

Mother Cabrini Church

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Twenty-Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
August 29, 2021



*The Father willed to give us birth by the word of truth
that we may be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures.*

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
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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

Tuesday and Thursday: 7:30 – 7:50AM
Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45PM

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28 – Vigil Mass

4PM +Daniel C. Fabrizio by Brother, David and & Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM ++Frances & Joseph Dorko & Frances and Leonard Yablonski by Dorko/Yablonski Families

9AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

11AM +Jeanne Kerstetter by Husband, Doc

MONDAY, AUGUST 30

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Daniel Knorr by Midge Strike

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

8AM +Ray Surak by Daughter, Judy

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

8AM +Sgt. Matthew Sandri by Family

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

St. Gregory the Great

8AM +Stanley Szufnarowski by Wife, Natalie Szufnarowski

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

8AM Living Parents, Relatives & Benefactors of the Franciscan Order

4 PM +Paul Albert Costa by Dr. Joseph B. Siberski

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7AM +Tony Varano by Rosie Purcell

9AM +Walter Bohaczyk by Linda & Joe Bielski and Family

11AM Parish Family of Mother Cabrini Church

Mass Candles, Bread & Wine
In Memory of John Dorko by Family

Our Church Bells are Ringing this Week. . .
In Memory of Jeanne Kerstetter
by Husband, Doc

Collection Totals for the Weekend of August 22, 2021

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| Offertory: | \$3,758.31 |
| Votives: | 119.75 |
| Religious Ed: | 35.00 |
| Air Conditioning: | 647.00 |
| Parish Property Insurance: | 96.00 |
| Youth Center: | 53.00 |
| Parish Dues: | 368.00 |
| Total: | \$5,077.06 |
| Peter's Pence: | \$ 10.00 |
| Franciscan Missions: | 75.00 |
| Mission Co-op: | 70.00 |

PONDER POINT

Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the proof of things not seen.

Heb 11:1



Exercise Your "Will Power"

When considering charitable gift options in your will, don't forget to include Mother Cabrini Church.

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.

Chicken BBQ

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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).

You Can Help Make Cabrini's 2021 Chicken BBQ Another Success!

Our cooks and volunteers are in place for our October 10th Cabrini Chicken BBQ. The success of the event depends upon how many tickets we sell. For those parishioners who can, help sell tickets where you work, to your family, friends and neighbors! It's a tasty platter and remember: *"You have to eat anyway!"* You can purchase your tickets by calling the parish office at 570-648-4512 during office hours. Thanks!

CHANGE OF ADDRESS and PHONE NUMBER:

A reminder to please contact the parish office with a change of address and/or your telephone number. You are important to us and at times we may need to contact you by either phone or mail. When mail is returned to the parish office we are charged a return fee.



Diocese of Harrisburg Youth Protection Program:



The Diocese of Harrisburg and Mother Cabrini Parish are committed to the safety of all children and vulnerable adults

in our care, and to supporting all those survivors of abuse along their path to healing. To report the suspected abuse of a minor, please notify both local law enforcement and the Diocese. First, call the PA Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-932-0313. If the abuse is suspected to be by a Church official, employee or volunteer, no matter when it happened, after reporting to ChildLine please also call the Diocesan toll free hotline at 1 (800) 626-1608. To learn more about what you can do to prevent abuse, how to report abuse, assistance available to survivors and the Youth Protection efforts of the Diocese, please visit: www.youthprotectionhbg.com



Congratulations and Prayerful Best Wishes to . . .
our parishioner, **John Soubik**,

who was recently accepted as an aspirant for the Diocese's Permanent Diaconate program.

Let us accompany John with our prayers, support and encouragement as he begins his journey of discernment regarding the ministry of Deacon.



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



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.

Only 4 Seats left for the Baltimore Crab Feast!



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 only 4 seats left 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!

Deacon's Corner

We celebrate the memorial of St. Pope Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church, on Friday,

September 3. Born in Rome in 520, St. Gregory came from a wealthy family. He was well educated in the law and became the Prefect of Rome. Soon, Gregory left this life and became a monk. After his father's death, he donated one of his family estates and found six monasteries on this land. In his writings, he explained that he desired to live the monastic life which brought him great joy. He referred to himself "as a servant of God." However, in 590, Gregory was proclaimed pope by acclamation, something he did not seek nor desired.

As pope, St. Gregory reformed the Church. He made changes to the Mass, some that remain today. One example is the placement of the Our Father prayer in the Mass. Under Pope Gregory, the number of deacons in the Church increased and they served in the parishes. St. Gregory was known for his generosity to the poor. When a famine occurred in Rome, he ordered the Church, which owned a large acreage of land, to donate the produce of these farms to the people. He died in 604. He is the patron saint of musicians, singers, students, and teachers.

The life of St. Gregory the Great shows each of us that the path of life that God chooses for us does not always follow the way we believe it should unfold. St. Gregory accepted God's decision for his life. His life was a true gift for the people of the Church as he accepted God's will. Like St. Gregory, are we willing to accept the path of life that God chooses for us to become the people we are meant to be?



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

Friday, Sept 10th – 12 Noon to 6 PM
Saturday, September 11 – 11 AM to 4 PM
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.

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Our Lady of Hope Parish Spaghetti Dinner

(Take Out Only)

Friday, September 17, 2021

Parish Hall

Oak & Chestnut Sts.

4 PM to 6 PM – Donation \$10.00

Includes: Spaghetti & Meatballs, Bread, Salad & Dessert

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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*. **Keynote:** 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. For more information.

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