

# ST. FRANCES CABRINI PARISH

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325 S. Oxford Valley Road, Fairless Hills, PA 19030

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### Rectory Office

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9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, 1:00 - 8:00 PM  
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### Office of Religious Education

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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](http://WWW.SAINTFRANCESCABRINI.NET)

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday May 28, 2023

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

## Week of May 28, 2023

- MONDAY**     **Mary, Mother of the Church**  
**9:30 AM**     Thomas Sturkey - Monsignor McCormac
- TUESDAY**   **Weekday**  
**9:30 AM**     Gerard Griffin - Sally & Steve Spinosa
- WEDNESDAY** **Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
**9:30 AM**     Margaret O’Sullivan - Monsignor McCormac
- THURSDAY**   **Saint Justin, Martyr**  
**9:30 AM**     Alice Mary Olmo - Carlos & Linda Olmo
- FRIDAY**     **Weekday**  
**9:30 AM**     David Pierfy - Colleen Cunningham
- SATURDAY**   **Saint Charles Lwanga & Companions**  
**9:30 AM**     Brian David - Kathy Schafer

## Sunday, June 4, 2023

The 11:00 AM 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  
*Richard Sabatini - Denise*  
*and*  
*Linda Kreutzer - Chick and Family*

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

### 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

Theodore Redmann • Zachariah Gallagher  
Jean Pawlowski

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



## Pentecost

By Theresa Leonetti O'Connor  
Director of Parish Services

Lights, cameras... tongues of fire?!? As I prayed through the first reading, I couldn't help but picture this whole scene as a huge Hollywood production complete with CGI or computer-generated images to depict not only those tongues of fire but also the immensity of Jerusalem in ancient times and the thousands of people who would have been there to experience this incredible miracle. But of course, we can only imagine the scene because nothing could do it justice for sure! However, I am sure the likes of J.J. Abrams would surely like to give it a try!

I often wonder how to explain the Holy Spirit to someone new to the Christian faith. We could list the facts as Holy Spirit is Paraclete, Advocate, Third Person of the Holy Trinity, promised by Jesus to his followers before he left them the final time. We know and feel the Holy Spirit's presence in our Christian lives but often don't realize that until the experience has passed.

To be aware of the power of God in the moment within a group of people who are open to receiving Christ's spirit is what we celebrate and believe every week. It takes each one of us to open our hearts and minds to receive and feel the ever passing but powerful pull of the Holy Spirit especially when we are together around the altar of the Lamb for Eucharist. It is through the power of the Holy Spirit that the bread and wine are changed into the Body and Blood of Christ. And we are never the same!

It is through the power of the same Spirit that we become the One Body of Christ with all gifts and jobs to do for the kingdom, and it is the same Spirit who brings that out in all of us. We each have been given natural gifts and talents that contribute to the One Body. Imagine that!! If each of us willingly learned what our gifts are, acknowledged and then shared what we are given with the greater good of our parish community; what grace, what power would be shared?!?

The Holy Spirit is real and powerful enough to affect incredible, cinematic miracles as well as the still small soft voice we hear in our hearts that moves us to call a friend in need at just the right time. If we open our hearts and minds each day and pray for the Holy Spirit to move within us and move us, then who knows what miracles can happen next?!?

Happy Pentecost Blessings, my sisters and brothers!



## *Scripture Readings*

### **First Reading: Acts 2:1-11**

The outpouring of the power of God in the Holy Spirit fulfills and renews. Those who were filled with the Holy Spirit spoke in many languages, with people from throughout the world hearing and understanding the mighty acts of God. The outpouring of the Holy Spirit fulfills the promise Jesus made to the disciples, making their witness possible.

### **Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3B-7, 12-13**

It is through the Spirit that we are able to claim Jesus Christ as Lord. The gifts, forms of service and workings of disciples

are manifestations of the Spirit, given to each individual for some benefit. Each part of the Body of Christ is essential. All are drawn toward unity in Christ through the Spirit.

### **Gospel: John 20:19-23**

This post-Resurrection narrative places the disciples behind locked doors when Jesus comes into their midst. His presence signals a new era in which the disciples and Christ are united in mission through the Holy Spirit. The despair of the crucifixion gives way to Easter joy. In the risen Christ, the disciples are offered peace and sent in to mission. They are given the Holy Spirit, and charged with the continuation of Christ's life of mercy and forgiveness.





THANK YOU to everyone who donated food for our Parish's Monthly Food Collection for Martha's Cupboard last weekend. Thank you for your continued generosity and support of this important ministry. As a reminder, we have designated every third weekend of the month for FOOD COLLECTION for Martha's Cupboard. Food, gift cards or monetary donations may be brought to the vestibule of the church every third weekend of the month OR dropped off at the rectory anytime.

The hours of operation for FOOD PICKUP for anyone in need of food assistance are Saturdays 11am to 1pm or call the rectory for more information. The entrance is located in the rear of the Father Heron building (follow signs). We will be announcing expanded days and hours for the Cupboard in the coming weeks.

We are also in the process of contacting ALL the people who have signed up to volunteer. Anyone who would still like to volunteer at the Cupboard or would be interested in delivering the food are most welcome. All are invited and welcome to help with this ministry. Please call the rectory at 215-946-4040 or send an email to [parish@saintfrancescabrini.net](mailto:parish@saintfrancescabrini.net).

Again, we thank everyone for their assistance!

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

### SACRED HEART NOVENA

In preparation for the Feast of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on

**Friday, June 16th**, the Sacred Heart Novena will be prayed

after the **9:30 AM daily Mass** and also after the **9:00 AM**

**Sunday Mass beginning Wednesday June 7th and**

**ending Thursday June 15th.** Sacred Heart Novena

prayer pamphlets will be made available at the Church entrances for personal use at home and will be posted on the SFC website as well. If your schedule permits, please join the community for Mass during the Novena.



# THE BRIAN F. DAVID MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

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*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](http://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."*

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**Not a Golfer? Not a problem.**

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

Please consider supporting Holy Family Catholic Regional School by donating a gift basket to 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](http://BFDTournament.com) or you can drop any donations off at the parish rectory.



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](http://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.

**Liturgical Ministers**

Thank you for your ministry and enhancing our liturgy! Please do sign into Ministry scheduler and sign up as there are a large number of open slots that need to be covered. Thank you again!

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



**WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM**

**May 15, 2023**

**7 - 12 - 17 - 18 - 29**

**JACKPOT PRIZE WINNER!**

**\$27,000**

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**7 @ \$143**

**WINNER**

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- Hillary
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- Janet Durkin
- Deacon Mace

**SELLER**

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- D. Hensor
- Coyne
- Rita
- Cyndi LaPenna
- Squicimara
- Garneau

**MAY 22 JACKPOT PRIZE**

**\$5,000**

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 - May 7, 2023	\$10,011
Parish Giving EFT	\$1,046
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12,979</b>
Prior Year's Collection	\$15,611

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



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