

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22 – Vigil Mass
4PM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM +Stanley Yodzio by Family
9AM +Troy M. Griffiths by Mom & Dad
11AM +Dorothy Buffington by Sister, Bernadette and Family

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24
St. Anthony Mary Claret
8AM +Dorothy Derk by G. Richard Weimer

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Florence Dworkin by Mr. & Mrs. Jerome Blasko

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Harrison & Mary Heslop & David by Children & Sisters

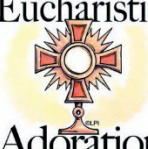
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Alex & Agnes Stefanovage by Loretta & Gertie

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28
Ss. Simon & Jude
8AM +Adam Deroba by Wife, Joan & Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +WilliamT. Kanaskie by Eunice Kanaskie and Family
4PM Anniversary, Bonnie & +Bob Laczkowski by Bonnie & Tammy

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time
7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
9AM +Adam Deroba by Wife & Sons
11AM +Agnes Marie Weikel (Anniversary) by Jim & Jeanette

Cabrini's Forty Hour Devotions:

Eucharistic Adoration

Our Annual Parish Forty Hour Devotions begins Sunday, November 13th and closes on Tuesday evening at 7PM, November 15th. Please mark these dates and plan to spend some time with our Lord exposed in the Blessed Sacrament.

Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Memory of Harrison & Mary Heslop & David by Children & Sisters

Friary Mass Altar Candles, Bread & Wine
Special Intention

Friary Sanctuary Lamp
Special Intention

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, October 23 – Religious Education Classes. Mandatory 9AM Mass for students, followed by class in church hall.

Monday, October 24 – Mother Cabrini Bingo tonight. Doors open at 4:30PM and games begin at 6:15PM. You won't be arrested if you "*Break the Bank*"!

Collection Totals for the Weekend of October 16, 2016

Offertory:	\$4,939.95
Votives:	98.00
Parish Dues:	360.00
Property Maintenance:	1,102.00
School Assessments:	115.00
Total:	\$6,614.95



Express Your "Will Power"

Help provide for the future of our parish. Include Mother Cabrini Church in your will. Remember, if you die without a will. . . Pennsylvania state law decides how your estate is settled!

PONDER POINT

God desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth

1Tim 2:4

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM. PLEASE CONTACT JUDY SURAK AT THE PARISH OFFICE 570-648-4512

Bishop's Appeal Crosses the \$31K Mark!!

This past week, we received one new \$100 gift to the Bishop's Appeal which pushed the Appeal to a new total collected of **\$31,047!** The updated statistics are as follows:

- **330** Cabrini Households have participated or **37%** of parish (330/898);
- Average gift to date is **\$94.08** (\$31,047/330);
- **568** Cabrini Households have yet to respond or **63%** (568/898) and could certainly help us reach our goal!;
- **\$31,047** has been raised or **87%** (\$31,047/\$35,700) of goal;

Sincere thanks to each of the **330** Cabrini Households who have helped us come ever so close to our goal. You've done a very fine job, Kudos to you! A gentle encouraging nudge to those **568** Cabrini Households (**63%** of the parish) to join with your fellow parishioners to help the parish meet its stewardship responsibility to the Diocese. Households who choose not to participate hurt the Parish in the long run because we have to divert regular and fund-raising income to cover the *Appeal* shortfall. Cohort of **568**, your participation can help us wrap up this effort in no time. Only **\$4,653** remains to reach our goal. . . Spread out between **568** households. . . we can do it!

Large, small or in the middle. . . every household's gift and participation is important to Appeal's success. Cohort of 568, make your contribution, help close the Appeal and put me out of this reporting job! Many thanks to all of good will! Fr. Martin

Doin' the Chicken Dance!

We are happy to report the results of our recent Chicken BBQ fund-raiser. . . **244** dinners were sold, we had additional "walk on" customers the day of the event and sold the surplus chicken halves. We received a **\$200** donation from the St. Francis Club in support of the effort as well as a **\$600** gift from a friend of Mother Cabrini who asked to remain anonymous. In addition, two very kind parishioners donated supplies for the BBQ which amounted to **\$220.83**. All totaled, the parish realized a profit of **\$1,969.46**. Thanks again to our patrons, BBQ volunteers and benefactors. . . great job everyone!

Fr. Martin

Looking for Just a few Good People.

. . .

A couple of weeks ago, I spoke at all the weekend Masses appealing for just several dedicated and “generous with their time” parishioners who would be willing to come on board and help out with our Monday night Bingo operation. Even if you would volunteer just a minimum of two Mondays a month, it would be of great help to our core Bingo worker team. Call the parish office or Greg Barkus (570-205-1084) and let us know. Every parish depends upon the generosity of its volunteers and we are blessed at Cabrini to have all the ones we do. The Bingo committee needs some help on Monday nights. . . can you answer the call? *Fr. Martin*



Our September “Mother Cabrini Day” at Brewer’s realized \$351.69 for the parish. Thanks to all who supported this fund-raiser with their purchases and to the Management at Brewer’s for allowing us to participate in this program.
Fr. Martin

to Eric and Jennifer Seidel, our parish Music Ministers, for successfully completing the Hershey Marathon Race this past weekend in Hershey! Fortunately, their sore feet didn’t affect the quality of their fine voices. Good job Eric and Jen!

**In This “Jubilee Year of Mercy,” be Open to . . .
Practicing Mercy & to Receiving Mercy!**

Corporal Works of Mercy
Feed the hungry, Give drink to the thirsty, Clothe the naked, Shelter the homeless, Visit the imprisoned,
Visit the sick, Bury the dead

Spiritual Works of Mercy
Instruct the ignorant, Counsel the doubtful, Admonish the sinner, Bear wrongs patiently, Forgive offenses willingly, Comfort the sorrowful,
Pray for the living and the dead

ATTENTION BINGO
 **PLAYERS . . .**
WOW. . . ! SOMEONE BROKE THE BANK!!! 

A few weeks ago, one of our lucky bingo players “Broke the Bank” took home \$1,199 in cash. Congratulations! ***Our new Break the Bank is already up to \$700.*** Someone always wins our “bank” so come try your luck. Doors open Monday nights at 4:30PM and games begin at 6:15PM. Our snack bar is open for your enjoyment. Bingo proceeds are an important part of our parish’s income budget.



Kudos! & Applause!

PLEASE HELP RESTOCK OUR CABRINI WINTER FOOD PANTRY.
JESUS SAID: “WHAT YOU DO FOR THE LEAST, YOU DO FOR ME. . .”

From past experience, as we move into the colder months, we will have people coming to the parish office who are in need of food. In the spirit of what Jesus said about caring for the less fortunate, you can help us stock our modest food pantry shelves at the parish office. To help insure a variety of food items, we suggest the breakdown of donations by alphabet, last name. **(The alphabet system is a suggestion)**. Feel free to donate any food items that you wish. It helps us if you bring your donation directly to the parish office during office hours. You may also leave your food donation in the church vestibule if it’s more convenient for you. To insure food safety, *please do not donate expired products nor damaged containers.*

If you choose to use the last name alphabet system,

we invite you to donate the following:

A through I:

pasta, spaghetti sauce, rice, Kraft Dinner (mac & cheese)
canned vegetables, canned or dried soup

J through R:

stove top stuffing/ instant mashed potatoes,
canned meat, gravy, canned fruit

S through Z:

peanut butter, jelly, crackers, cereal,
canned tuna, pudding/jello

REST IN PEACE: Kindly remember in your prayers the soul of William "Dixie" Richardson who recently passed away. May God grant him eternal rest. Thank you for your dedicated service to St. Edward/Mother Cabrini Parish over the years!

**2017 MASS BOOK
INFORMATION**



The parish Mass book for special wedding anniversaries, i.e. 25th, 40th, 50th, etc. opened the week of October 10th. Last week, our Mass book opened for general reservations to all. To be fair to all, kindly keep in mind that our policy is that one weekend Mass and one weekday Mass may be scheduled per family. Beginning January 9, 2017, unlimited number of Masses may be scheduled in the parish. Undated Masses, celebrated by the Friars in different locations may be reserved at your convenience anytime throughout the year.



Please be sure to return your All Souls Envelopes in the collection basket or at the parish office by 4PM Friday, October 28th so that

they can be placed on the altar in time for the All Souls Novena.

*Eternal rest grant unto them
O Lord and let perpetual light shine
upon them.*



Our Lady of Lourdes School will hold a "Break the Bank Bingo" on Sunday, November 13th - \$1,199 guaranteed to go with 90 or more people. Doors open 11:30AM and games begin at 1PM. Bring a friend.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: If you have not registered officially as part of the parish family, please do it now at the parish office. You are important to us and hopefully we are to you. Let us know who you are. Registration is necessary to qualify for Religious Education programs, the reception of Baptism, First Penance, First Communion, Confirmation and Marriage. Testimonial letters for Godparents for Baptism and Sponsors for Confirmation are given only to registered active members. This also applies to parents who wish to have their children baptized into the Church. **Please notify the parish office of an address change and if you are moving out of the parish.**



Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Trent and Traigh Clayton, Ed Gusick, Russ Jones, Kelly Hoy, Liz Reck, Marsha Poplaski, Joan Schleg, Arlene and John Rydzeski, Charolette Overmiller, Dolores Scopelliti, Florence Yodzio, Barbara Ann Varano, Jeffrey Persavage, Nicky Wideman, Laura Wideman, 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, 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 McAnaney, Sylvia Boslego, Mary Nye, Kathy Schiccatano, Jerome (Max) Switaj, Rose Ann Wieland Hazel Yocum, Lillian Stark and Barry Sweitzer.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Paul writes to Timothy that he thinks his mission is near the end, and he is glad his faith is still strong. Paul hopes that all nations will hear the gospel. But, if he is executed as he anticipates, he is sure he will live forever in heaven.

Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

Jesus tells a parable about a Pharisee who went to the temple, and offered up a prayer of thanks because he was not a sinner like the tax collector who was also there to pray. The tax collector was far more humble, acknowledging his sins, and asking forgiveness for them. Jesus said the tax collector's prayer would be heard because, "Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, while he who humbles himself will be exalted."

Lasagna Dinner – Sunday, November 6th from 11AM to 1:30PM at the Knights of Columbus Social Hall, 400 E. Independence Street, Shamokin. Benefits St. Jude Children's Hospital. Dinner includes Lasagna, salad, roll, dessert and drink. Donation: \$9.00 adults / \$5.00 children. Tickets are available at the parish office.



CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

A reminder to please contact the parish office with a change of address if you have moved or are moving. You are important to us and the parish is charged for mail that is returned to us with incorrect address information.



Please Pray for Our Troops and Their Families

October 23, 2016

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18

God is just and does not show favoritism, but hears the prayers of everyone. Anyone who serves God, no matter how lowly his position here on earth, will be heard and answered.

The Annual Mass Celebrating the Gifts of People with Disabilities:

The annual Mass Celebrating the Gifts of People with Disabilities will be held on Saturday, November 12, 2016 at 5 PM at St. Margaret Mary Alacoque Church, 2800 Paxton Church Road, Harrisburg. Bishop Ronald Gainer will be the celebrant, assisted by Deacon Lawrence Sutton of the Diocese of Pittsburgh. Light refreshments will be served after Mass. All are welcome to attend.

Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque is accessible to persons with physical disabilities. A sign language interpreter and assistive listening devices are available. Request for materials in Braille and large print and other accommodations should be made to Kate Neri at 717-657-4804, ext. 317 on or before October 21st.