

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JUNE 23 – Vigil Mass

4PM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

SUNDAY, JUNE 24

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

7AM +Gilda, Josephine, Loretta Fiorenza
& Rich Knovich by Son, Rich

9AM +Father's Day Novena

11AM +Stanley, Mary, Stanley, Jr., Mary Ann
and Gerald Slaby by Jacqueline & Sylvia

MONDAY, JUNE 25

Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Father's Day Novena

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM+ Charley Boyle by Patti & Family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

St. Cyril of Alexandria

8AM +John Niedzwiecki by Wife, Margaret & Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 28

St. Irenaeus

8AM +Julia Pavelko by All Her Children

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

Ss. Peter & Paul

8AM +Anna Surak by Daughter, Judy

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

8AM Special Intention - Jacque

4PM +Thomas & Helen Kopitsky by Family

SUNDAY, JULY 1

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

9AM +Frank Waldron by Frank Mirack

11AM +Mary & Walter Bohaczyk
by Joe & Linda Bielski

Exercise Your "Will Power"

If you haven't done so already, you can include Mother Cabrini Parish in your will through the use of a codicil. Your attorney can advise you how easy adding a codicil can be.



Tabernacle Flowers I & II

In Memory of Charley Boyle by Patti & Family

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Walter Kanaskie by Maryann & Paul

Tabernacle Candle

In Memory of Joseph Yanchuck
by Wife, Ann

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .

In Memory of Stanley, Mary, Stanley, Jr., MaryAnn &
Gerald Slaby by Jacqueline & Sylvia

The Week Ahead

Monday, June 25 – Mother Cabrini Bingo in church hall. Doors open at 4:30PM – Games begin at 6:15PM. Come and "try to break the bank!"

Collection Totals for the Weekend of June 17, 2018

Offertory:	\$4,354.00
Votives:	89.00
Parish Dues:	392.00
Picnic:	66.00
Lourdes School Assessments:	1,133.00
Total:	\$6,034.00
Catholic Communications:	\$ 579.07

Friars Assignments



As of this bulletin deadline, the assignments for our Friars for the next four years at Mother Cabrini Friary include: Fr. Martin, Guardian and Pastor at Mother Cabrini; Fr. Adam, Parochial Vicar at Mother Cabrini; Fr. Steven, Pastor at OLOH and St. Patrick; and, Fr. Ed "in residence".

PLEASE DON'T FORGET US. . .

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!



Bishop's Appeal

This is an off week for reporting the Bishops Appeal. As of June 8th, here is where we stand with our *Appeal Stewardship Obligation* to the Diocese:

- 8 new gifts/pledges received since last report, totaling \$555;
- 223 Cabrini Households have responded with their contributions;
- 26.5% Cabrini Household participation thus far, 223/841;
- \$23,243 collected in gifts and pledges;
- 69.2% of goal achieved to date, \$23,243/\$33,600;
- Only \$10,357 remains to reach our goal, spread out among 73.5% of the parish;
- Average gift, \$104.23;
- Waiting to hear from 618 Cabrini Households, 73.5% of the parish.

My thanks to the above group of 223 Cabrini Households who have helped our parish come so close to the SEVENTY PERCENT mark of reaching our goal. A call out to the 618 Cabrini Households who are still in the wings, contemplating their 2018 *Appeal* contribution. Come on board and help Mother Cabrini make its 2018 goal! It's a group effort. . . If yours is one of our "yet to respond" households, help your parish community reach its stewardship responsibility to the Diocese via your participation.

Remember the jingle. . . *"Large, Small or In The Middle, your gift and your participation is so important to the success of our 2018 campaign!"*

Thanks so very much donors!
Fr. Martin

VETERAN MEMORIAL RE-DEDICATION POSTPONED

The Re-Dedication of the refurbished Veteran's Memorial at the cemetery was rained out. We're working on a new date and that will be announced. Stay tuned!



Kudos, Thanks & Applause!!!



The Cabrini Parish Community extends a most sincere note of thanks and appreciation to all the many dedicated volunteer picnic workers, ladies and gentlemen, young and old, who worked so hard at all the various homemade food preparation sessions; set up, take down and cleanup crews; those who worked at the picnic; basket donors and our basket assembler, Rosie Purcell; our "professional" bartenders: our June Lottery Calendar coordinator, Joy Knapik; to our local Knights of Columbus #458 for running the picnic bingos; for all the many donors of prizes; those who contributed to the parish picnic collection; those who purchased various raffle tickets and all the many "unsung heroes" who saw a need and pitched in to help! All your efforts, combined with overall great picnic weather produced a most successful three-day event. My thanks and appreciation to each and every one of you for a job very well done! A particular note of thanks to Patti Boyle, Puanani Griffiths, Rose Hager, Diane Knorr and Judy Surak who accepted picnic leadership roles and helped make it all work! Of course we thank all those who patronized our picnic with their attendance. Picnic financials will be published as we complete our tally sheet and pay all our bills. Thanks again! Fr. Martin

ATTENTION BINGO PLAYERS . . .

Our Break the Bank is up to \$1,199.



A few weeks ago, one of our lucky bingo players "Broke the Bank" and took home \$1,100 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.

Happy Birthday, Lucy!

Recently, parishioner **Lucy Surak** celebrated her 94th Birthday! Two of her nieces honored her on this happy occasion by making donations to our Cabrini Food Pantry: Cheryl Herlinger, \$25 & Clema Kline \$20. What a

beautiful tribute to Lucy and how she shared the bounty of her family table with others!



BREAKFAST AT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The Casey Club of the Knights of Columbus is having a *“all you can eat breakfast”* this Sunday, June 24th from 8AM to 12 Noon in the Club Hall.

\$8.00 Adults and \$4.00 children. Open to the public.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BIBLE STUDY:

The Knights of Columbus Council 458 in Shamokin hosts a Bible Study every other Tuesday at their Social Hall 400 E Independence St, from 6:30 – 8:30. The current topic is “Why We Believe: Answering Common Questions about the Catholic Faith” A presentation by Dr. Brant Pitre. The topics and dates are: Peter and the Papacy & How We Got the Bible (June 19th); The Eucharist: Jesus’ Real Presence? & Why Confess to a Priest (July 3rd); Do Catholics Worship Mary? & Purgatory and Prayers for the Dead (July 17th). Open to the public. Light Refreshments served. Come learn about your faith and enjoy fellowship with others.



First Holy Communion Pictures have come in and can be picked up at the Parish Office during office hours, Monday through Friday, 8AM to 4PM. **If you are unable to pick them up, please have a relative or friend come by for them.**



This week, we extend special thanks to . . .

Fantini Monuments

for being one of our Mother Cabrini Parish bulletin sponsors!

If you see someone from

Fantini’s

say *“thank you”* for their sponsorship!



PONDER POINT

No labor, however humble, is dishonoring.
The Talmud



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS
UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS FOR
MOTHER CABRINI PARISH**

OIP HOAGIE & PIZZA FUNDRAISER: Don’t heat up your kitchen! Use our OIP Hoagie and Pizza tickets for your supper. This fundraiser benefits Mother Cabrini Parish and will begin late July. More information will be forthcoming.

**Brewser’s SportsGrille
Benefit Fundraiser**

Being held *Sunday, September 23rd* - 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!?!?!?!?!?



**CHICKEN BBQ
AT THE
CABRINI SHED
(Webster and Cherry
Streets)**

Sunday, October 7th
More details will be forthcoming.

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.

Mark Your Calendars for the Annual Baltimore Crab Feast, which will be held this year on Sunday, September 30th. More information will be made closer to



the date.

Please Pray For the Sick, especially, Ann Barber, Trent and Traigh Clayton, Nicky Wideman, Laura Wideman, Michael Wideman, Eddie Wideman, Justin Wachter, Craig Fetterman, Bob Hauer, Eunice Kanaskie, George Klemick, Cassondra Senoski, Lucy Surak, Kenneth Kolovich, Austin Zimmerman, Mason Barvitskie, Robert Stoud II, Cynthia Wasielewski, Jeanette Verano, Lauri Mendicin, Tom Eckman, Rhonda Eckman, Bill Adams, Terri Zarick, Chet Milbrand, Kirsten Huffnagle, Kelly Hoy, Dolores Scopelliti, Jack Senoski, Mark Senoski, Candida Davis, Tony Varano, Sr., Phyllis Barrett, 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, Shawn Wilson, Maryann Christiana, Candy Spears, Bryan McSurdy, Carol Fegley, Kristy & Huxley Hoffman, Gertrude Slawek, Pete Yucha, Carol Grow, Michael Matukaitis, Marie Casper, Sharon Casper, Tina Barnabe, Fred Pensyl, William Edmondson, Barbara Ann Verano, Denise Hale, Marie Bondura, Fred Pensyl, Michael McAnulty, Jamie Pellowski, Marie Bondura, Pauline Bondura, Charlotte Moeller, William Benner, Nikola Kolovic, Judy Dobscha, Mary Ann Persavage, Shelly Greco, Dennis Mall and Dennis Christiana.



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.

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.**



June 24, 2018 The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

First Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6

Isaiah tells how the Lord called to him from birth and gave him his name. He explains that although he thought he toiled in vain, his strength is in the Lord in Whose sight he has been made glorious. God made him a light to the nations so that salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.

Second Reading: Acts 13:22-26

John heralds the coming of Jesus by proclaiming a baptism of repentance. He says, "Behold, one is coming after me; I am not worthy to unfasten the sandals of his feet." The children of the family of Abraham and those who are God-fearing have received the word of salvation.

Gospel: Luke 1:57-66, 80

Elizabeth gave birth to a son whom she named John. On the eighth day, when her neighbors and relatives came to circumcise the child, they wanted to call him Zechariah, after her father, but Elizabeth's husband wrote on a tablet, "His name is John." Immediately he spoke blessing God and the people became afraid. All who heard of the incident knew that the hand of the Lord was with John.

Mass at St. Pauline Visintainer Center

All are invited to attend a Mass at the St. Pauline Visintainer Center, Chestnut Street, Kulpmont, on Monday, July 9, 2018 at 6:00PM in honor of St. Pauline's Feast Day. Bishop Ronald W. Gainer will be the Main Celebrant, with clergy of the area concelebrants. A social gathering will be held following the Mass.

Our Lady of Hope Travel Club is sponsoring a bus trip to Sight & Sound Theatres to see the show "Jesus" on Wednesday, July 18, 2018. Please call 570-554-3454 to reserve a seat and for more information.



**Please Pray for Our Troops
and Their Families**