

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29 – Vigil Mass
4PM Bonnie & +Bob Laczkowski (Anniversary)
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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Hattie & Chet Andruskiewicz by Dennis
Vigil of All Saints
7PM +Troy M. Griffiths by Gram

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1
All Saints
8AM +William Shultz by +Wife, Albina & Children

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2
The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed
(All Souls' Day)
8AM +All Souls' Novena

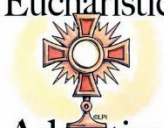
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3
St. Martin De Porres
8AM +All Souls' Novena

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4
St. Charles Borromeo
9AM +All Souls' Novena

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +All Souls' Novena
4PM +Dan Smink by Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM +All Souls' Novena
9AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
11AM+Deceased of the Peter & Florence Bogdan
Families by Family

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.

Friary Mass Altar Candles, Bread & Wine
Special Intention

Friary Sanctuary Lamp
Special Intention

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, October 30 – Religious Education Classes. Mandatory 9AM Mass for students, followed by class in church hall.

Monday, October 31 – Vigil Mass for Feast of All Saints 7PM

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"!

Tuesday, November 1 - Feast of All Saints
8AM Mass

Wednesday, November 2 - All Souls' Day

Collection Totals for the Weekend of October 23, 2016

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| Offertory: | \$4,453.55 |
| Parish Utilities: | 145.00 |
| Parish Dues: | 100.00 |
| Total: | \$4,698.55 |
| World Missions: | \$ 867.73 |



Express Your "Will Power"

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

PONDER POINT

And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch.

Matthew 15:14

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

OUR FORTY HOURS DEVOTIONS. . .

November 13, 14 and 15



The 40 Hours Eucharist Devotions at Mother Cabrini Church will begin Sunday, November 13th after the 11AM Mass. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be held according to the following schedule: Sunday, Exposition after the 11AM Mass and all day with a Vesper Service and Benediction at 7PM; Monday, Exposition after the 8AM Mass and all day with a Vesper Service and Benediction at 7PM; Tuesday, Exposition after the 8AM Mass and all day with a Closing Vesper Service, Procession and Benediction beginning at 7PM. Our guest-preacher this year will be Fr. Noel Danielewicz, OFM Conv., classmate of Fr. Martin and fellow Jubilarian. Fr. Noel has a wealth of pastoral experience, has served as tour guide in Assisi, gives retreats and currently serves as chaplain at the Felician Sisters Mother House in Enfield, CT. Fr. Noel will be available for confessions Sunday and Monday evening in church. Please mark your calendar to spend some time with the Lord during our beautiful Forty Hours Devotions. Your attendance at our evening services is highly encouraged, especially for the Tuesday evening closing. A light reception will follow in the church hall following the Tuesday evening service where you can meet Fr. Noel Danielewicz. All are welcome!

ALL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, LECTORS AND ALTAR SERVERS are asked to participate in the Closing of our Eucharistic Devotions on Tuesday, November 15th at 7PM. All those in attendance are asked to be in the church hall no later than 6:45PM.

WOMEN AND MEN BAKERS OF THE PARISH are asked to bake cookies for the social which follows the Closing of our 40 Hours Eucharistic Devotions. Your "baked goodies" can be brought to the church hall during the day on Tuesday, November 15th.

St. Michael Cemetery

Just for your information, the gate has been locked at St. Michaels Cemetery until spring.

In November, we remember our loved ones -



Eternal rest grant on to them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

"Off Week" Report, Bishop's Appeal

Last week, a new donor to the *Bishop's Appeal* gave a \$100 donation which pushed our total collected to **\$31,047!** As of last weekend, our parish statistics are:

- **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. Group 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. Group of 568, make your contribution, help close the Appeal and put me out of this reporting job! Thank You to all of good will! Fr. Martin

ATTENTION PLAYERS . . .

BINGO



\$800 U.S.



**DOLLARS ARE WAITING FOR
YOU!!!**

Come, "Try to Break the Bank!"

A few weeks ago, one of our lucky bingo players "Broke the Bank" took home \$1,199 in cash. Congratulations! *Our bank grows every week. Our new Break the Bank is already up to \$800.* 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.



Looking for Just a few Good People.

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A few 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*

If you see Fr. Martin on Monday, November 7th, wish him a Happy Birthday!

Special Relief Collection. . .

November 19 & 20

In early October, Hurricane Matthew, a Category 4 hurricane, caused massive damage to significant parts of the Southeastern coast of our United States as well as some countries in the Caribbean. The devastation and destruction was unimaginable, the loss of life tragic. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has called for an emergency "special collection" which will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Relief Services and Catholic Charities USA to provide humanitarian aid, restoration of communities and for the pastoral & reconstruction needs of the Church in the United States and Caribbean. Our collection basket will be passed "a third time" for this *free will relief collection*. You did not receive an envelope in your packet for this collection so please use your own envelope. Write your name and parishioner id number on the front of your envelope. Thank you and God bless you for your charity.

Please take note: Our Parish Office will be closed on Monday, November 7th and will re-open at 8AM Tuesday.

Mother Cabrini Memorials

In Memory of *William "Dixie" Richardson*

\$30 by Chris and Marlene Raudensky

\$25 by Bernard and Marilyn Huff

\$25 by William and Jolene Deibert

\$10 by Robert Shaw

**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, pork & beans, pudding/jello

**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



*Please Pray for Our Troops
and Their Families*

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Trent and Traigh Clayton, Ed Gusick, Russ Jones, Kelly Hoy, Liz Reck, Marsha Poplaski, Joan Schleig, 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, Cassandra 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 McAnnaney, Sylvia Boslego, Mary Nye, Kathy Schiccatano, Jerome (Max) Switaj, Rose Ann Wieland Hazel Yocum, Lillian Stark and Barry Sweitzer.

unsure when Christ will come again, but urges them not to believe people who falsely state that Jesus has returned.

Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Zacchaeus, the wealthy chief tax collector in Jericho, was very excited when Jesus came to town and asked to stay with him. People were angry that Jesus would go to a sinner's home. Zacchaeus then told Jesus he planned to give half of his belongings to the poor, and repay any person he had cheated. Jesus was delighted since his mission was "to search out and save what was lost."

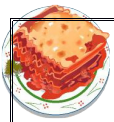
YOUR THANKSGIVING TABLE:

If anyone is in need of food for Thanksgiving, please phone the parish office by Monday, November 14th, 4PM. Mother Cabrini will help you have a Happy Thanksgiving. Requests are confidential.



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.

Christmas Faire: Divine Redeemer Parish, Mount Carmel, Saturday, November 12, 2016 - 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM - Divine Redeemer Office/St. Peter's Church Hall - 438 West Avenue, Mount Carmel AND Divine Mercy Hall 400 Block West Cherry Street, Mount Carmel Fabulous Homemade Foods, Beverages and Baked Goods Crafters and Vendors Raffles New in 2016-Children's Chinese Auction-Ages 5 to 12 Join Us For A Fun-Filled Day!



October 30, 2016

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Wisdom 11:22—12:2

In this reading, we are reminded of the love God feels toward every creature, or else he would not have created them. God shows mercy on our sins and hopes we will repent and have faith in him.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1:11—2:2

Paul tells the Thessalonians that God will make them worthy of his call, so that they can be glorified in Christ. Paul also tells them he is

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.