

# SAINT FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH

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## PARISH STAFF

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Father James Alco

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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.

## 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 28, 2024



**THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:**  
**DEUTERONOMY 18:15-20 (71B)**  
**1 CORINTHIANS 7:32-35**  
**MARK 1:21-28**

## FAITH MUST BE NOURISHED WITH THE WORD OF GOD

Faith is both a free gift of God and the free assent of our will to the whole truth that God has revealed. To live, grow, and persevere in the faith to the end, we must nourish it with the word of God. The Lord gives us his Holy Spirit to enlighten our minds that we may grow in his truth and in the knowledge of his great love for each of us. If we approach God's word with trust and submission, and with an eagerness to do what the Lord desires for us, then we are in a much better position to learn what God wants to teach us through his word. Are you eager to be taught by the Lord and to conform your mind, heart, attitude, and intentions according to his word of truth, goodness, and love? "Lord Jesus, your word is power and life. May I never doubt your love and mercy, and the power of your word that sets us free, and brings healing and restoration to body, mind, heart, and spirit."



## BLESSING OF THROATS:

February 3 is the FEAST DAY OF ST. BLAISE. Therefore, a general blessing of throats will take place at the end of all masses NEXT weekend of Feb. 3 & 4.

A prayer for those who are not able to be present to get their throats blessed:

Saint Blaise, pray for us that we may not suffer from illnesses of the throat and pray that all who are suffering may be healed by God's love. Amen

## Important Note:

**THERE WILL BE NO  
9 A.M. MORNING MASS ON  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2024.**

**SECOND COLLECTION THIS  
WEEKEND  
IS  
FOR  
THE CHURCH  
IN LATIN AMERICA**

## Ash Wednesday-

February 14, 2024

Mass with the Distribution of Ashes:

6:00 P.M. at Saint Frances Cabrini.

9:00 A.M. at Saint Therese's.

Scripture Service with the Distribution of Ashes:

8 a.m. and Noon at Saint Frances X. Cabrini.

12:10 P.M. and 5:30 P.M. at Saint Therese's.



**TIME CHANGE  
ST. THERESE'S CHURCH  
WEEKEND MASS**

Beginning February 17, 2024  
the new Saturday mass time  
will be 5:30 P.M.

**TAX STATEMENTS:** Itemized statements of contributions for tax purposes will be issued to any parishioner requesting one by calling Diane in the parish office at 570-696-3737. Thank you for your cooperation.



## PARKING AT ST. FRANCES

WE ARE KINDLY ASKING FOR EVERYONE'S COOPERATION. The parking lot is designed to accommodate 5 rows of 9 cars; each facing Mt. Olivet Road.

Please park within the lines provided & right behind the car in front of you so that others may benefit from the lot. Therefore, we are showing kindness and consideration to other parishioners attending mass. **Thank you!**

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>01/30</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>02/03</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Donald Harter Jr.</b>	<b>Bob &amp; Rita Kirtinitis</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>02/04</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Joseph Latona</b>	<b>Frank &amp; Marlene Nockley</b>

**WEATHER CANCELLATION INFORMATION-**

IF TRAVELING BECOMES HAZARDOUS, DUE TO WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS PLEASE CALL:  
**570-696-1144, EXT. 13 AFTER 7:30 A.M.**  
FOR ANY WEEKDAY OR WEEKEND MASS CANCELLATIONS.



**THE WEEK OF**  
**JANUARY 28, 2024 TO FEBRUARY 3, 2024:**

THE LIGHT OF THE SANCTUARY  
CANDLE IS BURNING IN MEMORY OF:  
**LEBRO & LENA FELLI**

REQUESTED BY:

**RICK & DIANE MELVIN & ELAINE FELLI**  
THE LIGHT OF THE MARIAN SHRINE CANDLE  
IS BURNING FOR:  
LIVING & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE PARISH



**LORD**  
HEAR OUR  
PRAYERS

**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,  
Jim Starbuck & Lilly Stroud.

**HOLY REDEEMER HIGH SCHOOL  
REGARDING  
INCOMING FRESHMEN**

Appointments for class scheduling for new students for the 2024-2025 school year will be held on February 6, 7 and 8 from 3:00 to 5:45 PM. Call Holy Redeemer High School's Guidance Department at 570-829-2424 to set an appointment.



**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.

**"A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR":**

We appreciate everyone's efforts to attend weekend mass, however, the obligation is not meant to put anyone's life or health at risk. If traveling becomes hazardous, due to weather conditions, please stay at home to be safe and secure. If you remain home, please pray for our parish community. St. Therese's 8 a.m. mass is livestreamed and may be viewed on **FACEBOOK** at The Church of Saint Therese. It can also be viewed on our Website at [www.sfcbsp.com](http://www.sfcbsp.com) after 11 a.m.

Sunday morning. *GOD BLESS, Father Joe*

**MEN'S GROUP**

Saint Therese's Men's Group meets every Saturday morning from 8 am to 9 am at 65 Davis Street, Shavertown. Each session provides participants with an opportunity for prayer, scripture, faith sharing, reflection and song. There is no requirement to attend every week. All men of St. Frances Cabrini and St. Therese's Parishes are welcome to "Come and See".

Diocese of Scranton  
**DIOCESAN**  
ANNUAL APPEAL 

**ST. FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH GOAL FOR 2023:**  
**\$13,000.00**

**TOTAL RAISED: \$20,649.64 OVER: \$7,649.64**  
**There is still time to give to the appeal this year! Remember 75% of everything we raise over our goal comes right back to our Parish!**  
**Thank you for all you do and Congratulation on going OVER THE TOP!!** *Father Joe*

**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 6:68*

**WEEKEND COLLECTION OF**  
**01/21/2024**

**\$ 3,134.00**