

SAINT FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY—THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



APRIL 26, 2020

3RD EASTER OF SUNDAY **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

WEEKEND— Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 10:00 am

WEEKDAY — Tuesday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 3:15 to 3:45 p.m.

or by appointment.

For all emergencies, please call

St. Therese's Rectory at

570-696-1144.

DO YOU RECOGNIZE THE RISEN LORD IN HIS WORD AND IN THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD?

Why was it difficult for the disciples to recognize the risen Lord? Jesus' death scattered his disciples and shattered their hopes and dreams. They *had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel*. They saw the cross as defeat and could not comprehend the empty tomb until the Lord Jesus appeared to them and gave them understanding. Jesus chided the disciples on the road to Emmaus for their *slowness of heart* to believe what the Scriptures had said concerning the Messiah. They did not recognize the risen Jesus until he had broken bread with them. Do you recognize the Lord in his word and in the *breaking of the bread*? How often do we fail to recognize the Lord when he speaks to our hearts and opens his mind to us? The Risen Lord is ever ready to speak his word to us and to give us understanding of his ways. "Lord Jesus Christ, open the eyes of my heart to recognize your presence with me and to understand the truth of your saving word. Nourish me with your life-giving word and with the bread of life."

SUNDAY MASS FROM **ST. THERESE'S PARISH**

We will continue to live-stream mass from St. Therese's on Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. Simply visit their Parish Website at stthereses-shavertown.com and press (f) to the right of our phone number, or go to their Facebook Page: The Church of St. Therese@1LittleFlower4U.

GET WELL SOON

Father Albosta has had a number of health-related setbacks in the past few weeks. Please hold him close in prayer. For those who can, please send him a card or note at: Villa Saint Joseph, 1600 Greenridge St. Dunmore, PA 186509

A SUMMARY OF ISSUES **RELATIVE TO COVID-19**

~All daily and weekend masses, along with confessions, fund-raisers, and parish activities and meetings are suspended until further notice.

~Father Paisley will offer a *Private Mass* each day and on the weekend to fulfill the intentions as listed in the bulletin.

~Daily Mass is broadcast on CTV at 12:10 P.M., 3:30 P.M., and 7:00 P.M. The Saturday Vigil Mass is broadcast at 4P.M. and rebroadcast on Sunday at 10A.M. The Mass is also streamed on the Diocesan web www.dioceseofscranton.org Sunday mass is also broadcast on WOLF-TV at 8:00 A.M.

~ For the latest information, call 570-696-1144 (Ext. 13), check St. Therese's website at www.stthereses-shavertown.com, or visit their Parish Facebook Page at The Church of Saint Therese@1LittleFlower4U.

~Any weekly offerings may be mailed directly to the parish office.

PARISH OFFICE

Although our office is not open to the public at this time, you may call 570-696-1144 ext.17 and leave a message or you may email us at sfcbs@comcast.net with any questions or concerns. Weekly offertory donations may be mailed directly to the parish office at 585 Mount Olivet Rd, Wyoming, PA 18644. We thank you for your patience and cooperation at this time.

Father Jim will offer his private daily mass for the intentions listed below:

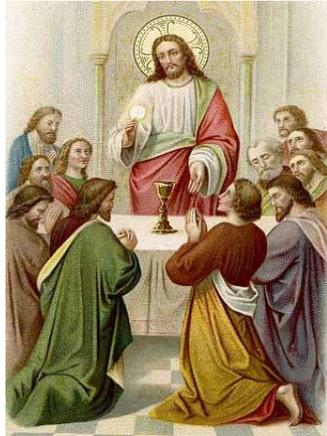
Tuesday, 04/28
 Saturday, 05/02
 Sunday, 05/03

MASS INTENTIONS
 Dominick Stella
 Anna & Michael Dula
 Helen Dolores Melnick

REQUESTED BY:
 Craig & Stephanie Petrulla
 Daughter Madelyn
 Family & Friends at Krispin Farms



SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER



My Jesus,
 I believe that You
 are in the
 Blessed Sacrament.
 I love You
 above all things,
 and I long for
 You in my soul.

Since I cannot now receive
 You sacramentally, come at least
 spiritually into my heart. As though
 You have already come, I embrace
 You and unite myself entirely to You;
 never permit me to be separated
 from You.



PERFECT CONTRITION

With the increasing difficulty for individuals to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation due to the current health crisis, the faithful of the Diocese of Scranton are reminded that by having perfect contrition one can receive the forgiveness of sins, apart from going to confession. Perfect contrition requires the following three things:
 A love of God above all else.
 A sincere desire for the forgiveness from sin.
 The resolution to go to confession as soon as possible when this health crisis subsides.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Please pray for Ben Bilski, Virginia Brown, Charles Caine, Russ & Mary Ann Dymond, Dave Hagerty, Don Hilstolsky, Don Hunter Sr., Jim & Connie Kemmerer, Gene Kritzbarger, Neil Lispi, Harry Mears, Jane Moore, Thomas Moore, Tom Roarty, Mary Shively, Brian Smith, Terry Smith, Jim Starbuck, John Solinsky, & Lilly Stroud.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

for the week can burn in memory of, in honor of, in Thanksgiving, or for health and God's blessings of a loved one. Donation is \$10.00.

OUR LADY'S SHRINE CANDLE for the week can burn and will be placed in front of the Blessed Virgin at our outdoor Shrine in the rear of the Church. Donation is \$5.00. Call the parish office for arrangements.



The Light of the Marian Shrine Candle is burning this week of April 26 through May 2, 2020.

In Honor and Thanksgiving of:

All Truckers, First Responders and the Medical Care Community

Requested by:

Our Parish Family



The Light of the Sanctuary Candle is burning this week of April 26 through May 2, 2020.

In Memory of:

Mary Jo Scott

Requested by:

Scott Family

YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT IS NEEDED AND APPRECIATED!

While we are trying to reduce as many expenses as possible during these challenging and unprecedented days, there are certain financial responsibilities that must be maintained, i.e.: Health Insurance Premiums, Diocesan Assessments, and the like. Please consider mailing in whatever contribution you can afford at this time to the parish office at 585 Mount Olivet Road, Wyoming, PA 18644. All donations, regardless of the size, are deeply appreciated. Know that I am most grateful for your personal, spiritual, and financial support as we journey through this global pandemic.

Sincerely, Father Jim

"Give to the Most High God, as God has given to you, generously, according to your means, for the Lord is one who always repays, and God will give back to you sevenfold." Sirach 35: 9-10