

St. Frances Cabrini

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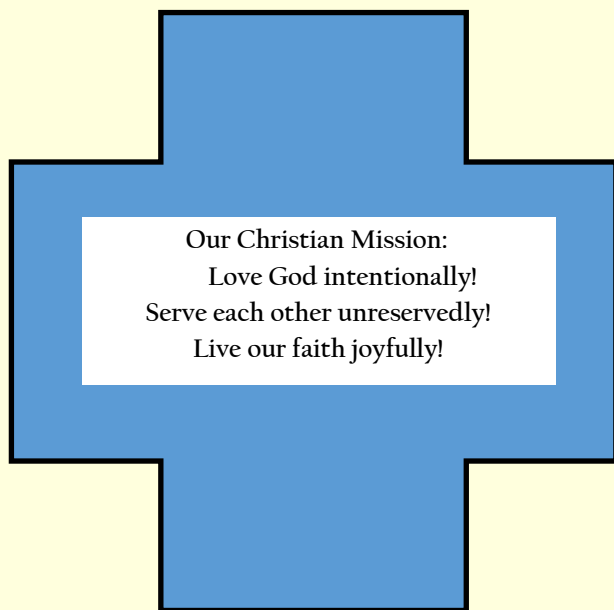
Parish Office Hours:

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.



September 27, 2020

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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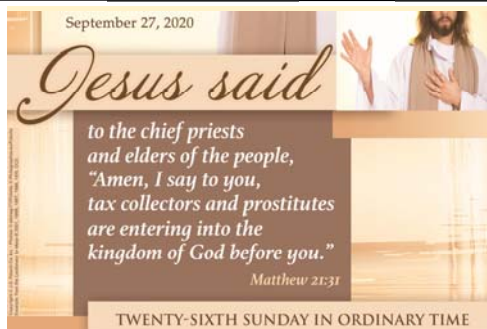
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CHANGING YOUR MIND

The readings today make it clear that to be a follower of Jesus you have to be able to change your mind.

More precisely,

we must allow God to change us, to transform our minds. For most of us, this can be really hard. This is why the readings speak so much about humility. Humility opens up our capacity to be transformed. Humility allows us to challenge our own thinking and behavior, so as to avoid self-justification on one hand, and self-denigration on the other hand.

Humility can be cultivated in the process of reflection. This might mean claiming some time to allow God into our busy days. This might mean time away, through a day of quiet or retreat.

Humility can also be cultivated in actions of service. We learn Jesus's humility by washing each other's feet. We can place other's interests ahead of our own, and relinquish our need to be in control. When we cultivate humility, we create space within us to allow God to take residence and transform us.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).

Psalm — Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).

Gospel — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a;
Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15;
Lk 9:57-62

Thursday: Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14;
Lk 10:1-12

Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10,
13-14ab; Mt 18:1-5

Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75,
91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24

Sunday: Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20; Phil 4:6-9;
Mt 21:33-43



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:**

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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.**

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 Socie-



SEPT. 26TH—OCT. 4

Sat. 5:00 PM	- Salvador & Olga Lopez††
	- George & Margaret Brady††
Sun. 8:30 AM	- People of the Parish
10:30 AM	- Joe R. Garcia†
	- Ben & Rosita Guevarra††
Wed. 8:00 AM	- St. Vincent de Paul Members, Clients and Supporters
Thu. 8:00 AM	- Bernard Sikora, Special Intention
Sat. 5:00 PM	- George Brady†
Sun. 8:30 AM	- People of the Parish
10:30 AM	- Catherine Strode

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@jspaluch.com.

ON-LINE LEARNING WITH THE JORDAN MINISTRY

An on-line workshop, "Praying with Icons of the Mother of God," will be held on Tues., Oct. 6, at 5:00 p.m. (MST). 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>.

Following her retirement from teaching Theology at Salpointe H.S. and from music ministry in our parish, Karen Brady (MRE, MEd) is now part of the Jordan Ministry. Her online series, "The Joy of Love: An Online Workshop for Catholic Couples," will begin Oct. 7th. For more information and to register, see www.JordanMinistryTeam.org.



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. For information about our parish plans, contact Tom Baca, our parish director of Faith Formation, who may be reached at tbaca@diocesetucson.org, or leave a message for him at the Parish Office number, (520) 326-7670.

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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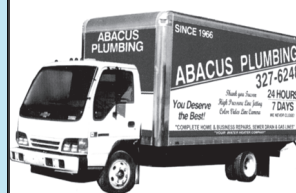


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