

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

**Twenty-Fourth Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time**  
**September 15, 2024**

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

**Website:**

<http://www.revivingtogether.com/>



**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, September 14 – Vigil Mass

4PM ++Ostroski and Witkoski Families  
by Mary Ann Culp  
and Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

## Sunday, September 15

### Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM ++Mr. & Mrs. Robert Yakoboski  
by Son, David  
11AM +Gertrude Kaskie by Jean Kaskie & Family

## Monday, September 16

### Sts. Cornelius, Pope and Cyrian Bishop & Martyrs

8AM ++Loretta and Dan Campomizzi by Family

## Tuesday, September 17

### St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church & St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8AM ++John and Helen Paul by Barbara  
and +Bernard Pahucki

## Wednesday, September 18

### Twenty-Fourth Weekday in Ordinary Time

8AM +Gertrude Slawek by Loretta & Family

## Thursday, September 19

### St. Januarius, Bishop & Martyr

8AM Living & +Deceased Members of Thurick  
and Kulick Families by Geraldine Kulick

## Friday, September 20

### Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest and Paul Chong Ha-sand and Companions & Martyrs

8AM ++Mickey and Mary Anderson  
by Mary Ann Anderson Barrett

## Saturday, September 21

### St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

8AM +Michael Treese by Carl Arnold  
and Tom Eckman  
4PM +Daniel T. Fabrizio by Wife, Connie

## Sunday, September 22

### Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM +Vincent Stefanowicz, Sr.  
by Wife, Marie and Family  
11AM +Uncle Frank McManus by Una McManus  
and Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

## Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Memory of Walter and Emilie Kanaskie  
by Mary Ann & Paul

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

In Memory of Sam & Leonora Cherry  
by Family

### Collection Totals for the Weekend of September 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024

<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>\$4,179.00</b>
<b>Votives:</b>	<b>129.00</b>
<b>Parish Dues:</b>	<b>823.00</b>
<b>Religious Education:</b>	<b>230.00</b>
<b>Miscellaneous:</b>	<b>206.00</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$5,567.00</b>
<b>Peter's Pence:</b>	<b>\$ 476.00</b>

## Catechetical Sunday

The U.S. Bishops have designated this Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> as Catechetical Sunday to honor all those who share in the evangelizing and teaching mission of the Church. At Our Lady of Hope, St. Patrick and Mother Cabrini Parishes, we are so grateful for the dedicated ministry of these persons who have accepted the call to catechize our youth and in their Faith Formation Processes.

We acknowledge with gratitude: Sam Nicola, Lyndsey McElwee, Susan Christiana, Karen McCracken, Andrew Leeman, Sarah Keefer, Mary Gillam, Rose Witt and Melissa Myers.

We thank them for their continued commitment to share and educate the youth in our parishes.

## TEMPORARY PARISH OFFICE HOURS. . .

Until further notice, the parish  
office hours will be  
Monday thru Wednesday,  
8AM to 4PM  
and Thursday, 9AM to 2:00PM



## Kudos People!

Thank you all once again for your participation in our Picnic Food Sale and Gift Basket Raffle this July. Many, many parishioners helped with food preparation and sale as well as Gift Basket donations and Raffle Ticket purchases and sales. This year's financial profits from these 2 days in July (plus later sales of left-over picnic food) amounted to \$25,130.00. This is an increase in profit of \$1,756.34 from last year.

We noticed lower numbers in attendance, likely from fundraisers happening elsewhere at the same time. However, parishioners and visitors donated much of their time, talent and treasure. We are grateful for so much of your help!

We are considering for next year to have our Picnic Food Sale and Basket Raffle at an outdoor venue to give everyone the chance to gather and enjoy the time together. It would require more volunteers, so we invite your feedback on this last idea.

Thank you all, from me and the Food Sale and Basket Raffle Committee! Friar Jim



## Annual Chicken BBQ:

Mother Cabrini Church, Shamokin will hold their Annual Chicken BBQ on Sunday, October 13, 2024 **from 11:00AM to 1:00PM** at the "Cabrini Shed", (corner of Race & Cherry Streets). **The dinner will include a ½ chicken, baked potato, baked beans, cranberry sauce, roll and "a sweet"**. Donation \$13.00. Tickets can be purchased at Mother Cabrini Parish Office, **Monday thru Wednesday, 8AM to 4PM or by calling 648-4512**. Deadline to place an order is 12Noon on Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>. **(Take Out Only)**.

## YOU ARE INVITED TO THE 2024 PCC Corner Of Hope "Guardians of Life" Fundraising Banquet

Saturday, October 5 – 4PM - at the Sunbury Social Club - 352 East Drive Sunbury - Sunbury, PA  
RVP required. Please do so by September 9, 2024  
(Limited Seating) - 570-648-2600 (ask for Tiff or Nate) Email: [natem@cohppcc.org](mailto:natem@cohppcc.org)

**Please Pray For the Sick**, especially, Ann Barber, Bob Hauer, Jim Logic, Kapukui Sykes, Candida Davis, Dennis Shuey, Pete Ginther, "Henry", Connie Yucha, Roberta Jasper, Sylvia Pappas, 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, Tammy Neron, Alex Stefanowicz, 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, Cassandra 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, Ty Beeman, Aerica Richardson, Sue Cantore, Chuck Pensyl, Jr., Luke Dietterick, Special Intention, Lois Topolski, Stephen Zarick, Bob Derk, Huxley Hoffman, Gloria Koyack, Arthur Crone, Jacob Lupotsky, Michelle Williams, Rosemary Jacoski, Karima Starke, Jeanie Hickman, Brian Hickman, Amber Sadowy, Kelsey Matchock, Fern Gonsar and Jesse Procopio.



## CABRINI'S "FAMOUS PIEROGI" SALE:

**Potato Pierogi** will be made the week of October 14<sup>th</sup> (\$12.00 dz.) and **Farmer Cheese Pierogi** will be made the week of October 21<sup>st</sup> (\$14.00 dz.). **Orders can be placed by calling the parish office at 570-648-4512 during office hours.**

**Potato Pierogi pickup will be Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> & Friday October 18<sup>th</sup> from 9AM to 1PM**

**Farmer Cheese Pierogi pickup will be Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday, October 25 from 9AM to 1PM - both pierogi orders picked up at the Cabrini Shed, Webster and Cherry Streets.**

## DEACON'S CORNER

### The Memorial of Saints Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

The Memorial of Saints Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop and Martyrs will be celebrated on Monday, September 16. Cornelius of Rome and Cyprian of North Africa are third century saints who were martyred for their love of Jesus Christ and His Church. They are commemorated together on this feast day because they were friends and allies. We hear both their names prayed in Eucharistic Prayer I during Mass.

In 251 A.D., Cornelius was chosen as Pope over the objection of Novatian, who claimed the papacy for himself and was the first antipope. St. Cyprian traveled to Rome to be part of a synod of bishops which upheld Cornelius' authority as Pope and excommunicated Novatian and his followers. The Roman emperor Gallus arrested Pope Cornelius and placed him in prison where he died of physical hardships. St. Cornelius is the patron saint invoked against earaches, epilepsy, and fevers.

St. Cyprian was born in North Africa in 200 A.D. He was an accomplished lawyer and orator. He converted to Christianity and was ordained a priest. He battled many heresies and promoted Church unity. Cyprian was arrested under the persecution of the emperor Valerian, condemned to death, and beheaded on September 14, 258. He was the first African bishop to suffer martyrdom and is the patron saint of North Africa and Algeria.

On this feast day, we pray, "May the prayers and faith of Saints Cornelius and Cyprian give us courage to work for the unity of God's Church."



**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR  
TROOPS AND THEIR  
FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS**

## TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### First Reading: Isaiah 50:5-9a

Isaiah describes the willingness of the Suffering Servant to submit to the persecution of his enemies. This willingness stems from true faith in God, and the knowledge that the Lord will always be his help.

### Second Reading: James 2:14-18

James states that if some one is hungry and you wish them well but do not help them, you have done them no good. He compares this to stating your faith, without backing it up with your actions. He reminds us that we must show our faith through our good works.

### Gospel: Mark 8:27-35

Jesus taught his disciples that as the Messiah, he had to suffer much, be put to death, and rise three days later. Peter began to disagree and Jesus reprimanded him for judging by human standards rather than by God's. He told them that whoever would be willing to lose their life for the sake of Jesus and the gospel, will in fact preserve their life forever.

## Sensory Friendly Mass

**A Sensory Friendly Mass will be held at Our Lady of Hope Church this Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 6PM.** These Masses include lower lights, softer music, and shorter more literal homilies; however, the biggest difference is that we try to create an environment that is welcoming and nonjudgmental to all. We encourage families and individuals to get up and move if needed, to bring alternative seating, fidgets or noise cancelling headphones and to participate in the liturgy just as they are. Fellowship to follow.

**Annual Franciscan Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC** is scheduled for Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>. This pilgrimage is sponsored by Our Lady of the Angels Province. A schedule of the program is listed in the vestibule of the church and at the back entrance by the elevator. It would be a fitting way to honor and promote devotion to the Immaculate Conception, patroness of our nation and the order of the Franciscan Friars here with us. Please call the parish office or see Friar Jim as soon as possible if you are interested in going to this pilgrimage.

## **UPCOMING CONCERT. . .**

**Nationally-acclaimed Singer, Songwriter/Pianist**

**Dan Orlando Solo Concert**

**Sunday, Dec.1, 2024**

**Brady Fire Co. Banquet Hall, Ranshaw**

**Doors open at 1PM – Concert 2 to 4PM**

**\$25 per person – Light refreshments/cash bar**

**Proceeds benefit Mother Cabrini Church**

**Tickets will be available at the parish office in the near future.**



**Dan Orlando grew up in West Grove in Chester County, Pa.**

**The musician and recording artist began playing piano at the age of six and credits his time and connections in West Grove for nurturing his early passion for music.**

**He has performed independently and with the Lords of 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, Billy Joel's original band.**

**He has opened at concerts for numerous well known musical artists around the country. The pianist teamed up with Jordin Sparks to perform at Tony Bennett's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration in 2016 in Las Vegas. Sparks is a singer and actress who rose to fame in 2007 after winning the sixth season of American Idol.**

**Dan has one studio album, Heritage Trail, which he recorded in Nashville, Tenn. He also is working on a new album, Tunnel Vision, for a 2025 release.**

**Dan is a son of Dan Sr. and Maureen (Kane) Orlando, of Florida. His mother is one of 14 children who grew up in Centralia, and Dan still has relatives who live in the Coal Region area.**