

# SAINT FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH

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## CELEBRATION

## OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKEND—Saturday 4:00 pm

—Sunday 9:30 am

WEEKDAY—Tuesday 9:00 am

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from

3:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY—THURSDAY

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

33RD SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME  
NOVEMBER 19, 2023



**THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:**  
**PROVERBS 31:10-13,19-20,30-31**  
**THESSALONIANS 5:1-6**  
**MATTHEW 25:14-30**

## GOD REWARDS THOSE WHO USE THEIR GIFTS FOR SERVING HIM AND THE GOOD OF OTHERS

What do coins and the law of economics have to do with the kingdom of God?

The Lord entrusts the subjects of his kingdom with gifts and graces and he gives his subjects the freedom to use them as they think best. With each gift and talent, God gives sufficient means (grace and wisdom) for using them in a fitting way. As the parable of the talents shows, God abhors indifference and an attitude that says it's not worth trying. God honors those who use their talents and gifts for doing good. But those who neglect or squander what God has entrusted to them will lose what they have. There is an important lesson here for us. No one can stand still for long in the Christian life. We either get more or we lose what we have. We either advance towards God or we slip back. Do you seek to serve God with the gifts, talents, and graces he has given to you?

## DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Our annual appeal goal is \$ 13,000. As of Nov. 15, our total parish donations for 2023 is at 82%, which includes donations from 47 families totaling \$ 10,654.00. If you have not already donated, envelopes for the Appeal are in the church entrances.

Gifts of any size are welcome, and participation is very important.

Please join us in reaching our parish goal of \$ 13,000.

God bless you for your kindness and generosity.

## A SPECIAL CARD OF THANKS

Heartfelt and sincere thanks to all who donated to our "Back Mountain Food Pantry Drive" this Thanksgiving season. We are most grateful to so many who gave generous monetary donations of \$1,100 and a huge amount of bagged food items to this very worthy cause. May God bless your kindness and surround you with His love.

Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good

Join Us For  
Thanksgiving Mass  
At 9:00 a.m.

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 A.M. on Thanksgiving Day, November 23, at St. Frances Cabrini and St. Therese's.

Join us as we give thanks to God for our many blessings.

Happy Thanksgiving!

"Whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through Him to God the Father."

Colossians 3:17

**Mass Intentions**   
FOR THE WEEK

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>11/21</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Helen Ponganis</b>	<b>Ray &amp; Flo Mociun</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>11/23</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Mary Helen Mickiewicz Cuba</b>	<b>Myron &amp; Monica Mickiewicz</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>11/25</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>For the Souls of the Faithful departed</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>11/26</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Erald Biondi</b>	<b>Bob &amp; Barb Barbacci</b>

**Requested By:**  
Ray & Flo Mociun

*In every thing give thanks:  
for this is the will of  
God in Christ Jesus  
concerning you.*

1 Thessalonians 5:18



**THE WEEK OF**

**NOVEMBER 19 TO NOVEMBER 25, 2023:**

***The Light of the Sanctuary Candle is burning***

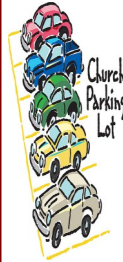
**IN MEMORY OF: DONALD BATANUS**

**REQUESTED BY: JESSICA & ANNABELLE DUPONT**

***The Light of the Marian Shrine Candle***

**is burning IN MEMORY OF: SAM PERRONE**

**REQUESTED BY: MADELYN PERRONE**

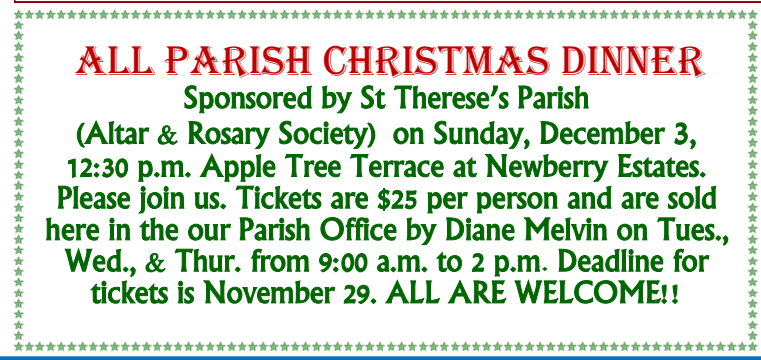


**YOUR COOPERATION IS NEEDED!**  
In order to be effective, it is important that **every space** in the parking lot is used. The lot is designed to accommodate 5 rows of 9 cars; each facing Mt. Olivet Road. Please park right behind the car in front of you so that others may benefit from the lot. Enter the parking lot from the rear of the church; pull into any lane; and then, pull to the **FRONT** of the lane. We ask you kindly, to **NOT PARK** in any area that will block the entrance to the 5 parking lanes. Your patience and cooperation in this matter is vital and appreciated. **Thank You!**



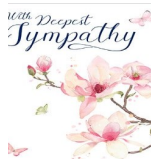
**ALL PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER**

**Sponsored by St Therese's Parish**  
**(Altar & Rosary Society) on Sunday, December 3,**  
**12:30 p.m. Apple Tree Terrace at Newberry Estates.**  
**Please join us. Tickets are \$25 per person and are sold here in the our Parish Office by Diane Melvin on Tues., Wed., & Thur. from 9:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. Deadline for tickets is November 29. ALL ARE WELCOME!!**

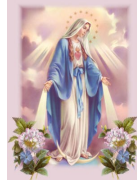


**Remember in Your Prayers**

Please pray for Don Hunter Sr., Bernard F., Sister Jan Marie Kalyan, Joyce Kishbaugh, Florence Mickley, Christopher Mortensen, Denis Perugino, Tom Roarty, Benjamin Szoscak,



*The prayers and support of the parish are extended to the family and friends of Loretta Anne Bufalino (mother of Charles Bufalino III (Maureen)) in the midst of their grief and mourning. May her soul and all the souls of the Faithful Departed rest in peace.*



**THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception, is a holy day of obligation. It will be commemorated on Friday, December 8. Vigil Mass will be on **Thursday, December 7, at 6:00 P.M., and on Friday morning, December 8, at 8:00 A.M.** Please join us as we honor the conception of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God and our mother.

**The SECOND COLLECTION**

this weekend (November 18 & 19) is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. By your support we can help Work on the Margins and break the cycle of Poverty in the United States.



**SAINT FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH MEMBERSHIP:**

We welcome all who wish to join our parish. Please contact the parish office, at your earliest convenience by calling

**570-696-3737 during our office hours.**

We also would like to remind parishioners to please use your weekly envelopes, notify the office of any changes of address, phone number and email addresses. Thank you.

**COMMITMENT OF TREASURE**

*Give and it will be given to you. A good measure will be poured into your lap. For the measure you use, it will be measured to you. Luke 6:38*

**WEEKEND COLLECTION OF 11/12/2023**

**\$ 2,882.00**