

# St. Frances Cabrini

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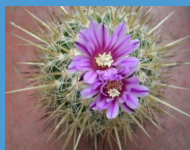
## Parish Office Hours:

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: To help keep you and our staff safer, please wear a mask if you come in person to our parish office.

Members of our St. Vincent de Paul Society are available at 881-3075 from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. on weekdays. Call that number if you need a food box or other practical assistance.



Our Christian Mission:  
Love God intentionally!  
Serve each other unreservedly!  
Live our faith joyfully!



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.

March 21, 2021  
Fifth Sunday of Lent



*Prayer  
Fasting  
Almsgiving*

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## THE NEW COVENANT

Today's first reading is an enormously important passage, not only in the history of the Jewish people, but also for us as disciples of Jesus, who see in it a foreshadowing of the Christian dispensation. The prophet announces that God has chosen to forgive the people, and that as a sign of divine forgiveness a new covenant will be established. Contrasting the new covenant with the one made with Moses on Mount Sinai, Jeremiah says that the new covenant will be written on the people's hearts rather than on tablets of stone. No longer will the community's tradition be the sole bearer of the covenant; henceforth, God will speak directly and personally to each individual, forgiving sin and calling for a return to God in faithfulness. No longer will mere outward compliance with the dictates of the Law suffice; henceforth, God asks for an obedience that springs from the depths of one's heart.

Precisely that kind of obedience is highlighted in today's second reading, where the author of the Letter to the Hebrews describes Jesus as the mediator of the new covenant

whose obedience has made him the source of salvation for all who, in turn, obey him.

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## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — I will make a new covenant; I will write my law upon their hearts (Jeremiah 31:31-34) or Ezekiel 37:12-14.

**Psalm** — Create a clean heart in me, O God (Psalm 51) or Psalm 130.

**Second Reading** — Christ learned obedience and became the source of eternal salvation (Hebrews 5:7-9) or Romans 8:8-11.

**Gospel** — If a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it produces much fruit (John 12:20-33) or John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45].

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

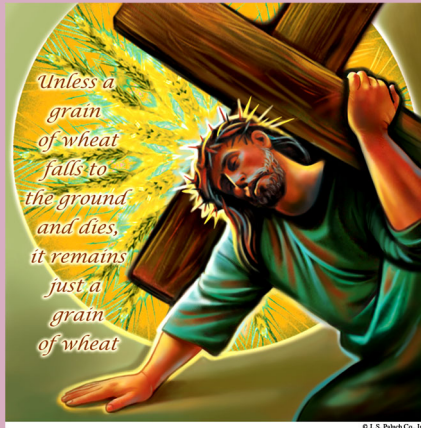
Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11  
 Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30  
 Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42  
 Thursday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
 Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42  
 Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56  
 Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]

Our Current Services

Currently, our parish has two Masses on Sundays: 8:30 a.m. (Family Mass) and 10:30 a.m. (encouraged for healthy people over 65). Face masks and social distancing are still required. Mass is in the church, but Holy Eucharist is distributed at the end of Mass on the west patio. Collection baskets for contributions are at the west doors. Fr. Martin Barnum will preside at the Masses until it is safe for Fr. Jay to do so again. **We remind you that the dispensation from the Sunday Mass obligation is still in effect in our diocese. You are urged not to go to Mass if you have underlying health conditions making you more susceptible to severe complications if you were to become ill with COVID-19, or if you are a caregiver for such a person., especially if you have not yet been vaccinated.** In addition to the Masses, our parish will continue to have the drive-through distribution of Holy Communion in the west parking lot of the church. on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. For the Communion distribution service, please enter the parking lot from the entrance closest to the Rectory on Presidio Rd., drive behind the Hall and Education Building, and from there to the northwest entrance of the church. If you roll down your window (please wear a mask if this is possible for you), Fr. Jay or another Eucharistic Minister, wearing a protective mask, will hand you the blessed hosts for as many people as are in your vehicle. On the way out through the marked exit, a volunteer will also have a basket for financial contributions. The first Sat. of each month we will also have the blue barrel for St. Vincent de Paul items available.

The parish office is still closed to the general public. If you need something from the office, please call ahead on a weekday to make sure someone is there. We will make arrangements to meet you, masked, at the door to assist you. We will be unable to invite you inside. Please do not put contributions through the mail slot if no one answers the door; the security is not reliable.

Fr. Jay sends weekly letters via email to everyone for whom we have email addresses. In addition to posting them on the parish website, we also send Father's letters and this bulletin by regular mail to those who request them. Call (520) 326-7670 and leave a message.

**2020-2021 FINANCIAL REPORT**Collection Total for 02/21/2021: \$3,950Collection Total for 02/28/2021: \$3,118

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**HELP JESUS IN DISGUISE: CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES**

The annual Catholic Relief Services collection is March 26-27. Some of the things this collection provides include aid for victims of natural disasters around the world, trauma counseling and education for children in refugee camps, and pastoral care and legal assistance to refugees and immigrants. You can donate through [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections) or the special envelope you received if you get collection envelopes through our church. The parish office also has these envelopes.

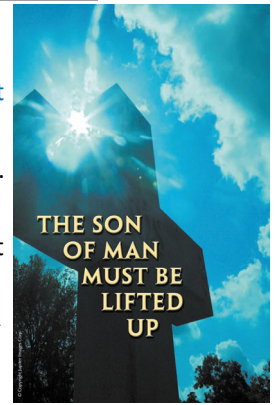
**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL:  
PERSEVERING IN HOPE**

Each year, at this time, we are encouraged to consider the needs of our Church and of the Diocese as one family in Christ. Every family in St. Frances Cabrini Parish is invited to make a gift to the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal, *Persevering in Hope*. You may receive the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Bishop Weisenburger. If not, the brochure and special contribution envelope will be available at the drive-through Communion Service. Michael will have them alongside the collection basket — just ask for an ACA packet. You can also contribute online by visiting [www.cathfnd.org/donate](http://www.cathfnd.org/donate), or you may call (520) 838-2504 or text ACA to 41444. Our parish office can also mail you the special contribution envelope upon request. On behalf of those served by the ministries, programs and services funded by the Appeal, we thank you for your prayers, support, and participation in the ACA. Our own parish received a grant in 2020.

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**Online Retreat:**

March 27, "Lift High the Cross: A Retreat for Holy Week," offered via Zoom by the Jordan Ministry at 9:00 a.m. Pacific Time. Cost \$18. To be sent the required link, please register on or before March 26, at [www.jordanministryteam.org/upcoming\\_events](http://www.jordanministryteam.org/upcoming_events). Questions? Call the Jordan Ministry Team at (520) 623-2563.

**Catholic Singles Community Retreat**

Are you a young (21-40) Catholic single person? Join us for our Spring retreat! It's a day of reflection, devotion, and fellowship at Mt. Claret Retreat Center, at the base of beautiful Camelback Mountain in Phoenix. The retreat will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Sat., April 10th. Early bird registration (before March 31) is \$35, the cost after March 31 is \$45. This covers food and retreat activities. Register at [cscarizona.org](http://cscarizona.org). For more information, you may contact Yovana Portillo at [azhikeryogirunner@gmail.com](mailto:azhikeryogirunner@gmail.com).

**MAR. 20TH- 28TH**

Sat.	5:00 PM	- Catherine Julia Hare O'Brien†
Sun.	8:30 AM	- People of the Parish
Sun.	10:30 AM	- Randy & Michelle Clark, Special Intention - Jane Finerson, First Anniversary in Heaven†
Wed.	8:00 AM	- Seminarians of Our Diocese
Thurs.	8:00 AM	- All Wounded Veterans
Sat.	5:00 PM	- Salvador & Olga Lopez†† - Francisco Javier Escalante†
Sun.	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	- People of the Parish - Jane Finerson† - Margaret Mahoney†



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Fr. Martin Barnum will preside at the Sunday Masses. Fr. Jay Jensen will say the other Masses in private. We invite you also to pray for the people for whom the above Masses are offered.



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