

St. Frances Cabrini

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Welcome to our Parish Community!

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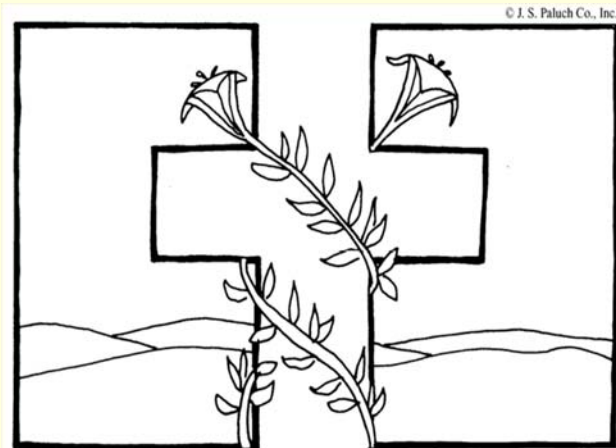
Parish Office Hours:

Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri.,
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Thurs., 9:00 a.m. to noon
Closed Sat. & Sun.

Please note:

While our Parish Office is temporarily closed to the public due to the pandemic, we will answer emails and Connie or Eileen will usually answer the phone during office hours. St. Vincent de Paul is available at 881-3075 from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. on weekdays.



St. Frances Cabrini, born in Italy in 1850, founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. She immigrated to New York in 1887 to assist Catholic immigrants, died in 1917 and was the first American citizen to be canonized.



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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God has raised the crucified Jesus, who now pours forth the Holy Spirit upon us (Acts 2:14, 22-33).

Psalm — Lord, you will show us the path of life (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Our faith and hope are in God, who raised Jesus from the dead (1 Peter 1:17-21).

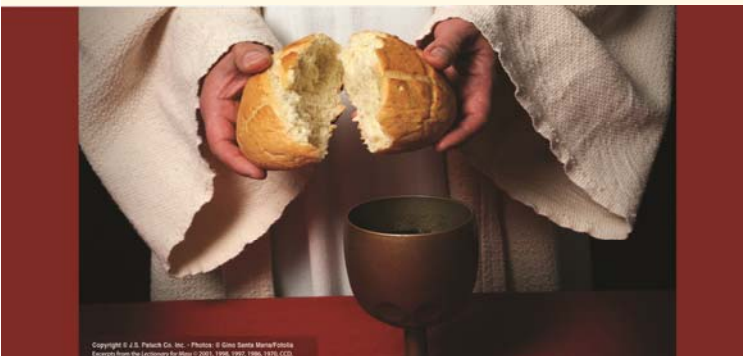
Gospel — Through his words and in the breaking of the bread, the risen Christ made himself known to two disciples on their way to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35).

GOD'S PLAN

Saint Peter speaks to us twice today. In the first reading, we hear an excerpt from his sermon on Pentecost; in the second, part of his first letter. Once a frightened, uneducated fisherman who often said just the wrong thing, now Peter is speaking what he knows to be true. Everything Jesus had said now makes sense. His death and rising were all part of God's plan, and our faith and hope can be centered on God.

Today's Gospel tells the story of Jesus' walk to Emmaus with two of the disciples. Frightened, sad, and confused, the two of them don't recognize Jesus, who tells them what we heard Peter say above: All this had to happen as part of God's plan. In the end, these disciples recognize Jesus as we are to recognize him—in the breaking of the bread.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59, or, for the memorial, Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23:1-6; 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

This Week at St. Frances Cabrini

When we are able to have Masses and other gatherings again, we will post this good news on our website. In the meantime, the website of the Diocese of Tucson (www.diocesetucson.org) has an inspiring posting from our bishop about Spiritual Communion that we urge everyone to read and take to heart while the mandated restrictions on all public gatherings are in place due to the virus pandemic.

Please call and share this information with anyone you know who comes to our church who does not have Internet access. You may tell them to call our office if they would like a printout of the article on Spiritual Communion sent to them, or paper copies of our bulletin.

We will also be glad to mail copies through the postal service to anyone who requests them of the letters (four so far) that Fr. Jay, our pastor, has been sending to all parish members for whom we have email addresses. If we don't have your email address, please send it to us! These letters contain a mixture of information we need and some loving words for us all. God's grace and mercy remain abundant!



2019-2020 FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection Total for 4/12/20 (Easter) : \$8,362.

We could not take up a collection in church, but there were ACH deposits and some people sent in donations or brought them to our office. The amount needed weekly this year is an average of \$8,355 per week. We are grateful to have met expenses at this time of crisis for so many!

Collection Total for 4/19/20: \$3,903.

WE SO APPRECIATE ANY CONTRIBUTIONS YOU CAN MAIL IN WHILE WE ARE CLOSED. **OR YOU MAY CONTRIBUTE ON-LINE. INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Go to www.diocestucson.org.
2. Scroll down to the "Provide Hope" / "Helping Our Parishes Endure" graphic and click where it says Click Here to Donate." (A direct link is <https://app.mobilecause.com/form/ZXM8yQ?vid=6bbiy>)
3. Select our parish from the drop-down menu. You can choose from options to select a custom or standard amount and make either recurring payments or a one-time payment, and then complete the credit card information requested and click "Donate." **If you have trouble, call the parish office and Connie or Eileen will walk you through the process.**

The Annual Catholic Appeal

The Annual Catholic Appeal still needs our support! Actually, contributions to the ACA have allowed the Catholic Foundation of the Diocese of Tucson to be able to help parishes through this current crisis. If you have not contributed to the ACA this year and are in a position to do so, please consider making a donation now on their website, which is foundation@diocesetucson.org. Or mail checks made out to Annual Catholic Appeal to this address:



Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of Tucson
 Annual Catholic Appeal
 P.O. Box 29200
 Phoenix, AZ 85038-9200

Some of the work done by Catholic Community Services requires in-person assistance. If you have access to masks, gloves or sanitizing wipes you can donate, please call Teresa at 520-670-0800.

To arrange for a bulletin ad, contact Claudia Borders at 1-800-231-0805 or bordersc@jspaluch.com.



APR. 25TH - MAY 3RD

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| Sat. | 5:00 PM | - Salvador & Olga Lopez††
- Norman Beattie† |
| Sun. | 8:30 AM | - People of the Parish |
| | 10:30 AM | - William Seale† |
| Wed. | 8:00 AM | - Seminarians of Our Diocese |
| Thu. | 8:00 AM | - Active Duty Members of the Military and Their Families |
| Sat. | 5:00 PM | - Members of the O'Brien & Hare Families |
| Sun. | 8:30 AM | - Torrin Logh†
- Frank Shayka† |
| | 10:30 AM | - People of the Parish |



IN MEMORIAM:

Long-time parish member Frank Shayka, age 95, went home to the Lord on April 7, 2020. Please pray that his family will be comforted by the love of God and kind friends.



Our pastor, Fr. Jay, will be saying Masses in private while the mandate to have churches closed is in place. During that time, he will offer those Masses for the above Intentions. We invite you also to pray for these people.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Our SVdeP Conference appreciates the financial and food donations we have received from parishioners. These allow us to continue assisting those in need within our parish boundaries. With the added stress of COVID-19 we foresee the need will grow.



We have made changes in our safety procedures for our pantry and deliveries. We do not go into homes now and observe safe distance procedures when we make food deliveries.

Those who wish to donate financially to our Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society can mail your donation to the parish office or put your envelope through the mail slot in the parish office door. We can make arrangements with you for donating food items if you call our pantry at 881-3075. Leave a message if no one picks up and we will return your call.

CATHOLIC MASSES ON-LINE AND ON TV

Go to <https://diocesetucson.org>. Find the Spiritual Communion page (it should come up first) and scroll down to the link for **Bishop Weisenburger's daily celebration of the Mass in his private chapel. You can view it at any time of day.** There is a Catholic Mass on Sundays on broadcast television at 7:30 a.m. on KWBA, Channel 58.1 and Channel 58 on DirecTV and Dish Network. Cox Contour and Comcast Xfinity cable providers have it on Channel 8 at 7:30 a.m. on Sundays. Cox Cable has the Catholic TV Network, EWTN, Channel 113, which has Masses and other devotions that you may access at any time.