St. Frances Cabrini

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Welcome to our Parish Community!

Parish Office: 520-326-7670 | Fax 520-881-8480 Web Site www.cabrinitucson.org

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: If you are not yet fully vaccinated, 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!



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

is now offered in our parish once a month. This will normally be on the first Friday of the month. The time for the Adoration will be from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Please feel free to invite your friends to come and share in this worship.



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.

August 1, 2021 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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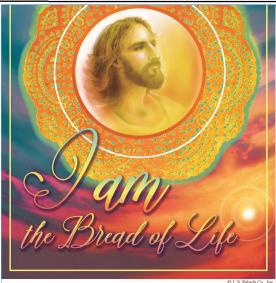
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You may reach or leave a message for all of the above members of the staff at (520) 326-7670.



THE BREAD OF LIFE

Today's
Gospel has
the crowd
asking Jesus
three questions. First,
"When did
you get
here," to
which Jesus
responds by
rebuking

them for their failure to grasp his miracle as a "sign," an occasion to put faith in him. Their second question about accomplishing the "works of God" has Jesus respond that faith is the "work" that God wishes. Many scholars believe this is John's answer to the faith-works dichotomy emerging in the early Christian community. Faith is the work of God in the believer, John would have us understand. The third question asked by the crowd is a request for a "sign" that would allow them to put faith in Jesus, as the manna in the desert allowed the Israelites to put faith in the Lord God. Jesus

answers by revealing himself as the "bread of life" that "comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The people of Israel receive bread from heaven in response to their grumbling

(Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15).

Psalm — The Lord gave them bread from heaven (Psalm 78).

Second Reading — Put on the new self that has been created in God's way (Ephesians 4:17, 20-24).

Gospel — I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger (John 6:24-35).

MASS SCHEDULE

Tues., Wed., Thurs.,

Fri. and Sat. Masses 8:00 a.m.

Sat. anticipatory Mass

(meets Sun. Mass obligation) 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Please note that protocols are different at the 5:00 Saturday and the Sunday Masses.

At the <u>5:00 Saturday Mass</u>, we will continue to require face masks and social distancing of at least six feet for those not of the same household. Therefore, this Mass is suitable for those who wish to continue to observe these safety precautions.

The Bishop has asked all parishes to have one Mass where safety precautions are still observed. Therefore, if you come to this Mass, <u>please</u> do not make other people uncomfortable by refusing to follow the protocols for this Mass. You will not be asked to follow these precautions at the other Masses.

Those who are fully vaccinated and wish to attend one of the <u>two Sunday Masses</u> will no longer be required to wear face masks or observe the six-foot social distancing requirement. If you will feel more comfortable continuing to wear a mask at Sunday Mass, however, you are welcome to do so.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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: Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;

2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10

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

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30 — 5:2;

Jn 6:41-51

2020-2021 FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection Total for 07/04/2021: \$5574
Collection Total for 07/11/2021: \$1618
Collection Total for 07/18/2021: \$3711
Collection Total for 07/25/2021: \$2395

THE BLUE BARRELS used to collect non-perishable food and basic hygiene and cleaning products for our St. Vincent de Paul Society to give to people in need will be at church exits after each Mass on the first



weekend of each month. If you can, please buy an extra few cans or packages of basic foods (like cans of beans or tuna, rice. peanut butter, cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, etc.) or maybe a package of toilet paper, or dish or laundry detergent, or some bath soap, to bring with you to church for those in need.

DO YOU MISS CAFÉ JUSTO?

While the friendly volunteers are not selling it on the church patio or breezeway right now, you can still get some delicious, fairly traded Just Coffee! It's organically grown in Chiapas, Mexico by a cooperative of farming families. Call Kristi at (520) 250-4619 or Mary at (520) 907-8144 to make safe arrangements..

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

It is time for our 4th annual school supply drive. Cabrini parishioners are always so kind to the students in our neighborhood. We were unable to collect supplies last year, but the 2019 drive was an amazing success. We took supplies to 1 middle school and 3 elementary schools in our area. Mary Lou said it was heartwarming when she was privileged to see some of the students get their new supplies. If you can, please buy a few school supplies when shopping to help the students in our neighborhood who are in need. They could use pencils, pens, colored pencils, markers, crayons, folders, binders, note-

books, and backpacks. Boxes will be in the church to collect the donations from now through Aug. 22nd. Questions? Call Mary Lou at 488-3213.



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



JULY 31ST-AUG. STH

Sat. 5:00 PM - People of the Parish
Sun. 8:30 AM - Francisco Javier Escalante†
10:30 AM - Adeline Verelst-Bellens, in
Thanksgiving for Healing

Tues. 8:00 AM - Adeline Verelst-Bellens, in Thanksgiving for Healing

Wed. 8:00 AM - A Private Intention
Thurs. 8:00 AM - Judy Beaver and Mariah,
in Thanksgiving

Fri. 8:00 AM - Francisco J. Barajas And Family

Sat. 8:00 AM - The Souls in Purgatory

Sat. 5:00 PM - Seminarians of Our Diocese Sun. 8:30 AM - People of the Parish

10:30 AM - Ivan Sauber†



CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

- Middle and High School Students -

If you are interested in studying about our Catholic Church and your part in our church, classes for Confirmation will begin on Aug. 22, 2021. Mary Lou and Janice will be teaching the classes. We will meet in Room 8 after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Letters/ Registration Forms have been mailed to students who attended Religious Education Classes last year. If you are new to the parish, or you have a friend interested in studying to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, call Janice at (520) 906-6104 or Mary Lou at (520) 488-3213.

ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY MISSALS AVAILABLE IN OFFICE

Would you like to have the prayers in the Order of the Mass, as well as the Scripture readings for each Sunday Mass, in front of you when you go to Mass, or available to read ahead of time? We still have quite a few of the 2020-2021 St. Joseph Sunday Missals (Year B) available in the parish office for \$3.00 each.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION is available on Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:45 p.m., as well as by appointment with Fr. Bala.



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