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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



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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 November 3, 2024

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

Week of November 3, 2024

MONDAY	St. Charles Borromeo	
9:30 AM	<i>Ken Blairsdale</i>	His sister, Laura Tierney
TUESDAY		
9:30 AM	<i>Larry Clark</i>	Gloria Sottile
WEDNESDAY		
9:30 AM	<i>Betty Brooks</i>	McCarthy Family
THURSDAY		
9:30 AM	<i>Joseph Panzarella, Sr.</i>	His son, Joe Panzarella
FRIDAY		
9:30 AM	<i>Tricia Madden (5th Anniversary)</i>	Jean Madden
SATURDAY	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	
9:30 AM	<i>Marie F. Cooper</i>	Jul

Sunday November 10, 2024

The 9:00 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 the

Maria Percaccio—The Garneau Family
Anthony Spagnolia, Sr.—Mike & Chris Zackowski

BREAD AND WINE MEMORIALS

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:

Barbara Balasco	George Kasperitis
Edward Baranoski	Joseph Killian
Harriet Beatrice	Hailey Knorr
Marie Breen	Carol Mazzoni
Mike Caine	Barbara Milorey
Peter Cellucci	Dennis Pierce
James Cook	Marie Ranniello
Josephine Dominick	Joe Tralies
Lorena Goodreau	Jane Trout
Betty Graham	Grayson Whittaker
Marc Gravante	Mark Whittaker, Jr.
Steve Harris	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 Our Deceased

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

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

Anthony Enos • Margaret Dougherty
Dolly Groetsch • Scott Kenny

Saint Frances Cabrini Annual Memorial Mass November 7, 2024, 7:30 PM



Messages from Monsignor McCormac

The Parish Mission is Coming November 17, 18 and 19, 2024

As we have been happily announcing, Father Tom McCarthy will be returning to our Parish Community to conduct a Parish Mission. Father Tom will be here on **November 17th, 18th, and 19th**. He is very well known to us here at St. Frances Cabrini. Father Tom was here for a Parish Mission in November 2019, November 2021, and November 2022. **The theme for this year's Mission is "Jesus, the Center and Joy of our lives."**

On Sunday evening, there will be a 75-minute conference. On Monday evening, there will be a 65-minute conference followed by an opportunity for confessions when there will be 10 priests available. On the third evening, there will be a Eucharistic celebration with an extended homily.

Father Tom is an experienced teacher, administrator, retreat director and parish mission preacher. He is a native of the South Side of Chicago where he attended Catholic School. He then came East to attend Villanova University, where he graduated with a B.A. in Communication Arts. Father Tom 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 Vocation Director for the Our Mother of Good Counsel (Midwest) Province and five years for St. Thomas of Villanova (Eastern) Province. You can find more information on his website www.frtommccarthy.com

Please place the Parish Mission dates on your calendars, and plan to be here to greet Father Tom and participate in our Parish Mission. Thank you.

PARISH MISSION

Fr. Thomas R. McCarthy, OSA

Jesus, the Center & Joy of Our Lives

**November 17-19, 2024
7:00 PM**

THE THEMES WILL INCLUDE:

- "ARE YOU RESTLESS?"
- "HOW CAN WE GROW IN FAITH WHEN OUR LIFE IS SO BUSY?"
- "WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO YOU – SPECIFICALLY?"

A Very Charitable Parish Community

During the celebration of Mass within the second Eucharistic Prayer, as a worshipping community of faith, we pray "Remember, Lord, your Church, spread throughout the world, and bring her to the fullness of charity," and within the third Eucharistic Prayer, we pray, "Be pleased to confirm in faith and charity, your pilgrim Church on earth."

During the month of October, as a Parish Community, the Lord especially heard our prayers and brought us to the "fullness of charity" and "confirmed us in faith and charity" by allowing us to be the answer to the needs of others. Although we are always demonstrating our faith in action through our charitable works, as our parishioners would know, there were three opportunities to share our God-given gifts with others.

At the request of our Parish Community's Walking with Moms in Need, we participated in the Legacy of Life Foundation Baby Bottles initiative assisting mothers and their unborn and born children.

At the same time, at the request of our Falls Township Police Department, through their Project DASH donation box in the vestibule of the church, we assisted the homeless in Bucks County with clothing and other needed items, as our brothers and sisters anticipate a harsh winter.

Finally, our Parish Community continued their support of feeding those experiencing food insecurity through our own Martha's Cupboard. Although food and other needed items can be brought to the church or the rectory at any time, on the third weekend of each month, our parishioners faithfully bring these items to church.

As pastor, I want to thank you for all you do in making Jesus Christ present within our community through your generosity. Your participation in these October opportunities of caring for others show your love and care for the strangers among us who are in need. I am so very grateful and so very proud of you, our faithful members of our St. Frances Cabrini Parish Community, as the Lord "confirms us in faith and charity."

God's love is the foundation of His law.

The two greatest commandments of which Jesus speaks are rooted in love: The first is to love God; the second is to love others. Both stem from the outpouring of God's pure goodness. If we love God fully and faithfully, and love others as He loves, we cooperate in our own well-being, and come closer to His kingdom.

Deuteronomy 6:2-6
Hebrews 7:23-28
Mark 12:28b-34

In the first reading, Moses instructs the people to love God and keep His commands. In the second reading, the eternal priesthood of Jesus is contrasted with the earthly Levitical priesthood. In the Gospel, Jesus speaks of the greatest commandments as the command to love God and the command to love your neighbor as yourself.

Martha's Cupboard



Thank you for your continued support of the Martha's Cupboard Ministry!

The next collection will be held on Saturday November 16 and Sunday November 17.

If you are not using the free turkey that you earned from the grocery store, please consider donating it to the Cupboard. The Cupboard is also accepting chicken roasters, turkey breast and chicken breast to supplement the holiday staples to be distributed for the Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday season.

Thanksgiving bags will be distributed on Saturday November 16, Monday November 18 and Saturday November 23. The Cupboard is open on Saturdays, 11:00 AM-1:00 PM and on Mondays 12:00 PM-2:00 PM.

Our Parish Community's Martha's Cupboard Ministry thanks you for your generosity in helping those in need within our civic community.



A TIME OF PRAYER
for our country

As Election Day approaches on Tuesday, we have a duty as Catholics to pray for the nation, for the elections, and for our elected leaders, as well as to cast our vote.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Let us turn with confidence to Jesus in the Holy Eucharist with our prayers. All are welcome. The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation is also available beginning at 5:30 PM

The Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul
18th Street and
The Benjamin Franklin Parkway
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Parking is available.



If you'd like to keep a time of prayer and can't make it to the Cathedral, come to our Saint Joseph Chapel for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Sunday 12:30 PM to 8:00 PM or Monday through Saturday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM



On Tuesday, November 5, 2024 general elections will take place. Educational resources from the Pennsylvania Catholic Conference about candidates and their positions are available on archphila.org and CatholicPhilly.com.

Please note: The Archdiocese of Philadelphia, inclusive of its related entities, neither endorses nor opposes any candidate for political office.



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We all have very real questions about death. What happens when we die? What does Scripture teach about death? How do we prepare for the life to come? Explore the mystery of death, dying, and everlasting life through Eternal Rest



In this collection, you can find interviews on dozens of the lives of the saints. Learn about Sts. Monica, Augustine, Stephen, Philip Neri, Catherine of Siena, and more!



These two short videos can help your children or grandchildren understand All Saints and Souls Day and why we commemorate them.

For these topics and more register for a free FORMED account at: signup.Formed.org

An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and Ignatius Press

Legacy of Life Baby Bottle Drive

- The Legacy of Life Foundation Baby Bottle Drive fundraiser ended last weekend. If you forgot to bring your donation and/or bottle back to church, please return it as soon as possible.

November 21

6:30pm

St. Ephrem Parish

UNPLANNED

UNPLANNED: Movie & Discussion with Abby Johnson

The Extraordinary Movie Depicting the True-Life Story of Abby Johnson: A director at Planned Parenthood, who after witnessing firsthand the horrific circumstances of an abortion, renounced her stance on abortion and is now a prominent, national speaker in defense of the sanctity of all human life. FOLLOWING THE MOVIE, STAY AND LISTEN AS ABBY JOIN US IN PERSON TO SHARE THE STORY OF HER CONVERSION TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH. An opportunity for questions will follow Abby's presentation.

More info: [Click here for the flyer](#); Tickets are free of charge, but tickets are required for admission. Please register at the link below and present your email receipt at the door for admission: form.jotform.com/24289

Questions? Contact St. Ephrem Parish at stephrem.com

SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH COMMUNITY POT OF GOLD WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM



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\$45,000

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 27, 2024	\$9,666.00
Parish Giving EFT	\$3,358.00
Total	\$13,024.00
Prior Year's Collection	\$13,795.00

INCREASED OFFERTORY APPEAL

All parishioners are encouraged to prayerfully and thoughtfully consider how they might increase their weekly contribution in proportion to their means. Even a small, consistent increase from each parish family can significantly impact our ability to build a more balanced financial future for St. Frances Cabrini, ensuring that our ministries continue to flourish for years to come.



Sign up for Online Giving today!

To enroll in the St. Frances Cabrini online giving program, please log in to: saintfrancescabrini.net and click on the Parish Giving Logo.

For information about electronic giving, contact Karen David at 215-946-4040 or Parish@SaintFrancesCabrini.net

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Saturday November 9 | 7-11 p.m.
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Fall Scholarships

Together DLFF and CEC are working to make a Catholic Education affordable with this \$2,000 scholarship (per year for all 4 years)

Deadline: December 6, 2024 (DLFF.org)

The Gifts from Gwyn Foundation

Deadline: December 15, 2024. (GiftsFromGwyn.org)

More information on the above and other scholarships may be found at: conwell-egan.org/scholarships



Advocates for Homeless & Those in Need

Volunteers are the backbone of our organization, and without their help, someone in your community might not have a warm meal, or sleep without fear of hypothermia and hope that someone cares enough to give them a helping hand. There are many volunteer opportunities for our missions, including Code Blue, Those in Need and Wheels to Meals.

Learn more about AHTN and the possibilities for volunteering at www.AHTN.org and click on Get Involved & then Volunteer with AHTN.



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Online Registration is open.

scs.edu/school-of-theological-studies/catechetical-institute/

ADVENT DAYS OF RECOLLECTION

Saturday, November 30th * 11:30 – 5 p.m.
St. Raymond Nonnatus Foundation
Daylesford Abbey, Paoli, PA

The retreat theme is “sharing our deepest gifts of faith, peace, faith, love, and joy”. This retreat is perfect for anyone who has undergone family crisis, particularly: separation or divorce, health crisis, loss of loved one, and more.

Contact: director.srnf@gmail.com
Register: nonnatus.org/advent-retreat-2024.html

Wednesday, December 4 * 9:00am – 3:00pm
Advent, Waiting with Mary
IHM Spirituality Center in Malvern, PA

In what can be a busy season, we look at how Mary spent the days between the Annunciation and the birth of Jesus. The day of recollection includes morning hospitality, lunch, two conferences, Mass, an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and quiet prayer time.

Contact Sr. Anne Marie:
ihmspcenter@gmail.com, 610 647 4136

Registration: ihmimmaculata.org/mission-ministry/ihm-spirituality-center/

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