# Mother Cabrini Church 214 North Shamokin Street Shamokin, PA, 17872

Parish Office Hours Monday through Thursday 8AM to 4PM 570-648-4512

#### Website:

http://wwwrevivingtogether.com/

# Sixth Sunday of Easter May 5, 2024



## **Mother Cabrini Friary**

Friar James Fukes, OFM Conv., Pastor of Mother Cabrini Church Friar Nicholas Spano, OFM Conv., Pastor of Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick Churches

Friar Timothy Geiger, OFM Conv., Parochial Vicar



#### Cabrini Parish Staff

Deacon Robert Wislock, Pastoral Associate

Kris Coulbourn, Finance Manager

Ann Marie Drust, Parish Secretary/Cemetery Coordinator

Jim Yost, Maintenance

Dennis Bobber, Music Director

Mary Gillam, Religious Education Coordinator

#### Cabrini Mass Schedule

Weekends: Saturday, 4PM Vigil – Sunday: 8:30AM & 11AM
Masses: Monday through Saturday, 8AM
Holy Days of Obligation: As Announced

### **Cabrini Confessions**

**Tuesday and Thursday:** 7:30 to 7:50AM **Saturday:** 3:00 to 3:45PM

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, May 4

4PM +Daniel T. Fabrizio by Son, David and Family

Sunday, May 5 Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:30AM +Ronald Dimm III by Mom, Margaret and Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church 11AM Intentions of First Communicants

Monday, May 6 Sixth Weekday of Easter

8AM ++Sophia and Frank Smulski by daughter, Sandy Radel

Tuesday, May 7 Sixth Weekday of Easter

8AM +Lee C. Patrick by Wife, Sandy Radel

Wednesday, May 8 Sixth Weekday of Easter

8AM +Hartwig Family by Wes

Thursday, May 9
Ascension of the Lord

8AM In Remembrance of. . . Mary Ellen and +Joseph Candelora's 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary by Family

7PM +Nicola Kolovic by Wife, Prena and Children

Friday, May 10

St. John of Avila, Priest and Doctor of the Church 8AM +Peter Marciniak by Sister Ann

Saturday, May 11 Sixth Saturday of Easter

8AM +Joan Landau by Daughter, Amy and Family 4PM +Jeanette Hertzog by Angela Hertzog

Sunday, May 12 Seventh Sunday of Easter

8:30AM ++Frances and Ed Madden by Gary & Bernice Madden and Family 11AM Mother's Day Novena



**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** This Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup> is the Feast of

the Ascension of the Lord. There will not be a Vigil Mass the evening before the feast day. There will be a 7PM Mass Thursday evening. May 9<sup>th</sup>.

#### Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Remembrance of . . .

Mary Ellen and +Joseph Candelora's

60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary (May 9<sup>th</sup>)

by Family

#### Mass Candles / Bread & Wine

In Memory of Bob Levins (1 Year Anniversary) by Wife, Mary Ann

#### Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .

In Memory of Kenny Smink (Birthday, May 6) by Cindy and Marissa

# Collection Totals for the Weekend of April 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Offertory: \$4,109.19
Parish Debt: 745.03
Parish Property Insurance: 141.00
Parish Dues: 154.00
Miscellaneous: 132.00
Total: \$5,281.22

Home Missions: \$ 434.00



## Remember, the Bill-Collector Always Shows Up!!

When circumstances prevent you from attending

Mass on a particular weekend, please remember to bring and add your offertory envelopes to the following week's collection. The parish builds its annual budget based on projected income and projected expenses. Shortfalls in any weekend collection income strains our ability to pay our regular occurring parish bills. Thank you and God bless all who support their parish, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health and whether in town or not!

ALLELUIA!



## Mother's Day Mass Remembrance Cards

Returns made after the May 1<sup>st</sup> deadline will be included in the Mother's Day Novena of Masses but not listed in the May 12<sup>th</sup> (Mother's Day) bulletin.

Save the Dates for our
Annual Picnic Food
Sale and Basket Raffle.
Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> for the
Food Sale and
Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>
for the Basket Raffle.
More information will be
forthcoming!



#### **First Communion Information**

May 5<sup>th</sup> First Communion and May Crowning at Mother Cabrini Church at the 11:00 AM Mass



This Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, the following children will receive their First Holy Communion at the 11AM Mass. Please continue to pray for them as they continue their journey of faith. Also, a special Thank You to Sam Nicola, Chole Madden and Marie Schreffler who prepared them for this important Sacrament.

Lukas Michael Behr Marisa Rosalyn Kieski Matthew Donald Kieski Harper Marie Ososkie Lila Paige Zawtski



PLACING FLAGS
ON VETERANS GRAVES. . .
Plan to Make Time to
Honor Our Veterans,
THIS SUNDAY, MAY 5<sup>th</sup>
(Rain Date Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup>)

Shamokin Knights will assist in placing flags on the Veterans graves in our cemeteries for Memorial Day.

The plan is to meet at the flag pole memorial atop the hill (above the ball field) this Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 1PM. Please come and join us as we honor our veterans with this "hands on" project. Any amount of time that you can donate will be greatly appreciated. Many hands and feet of... the young and old, men and women, teens and children will make light work! I hope to see as many as possible honoring our veterans. Thank you! *Friar Jim* 

### Regarding our Cemeteries. . .



Water service in the cemetery will be turned on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. . . trash cans will also be put out. Please clean your grave sites of all old pots, decorations, etc. and place the debris in the trash cans. Items

left eventually blow all over the cemetery. Please do not deposit your pet waste at the cemetery. It is most rude and discourteous to expect our maintenance man to empty cans with bags of dog waste inside. If your "Fido" relieves himself in the cemetery, please take that souvenir home with him.

If you see Friar Tim on Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, wish him a Happy Birthday!



Our Parish Office will be closed on Thursday, May 9th in observance of Ascension Thursday.

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Bob Hauer, Jim Logic, Kapukui Sykes, Candida Davis, Dennis Shuey, Pete Ginther, "Henry", Connie Yucha, Gertrude Slawek, Roberta Jasper, Sylvia Pappas, Barbara A. Verano, Katie Bolick, Connie Fabrizio, Sharon Rome, Robert Wieland, Timber Buckwash, Anita Shaffer, Rosemary Krushinskie, LeAndre Hoover, Lone Wolf, Joe Mazzatesta, Pat Jaworski, Pastor Paul Eby, Gina Fox, Casper Burns Lorraine Gusick, Betty Menapace, Neron, Alex Stefanowicz, Tammy Shirley Stefanowicz, Elizabeth Rebuck, Jaden Leiby, Joy Knapik, Sharon Casper, Rosie Purcell, Pat & Peggy Kazmerski, Tammy (Laczkowski) Le, Desiree Castro, Helene McGinley, Elizabeth Purcell, Caroline Kalinoski, Carol Fegley, Lorraine Kinder, Jim Culp, Sandy Boyd, Jackson Floyd, Andrew Wislock, Cassondra Senoski, Helen Pasierb, Mark Senoski, Carl T. Bielski, Mary Ellen Candelora, Mary Ann (Anderson) Barrett. Elaine Rado. Theresa Krushinskie, Kathleen Kleskie, Karen Buranich, Kevin Hauer, Brian Shaffer, Nick Thorpe, Lori McCabe, Beverly Katalenas, Una McManus, James Sandri, Noreen Germak, Scott Wieland, Edward Yeager, John Laskoski, Steve Novak, Tracie Hartman, Mary Ann Pacocha, Barbara Shevitski, John Kehler, Doris Bates, Ty Beeman, Aerica Richardson, Sue Cantore, Chuck Pensyl, Jr., Luke Dietterick, Special Intention, Lois Topolski and Dave McGlynn.

#### Friar Rich Rome's Ordination

Friar Rich Rome will be Ordained into the Priesthood on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at St. Casimir's Church, Baltimore. Friar Nick Spano pastor from Our Lady of Hope Church would like to charter a bus to attend Fr. Rich's Ordination. This depends on the number of responses to attend from Mother Cabrini, Our Lady of Hope and St. Patrick Churches. Please call the parish office at 570-648-4512 if you are interested in attending his ordination.

Please respond ASAP so that we know to reserve a bus for this occasion.

# Cabrini Pre-Picnic Food Sale Potato/Cheese and Farmer Cheese Pierogi Sale









Potato Pierogi will be made the week of June 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Cabrini Kitchen Shed. Orders can be picked up at the Cabrini Kitchen Shed on Thursday & Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> from 9AM to 1PM. Potato Pierogi are \$12.00 per dozen. There is no limit on ordering, until the quota of 250 dozen is filled.

#### ALSO:

Farmer Cheese Pierogi will be made the week of June 10<sup>th</sup> at the Cabrini Kitchen Shed with pick up Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup> and Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup> from 9AM to 1PM at the Cabrini Kitchen Shed. Farmer Cheese Pierogi are \$14.00 per dozen. There is no limit on ordering, until the quota of 100 dozen is filled.

Orders can be placed by calling the parish office (during office hours) at 570-648-4512.

We call upon all our pierogi makers young & old, men & women to lend a hand. Your help is very important to the success of this project. Come to the Cabrini Shed starting at 9AM.

Please have a family member or a friend pick up your order if you are unable to do so. Orders not picked up on dates listed will be cancelled and sold to the public.



#### Exercise Your "Will Power"

Help provide for the future of our parish. Remember Mother Cabrini Church in your will.

# CHANGE OF ADDRESS and PHONE NUMBER:

A reminder to please contact the parish office with a change of address and/or your telephone number. You are important to us and at times we may need to contact you by either phone or mail. When mail is returned to the parish office we are charged a return fee.

#### **QUO VADIS DAYS**

Quo Vadis Days gives men the peace needed to begin hearing this call. It is a time of recreation, fellowship, prayer and discussion to help you explore our Lord's call in your life.

Priests, seminarians and other young men like yourself gather together for these days for prayer (Holy Sacrifice of the Mass Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, etc.) Games, bonfires, recreation and sports (soccer, capture the flag, volleyball, Ultimate Frisbee, flag football).

Email: vocations@hgdiocese.org
Phone: 717-657-4804, ext 282
Download the forms at
www.hbgdiocese.org/vocations
registration deadline: June 14th

# Our Lady of Hope Spring Food Sale and Basket Raffle

Our Lady of Hope Parish Hall, 863 W. Chestnut St., Coal Township Friday, May 17th - 4PM to 7PM Saturday, May 18th - 11AM to 3PM Menu: Halushki , Pigeons, Potato Cakes, Sweet Sausage Hoagie, Pierogi & Baked Goods. Eat in or take out.

The Basket Raffle will continue with the winners being announced on June 3, 2024.



## **Deacon's Corner**

#### Deacon's Corner – The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord will be celebrated on Thursday, May 9. On this solemnity, the Gospel of St. Mark tells us that "Jesus said to his disciples, 'Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature.' Then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. (Mark 16: 15-20)." This day is celebrated 40 days after Jesus' Resurrection on Easter Sunday – the Thursday during the sixth week of Easter. However, most dioceses in the United States have moved this solemnity to the seventh Sunday of Easter.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) emphasizes the importance and meaning of the Lord's Ascension into Heaven. Christ's Ascension marks the definitive entrance of Jesus' humanity into God's heavenly domain, as he will come again (665). As the head of the Church, Jesus precedes us into the Father's glorious kingdom so that we, the members of his Body, may live in the hope of one day being with him forever (666). Finally, Jesus Christ, having entered the sanctuary of heaven once and for all, intercedes constantly for us as the mediator who assures us of the permanent outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our lives (667).

On this holy day, may we pray, "O God, grant that in accordance with your Son's promise, we may be worthy for him to live with us always on earth, and we with him in heaven" (Evening Prayer, Divine Office).

ALLELUIA!