

# Mother Cabrini Church

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Website:

<http://www.revivingtogether.com/>

*The Assumption of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary  
August 15, 2021*



*Mary is taken up to heaven;  
a chorus of angels exults.*

## Mother Cabrini Friary

Fr. Martin Kobos, OFM Conv., Pastor  
Friar Timothy Geiger, OFM Conv., Parochial Vicar  
Friar Michael Lasky, OFM Conv., Pastor of Our Lady of Hope & St. Patrick Churches

## Cabrini Parish Staff

Deacon Robert Wislock, Pastoral Associate  
Ann Marie Drust, Parish Secretary  
Jennifer Seidel, Finance Manager  
Erik Seidel, Music Director  
Judy Surak, Religious Education Director



## Cabrini Mass Schedule

**Weekends:** Saturday, 4PM Vigil – Sunday: 7AM, 9AM 11AM  
**Daily Masses:** Monday through Saturday, 8AM  
**Holy Days of Obligation:** As Announced

## Cabrini Confessions

**Daily:** 7:30 – 7:50AM  
**Saturday:** 3:00 to 3:45PM

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 14 – Vigil Mass

4PM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 15

### The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7AM +Mike Strike by Daughter, Diane

9AM ++Mike & Martha Krevitski by Family

11AM +William Gilger, Sr. by Wife, Betty & Family

## MONDAY, AUGUST 16

### St. Stephen of Hungary

8AM +William (Whitey) Edmondson

by Kathy, Abby, Bill & Joanne

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 17

### Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM ++Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Hubert & Family

by Robert Wesoloskie

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18

### Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Larry Brennan by Wife,

Frances (Brennan) Culp

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

### St. John Eudes

8AM ++Ben & Peter Marciniak

by Sister, Ann Latsha

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

### St. Bernard

8AM +Mike Rodarmel (1 year Anniversary)

by Wife, Joanne & Family

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

### St. Pius X

8AM ++Mary & Harrison Heslop by Daughters

4PM +Albert Madden by +Margaret Madden  
and Family

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

### Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

9AM ++Emily & Carl Bielski by Linda & Joe Bielski  
and Family

11AM +Michael P. Anderson by Stephen Barrett  
and Family

Tabernacle Flowers I & II,  
Tabernacle Candles,  
Mass Candles/Bread & Wine,  
Sanctuary Lamp, Church Bells,  
Friary Mass Candles/Bread & Wine,  
and Friary Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Mike Strike  
by Wife, Midge and Daughter, Diane

## Collection Totals for the Weekend of August 8, 2021

Offertory:	\$4,722.71
Votives:	69.00
Parish Dues:	770.00
Parish Property Repairs:	232.55
Youth Center:	30.00
Lourdes School Assessments:	31.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$5,855.26</b>
Franciscan Missions:	\$ 656.00
Mission CO-OP:	4.00

## PONDER POINT

A guest in the house is  
God in the house.  
Polish proverb



### *Exercise Your "Will Power"*

You can help the friars continue their foreign mission work with the support of a bequest in your will. The legal title

information for the mission office is:

**Franciscan Friars**

**Our Lady of the Angels Province, Inc.**

**Franciscan Missions**

**12300 Folly Quarter Road**

**Ellicott City, MD 21042**

**Lottery Calendars for September are on sale now. Call the parish office to purchase them 570-648-4512!**

## Ministry of Compassion, An Invitation to You:



Our Mother Cabrini Parish has been blessed to have a wonderful group of adults who assist at our funeral masses. Over the years and because of life circumstances, the number of this group has diminished somewhat. We are looking to increase the numbers of this most meaningful parish ministry. This request is not overly demanding. We are in particular need of adult altar servers.

At times, we need a reader when the family cannot supply one. I invite you to reflect on this wonderful ministry of compassion and respond generously as your time allows. Please notify Fr. Martin by calling the parish office. 570-648-4512.

**Please Pray For the Sick**, especially, Ann Barber, Bob Hauer, Jim Logic, Kapukui Sykes, Justin Wachter, Candida Davis, Matthew (Butch) Menapace, Betty Menapace, Dennis Shuey, Aunt Sandy, Uncle Pete, "Henry", George Klemick, Connie Yucha, Audrey Spaulding, Kathy Marquez, Alex & Shirley Stefanowicz, Gertrude Slawek, Pete Yucha, Allen Hornberger, Mark Senoski, Cassandra Senoski, Roberta Jasper, Marge Schiccatano, Thomas & Sylvia Pappas, Barbara A. Verano, Jaden Leiby, Lorraine Gusick, Patrick Latsha, Dan Noll, Mark M., Mark Krzykwa, John Rauch, Jerry Surak, Mike Surak, Dolly Sills, Joe Hamilton, Joanne (Cherry) Bailer, Frank and Kathy Purcell, Rose Marie Dunick, Elizabeth Purcell, Ed Griffiths, Katie Bolick, Diane Knorr, John Nolter, Christian Eby, Connie Fabrizio and Fr. Steven Frenier, OFM Conv., Fr. Noel Danielewicz, OFM Conv., Sandra Ginther, Pete Ginther, Butch Menapace, Betty Menapace, Denny Shuey, Craig Fetterman, Chrissy Geiswite, Bob Barrett, Diane Kolovich, Bonnie Snyder, Mary Harmon and Mary Ellen Candelora.



(To Benefit Mother Cabrini Church)

**MOTHER CABRINI CHURCH, SHAMOKIN  
AT THE CABRINI SHED  
(Corner of Race & Cherry Streets)**

**Sunday, October 10, 2021  
11AM to 1PM - Donation \$10.00**

Dinner includes ½ chicken, baked potato, baked beans, cranberry sauce, roll and a "sweet".

Purchase your tickets at the parish office during office hours or by calling 570-648-4512. (Take-Out orders only).



## Religious Education Program 2021/2022

If you have a child or children in grades 1 through 8, we invite you to register them in our Religious Education Program. Sessions will begin Sunday, September 19 from 9:45 – 10:45AM at Our Lady of Hope Parish Center and will include St. Patrick, Mother Cabrini and Our Lady of Hope students. Registration packets were emailed and sent by postal mail and are also available in the vestibule of the church. Registration forms along with your payment can be put in the collection basket at any of the above parishes, mailed or dropped off in the secure mailbox outside of Our Lady of Hope Parish Center. Information for students receiving a Sacrament is forthcoming. Any questions call Rose at OLOH Parish Office Monday–Wednesday at 570-648-4432, ext. 102.

## Mother Cabrini Memorials

### In Memory of Margaret Madden

\$500 by Her Son, James A. Madden

\$250 by Daughter, Kathy and John Lane

\$ 50 by Russ and Patti Feese

### In Memory of Helen Witkoski

\$ 25 by Joann Palacz Murray



## Sunday and Holy Day Mass Obligation Reinstated

Bishop Gainer will reinstate in our diocese the obligation of attending Mass in person on Sundays and Holy Days, beginning the weekend of

August 14/15. Bishop Gainer notes in his letter to all pastors: *"The dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass has been in place since March of 2020 when the developing corona virus pandemic required people not to assemble in group settings. Now, with the impact of the pandemic considerably reduced, it is possible for the faithful to assemble again for the Eucharist and fitting to restore the obligation."*

The use of the media to broadcast Masses was a great consolation to all and helped maintain a sense of being connected to the parish community under very trying circumstances. However, the highest expression of our unity as Catholics is when we gather in person, celebrating Mass together and receiving Holy Communion.

I hope to see as many parishioners as possible back at Mother Cabrini Church, beginning the weekend of August 14/15 and following as we call back together our scattered flock!  
Fr. Martin



**PEASE PRAY FOR OUR  
TROOPS AND THEIR  
FAMILIES**

## Sunday, August 15 - Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

### Deacon's Corner

This Sunday is the commemoration of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which honors the Blessed Mother being taken up body and soul into heaven. This dogma was defined by Pope Pius XII and proclaimed by the Holy Church in 1950. It states, "Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death." (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 966) Saint Pope John Paul II describes the Assumption of the Blessed Mother as "an event of love, in which Mary's ardent longing to be with her Son was finally fulfilled." This special solemnity serves as a model for our own desire and destiny as disciples of Christ to be with Our Lord in eternal happiness in His Heavenly Kingdom.

On this special day, may we always ask Our Blessed Mother to pray for us, "Remember, most loving Virgin Mary, never was it heard that anyone who turned to you for help was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, though burdened by my sins, I run to your protection for you are my mother. Mother of the Word of God, do not despise my words of pleading but be merciful and hear my prayer. Amen." (Memorare)



**Our Lady of Hope Parish  
Spaghetti Dinner**

(Take Out Only)

Friday, September 17, 2021

Parish Hall

Oak & Chestnut Sts.

4PM to 6PM – Donation \$10.00

Includes: Spaghetti & Meatballs, Bread,  
Salad & Dessert

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**ST. PATRICK FABULOUS FOOD FESTIVAL  
332 W. SHAMOKIN STREET, TREVORTON, PA**

AUGUST 13 & 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2021 - 4PM TO 7PM

ON THE CHURCH GROUNDS

**MENU:** BEAN SOUP, CHICKEN CORN SOUP,  
PIEROGIES, POTATO CAKES (ALSO BATTER)

HALUSHKI, HOT SAUSAGE, PIGEONS (CABBAGE  
ROLLS) ALL FOOD FOR TAKE OUT ONLY!!!

FAMOUS BASKET RAFFLE (VARIETY OF BEAUTIFUL  
THEME BASKETS & MONEY PRIZES)

50/50 CASH RAFFLE - (TICKETS AVAILABLE AT  
SALE) DRAWINGS FOR THE BASKETS AND CASH  
RAFFLE WILL TAKE PLACE AT 7PM ON AUGUST 14<sup>TH</sup>  
(NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN)

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**St. Pauline Society Annual Purse  
+ More Raffle  
and Homemade Food Sale**

Friday, Sept 10<sup>th</sup> – 12Noon to 6PM

Saturday, September 11 – 11AM to 4PM

St. Pauline Center, Kulpmont \$20 per sheet of  
26 tickets. After initial purchase, additional  
sheets of 26 can be purchased for \$10. Need  
not be present to win. Homemade food will be  
available for purchase as well as baked goods.  
Handicap accessible, parking in rear.

**BALTIMORE CRAB FEAST TRIP UPDATE**



**PLEASE NOTE**, the date for  
the Baltimore Crab Feast  
as well as the venue has  
been changed. **The new  
date is Sunday, October 3.**

The new venue for the  
crab feast is: Rosedale Gardens, Rosedale,  
MD. The \$75 ticket price remains the same  
and includes round trip bus transportation and  
admission. 10AM Sunday Mass will be  
available at St. Casimir Church in Baltimore  
upon arrival. There are still seats available for  
this fun time in Baltimore. **Please contact Tony  
Stadnicki at 570-495-0229** to make your  
reservation and for more details. Don't delay!

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**Catholic Charismatic Day of Renewal**

For all seeking healing, light, & growth in the  
power of the Holy Spirit, please save the date,  
September 18, 2021, for the

*Catholic Charismatic Day of Renewal.*

**Keynoter:** Reverend William Weary, Pastor,  
Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Lewistown  
and Saint Jude Parish, Mifflintown

**What:** Day of Renewal - **When:** September 18,  
2021, 8am – 3pm - **Where:** Diocesan Center  
(4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA,  
17111) - **Schedule Items:** Mass, Adoration,  
Talks, Prayer for Power & Healing of Holy  
Spirit, and More! **Registration:** \$20 per person.  
Payment is only on site and same day and only  
by cash or check. We cannot accept credit  
cards. **We do ask that you pre-register by  
September 8.** We can only order lunch for  
those who pre-register. **To pre-register call  
Joyce at (717) 308-7245, or  
email [charismatic.harrisburg@gmail.com](mailto:charismatic.harrisburg@gmail.com).** For  
more information, go to [aliveinthepirit.net](http://aliveinthepirit.net).  
Don't miss the grace!

# **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

## **August 15, 2021**

### **Introductory Rites**

#### **Entrance Antiphon**

A great sign appeared in heaven:  
a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon beneath her feet,  
and on her head a crown of twelve stars. *Cf. Rev 12:1*

#### **OR**

Let us all rejoice in the Lord,  
as we celebrate the feast day in honor of the Virgin Mary,  
at whose Assumption the Angels rejoice  
and praise the Son of God.

#### **Gloria**

*(When it is prescribed, this hymn is either said or sung:)*

**Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.**

**We praise you,  
we bless you,  
we adore you,  
we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.**

## Collect

Almighty ever-living God,  
who assumed the Immaculate Virgin Mary, the Mother of your Son,  
body and soul into heavenly glory,  
grant, we pray,  
that, always attentive to the things that are above,  
we may merit to be sharers of her glory.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab

God's temple in heaven was opened, and the ark of his covenant could be seen in the temple.

A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. She was with child and wailed aloud in pain as she labored to give birth. Then another sign appeared in the sky; it was a huge red dragon, with seven heads and ten horns, and on its heads were seven diadems. Its tail swept away a third of the stars in the sky and hurled them down to the earth. Then the dragon stood before the woman about to give birth, to devour her child when she gave birth. She gave birth to a son, a male child, destined to rule all the nations with an iron rod. Her child was caught up to God and his throne. The woman herself fled into the desert where she had a place prepared by God.

Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say:

*“Now have salvation and power come,  
and the Kingdom of our God  
and the authority of his Anointed One.”*

## Psalm 45

**R. The queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in gold.**

The queen takes her place at your right hand in gold of Ophir. **R.**

Hear, O daughter, and see; turn your ear,  
forget your people and your father's house. **R.**

So shall the king desire your beauty;  
for he is your lord. **R.**

They are borne in with gladness and joy;  
they enter the palace of the king. **R.**

## 1 Corinthians 15:20-27

Brothers and sisters: Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For since death came through man, the resurrection of the dead came also through man. For just as in Adam all die,

so too in Christ shall all be brought to life, but each one in proper order: Christ the firstfruits; then, at his coming, those who belong to Christ; then comes the end, when he hands over the Kingdom to his God and Father, when he has destroyed every sovereignty and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death, for “he subjected everything under his feet.”

### **Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia, alleluia.**

Mary is taken up to heaven;  
a chorus of angels exults.

**Alleluia, alleluia.**

### **Luke 1:39-56**

Mary set out and traveled to the hill country in haste to a town of Judah, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary’s greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled.”

And Mary said:

“My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;  
my spirit rejoices in God my Savior  
for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.  
From this day all generations will call me blessed:  
the Almighty has done great things for me  
and holy is his Name.  
He has mercy on those who fear him  
in every generation.  
He has shown the strength of his arm,  
and has scattered the proud in their conceit.  
He has cast down the mighty from their thrones,  
and has lifted up the lowly.  
He has filled the hungry with good things,  
and the rich he has sent away empty.  
He has come to the help of his servant Israel  
for he has remembered his promise of mercy,  
the promise he made to our fathers, to Abraham and his children forever.”

Mary remained with her about three months and then returned to her home.

### **Profession of Faith**

**I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.**



**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,**

*(At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.)*

**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*(The Apostles' Creed may be used instead of the Nicene Creed.)*

#### **The Apostles' Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,**

**the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Prayer over the Offerings**

May this oblation, our tribute of homage,  
rise up to you, O Lord,  
and, through the intercession of the most Blessed Virgin Mary,  
whom you assumed into heaven,  
may our hearts, aflame with the fire of love,  
constantly long for you.  
Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **Communion Antiphon**

All generations will call me blessed,  
for he who is mighty has done great things for me. *Lk 1:48-49*

### **Prayer after Communion**

Having received the Sacrament of salvation,  
we ask you to grant, O Lord,  
that, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary,  
whom you assumed into heaven,  
we may be brought to the glory of the resurrection.  
Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



## **Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel**

St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.  
Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.  
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,  
and do thou,  
O Prince of the heavenly hosts,  
by the power of God,  
thrust into hell Satan,  
and all the evil spirits,  
who prowl about the world  
seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen.**