

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.

Our Christian Mission:

Love God intentionally!
Serve each other unreservedly!
Live our faith joyfully!

September 20, 2020

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Autumn Begins

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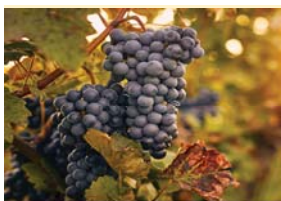
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St. Frances Cabrini, born in Italy in 1850, founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. She immigrated to New York in 1887 to assist Catholic immigrants, died in 1917 and was the first American citizen to be canonized.





The kingdom of heaven
is like a landowner
who went out at dawn
to hire laborers for his vineyard.

Matthew 20:1

DIRECTION

Isaiah tells us something that we already know, and yet seem to forget every now and then. He tells us, essentially, that God is God and we are not. When we're confused and troubled and can't figure everything out, it might be wise to recall Isaiah speaking on the Lord's behalf and explaining that God—who is on a much more, well, Godly wavelength than we are—moves in ways we can't even imagine.

Saint Paul, by comparison, has everything figured out. Kind of. At least he understands his calling in life—to magnify Christ in everything he does. That should give all of us the direction we need. Jesus gives us direction, too, explaining to us once again in the parable of the workers in the vineyard that the last will be first, and the first, last.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Turn to the LORD who is generous in forgiving (Isaiah 55:6-9).

Psalm — The Lord is near to all who call upon him (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — Live your lives in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ (Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a).

Gospel — The last will be first, and the first will be last (Matthew 20:1-16a).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13;
Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9;
Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc;
Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4;
Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;
Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5];
Mt 21:28-32



AN ON-LINE JORDAN MINISTRY WORKSHOP, "PRAYING WITH ICONS OF THE MOTHER OF GOD," will be held on Tues., Oct. 6, at 5:00 p.m. (PT, which is currently the same as our MST in Tucson). The presenter is Benedictine Sister Jeane Visel, who will explore the meaning of various types of images of the Mother of God and how they may be used in liturgy, catechesis, and private devotions. To learn more and to register on-line, visit <https://jordanministryteam.org/upcoming-events/workshop-icons>.

NEWS

While some parishes in Tucson are having Masses, our Bishop continues to "... urge that those identified in the Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines as highly at risk ... refrain from in-person participation at Masses. This includes persons with chronic health conditions as well as persons age 65 and older" (from letter posted on the website of the diocese). As our parish has a high proportion of such persons, including our pastor and most liturgical ministers, we do not have indoor Mass yet. The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass in person remains in place. For ongoing news, check www.diocesetucson.org.

Per the Bishop's recommendation, we distribute Holy Communion on a drive-through basis in the west parking lot of St. Frances Cabrini Church at the following times: **5:00 to 5:20 p.m. on Saturday, and 8:30 to 8:50 and 10:00 to 10:20 a.m. on Sunday.** Please wear masks, stay in your vehicles, and follow the signs for traffic flow. As you drive beside where he is standing, near the northwest church entrance, Fr. Jay or one of the Eucharistic Ministers, wearing mask and gloves, will reach through your open window and hand you the number of consecrated hosts needed for the people in your car.

Fr. Jay sends weekly letters to all parish members for whom we have email addresses. When we are able to further expand services at our parish, he will let you know, and we will also put the information in the bulletin, which is posted on our parish website, www.cabrinitucson.org. If we don't have your email address and you would like to receive these letters by email, please contact us at cabrini1962@aol.com.

If you know someone who does not have Internet access and who might like to be mailed paper copies of Fr. Jay's letters and/or our bulletins, ask them to call the office (326-7670) and let us know. We will be happy to mail them.

CATHOLIC MASSES ON-LINE AND ON TV

Go to <https://diocesetucson.org> to access Bishop Weisenburger's daily celebration of the Mass in his private chapel. Select Upcoming Broadcasts to see when the next live broadcast will be, or select one of the recent Past Broadcasts to watch. There is a Catholic Mass on Sundays on 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 Catholic TV Channel 113, which has Masses and other devotions that you may access at any time.

2020-2021 FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection Total for 8/23/20: \$3,845

Collection Total for 8/20/20: \$5,460

WE SO APPRECIATE ANY CONTRIBUTIONS YOU CAN BRING TO THE COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION OR THAT YOU MAIL IN WHILE WE ARE CLOSED. **OR YOU MAY CONTRIBUTE ON-LINE. INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Go to www.diocesetucson.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.**



ARIZONA ROSARY CELEBRATION

The annual Rosary Celebration will be online this year, due to the spread of the COVID-19 virus. It will be broadcast live on the website of the Diocese of Tucson on October 17 from 10:00 to 12:15 a.m.

Bishop Edward Weisenburger will preside; guest speaker will be Most Rev.

Jorge Rodriguez, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Denver. The Celebration this year will honor the Blessed Virgin Mary under her title "Our Lady, Undoer of Knots." For more information, visit www.azrosary.net.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Bishop Weisenburger has asked that all Faith Formation/Religious Education programs in our diocese

for children and youth delay starting classes until at least October 1st. At that time, instruction may begin through distance learning. He has asked that in-person classes not start before Jan. 1st. We will keep you posted as plans for our parish are developed. Our parish director of Faith Formation is Tom Baca, who may be reached at tbaca@diocesetucson.org, or leave a message for him at the Parish Office number, (520) 326-7670.



CONTRIBUTING TO ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Please make out separate checks to "St. Vincent de Paul Society." When one check is written to the parish with a note to divide the money between SVdP and the general fund, there will be a delay in the Society receiving the money, because our accountant must then issue a check to the Society.



SEPT. 19TH - 27TH

Sat.	5:00 PM	- People of the Parish
Sun.	8:30 AM	- James J. Kuliesht† - Frank Redman†
	10:30 AM	- Mae Dow† - Edward Stevens†
Wed.	8:00 AM	- Francisco Barajas, Special Intention
Thu.	8:00 AM	- Rowan & Michelle McGraw, Birthday Thanksgiving
Sat.	5:00 PM	- Salvador & Olga Lopez†† - George & Margaret Brady††
Sun.	8:30 AM	- People of the Parish
	10:30 AM	- Joe R. Garcia†



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.

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

UPCOMING RETIREMENT

Most of you know that I'm the Bulletin Editor, Parish Secretary and Receptionist. I will be retiring from paid employment at St.

Frances Cabrini Parish soon after I turn 70 on October 13th. My husband and I, who live near our church, will remain members of the parish, and I will continue to do some volunteer work in the parish office. I will remain the Bulletin Editor and do a few other tasks. However, I won't be around nearly as much in the office. Some of you, bless your hearts, always ask for me by name when you call. Soon, I may not be available. If you have not already done so, I encourage you to talk to and get to know our kind and hard-working Office Manager, Connie Bracamonte, who will be staying on. It has been a privilege to serve you for the past 25 years. I have really enjoyed how my employment here has made it possible for me to get to know so many of my fellow parish members.



— Eileen Godollei

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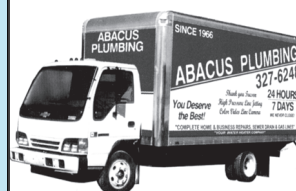


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