

EYEWITNESSES

Today, the Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord, is a day of eyewitness accounts. The first, a vision reported by the prophet Daniel, was well known to Jesus and his apostles. The vision account was written in quite mystical and figurative language. It is a vision of heaven, powerful and memorable. There are flames of fire, burning wheels, the Ancient One, and a Son of Man. Clearly, Daniel saw something. But was it a dream? Was it real? Was it merely a clever myth?



Peter wants no such confusion about his vision! We are told in Matthew's Gospel what he and his friends James and John saw when they went up on the mountain with Jesus one day. Jesus warned the three witnesses to tell no one until "the Son of Man has been raised from the dead" (Matthew 17:9). Lest readers of one of the Gospels discount the story or simply write it off as a pious myth, Peter gives his own account of the Transfiguration of Jesus in his second letter to the church. He writes with authority, as an eyewitness. He reports this message from God concerning Jesus: "This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased," and he assures us that the message is "altogether reliable" (2 Peter 1:17, 19).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-7, 12-13;
Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35;
Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26

Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Mt 17:14-20

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14;
Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

Bishop Gerald Kicanas invites you to a special Mass celebrating Marriage anniversaries for couples that have received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony and are celebrating their

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES IN 2017

1st - 10th - 25th - 50th - 60th or longer

The Mass will be held Sun., Oct. 15th at 2:30 p.m. in St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S. Stone Ave. If you fill out the following form you will receive a personal invitation from the Bishop in September.

PLEASE PRINT

Names: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Your Parish: _____

Which Anniversary is it this year? _____

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO: Office of Worship
ATTN: Ofelia James
Diocese of Tucson, P.O. Box 31
Tucson, AZ 85702

Questions? Call Ofelia James at 520-838-2545.

This Week at St. Frances Cabrini

Sunday August 6
Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord
Family Program of Religious Education, Hall,
Ed. Bldg., & Rm. 8, 9:30 a.m.
Youth Program, Rms. 6 & 7, 9:30 a.m.

Monday August 7
SVdeP Meeting, Rm. 5, 11:30 a.m.
Theology Uncorked Movie Night, Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday August 8
Tucson Quilters' Quilt-a-thon, Hall, 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday August 9
O.A., Rm. 3, 7:30 a.m.
Tucson Quilters' Quilt-a-thon, Hall, 8:00 a.m.

Thursday August 10
Small Christian Community, Rm. 3, 10:30 a.m.
O.A., Rm. 5, 5:30 p.m.

Friday August 11
O.A., Rm. 3, 7:30 a.m.

Saturday August 12
Just Coffee, East Breezeway, after 5:00 Mass

Sunday August 13
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Second Sunday Goodies & Just Coffee, Hall, after
each Mass
Backpack Blessing, Hall, after 10:30 Mass

**AUG.****AUG. 13TH****5TH**

Sat.	5:00 PM	- Betty Pederlick† - Betty & Frank Shayka, 68th Wedding Anniversary
Sun.	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	- People of the Parish - Arthur Jacobs, Jr.† - Anthony Hart†
Wed.	8:00 AM	- Marie L. Cornelius†
Thurs.	8:00 AM	- Lyle & Mary Jo Stouffer††
Sat.	5:00 PM	- Tom Bauer† - Frank & Teresa Tanzillo, in Thanksgiving
Sun.	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	- Nancy C. Sinclair† - Austin & Pat Jensen, Special Intention - People of the Parish

**FREE TUTORING
WEDNESDAY NIGHTS**

The Youth Group sponsors free tutoring for all ages and all subjects on many Wed. nights that school is in session. Tutoring takes place in Rm. 7 (portable building behind Ed. Bldg.) from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. Bring your assignment, books, notes, etc. The tutoring sessions will be held on the following dates this semester:

August 16, 23, 30 September 6, 13, 20, 27 October 4, 25

November 1, 8, 15, 29 December 6, 13

Questions? Call Jim Mueller at 327-0614.



2017-2018 FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF 07/30/2017 WEEK FIVE

Year-To-Date Budgeted Expenses:	\$ 49,445.00
Year-To-Date Total Income:	\$ 28,789.00
Sunday Collection:	\$ 4,735.00
Amount Needed Weekly:	\$ 9,889.00
Amount-To-Date Under:	\$ 20,656.00

2017-18 Family Religious Education Program Registration for Children in Grades K-5

We have begun the process of registering children and families in the 2017-18 Family Program. This next year, classes will run from 9:30—10:20 and families may attend either the 8:30 or 10:30 Mass. Each session will begin with an Arts and Crafts activity based on that Sunday's Scripture. Children and adults will then receive 35 minutes of separate instruction. The session will conclude with parents and children sharing songs and prayer based on the Sunday Scriptures. Please contact Phil Becker for registration information. If you know of families with children in grades K-5 that would benefit, please have them contact Phil at 795-1110.



Actors/Actresses Sought

The family program is looking for people who enjoy acting to assist acting out the Sunday Gospel for our families. This would only take about ten minutes two times a month and would be a great benefit to our families. This would occur in the Parish Hall right after the 8:30 Mass. Even if you would only be able to help one Sunday a month I would be interested in hearing from you. Please contact Phil at 795-1110 or cabrinifamilyprogram@gmail.com.

SECOND SUNDAYS AT CABRINI MEET FOR COFFEE AND GOODIES!

August 13th we will have the next "Second Sunday at Cabrini" gathering after the two Sunday Masses. Come share coffee and other refreshments with fellow parishioners. Meet someone you've seen but never met — those who sit on the other side of the church! THANKS to those who brought a little something last time to add to the table. Feel free to bring whatever you'd like to share; we'll always have pastry.



Café Justo volunteers will also be in the Hall that morning selling their delicious coffee. It's great served hot in the cool morning or in air conditioning, and wonderful this time of year iced or over ice cream. We have fresh dark or regular coffee at \$9 a pound and decaf at \$10 a pound, both available in ground or whole bean. Come enjoy a sample and buy a pound on the East Patio every second Saturday of the month after 5:00 Mass, or in the Parish Hall every second Sunday morning after both Masses. As always, thanks for your support.

WEEKEND & HOLYDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Sat., Aug. 5, 4:00 Conf. & 5:00 p.m. Mass, Fr. Bill Rimmel
 Sun., Aug. 6, 8:30 a.m. Mass, Fr. Bill Rimmel
 Sun., Aug. 6, 10:30 a.m. Mass, Fr. Bob Fuller (Q & A)
 Sat., Aug. 12, 4:00 Conf. & 5:00 p.m. Mass, Fr. Bob Fuller
 Sun., Aug. 13, 8:30 a.m. Mass, Fr. Bill Rimmel
 Sun., Aug. 13, 10:30 a.m. Mass, Fr. Bill Rimmel
 Tues., Aug. 15, 8:00 a.m. Mass, Fr. Bill Rimmel
 Tues., Aug. 15, 5:30 p.m. Mass, Fr. Bob Fuller

LITURGICAL MINISTERS' SCHEDULE

The 4th quarter schedule (October 7—Dec. 31) needs to be done about 10 days early, so please give Joyce any dates you will be unavailable during the 4th quarter by August 21. You can reach Joyce at jevans5549@cox.net or 520-780-0693.



GRADES 6-12

This week: What is your favorite vehicle? Favorite food? Favorite subject in school (No, I am not kidding)? Let's talk!

Next week: Help serve at our parish Coffee and Goodies after the 8:30 Mass.

FAMILIES IN THE FAMILY PROGRAM AND THE YOUTH GROUP

— Let's meet **August 20** at the Tucson Racquet Club 11:30 to 1:30 to swim and get to know each other. Pizza and drinks will be served. Bring your favorite sports equipment. We will be swimming, playing basketball and soccer, talking! If you have any questions, please call Mary Lou at 488-3213. **Are you new to the parish and want to get to know other families? Join us!**



REMEMBER THESE DATES: August 5-6 and August 12-13

St. Vincent de Paul and Fry's are teaming up again. Fry's has offered to donate a percentage of what you purchase at their stores to SVdeP.

All you need to do is sign up on www.fryscommunityrewards.com and designate "CABRINI SVPD" as your charity. This does not diminish any other benefits you may have with Fry's. If you would like help in setting up your community rewards account or in updating it (which needs to be done every year), bring your Fry's card to the Education Building the weekend of August 5-6 or 12-13 after any Mass and a member of our St. Vincent de Paul team will assist you. If you don't have a Fry's card yet, we can get you set up with one. **We will also have car raffle tickets available!** Any questions? Call Joan at (520) 887-4791 or Terry at (520) 444-4136.



The parish website is in the process of being rebuilt. We will let you know when it is complete!