

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

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

**Website:**

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

**Twelfth Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time**  
**June 23, 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, June 22 – Vigil Mass

8AM Father's Day Novena  
 4PM +Anthony Fiorenza, Sr.  
 by wife, Marge and Children  
 and Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

## Sunday, June 23

### Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM Father's Day Novena  
 11AM +Tomas Asuncion by Family  
 and Friar Rich Rome, OFM Conv.

## Monday, June 24

### The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

8AM Father's Day Novena

## Tuesday, June 25

### Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM ++Helen and Emmett O'Neill and Son  
 by Mike and Pat

## Wednesday, June 26

### Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Charley Boyle by Patti and Children

## Thursday, June 27

### Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM ++Deceased Members of the Zyla  
 and McGinley Families  
 by Mary, Helene, Michael and Susan

## Friday, June 28

### St. Irenaeus, Bishop

8AM ++Prena and George Lukic  
 by Daughter, Prena and Family

## Saturday, June 29

### Sts. Peter and Paul Apostles

8AM +Walter Bohaczyk by Family  
 4PM +Andrew Treese, Sr.  
 by Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Treese

## Sunday, June 30

### Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM +Cecilia Soubik by Son, John Soubik  
 11AM ++Alphonse and Violet Dudeck  
 by Family

## Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Memory of Charley Boyle  
 by Patti and Children

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

In Celebration of Lenny McCabe's 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday,  
 May 31<sup>st</sup> by Sister, Margaret

## Collection Totals for the Weekend of June 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Offertory:	\$3,700.00
Votives:	107.00
Parish Property Maintenance:	815.00
Parish Dues:	249.00
Miscellaneous:	51.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$4,922.00</b>
<b>Home Missions:</b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b>Catholic Communications:</b>	<b>\$ 380.00</b>



Even though you may be away for one or more weekends during these summer months, Mother Cabrini Parish still depends upon your support to meet its fixed weekly bills. Please remember to drop off your parish support envelopes once you return home. Many thanks!



## Exercise Your Will Power

Did you know that you can easily add Mother Cabrini Church to an already existing will through the use of a codicil? Simply check with your Attorney on how it is done.

## Offertory Gifts at Mass. . .

If, at a particular weekend Mass, you would like to bring up the gifts at that Mass, simply let your wishes be known to one of the ushers in the rear of the church before Mass begins and they will assist you at the proper time.

## Congratulation, Father Rich Rome, OFM Conv.



If you will recall, Friar Rich was here for his Apostolic Year back in 2020. He will be celebrating one of his first Masses with us this Sunday at the 11AM Mass. Friar Rich was

ordained into the priesthood on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Casimir Church, Baltimore Maryland.

Friar Richard said "after I was ordained a Deacon, I saw Holy Orders as being given the grace and mission to serve the Church in a particular way: to proclaim the gospel, to teach, to preach, to baptize. It was a calling to be "for them" in a special way. Now, as I receive Holy Orders as a priest, the meaning is still the same, but the mission's scope is broadening. I will still be called to proclaim the Gospel, teach, preach, and baptize. But added to that will be the grace and mission to feed the Church through the Eucharist, and to heal it through reconciliation and anointing."



## TABLES, CHAIRS, ETC. . .

St. Mary's Youth Center is being sold and needs to be emptied of the various things that Mother Cabrini has been storing there after the merger of the five parishes.

We have a number of items for sale or for your donation. There are 12 five-foot diameter round folding tables (good condition particle board,) 25 folding metal chairs and 5 old wood folding chairs, 4 good condition basketball backboards with hoops, 5 wood church pews and a few kneelers.

Please contact the parish office during office hours if you are interested in any of these items 570-648-4512. Friar Jim

## CABRINI'S SUMMER FOOD SALE and PRIZES GALORE RAFFLE

is set for  
**Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> - Food Sale – 11AM to 5PM**  
**Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>. Prizes Galore**  
**10 AM to 2PM**

**The drawing of winners of the Prizes will take place on Saturday July 27<sup>th</sup>**

Both events are in the church hall. Keep your eye out for special sales to buy and to donate a prize for our Prizes Galore Raffle. Mark these dates on your summer calendar!

**PRIZES GALORE!!!** Once again, we are asking our families, friends, and parish groups/organizations to get their ideas together and fill a basket or container with some great prizes and have it ready for our "Prizes Galore" event on **Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>**. **(deadline for baskets/gifts is Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup>. . . they need to be wrapped and labeled. The Prizes Galore Baskets will be on display at the Summer Food Sale. The drawing of winners of the Prizes will take place on Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>**. Get your thinking caps on and be creative with a theme. This is a great opportunity for parishioners who are unable to work at our events to do their share. "Prizes Galore" is a very profitable event for our July fund raiser. – We need your help to make this another wonderful success!



**OUR "LOTTERY TREE" is waiting to be decorated with an abundance of scratch lottery tickets.** Please help decorate our Lotto Tree with your donation of lottery scratch tickets. Chances will then be sold to win this decorated with all the lucky lottery tickets at our July 27<sup>th</sup> event.



Our "Ageing" Green Parish Truck is in need of new tires and an alignment. The truck gets a good workout with all kinds of parish projects: the parish picnic activities, hauling things from one place to another, cemetery clean up, regular daily parish errands, etc., etc. Four new tires & an alignment will cost \$900.00. If you'd like, you can donate this price or a portion of the cost "In memory of a loved one." We'll say a prayer for the donor(s) each time we pop into the driver's seat! Friar Jim

**TWELFTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
June 23, 2024**

**First Reading: Job 38:1, 8-11**

Job, in his suffering, questioned the power of God. The Lord proclaims his power and indicates that even the sea is subject to his will.

**Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:14-17**

Christ died for all of us that we may live for him. Anyone who believes in Christ enters into new and eternal life.

**Gospel: Mark 4:35-41**

During a bad storm, Jesus ordered the wind and sea to be still, and his disciples were quite amazed at his power. Jesus reminds them to trust and have faith, even in times of danger.

**Don't forget to drop off your Baskets, Gift Cards and Money in Frames for our upcoming Basket Raffle. Prizes can be dropped off at the Parish Office during office hours.**



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

**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, 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, 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, Doris Bates, Ty Beeman, Aerica Richardson, Sue Cantore, Chuck Pensyl, Jr., Luke Dietterick, Special Intention, Lois Topolski, Dave McGlynn, Stephen Zarick, Bob Derk, Huxley Hoffman, Gloria Koyack, Arthur Crone and Jacob Lupotsky.

**Remembrance Opportunities  
For Your Loved Ones. . .**

The parish has a wonderful array of remembrance opportunities for both, the living and deceased. You may honor your loved one's memory or celebration of a special occasion, like a birthday or an anniversary by offering the flowers by the tabernacle, the candles used at Mass, the bread and wine offered at Mass, the Sanctuary candle, the church bells, etc. What a meaningful way to honor them on their special date! Reserve dates are filling up quickly so call the parish office to make your reservation.

## DEACON'S CORNER

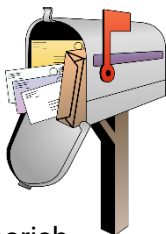
The Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles will be celebrated on Saturday, June 29. This liturgical feast day celebrates the martyrdom in Rome of both apostles. Saint Augustine of Hippo explains, "Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so, we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."

These simple and humble men responded to God. Jesus called them to perform marvelous works of faith - works that they would never have imagined. They became pillars of the Church. St. Peter represents the office of the Vicar of Christ. When Our Savior meets Peter, Jesus proclaims, "I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven (Matthew 16: 18-19).

Over a ten-year period of time, St. Paul became a missionary and evangelized throughout the Mediterranean region. He spread the Good News to many people and served as the first theologian of the Church through his writings. On this feast day, may we pray, "Lord, may we hear your call of what you wish us to do and respond by our actions to your will like Saints Peter and Paul."

### **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.



## A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS **HIS WORD TODAY**

*by Rev. William J. Reilly  
Most Holy Name Catholic Church,  
Garfield, NJ*

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**"A violent squall came up and waves were breaking over the boat, so that it was already filling up. Jesus was in the stern, asleep on a cushion. They woke him and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Quiet! Be still!' The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, 'Why are you so terrified? Do you not have faith?' They were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who is this whom even the wind and sea obey?'"**

Saint Mark paints a beautiful picture of a crisis and opportunity for Jesus to respond. He does care that we are perishing when we walk away from Him. He is not asleep, but waiting for us to turn to Him. Some might take the scene and say this is the stormy world we are living in. Jesus do you not care? Others might think that the crisis in the church today fits the same description. Sexual abuse, scandal, criticism certainly do not make the picture appealing.

Jesus does care. Do I do my part to still the wind and calm the sea of discontent? He asks me, why I care, why I am terrified or if my faith provides the direction the Spirit of God is leading us. I need to awaken. The Chinese use two picture characters to describe a crisis – danger and opportunity. May we calmly take advantage of the teaching and opportunity.

**SAINT PAULINE SHRINE, KULPMONT:** *On Tuesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, at 6PM, Bishop Emeritus Ronald W. Gainer will celebrate Mass at the Saint Pauline Shrine in honor of Saint Pauline's Feast Day. All are invited to attend. A social gathering will be held following the Mass.*