

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 – Vigil Mass

4PM +Daniel T. Fabrizio by Wife, Connie & Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

9AM ++Deceased Members of the St. Francis Beneficial Society

11AM ++Michael M. & Mary E. Anderson by Ron & Christine Anderson

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2

The Holy Guardian Angels

8AM ++Deceased Confreres, Parents, Relatives and Benefactors of the Franciscan Order

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3

Twenty-Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM Living Confreres, Parents, Relatives and Benefactors of the Franciscan Order

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4

St. Francis of Assisi

8AM Intentions of Friars Martin, Adam & Ed

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5

Blessed Francis Xavier

8AM +Patricia A. Topolski by Husband, Ray & Family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6

St. Bruno & Blessed Marie Rose Durocher

8AM +Frances M. Zebrowski by Daughter

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7

Our Lady of the Rosary

8AM ++Mary Harrison Heslop & David by Daughters and Sisters

4PM ++Deceased of Marinari Family by Anne Yuengling

SUNDAY, October 8

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM +Joan Landau by Daughter, Amy Catino

9AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

11AM ++Helen & Ignatius Wrubleskie by Arlene & Joyce

FINALLY UNPACKED FROM VACATION?

LOOK AROUND THE HOUSE FOR YOUR SUMMER CHURCH ENVELOPES. . .

Even though you may have been away for one or more weekends during these past summer months, Mother Cabrini Parish still depended upon your support to meet its fixed weekly bills. Now that you're home, please remember to drop off your parish support envelopes in the collection. Many thanks! *Fr. Martin*

Tabernacle Flowers I

In Memory of Rose Anne Weiland by Joe and Linda Bielski

Tabernacle Flowers II

In Celebration of Joe Bielski's Birthday, Monday, October 2nd by Wife Linda and Children

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .

In Celebration of Rosemary & Theresa Krushinskie's birthday, Monday, October 9th from Families

Friary Mass Altar Candles, Bread & Wine

Special Intention

Friary Sanctuary Lamp

Special Intention

The Week Ahead

Sunday, October 1 – Religious Education Classes. Mandatory 9AM Mass for students, followed by class in the church hall

Chicken BBQ (to benefit Mother Cabrini Church).

Pick-up 11AM to 2PM Corner of Webster & North Cherry Sts. **Pre-sold tickets, guaranteed platter.** "Walk-ons" only as supply allows. (take out only)

Monday, October 2 – Mother Cabrini Bingo

Doors open at 4:30PM and Games begin at 6:15PM

Tuesday, October 3 – Transitus Service

(Commemoration of the death of St. Francis of Assisi) at Our lady of Hope Church 7PM. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Collection Totals For Weekend of September 24, 2017

Offertory:	\$4,542.40
Votives:	37.36
Parish Utilities:	1,051.31
Parish Dues:	107.10
Parish Property Insurance:	95.00
Total:	\$5,833.17
Hurricane Relief:	\$ 30.00

Exercise Your "Will Power"

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



Bishop's Appeal

This is an "off week" for reporting Bishop's Appeal statistics so the following data is of last week. Look to next week's bulletin for updated information.

The good news thus far is as follows:

- We received **11** new gifts plus **3** "add to original gifts" totaling **\$890**, since last report;
- Total received to date: **\$26,853** or **74.2%** of goal (\$26,853/\$36,200);
- **271** Cabrini Households participating or **30%** of Parish (245/890);
- Average gift stands at **\$99.08**;
- Awaiting response from **619** or **70%** of the parish's households;
- Only **\$9,347** (spread out among **619** Cabrini Households) is needed to meet our goal.

Special thanks and blessings to the wonderful "**271 Cabrini Households**" who have brought us to **74%** of our goal amount. If yours is one of the "**619 Cabrini Households**" who have not yet participated, won't you help us wrap up the appeal with your contribution?!? Those who already made their contribution await you and would love to see you come on board! And, you can put me out of this reporting job! Thanks! Updated *Appeal* reports are published bi-weekly.

Large, small or in the middle, every Cabrini Household's participation and gift is critical to meeting our collective Stewardship responsibility to the Diocese!

Fr. Martin

PONDER POINT

Reflect that God is there among the pots and pans and that he stands at your side in your interior and exterior duties.

St. Theresa of Avila



Northumberland Deanery

CLERGY APPRECIATION DINNER

This year's clergy appreciation dinner will take place on Wednesday, October 18th at Masser's Banquet Hall.

The doors will open at 6PM and dinner will be served at 6:30PM. Tickets are \$17.00 each and are available at the parish office.



Don't forget to order your cottage cheese and potato/cheese pierogi!

ATTENTION BINGO PLAYERS . . . COME, TRY TO BREAK THE BANK!!!

Several weeks ago, one of our lucky bingo players "Broke the Bank" and took home \$1,199 in cash. Congratulations! **Our new Break the Bank is already up to \$1,199.** 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.

Calling on Parish Bakers . . . We really could use just a basic cake, cupcakes and/or a baked dessert for our Monday night Bingo's. Our "customers" really enjoy a piece of dessert with their Bingo meal. The food concession stand at Bingo does a good business but some Monday's we run short of (or don't have!) a home-baked pastry to offer. A sign-up board is in the vestibule of the church to help us plan. Please see what you can do to help. Thanks!



MOTHER CABRINI CHICKEN BBQ

(To Benefit Mother
Cabrini Church)

AT THE CABRINI SHED

(Corner of Race & Cherry Streets)

This Sunday, October 1st

11AM to 2PM - Donation \$8.00

Pre-sold tickets - guaranteed platters

"Walk-ons," - only as supply allows

Dinner includes ½ chicken, homemade potato salad, baked beans, roll and a "sweet".

(Take-Out orders only).

The Franciscan Friars of Mother Cabrini Friary, Friars Ed, Adam, Martin and Steven wish the Mother Cabrini Parish Family a very happy St. Francis Day (October 4th), as well as a heartfelt "Pax et Bonum", "Peace and all Good!"



Mother Cabrini Memorials

In Memory of *Joseph Yanchuck*

\$25 by Patricia Streeter
\$10 by Florence Yodzio

In Memory of *Mary Santor*

\$25 by Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Grill
\$25 by Ray, Mary Ellen and Gary
\$10 by Steve and Connie Dunleavy

In Memory of *Emilie Kanaskie*

\$25 by Steve and Connie Dunleavy
\$10 by Eleanor Kissel

In Memory of *Carmella Catino*

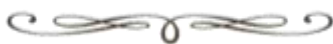
\$100 by John and Karen Blaschak
\$50 by Brad and Sue Luck

In Memory of *Lillian Stark*

\$10 by Eunice Kanaskie

In Memory of *Lorraine Molz*

\$25 by Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Grill



Mother Cabrini Parish expresses gratitude to those families who, throughout the year, suggest and encourage memorials to the parish in memory of their loved ones.

2018 MASS BOOK INFORMATION



The parish Mass book for special wedding anniversaries, i.e. 25th, 40th, 50th, etc. will be open for scheduling the week of October 9th through the 13th. Then, the Mass book will be open for general reservations to all on Monday, October 16th onward. 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 8, 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.

**PRETTY UP YOUR PETS
(WHATEVER THEY MAY
BE!) AND BRING THEM
TO OUR ANNUAL
ST. FRANCIS DAY
BLESSING THIS
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1ST
AT 12PM BEHIND THE CHURCH.**



Calling All Cabrini Pierogi Makers!!!

Plans are in the works to produce our delicious pierogi, October 9th through October 13th (Cottage Cheese) and October 16th through October 20th (Potato/Cheese). Veteran workers, we need your expertise and time! New volunteer? No problem, our veteran pierogi makers will be most happy to train you in the fine art of "making pierogi!" See you all at "The Shed!"

CABRINI'S "FAMOUS PIEROGI" SALE:
Cottage Cheese Pierogi (\$10.00 dz) will be made the week of October 9th through the 13th and **Potato/Cheese Pierogi (\$9.00 dz)** will be made October 16th through the 20th. **Orders can be placed by calling the parish office at 570-648-4512 during office hours.** There is a 250 dz quota for both Cottage Cheese and Potato/Cheese Pierogi. Don't delay. . . phone in your order ASAP.

**Cottage Cheese Pierogi pickup will be
Friday, October 13th from 9AM to 2PM**

**Potato/Cheese Pierogi pickup will be
Friday, October 20th from 9AM to 2PM
at the Cabrini Shed, Webster and Cherry Streets.**

**Reserved orders not picked up on the
above Fridays WILL NOT BE HELD
and will go into general sales which will
take place after the weekend Masses in
the parish hall.**

Our pierogi crew really needs "a few good men" to help with the pierogi production. Gentlemen of the parish, we need your assistance! Please answer the call! See the pierogi production dates above.

Regarding our Cemeteries. . .

Water service in the cemetery has been shut off. Trash cans will remain in the cemeteries for several more weeks. Please clean your grave sites of all pots, decorations etc. and place the debris in the trash cans. Items left over the fall and winter eventually blow all over the cemetery. Speaking of trash cans. . . Please do not deposit your pet waste in the trash cans. It is most rude and discourteous to expect our maintenance crew to empty cans with bags of dog waste inside. If your "Fido" relieves himself in the cemetery, please take that souvenir home with him.

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Trent and Traigh Clayton, Betty Pandie, Donna Rhoades, Nicky Wideman, Laura Wideman, Michael Wideman, Eddie Wideman, Justin Wachter, Craig Fetterman, Bob Hauer, Eunice Kanaskie, George Klemick, "Cioci Edna" Sierpina, Cassondra Senoski, Lucy Surak, Bob O'Neill, Kenneth Kolovich, Austin Zimmerman, Mason Barvitskie, Robert Stoud II, Cynthia Wasielewski, Jeanette Verano, Lauri Mendicin, Mary McCord, Terri Zarick, Rhonda Eckman, Bill Adams, Chet Milbrand, Kirsten Huffnagle, Kelly Hoy, Dolores Scopelliti, Jack Senoski, Mark Senoski, Candida Davis, Tony Varano, Sr., Phyllis Barrett, Barbara Verano, Kathy Messimer, Cynthia Washleski (Shamokin), Walter Habowski, Bonnie Gunn, Les Schiccatano, Jerry Plocinski, Shannon Shovlin, Ann Gembic, Donna Griffiths Cross, Matthew "Butch" Menapace, Joel Rivera, Gordon Young, Langston Haddock and Shawn Wilson

St. Francis Beneficial Society

Memorial Mass – October 1st, 9AM



Members and their families of both the St. Francis Beneficial Society and the St. Francis Home Association are cordially invited to attend the Annual Memorial Mass in paying their respects to their deceased Brother Members who have gone to their eternal reward, they being Joseph Conjura, Robert Thomas and Richard Marcinek. Our brothers will be remembered at the 9AM Mass at Mother Cabrini Church next Sunday, October 1st. Donuts and coffee will follow Mass. Please consider joining one of the longest serving beneficial societies in Pennsylvania and help us continue the good works of the St. Francis Beneficial Society 127 years of service to God, Church, County, and our fellow men, women and children.

It's that time of the year when our Food Pantry needs to be restocked. Look at the insert in this week's bulletin for more information.



BALTIMORE CRAB FEAST

Next Sunday, October 8th



Trip plans are. . .leave Shamokin from the parking lot BEHIND Weis Market (Shamokin) promptly at 7AM (please park only in the lot behind the store), Sunday Mass at St. Casimir Church 10AM Mass. Crab Feast 1PM to 5PM.

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 1, 2017

First Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28

Ezekiel reminds the people that if a sinner turns away from his iniquity, he will live, not die.

Second Reading: Philippians 2:1-11

Paul urges the converts at Philippi to be united in spirit and ideals, avoiding rivalry and dissension. He ends with the beautiful hymn extolling the humility and sacrifice of Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32

Jesus speaks words of rebuke to the chief priests and the elders because they are not believing the teachings of John the Baptist. He warns them that tax collectors and prostitutes, who do believe John, will enter the Kingdom of God before them.

ST. MICHAEL'S GUARD: This Sunday, October 1st, at 5:00PM, St. Michael's Guard from all parts of the Diocese of Harrisburg will gather at Our Lady of Hope, Coal Township, PA for their Installation Ceremony followed by Vespers and Benediction. The public is invited to join them.

CHINESE AUCTION: Our Lady of Hope Church, Coal Township will hold a Chinese Auction on Sunday, October 22nd in their parish hall. Doors will open at 11AM and the raffle will begin at 2PM. There will be a variety of great prizes and unique tricky trays. Donation is \$3.00. Delicious ethnic food such as potato cakes, pierogies, halushki, bbq and hot dogs will be served throughout the day. Eat in or take out.

**Don't forget to pick up your
Chicken BBQ dinner
Pre-sold tickets – guaranteed platters
"Walk-ons," – only as supply allows
11AM to 2PM**



*Please Pray for Our Troops
and Their Families*