

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2 – Vigil Mass
4PM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM ++Mary and Adam Hojnacki & Family
by Family
9AM +Arlette Dent by Sister, Emily
11AM Special Intention

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Mildred Wasilewski by Lisa Creasy

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5
St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
8AM ++Sophie and Frank Smulski
by Daughter, Sandy Radel

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6
St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs
8AM +Lawrence “Hap” Kinder
by Ron and Christine Anderson

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM +Theresa Vrona by McGuire and Geiswite
Families

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8
St. Jerome Elilari, Saint Josephine Bakhita, Virgin
8AM +Lee C. Patrick by Wife, Sandy Radel

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
8AM ++Carl and Emily Bielski (70th Wedding Anniv.)
by Son, Carl
4PM ++Helen and Emmett O’Neill by Mike and Pat

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church
9AM +Troy K. Griffiths by Mom & Dad
11AM ++Anna and Joseph Kurtz
by Daughter, Pat and Family

Sanctuary Lamp
In Memory of Angela and Anthony Wojnarski
by Marie, Kathy and Tom

Tabernacle Candles
Special Intention

The Week Ahead

Sunday, February 3 – Religious Education Classes. Mandatory 9AM Mass for students, followed by class in the church hall.

Super Bowl Sunday Bingo in church hall. Doors open at 12Noon – Games begin at 1:30PM. See insert from last week’s bulletin.

Monday, February 4 - Mother Cabrini Bingo tonight. Doors open at 4:30PM – Games begin at 6:30PM

Collection Totals for the weekend of January 27, 2019	
Offertory:	\$4,786.00
Votives:	108.00
Parish Dues:	296.00
Parish Fuel:	868.00
Snow & Ice:	451.00
School Assessments:	811.00
Total:	\$7,320.00

Folks, Please Note. . .



As you saw in last week’s collection report, the rough winter weather conditions two weeks ago had a significant negative impact on our attendance and offertory income. Obviously, under such dangerous weather conditions, the prudent thing is not to risk “life nor limb” by venturing out. Please Lord, spare us from slipping on the ice and from broken bones! However, I encourage parishioners to include that lost offertory contribution in some upcoming collection. Like any household, regardless of the weather, reoccurring bills still need to be paid and the parish depends upon your weekly support to meet these obligations. Many thanks for your understanding and parish support in times of good weather and bad! *Fr. Martin*

PONDER POINT



Be merciful, just as your Heavenly




Exercise Your “Will Power”
Express love and concern for your parish. Remember Mother Cabrini Church in your will.

Father is merciful.
Lk 6:36

CABRINI BINGO
MONDAY, February 4, 2019

 **Our Break the Bank** 
is holding **\$1,199.00 (US DOLLARS)**
for a lucky winner!

 **Please consider donating just a couple of hours a month to the parish by helping at our Monday night bingo games. Our very dedicated current workers who work the floor and the kitchen need assistance. Call the parish office to let us know of your availability for this important parish activity. Thank you!**

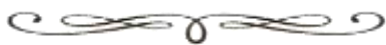
SAVE THE DATE. . .
Tuesday, February 19th
Our Easter Egg Making
Project Begins. . .
We need and call upon
your expertise!



Please join us for our Annual Easter Egg Making Project **which will begin on Tuesday, February 19th**. Eggs will be made every Tuesday through Friday after the 8AM Mass in the church hall. **We call upon the generosity of parish volunteers for this important Mother Cabrini Parish project.** If you are able to volunteer, please call the parish office at 570-648-4512. No experience necessary. We will be happy to train new comers. We already have a three customers who have committed to purchase 2,784 eggs, so we need your extra production help!!!

Mother Cabrini Memorial

In Memory of Louis Sobotor
\$50 by Carol Arnold



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.

Let's Give Them a Valentine Gift!

The Carmelite Nuns of Elysburg are asking our help to restock their kitchen provisions. These good nuns follow a strict non-meat monastic diet and they are particular concerning their foodstuffs request. Please **DO NOT** deviate from what the nuns are requesting. They have provided us with the following wish list: **Plain peanut butter; All-purpose flour; Bread flour; Water packed, large cans of tuna; Honey; and Nuts (all varieties)**. If you wish to send a monetary gift instead, mail directly to the Monastery: **Discalced Carmelite Nuns, 70 Monastery Road, Elysburg, PA 17824-9697, check memo line: Mother Cabrini.**

The Carmelite Food Collections will be the weekends of February 9/10 and February 16/17 at the exits of Mother Cabrini Church. Collection bins will be provided. We'll deliver these goodies to the Monastery on behalf of the Cabrini Community at the end of February. Many thanks! *Fr. Martin*



We're Having Our Annual
"Super Bowl" Sunday Bingo
This Sunday, February 3rd

→ **Free Door Prizes!!!** ←



Mark your calendars for Sunday's, **February 3rd "Super Bowl" Sunday Bingo!** If you're not into watching grown men slamming into each other for several hours on TV, come join us for a fun filled afternoon at Mother Cabrini Church Hall and try your luck. 20 - \$70.00 games / **Final \$1,000.00 Cash Jackpot!** \$20, "All you can play packages." \$10 packages also available. Enjoy our Cabrini Tailgate Party. . . **A FREE HOT DOG & CAN OF SODA with each paid admission!** Our delicious snack bar will also be open for your convenience. Doors open at Noon so come early for a good seat. Games begin at 1:30PM (weather permitting). See you this Sunday afternoon for Bowl Sunday Bingo!

Shamokin Catholic Basketball players are selling chances to win a PA scratch off lottery wreath. This wreath will have 200 in scratch off tickets and 50 in cash! Chances are 1 for \$5.00 or 3 for \$10 - Drawing is Thursday, 2/14/19♥ Delivery of tickets can be arranged by calling Jill Yablonski at 570-259-5569.



Don't Forget; meeting with Bishop Gainer regarding the Grand Jury Report on **Thursday, February 21st – 6:30PM at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish Hall – 599 W. Center Street, Elysburg.** To ensure a respectful atmosphere, neither mass media representatives nor recording devices will be allowed.



REST IN PEACE: Kindly remember in your prayers the souls of Clara Iwanski, Daniel Arnold, Mary Pensyl, Louis Sobotor and Greg Scoviak. May God grant them eternal rest.

ALL YOU CARE TO EAT BREAKFAST: Shamokin Knights of Columbus will have an *all you care to eat breakfast* on Sunday, February 17, 2019 from 8M to 12 Noon. Menu includes: eggs, bacon, sausage, French toast, home fries, coffee, tea, juice and toast. \$8.00 per person - \$4.00 child.

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING 2019
This Weekend, February 2nd & 3rd
(Collection of Canned Goods)



This year's Super Bowl game matches two powerhouse offenses that score points in bunches. Let's also show our offense in The *Souper Bowl of Caring* and outscore our last year's totals.

Once again, it is our local food pantry, The Manna for the Many that benefits from your generosity. **Please support the pantry on Saturday, February 2nd and Sunday February 3rd** by donating canned goods or making a monetary donation so we can continue this winning streak we are on. Mother Cabrini Parish has been the leader in donations for this worthwhile event since we began several years ago. Let's show our spirit and become, once again, the MVP (Most Valuable Parish) for Souper Bowl 2019. As always, thank you for your support and generosity, and may God bless each and every one of you! Drop off your canned goods in the vestibule of the Church, or place your monetary donation in the soup kettles!



Please Pray for Our Troops and Their Families

Call for HELP from Manna for the Many. . .

Our local *Manna for the Many* is in need of two volunteers to help clients on the 4th Wednesday of the month for just two hours. That is just two hours a month to help those in need. Join a team that helps our less fortunate brothers and sisters in Shamokin!

Call either Pastor Dave Wildoner at 570-644-1590 or Peggy Timco at 570-850-4527.



YOUTH GROUP EVENTS:

Attention Teens!
(Grade 8 and above):

Please join the Our Lady of Hope/Saint Patrick

Youth Group for these upcoming events.

Thursday, February 7 from 6:30PM to 9:00PM: WGRC's Contemporary Christian Skate Night at Sunset Rink, Shamokin Dam. Cost is \$5, plus skate fee (\$1.50 regular/\$2.50 speed/\$3.50 inline). Bring extra money for refreshments. Permission slips are due Tuesday, February 5th (see Sr. Emily for form). Bring a friend!

Sunday, February 17 from 5:00PM to 7:00PM: Monthly Youth Group gathering at the Our Lady of Hope Parish Center, 863 W. Chestnut Street, Coal Township. We will have a hoagie dinner (please bring \$5) and watch/discuss YOU—Life, Love, and the Theology of the Body, and conclude with a game. Bring a friend!

Please RSVP to Sister Emily Vincent, IHM the day before each event at SrEVincent@hbgdiocese.org or 570-648-4432. We look forward to having you join us!

PIGEON DINNER: The Knights of Columbus will hold a pigeon dinner on Sunday, February 24th – 11AM to 2PM at the Knights Hall on Independence Street. Dinner includes 2 pigeons, mashed potatoes, green beans and a roll. Haluski sold separately \$3.00. Tickets can be purchased at the parish off, NAPA Auto Parts on Market Street and Joe Candelora 570-847-0739.



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, Cassandra 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, Kirsten Huffnagle, Kelly Hoy, Dolores Scopelliti, Jack Senoski, Mark Senoski, Candida Davis, Phyllis Barrett, Kathy Messimer, 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, Kristy & Huxley Hoffman, Gertrude Slawek, Pete Yucha, Carol Grow, Michael Matukaitis, Marie Casper, Sharon Casper, Tina Barnabe, Fred Pensyl, 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, Angel Witmer, Dennis Christiana, Faith Ann Smink, Tony Varano, Sr., Doris Bates, Goldie Mae Kerstetter, Bishop Ronald Gainer, Maxine Malloy, Gregg Keshecki, Robert Wolfe, Bill Bordell, Teodoro Catorce, Suzanne Chubb, Vincent Wasielewski, Robbi Hartman, Russ Jones, Maryann Hartman, Carolyn Germak, Dan Polyniak, Maria Lazzarevich and Patricia Latsha.

February 3, 2019

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

God tells Jeremiah that he was chosen to be a prophet to the nations before he had even been born. He also promises him strength and protection, providing Jeremiah does as God asks.

Second Reading: 1 Cor 12:31—13:13

Paul discusses the importance of love and claims that one who possesses any gift, but lacks love, has nothing. He explains that true love never fails, although knowledge or other talents can fail to endure in the same manner. Paul says that three things last: "faith, hope, and love, the greatest of these being love."

Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Jesus spoke in the synagogue at Nazareth, at first appealing to all who were present. But he knew that they would be expecting him to do the things he had already done in other towns. He reminded them of other prophets who had preached and gained acceptance in foreign places instead of their home towns. This angered the people, who expelled him from town.

GOSPEL WORD SEARCH

SYNGOGUE	WORDS	PHYSICIAN
LIPS	HEAL	PROPHET
COUNTRY	WIDOWS	SHUT
FAMINE	LEPERS	NONE

IT'S NOT TOO EARLY TO THINK . . .

PICNIC 2019 WISH LIST: A few years ago, we began a "Wish List" for our June picnic. Each month, we will ask for a different item needed for our picnic. Donations of the specific item will help us to defray our overall picnic expenses. Anyone able to donate that particular item can drop it off at the Parish Office during regular business hours beginning January 8th. Thank you, in advance, for your continued support. **February item/items, Crisco Oil, styrofoam plates (9 inch) and 8 ounce styrofoam cups.**

KITCHEN EXTRAVAGANZA BINGO: Divine Redeemer Parish, Mount Carmel, PA will hold a "Kitchen Extravaganza Bingo" on Sunday, February 17, 2019, in Divine Mercy Hall, 400 Block of West Cherry Street in Mount Carmel. Doors open at 1:00 PM – Bingo Starts at 2:00 PM - Food will be available for sale - Advance Tickets, \$20.00 - Tickets At The Door, \$25.00 - For Advance Tickets - Call: 570-590-5849 - 570-975-5613 - 570-205-8751

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