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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



Mass Intentions

Sunday May 21, 2023

The 9:00 AM Mass will be celebrated for the deceased members of Saint Frances Cabrini Parish.

Week of May 21, 2023

MONDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	Funeral Mass for Emily Bauder
TUESDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	Joan Demshock - Elvira Bacani
WEDNESDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	David Pierfy - Rosemary Cunningham
THURSDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	Richard Sabatini - Mary Kate Stuart & Reese
FRIDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	Robert Nisen - Donna & Steve Merrick & family
SATURDAY	Easter Weekday
9:30 AM	Katie Carmello - WWP - The Pink Group

Saturday May 27, 2023

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
Regis Greiner, John Greiner - Their Family
and
Gladys Marterella - Jeff & Lauren Marterella

BREAD AND WINE MEMORIAL

The Bread and Wine is being provided this week for 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:

Edward Baranoski	Maria Percaccia
Harriet Beatrice	Dennis Pierce
Marie Breen	Edward Rafferty
Betty Brooks	Marie Ranniello
Peter Cellucci	Judith Rogers
Josephine Dominick	Mimi Sabol
Dennis Eisenbrey	Justin Saunders
Lorena Goodreau	Robert Scordia
Marc Gravante	Janice Sutcho
George Kasperitis	Virginia Tasey
Joseph Killian	Samantha Tomasick
Hailey Knorr	John Tvarok
Janet Law	Jean Wilt
Barbara Millory	

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 OUR DECEASED

We pray for our own families,
our Parish Family,
all those who have lost their lives
through war and violence, and

Emily Bauder • Bishop Edward Cullen
Frank Romantino • Reverend Victor F. Sharrett
Mary Saunders • John Tvorak

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



*"I know he will rise,
in the resurrection on the last day."*

John 11:24



Addison Stefanack, Our May Queen

As our Parish Community gathered on Tuesday evening, May 9th for our annual May Procession, Addison Stefanack was our May Queen. Addison is the daughter of Jennifer Bongard and Rick Stefanack and the granddaughter of Debbie and Matt Karagianas. Addison is an eighth grade student at Holy Family Regional Catholic School, and she, along with her Confirmation Class, became a full member of the Church when she received the Sacrament of Confirmation in March.

In September, Addison will be attending Conwell-Egan Catholic High School. Together with her parents, her grandparents, her sister, Chloe, I am very proud that this honor of being our May Queen has been bestowed upon Addison. She has faithfully served Mass as an altar server within our worshipping community for many years, actually beginning before she was the proper age for serving Mass. She asked to serve at the 7:00 AM Mass so that her sister, Chloe did not have to serve alone. Through her liturgical ministry here at St.

Frances Cabrini and also at Holy Family, Addison is a wonderful witness to all whom she meets. Addison’s faith, which is very much encouraged and nurtured by her mother’s faithful witness, is an inspiration to many people, especially to the adults who see her often as she prepares to serve Mass on Sunday mornings.

At the conclusion of the May Procession Prayer Service, after acknowledging our First Communicants and our newly Confirmed eighth graders, I indicated that Addison was also chosen to be the May Queen for our Parish School, that is, our Holy Family Regional Catholic School. I know that Addison

enjoys a wonderful reputation among her teachers, administrators and her peers. In the words of our principal, Mrs. Kara Haggerty, Addison is a “go to person,” always ready and willing to assist in any way possible. She is a very fine young woman, who is also readily recognized as being a good and faithful Catholic who worships with the Parish Community and reflects our Catholic beliefs and values.



First Reading: Acts 1:12-14

Following Jesus’ Ascension, the Apostles returned to Jerusalem. They waited in prayer for the promised Advocate, with others including Mary. The names of the eleven are important, and correspond to the list of Apostles named by Luke in his account of the Gospel.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 4:13-16

Sharing in the sufferings of Christ as a result of Christian living and action is to be a cause for joy. In doing so, we can rely on the Spirit who rests upon those who are blessed through such suffering. We are not to be ashamed of suffering that results from our Christianity, but rather glorify God because of the name of Christ.

Gospel: John 17:1-11A

This final prayer of Jesus before His Passion focuses on His union with the Father, the disciples’ union with the Father through Him, and the true meaning of eternal life: knowing the only true God and the One whom He sent, Jesus Christ. He prays for all who belong to Him. Jesus is glorified by those who are His own, who remain His beyond His Death, Resurrection, and Ascension.



REMINDER: This Weekend, May 20th & 21st is our monthly food collection for Martha's Cupboard.

Food, gift cards or monetary donations can be brought to the vestibule of the church (or dropped off any time at the Rectory).

Thanks to the generosity of St. Frances Cabrini Parish Community, Martha's Cupboard has been stocked with an abundance of non-perishable items that were needed to sustain families in our area. These families have expressed their appreciation to our Ministry volunteers when they receive your donations.

At present the Cupboard has enough: Pancake Mix, Jelly, Pasta, Beans, Green Beans, Toothbrushes and Toothpaste that will take care of the need for some time.

However, we now find ourselves short of Ketchup, small jars of Mayo and Miracle Whip, Dinty Moore Beef Stew, Meat Pasta Sauce, Canned Chicken, Hormel Completes Meals, Instant Potatoes, Chicken Broth, Juices, Coffee (ground not Instant), Dishwashing Liquid, and Laundry Detergent.

If you are planning a grocery trip, perhaps you could pick up one or two of these items for our Martha's Cupboard Food Collection this weekend.

**Thank you all for continuing to "Feed The Hungry",
The Ministry of Martha's Cupboard**



Opportunity for Students 12 and up
Volunteer for Camp Cabrini; enjoy yourself and have fun while working to meet necessary and useful service requirements. Adult volunteers also welcome!
Camp Cabrini 2023
June 19th-23rd



Stellar: Shine Jesus' Light

Registration is filling up and still open for campers ages 3 -12 yrs old

Cost: \$45

(ADD \$15 for each additional child in a family.)

Go to SaintFrancesCabrini.net/camp-cabrini to register. Any questions please call the rectory 215-946-1115 and leave a message for Dianne Tufo.

RESPECT LIFE BABY SHOWER

Ends next weekend May 27-28

'Gift Registry' includes: disposable diapers (sizes 0-5), powdered formula (Good Start Gentle, orange label), baby

wipes, onesies, newborn summer clothing (boys and girls), gift certificates, monetary offerings, and anything else a child and parent(s) need are welcome. They could also accept, gently used and washed baby clothes 6 - 24 months winter and summer.

Place gifts in either of the two playpens found in church (Blessed Mother side or vestibule).



THE BRIAN F. DAVID MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

JUNE 9, 2023



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**SPACE LIMITED TO 144 GOLFERS!
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Golfer Registration Fee: \$155

- Includes lunch, golf, cart, dinner following golf, and prizes. Beer and soda included with dinner. Beverages available to purchase on the course.

Dinner Only: \$50

- Join us for a buffet dinner, tournament awards and raffle basket drawing. Beer, wine and soda included with dinner.

Proceeds will benefit Holy Family Regional Catholic School

For information on sponsorships or registration, contact Karen David at 215-946-4040 or visit our website: www.bfdtournament.com.

"Brian could often be heard walking around the house in anticipation of an upcoming good weather day chanting, 'Golf, golf, golf!' So, it was only fitting that golf would play a central role in celebrating Brian's birthday."

VISIT WWW.BFDTOURNAMENT.COM

**SPONSORSHIP
OPTIONS**

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- Tiger Woods Level Sponsor- \$1,000
- Arnold Palmer Level Sponsor- \$500
- Rory McIlroy Level Sponsor- \$250
- Course Hole Sponsor- \$150
- Donation



Not a Golfer? Not a problem.

As noted above, the **Brian F. David Memorial Golf Tournament will take place on Friday, June 9th** for the benefit of the Holy Family Regional Catholic School.

Please consider supporting Holy Family Catholic Regional School by donating a gift basket

for the raffle basket drawing to take place at the dinner.

Donations are also accepted as are the sponsorship options noted above. Electronic donations can be made at BFDTournament.com or you can drop any donations off at the parish rectory.



**Archdiocese of Philadelphia
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Sunday, May 21, 2023 | 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM
Speaker: Fr. Joseph Ita-Sam, CM

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**SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH COMMUNITY
POT OF GOLD**

WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM



May 8, 2023

7 - 12 - 17 - 18 - 29

JACKPOT PRIZE WINNER

(NONE)

CONSOLATION PRIZE WINNERS

4 @ \$250

WINNER

**Nancy & Shelby
Kevin Doran
Julie Flanagan
Annmarie Stanley**

SELLER

**Nancy & Shelby
M. O'Neill
Andrea Kelly
Andrea Kelly**

NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT PRIZE

\$27,000

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.

St. Frances of Cabrini provides our parishioners with the opportunity to use Electronic Funds Transfer as a method for giving. For information or to get started, go to saintfrancescabrini.net, click on the Parish Giving Logo and follow the easy registration steps. If you have any questions, please contact our Business Manager, Karen David, at 215-946-4040.



WE ARE A TITHING COMMUNITY

Sunday Collection - May 7, 2023	\$10,539
Parish Giving EFT	\$5,557
TOTAL	\$16,096
Prior Year's Collection	\$11,578

As always, we thank you for your generosity and support of our Saint Frances Cabrini Parish Community.

Mental Health Awareness Month

As Catholics, we are called to embrace an ever-clearer vision of each human person as created by God with inherent dignity and worth. This truth is not diminished when someone struggles with various illnesses or behaviors, including mental health concerns.

Mental health includes our emotional, psychological and social well-being. It affects how we think and act and helps determine how we handle stress, relate to others, and make choices (Mentalhealth.gov). When a person suffers from mental illness, it can interfere with their everyday life and can result in an inability to cope with life's ordinary demands and routines (NCPD). Mental illness, as with any health-related issue, can vary in severity and look very different from person to person.

- 17.5 % of adults have a form of mental illness.
- 13 % of children (1 in 8) have a diagnosis of mental illness.
- For ages 10-25 Suicide is the 3rd leading cause of death.

in *Pennsylvania*

As a faith community, we are called to support our brothers and sisters suffering from a mental health condition, offering the unconditional and non-judgmental love they deserve. Rather than accept the misconceptions surrounding mental illness, we can increase our awareness of its symptoms and effects, and identify the local resources. Moreover, we must be in relationship with others, bringing hope and comfort in times of crisis or pain by offering prayers of healing and accompaniment through treatment. Together, the parish can be a place of healing for all people and their families!

If you or someone you know is in need of mental health services, contact PA Mental Health & Addiction Services hotline at 1-855-284-2494 or call 211 to find services. This hotline provides information and referrals for local resources throughout Pennsylvania.

If you or someone you know is suicidal, in danger of harming themselves, or in emotional distress, contact the confidential National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 988 or text PA to 741741 or call: 1-888-628-9454. Trained crisis workers are available to talk 24/7. In cases of imminent risk and/or danger, please call 911.

Reflect on mental health:

How would I react if I found out a close friend or family member has been diagnosed with a mental health condition? What can I do to reduce the stigma? How do we as a family care for the mental health of each family member?

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OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA**
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9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM
645 FERRY ROAD, DOYLESTOWN, PA

EUCHRISTIC CONGRESS: ALL ARE WELCOME!
Includes: Holy Mass celebrated by Archbishop Pérez, Talks on the Mystery of the Eucharist, opportunities for Adoration, Confession, Benediction, and more.

For additional information or to register, please see: phillyeucharisticrevival.org/congress.

Please bring your own lunch. Parking available.

CATHOLIC JOB OPPORTUNITIES



Saint John's is looking for a part time Youth Minister. Find the posting and qualifications on the Archdiocesan website at archphila.org. From the drop-down menu select **How Do I** and then **Apply For A Job At The Archdiocese**. You may also contact Fr. Will by e-mail at fatherwill@stjohnpa.org.

Holy Trinity Parish, Morrisville is seeking a CRE/DRE for their PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) for the 2023-2024 school year. This is a full-time, 12-month position. The PREP program meets Wednesday. If interested, please send your resume to Monsignor John C. Eckert at HolyTrinityRCC@aol.com.

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