, having given a Parish Mission in 2019 and again in 2021.

Father Tom is an experienced teacher, administrator, retreat director and a preacher of parish missions. He is a native of the South Side of Chicago. He grew up in St. Adrian Parish in Marquette Park. He received his elementary school education at St. Adrian School and high school education at St. Rita of Cascia High School. He graduated from Villanova University with a B.A. in Communication Arts and also has a Master of Arts in Educational Administration from Lewis University.

Father Tom ministered for 21 years at St. Rita of Cascia High School in Chicago as a teacher, campus minister, Principal, President, and Chairman of the Board of Directors. He also ministered for nine years as the Augustinian Vocation Director for the Our Mother of Good Counsel Midwest Providence and five years for St. Thomas of Villanova Eastern Province. You can find more information on his website www.frtommccarthy.com

Following the Parish Mission last year, our parishioners offered their personal reflections:

Please extend my sincere thanks to Father Tom McCarthy for presenting the parish mission, **Our Restless Journey**. His words of encouragement, insight, and humor provided me with the inspiration to make my journey through life less restless. I feel it was a most appropriate time for this parish mission coming at a grueling time of a pandemic and anxiety. I look forward to his return for our next parish mission. Thank You, Father Tom McCarthy! ~ Tony Pitaro

Father Tom's Parish Mission, "Our Restless Journey" certainly quelled some of our restlessness. It was wonderful to see our young people so engaged. Father Tom, please come back! ~ Louise Horan

I understand that Parish Missions are held to rekindle and renew our faith. Our Parish Mission with Father Tom went far beyond that. I was rapt. I was totally engrossed. I was filled with feelings of love, joy and gratitude for the faith handed down to me. Father Tom's words are still with me when I enter church. I am already looking forward to his return, knowing that I will be smiling when that happens. God bless you, Father Tom.

~ Mariann McCormick

As we look forward to Father Tom McCarthy's return visit in November, I ask our parishioners to please **place the Parish Mission dates on their personal calendar**, setting aside these dates so that they can fully participate in our Parish Mission come November.

We are pleased to say that as we have done in the past, we will be celebrating the **Sacrament of Reconciliation** during the Parish Mission. **On Monday evening, November 14th**, we will be having eight priests available. For those who were present for the last two Parish Missions, they would remember our parishioners immediately leaving their pews to go to confession. It was a most wonderful sight to see our parishioners seeking the **Sacrament of Reconciliation**.

With St. Frances Cabrini's Feast Day being on November 13th, it will be a wonderful way to honor our patroness and implore her intercession for our Parish Community!

Once again, please set aside the evenings of November 13th, 14th and 15th and join us for our Parish Mission.



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.

Bottles can be returned on or before **October 29-30, 2022.**

Thank you for your generosity!

SCRIPTURE READINGS:
THE 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



First Reading ~Exodus 17: 8-13

The Book of Exodus tells of the Israelites’ escape from Egypt and their journey to the Promised Land. Along the way, they often had to battle local tribes who tried to keep them from passing through the territory. Today, we hear an account of one such incident.

Second Reading ~ 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

In today’s reading from second Timothy, the author continues to warn against false teaching. This passage also provides the biblical foundation for our belief about the inspiration of the Bible.

Gospel ~ Luke 18:1-8

The parable of the widow’s persistence is introduced as a parable about prayer and not losing heart, then moves into a story about justice, and ends with a question about faith. A sign of faith is a willingness to persist in prayer, persisting against all odds. Another sign may be in what we pray for: daily bread, the Holy Spirit, the kingdom, and justice.

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

*Upcoming Events
at HFRCS*



21 OCTOBER 21, 2022
Hawk Walk

28 OCTOBER 28, 2022
Pot of Gold Challenge Ends

28 OCTOBER 28, 2022
H&S Trunk or Treat

4 NOVEMBER 4, 2022
Living Saints Museum

For additional information on these events and more visit our website at www.hfrcs.org



The next meeting of the **Bereavement Group** will be **Tuesday, October 18th at 7:00 PM** in the **Parish Center**.

This Sunday, October 16th, there will be a Hospitality Gathering following our 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Masses Parishioners are cordially invited to gather in the circle outside the Church for some light refreshments.



It is our fervent hope that through these gatherings, our parishioners will come to know one another a little better and so build up our Parish Community here at Saint Frances Cabrini.



THIS WEEK ON
FORMED

Week of October 09, 2022



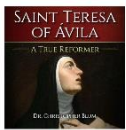
John XXIII: The Pope of Peace

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.

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Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.

An offering from the AQUINAS INSTITUTE and EPISCOPAL PARISHES

THE HEALING POWER OF GOD

NOVEMBER 4 – 6, 2022

IHM SPIRITUALITY CENTER

210 IHM DRIVE MALVERN, PA 19355

If you or someone you love has been suffering from the emotional and spiritual pains of an abortion – no matter how much time has passed – please know that a Rachel's Vineyard retreat weekend will help your soul transform that pain into a hope for the future. **From November 4-6, join us for a safe, loving, and confidential weekend to experience the healing power of God's infinite mercy.** To register or get information, contact: Susan: 610-716-4795, or Georgeann: 484-955-4278

**St. Joseph the Worker
Knights of Columbus Council #4215**

St. Joseph the Worker Knights of Columbus Council #4215 will be holding a **membership drive during all Masses the weekend of Oct. 29 and 30.** Members of the Council will be on hand to provide information on its charitable works in the community as well as its involvement in our parish community. **Any practicing male Catholic age 18 and older is eligible to join the Knights of Columbus.**

World Mission Sunday

Next Week: October 22-23, 2022

In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted **Mission Sunday** for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday collection taking place in October 1927. The **Mission Sunday collection** is always taken on the next to last Sunday during the month of October. That day is celebrated in all the local Churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians the world over will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world



"It is God who gives life. Let us respect and love human life, especially vulnerable life in a mother's womb."

SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH COMMUNITY

POT OF GOLD

WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM

October 10, 2022

9 – 12 – 19 – 28 – 36

**JACKPOT PRIZE WINNER
(NONE)**

CONSOLATION PRIZE WINNERS

6 @ \$167

WINNER

Jaelyn
Mary Joan Maruca
Mike
H. M. Groom
Kerry Canada
Sharon

SELLER

Maz
Ed Patton
Hunter Wilson
Garneau
Kane Family
D. Hensor

NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT PRIZE

\$47,000

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

We are not responsible for typographical errors.

WE ARE A TITHING COMMUNITY

Sunday Collection – October 9, 2022 \$ 9,851

Parish Giving Electronic Fund \$ 3,418

TOTAL **\$13,269**

Prior Year's Collection \$13,743



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

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



- ✦ October 20, 2022- Open House
 - ✦ October 22, 2022- Scholarship Exam
- Visit www.conwell-egan.org/admissions for more information.

CALLING ALL EGAN AND CONWELL CLASS OF 82 ALUMS!

Come celebrate our 40th reunion on November 12th!
Please email Susan (Lynch) DiLisio at sue@DLFF.org or Tom Stewart at TStewart342@comcast.net for more information!

Deadline to purchase tickets is 10/31/22.
We hope you'll be able to join us!!



CEC Presents: FOOLS!

A Play by Neil Simon

November 4 & 5, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$10

Purchase here: <https://our.show/cecfools>

For more information, contact: Mr. Thomas Kuchler at performingarts@conwell-egan.org

Conwell-Egan Catholic High School
611 Wistar Road ~ Fairless Hills, PA 1903