Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13 - Vigil Mass

4PM +Lawrence Brennan by Wife, Frances Culp

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM +Spatzer & Santor Families by Family9AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

11AM +William Gilger, Sr. by Wife, Betty & Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8 AM +Ken & Carol Landau

by Daughter, Mary Durham

5PM +Theresa Kleinschmidt by Robert Leeman and Family

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16

St. Stephen of Hungary

8AM +Joan Barber by Pat & Mike Toucheloskie

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17

Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Special Intention

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18

Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Dr. Walter Kotanchik by A Friend

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

St. John Eudes

8AM +Sean Slodysko by Randy and Evelyn Slodysko

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

St. Bernard

8AM +Elizabeth Warwick by Joe and Ann Yanchuck

4PM +William & Laura Barrett by Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM +Walter Bogus, Sr. by Bernice and Gary Madden
 9AM +Daniel R. Schwalm by Wife, Pat and Family
 11AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of William Gilger, Sr. by Wife, Betty & Children

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week . . .

In Memory of Granny Helen Kaslavage on her birthday! Love, Erik, Jennifer, Maggie, Claudia & Eliana

Friary Mass Altar Candles, Bread & Wine

Special Intention

Friary Sanctuary Lamp

Special Intention

The Week Ahead

Monday, August 15 – Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Mother 8AM Mass

Mother Cabrini Bingo in church hall. Doors open at 4:30PM and games begin at 6:15PM. Come try your luck to "*Break the Bank*"!

Collection Totals for the Weekend of August 14, 2016

Offertory:	\$4,190.00
Votives:	201.00
Parish Dues:	111.00
Parish Property Repairs:	914.80
Parish Property Insurance:	130.00
School Assessments:	35.00
Total:	\$5.581.80

PONDER POINT

Someone who sings, prays twice. *St. Augustine*





Exercise Your "Will Power"

When considering charitable gift options in your will, don't forget to include Mother Cabrini Church.

IT'S A "HOLY DAY" BUT NOT A... "HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION"

The Catholic Church teaches as dogma that the Virgin Mary "having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory". This doctrine was dogmatically defined by Pope Pius XII on November 1, 1950.

This year, August 15th, the Assumption of Mary into heaven, falls on a Monday. At times, confusion of "obligation" may result when such holy days fall in close proximity to Sunday, the Lord's Day, as is the case this year. To clarify. . . August 15th, the Assumption of Mary remains a *Holy Day*, worthy of the faithful attending Mass in celebration of this great honor bestowed upon Mary, the Mother of God. However, the "obligation" to attend Mass on this *Holy Day* has been lifted by the Bishop of Harrisburg for this year. Mother Cabrini Parish will celebrate two Masses for the convenience of the faithful on August 15, one at 8:00AM and a second at 5:00PM. No Vigil Mass for the Assumption will be celebrated on Sunday, August 14th.

33 Cabrini Households Come on Board!

In response to our 2016 Bishop's Appeal re-activation effort, thirty-three new Cabrini Households have come on board with their contributions. 31 Gifts where given through the parish. 2 were made "on line" and one previous donor added to an already existing gift. In total, \$2,295 was received! To date, 303 Mother Cabrini Households have taken up the responsibility of helping their parish with their gift/participation or 33.7% of our membership (303/898). \$29,342 of our \$35,700 goal has been raised (\$29,342/\$35,700) or 82.2%. Average gift as of today is \$96.83. We live in hope to hear from the 595 remaining Cabrini Households to help close the gap and put the Appeal to rest. My thanks to each and every one of the 303 Cabrini Households who have brought us so close to the finish line! Fr. Martin

'16 Cabrini Picnic \$\$ Report

We feel confident that all the bills are in and have been paid for our 2016, Mother Cabrini Parish Picnic. I am happy to report the following. . . All income (pre-picnic pierogi sales, raffle tickets, Lottery Calendars, picnic collection, Bake Sale, restricted picnic donations [including a \$1,000 donation from the St. Francis Club!], picnic concession/games etc.) yielded \$40,240.75. All expenses (food products, paper goods, permits, rental fees, utilities, mailings, printing etc.) related to the 2016 picnic came to \$13,885.05. Net profit for the 2016 Cabrini Picnic was \$26,355.70. Although our income was down \$3,271.25 from last year, our expenses were also down due to the wonderful and generous response of so many parishioners who donated paper goods, foil, cooking oil etc. That made a difference! To every person who worked in whatever capacity to make our 2016 a success, I thank you! To every parishioner who patronized the picnic, donated prizes/beautiful baskets and helped make it a success, I thank you most sincerely. It is inspiring to see so many parishioners working like this for the good of the parish. Thank you all! Fr. Martin

ATTENTION CATECHISTS OF MOTHER CABRINI PARISH

Due to Legislation changes, all Catechists must once again complete the Diocesan Youth Protection requirements. All required forms and training can be completed online at www.hbgdiocese.org.

A meeting will be held on **Thursday**.

August 18th for those Catechists who do not have access to a computer. Please call Judy at the Parish Office at **570-648-4512** to sign up for this meeting.

You Do Not Have to Tread Lightly:

You may have noticed, the excavated section of sidewalk in front of the office building has been recemented, a new sewer clean out has been added and it's safe to walk on. Giorgini Construction poured the concrete patch last week. This completes the work which had to be done to address our sewerage problems which have plagued our church hall bathrooms. As part of the project, the city laid a new sewer line in front of the church to the connection on Clay Street. The St. Francis Club has volunteered to cover the new cement repair expenses - for which the parish is most grateful!

ATTENTION PARENTS!



Registration forms for the upcoming Religious Education Program year have been mailed. Contact Judy at the Parish Office, if you have not

received the registration form. Please note that if you have a child attending Kindergarten through 8th grade in the public school system and have not been attending the parish based Religious Education Program, they need to be enrolled. Registration forms are available at the Parish Office. All registration forms must be completed and returned to the Parish Office no later than August 31st.

ATTENTION BINGO PLAYERS . . .



Our *Break the Bank* is still holding \$1,199.00 US DOLLARS



for a lucky winner! Come try your luck this Monday, August 1st

"Break the Bank!"

Someone eventually always wins our "bank" so come try your luck. Doors open Monday nights at 4:30PM and games begin at 6:15PM. Bingo proceeds are an important part of our parish's income budget. **Only 10 keys left!!**

HOPE YOU HAD A GOOD VACATION!? 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!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS FOR MOTHER CABRINI PARISH









CABRINI'S "FAMOUS PIEROGI" SALE:

Cottage Cheese Pierogi will be made the week of September 26th and Potato/Cheese Pierogi will be made the week of October 3rd. Additional information will be available in future bulletins.

Brewser's SportsGrille Benefit Fundraiser

Being held *Sunday*, *September 18^{th -}* 11AM to 9PM. Brewser's SportsGrille will donate 20% of your purchases (1 coupon per table) on the "Benefit Day" to Mother Cabrini Parish.

Flyers and a coupon will be inserted in our weekly bulletin closer to the date. Make plans to come with

family and friends for a delicious lunch or dinner and help raise income for Mother Cabrini Parish. You have to eat anyway, don't you!?!?!?!!





OUR FAMOUS CHICKEN BBQ AT THE CABRINI SHED

(Webster and Cherry Streets)

Sunday, October 2nd More details will be forthcoming.

And Don't Forget Our Famous Christmas Monk's Bread Sale in December!

Mother Cabrini Memorials

In Memory of *Catherine Kokoles* \$20 by Marie Mirarch

In Memory of *John Treese*, *Sr.* \$10 by Betty Gilger

BALTIMORE CRAB FEAST

Sunday, September 25th



If you enjoy a typical Baltimore style Crab Feast, this trip is for you! The event is **Sunday**, **September 25**th at St. Casimir Parish, Baltimore (where Fr.

Dennis is stationed) and benefits the parish's elementary school. For those who do not eat crabs, there will be generous servings of oven fried chicken, Polish sausage w/ sauerkraut, baked ziti, meatballs, beef and ham, beverages and more will be available. There's something to please everyone's discriminating palate. The cost is \$70 pp and includes admission to the feast, bus transportation and gratuities. Checks payable to Mother Cabrini. Advance payment only. One bus is already filled and there could be a second bus, depending on the number of responses to fill a second bus. Please call either Tony Stadnicki @ 570-495-0229 OR Ed Griffiths @ 570-274-9091 to register and for more particulars.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT MANNA FOR THE MANY: Just

as God provided Manna for the hungry and Jesus provided food for the 5,000, Manna for the Many provides food items to our community's hungry. Many churches



and individuals provide food items or monetary donations that are a blessing to Manna for the Man and the clients we serve. Manna for the Many serves approximately 100 clients monthly on Tuesday's, Wednesday's and Thursday's. About twice a month Manna receives a delivery of food items from the Central PA Food Bank which supplements the donations received.

Manna for the Many has a need for volunteers. Many of our volunteers have served for over fifteen years and are ready to "retire". Do you have just two hours once a month to share with caring and friendly volunteers and clients? We have opportunities available for Tuesday's from 9 to 11AM, Wednesday's 1 to 3PM and Thursday's from 6 to 8PM to escort Manna's clients obtaining their food items.

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Peggy Timco, Volunteer Coordinator at 570-648-4527 or Pastor Dave Wildoner, President at 570-644-1590 and Manna for the Many will be blessed in sharing your time with our clients.

Jesus said, "I come not to be served, but to serve".

August 7, 2016 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Jeremiah urged the people of Jerusalem to surrender to the enemy. This angered the princes, who then requested that Jeremiah be put to death. The king allowed the princes to leave him in a cistern without food or water. But after Ebed Melech pleaded for Jeremiah's life, the king decided to free him.

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

This letter to the Hebrews inspires all Christians to persevere, in spite of the trials they may face. Jesus endured much suffering and was rewarded by God. Despite our struggles, we must remember Jesus' ability to endure and maintain strong faith in him.

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Jesus tells his disciples that his message will not bring peace to the earth. Instead, even families will become sharply divided because some members will embrace him, while others condemn him.

SUMMER FESTIVAL: St. Patrick Church in Trevorton will hold their 19th Annual Summer Festival Friday and Saturday, August 12th & 13th from 5PM to 10PM. The theme this year is "Holiday Fun Our Way". Enjoy games, raffles, nightly entertainment and delicious ethnic foods. Featuring: Famous "Theme Basket Raffle," (3) Cash Raffle Prizes, Children's Games and Entertainment. Following Saturday's entertainment, drawings will be held for Winners of Baskets and Cash Raffle. Friday Entertainment will be by "RATL" and Saturday "The New Individuals".

Pregnancy Care Center: Will you volunteer as a Mentor or Receptionist, just one afternoon or evening a week? If you are interested, please contact Susan Roehs, Center Director at 570-648-2600 or stop by the Center. A new training session will begin soon. They need you. . just a few hours a week can make all the difference in the world for these girls.



Please Pray for our Troops and their Families

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Trent and Traigh Clayton, Ed Gusick, Russ Jones, Jim Shultz, Kelly Hoy, Liz Reck, Marsha Poplaski, Joan Schleig, Arlene and John Rydzeski, Charolette Overmiller, Dolores Scopelliti, Florence Yodzio, Barbara Ann Varano, Jeffrey Persavage, Michael Wideman, Regina Graeber, Tony Osevala, Dominic Vitacco, Bernadette Schuck, Betty Pandie, Rosie Vivino, Connie Jones, Brenda Guzik, Nancy Greer, Anthony Ulsh, Mary Machesic, Barbara Shevitski, Mary Morea, Brian Christiana, Martha Bartos, Kay Lubreski, Mary Ellen and Rick Boyer, Ginny Wisgo, Rose Milbrand, Robert Sassani, Roberta Schwalm, Pam Broscius, Annmarie Wariki, Anna Pincoski, Rita Leshinskie, Sylvia Hummel, Catherine Pultynovich, Donna, Celeste Fobia, Francis McCabe, Matthew Pellowski, Jim Picarelli, Lauri Mendicin, Barbara Jones, Anna Pincoski, Justin Wachter, Victoria Miller, Craig Fetterman, Bill and Cecie Adams, The Strausser Family, Denise Fegley, Mary McCord, Bonnie McGarry, Helen Bednar, Gina Fox, Thomas Pavelko, Eddie Wideman, Les Schiccatano, Joel Rivera, Eunice Kanaskie, Julie Ann Wehr, George Klemick, Stephen McCord, Cameron Bojanac, Greg Levins, Anthony Ostroski, Eugene Purcell, Michael Christiana, "Cioci Edna" Sierpina, Dorothy Duncheskie, Cassondra Senoski, Robert Hower, Brian Shaffer, Chet Milbrand, Pauline Kufta, Germaine Hoffman, Becky Coutlee, Barb Walsh, Lucy Surak, Bob Hauer, Joanne Seidel, Mary Ryan, Sharon Hartman, Albert Persavage, Bernadette Strausser, Nicky Wideman, Tom Yost, Carolyn Shaffer, Alice & Carl Bobrofsky, Cynthia Wasielewski, Rhonda (Zyla) Eckman, Bob O'Neill, Stella Rogal, Kieran (K.K.) Snyder, Robert Stoud II, Chris Eby, Kenneth Kolovich, Lorraine McAnnanev, Sylvia Boslego, Mary Nye, Kathy Schiccatano, Jerome (Max) Switaj and Mary Kulick.

MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS: The Tribunal of the Diocese of Harrisburg will be giving three presentations within the diocese concerning marriage, divorce and annulment according to Church teaching. These presentations will be helpful for divorced Catholics, those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process and any others who may have a vested interest because of family or friends.

September 12 – Cardinal Keeler Center, Harrisburg, 7PM September 22 – St. Joseph Parish, Hanover, 7PM September 26 – St. Philip Parish, Millersville, 7PM

No prior registration is required. For further information, please call 717-657-4804, ext. 304 or email: tribunal@hbgdiocese.org