

Saint Frances Cabrini Parish

*There are no strangers here –
only friends we haven't met.*

Rev. Lieu Vu

Pastor

Rev. Eddie Obero

Parochial Vicar

Additional Clergy

Rev. Paul Soukup, S.J.

Rev. Paul Goda, S.J.

Rev. Terence Davis



SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Infant Baptism

Parents must be registered in the parish a minimum of 3 months prior to taking the baptismal preparation class. Contact the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Please contact the Parish Office if you are baptized in the Catholic Church and seeking confirmation as an adult, or are considering or desiring to become Catholic and are baptized in another Christian church or are not baptized and are 7 years of age or older.

Marriage

Couples must contact the Priest they wish to witness the Sacrament at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage. Contact the Parish Office.

Sacraments to the Sick and Homebound

To request Anointing of the Sick or Holy Communion at home, hospital, or convalescent facility, contact the Parish Office.

RECONCILIATION

(Confession)

Saturday: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Saint Frances Cabrini Parish

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408 879-1120 www.sfcabrini.org

Email: parish_office@sfcabrini.org



WELCOME

We welcome you to the Saint Frances Cabrini Parish Community. If you have not done so, you are invited to register by completing a registration form which can be found in the literature rack, on the back of this bulletin or you may come to the Parish Office. In order to be considered an active member of the Parish, you must be registered.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 8:30 a.m.

5:00 p.m. Vigil (Life Teen Mass)

6:45 p.m. Vietnamese Language

Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m.

Please consider

Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of San Jose

Call us to make pre-need or time-of-need arrangements

Gate of Heaven 650-428-3730

22555 Cristo Rey Dr Los Altos CA 94024

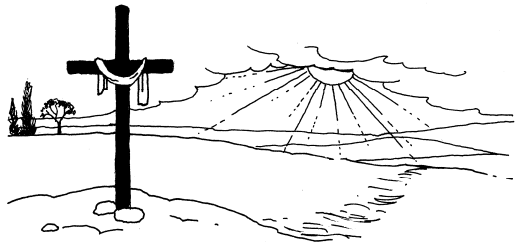
Calvary 408-258-2940

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

April 1, 2012

*Christ Jesus humbled himself,
becoming obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.*

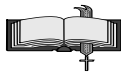
— *Philippians 2:8*

Parish Office 879-1120 / Fax: 377-3587
 Mon–Fri, 9–Noon, 1–4 p.m.
 Sylvia Bennett - Secretary
 Jean O'Connell - Receptionist / Facilities Coordinator
 Stephanie Rivera - Bookkeeper (Mondays Only)
 call 879-1129

School Office / School days, 7:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
 Ph: 377-6545 Fax: 377-8491
 Gail Cirone - School Principal
 Chris Siegfried - School Vice Principal
 Connie Tomasello - Receptionist

Religious Ed / K-12: Rel. Ed. Classes have begun.
 The Rel. Ed office is open on Wednesdays and or by
 appointment. Please call 377-2111

Readings for This Week



Mon: Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11
Tues: Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wed: Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25
Thurs: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21 Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
Fri: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42
Sat: a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; d) Is 54:5-14; e) Is 55:1-11; f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Mk 16:1-7
Sun: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118; Col 3:1-4



Mass Intentions March 31st to April 8th

SAT 8:30a.m. Chuck Feifarek †
 5:00p.m. Herbert and Joan Kaye †
SUN 8:00a.m. Deceased and Living Members of ICF
 9:30a.m. People of the Parish
 11:30a.m. Terry Vane †
MON 8:30a.m. Gus Janson †
TUES 8:30a.m. Chuck Feifarek †
WED 8:30a.m. Santa Moran †
THUR 8:30a.m. Priest's Intentions
FRI 8:30a.m. Priest's Intentions
SAT 8:30a.m. Priest's Intentions
 5:00p.m. Priest's Intentions
SUN 8:00a.m. Priest's Intentions
 9:30a.m. People of the Parish
 11:30a.m. Priest's Intentions

PALM SUNDAY



We celebrate the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. Jesus is greeted by hundreds of people who wave palm branches and shout "Hosanna to the Son of David, blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord." We receive the palm at church to take home and to place in a significant area in order to remind us of this celebration and that we celebrate Jesus as our Savior.

HERE COMES THE HOLY WEEK! As we begin the Holy Week with this Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion and continue through the Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil), we celebrate the mystery of our faith. The liturgies of Holy Week embody our Catholic heritage, witness to the significance of our tradition and enrich our lives. Please have the schedule of the Holy Week on hand and consider inviting someone to join us this year. Your prayerful presence is welcomed and needed. Let each one invite one.

THE HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	TIME
Saturday	March 31 st , 2012	5:00 p.m. Palm Sunday Vigil
Palm Sunday	April 1 st , 2012	8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.
Holy Monday	April 2 nd , 2012	8:30 a.m.
Holy Tuesday	April 3 rd , 2012	8:30 a.m.
Holy Wednesday	April 4 th , 2012	8:30 a.m.
Holy Thursday	April 5 th , 2012	10:30 a.m. (school service), 6:00 p.m.
Good Friday	April 6 th , 2012	12:00 Noon – 3:00 p.m.
Holy Saturday	April 7 th , 2012	8:00 p. Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday	April 8 th , 2012	8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

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Cont'd from Pastor's Column

I want to express my deepest gratitude and appreciation to Mr. Bob Bombacci who is the Chairman of the Lenten Soup Night. I also want to express my appreciation to all groups who prepared delicious soup: Men's Club, the Ladies League, the Mexican Catholic Organization (MCO), the Parent Teacher Group (PTG), School Advisory Council (SAC), Parish Council, Stewardship Committee, the Assyrian Catholic Group, and the Italian Catholic Federation (ICF). Thanks again for all your hard work and thanks to all the participants and for the generosity of your donations. Your donations will be sent to the mission.

May our loving God bless you and your family for all your continued support to St. Frances Cabrini Parish **WHERE CHRIST EMBRACES ALL!**

Fr. Lieu Vu



April 2nd to April 8th

The Rosary is recited daily following the 8:30am Mass and on Tuesday evenings at 6:15p

There will be no events, meetings, etc., during Holy Week.

MON	Holy Week
TUE	Holy Week
7:00p	RCIA - PC/LR
WED	Holy Week
THU	Holy Week
FRI	Triduum
SAT	Triduum
SUN	Triduum

Altar Society: April 6th, 7th

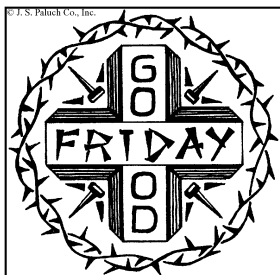
Carmel Forte 264-5811 / Joan Palmtag 266-5748

"WATCH SPECIAL HOLY WEEK AND EASTER PROGRAMMING ON EWTN -

Join EWTN in remembering Christ's love for us through His Passion, Death, and Resurrection. During Holy Week and Easter, EWTN brings you special programming and live Easter Masses from Rome and the Basilica of the National Shrine in Washington, D.C. For more information, please visit www.ewtn.com.

Special Collection / Today

There will be a special collection for SFC School today.



Please see next week's bulletin for the collection numbers. Thank you.



2012 ADA

The 2012 Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA) is here. Each year Bishop Patrick McGrath and your parish ask for your support for the ministries and services of the Diocese through the ADA, such as, Youth and Young Adult Ministry, the Institute for Leadership in Ministry, Vocation, Education, Social Ministries, and Stewardship and Development. Together, we are able to reach so many more in need than our parish could ever reach alone.

You should have received the ADA information in the mail. Please take the time to look through the brochure at the services, programs and ministries of our Diocese, the many people that are served through this joining of resources and the wonderful generosity that has been shared.



Take a fresh look at your Marriage.

Consider making a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. It is a unique approach aimed at revitalizing Christian Marriage. Re-examine your married lifestyle and your priorities and rediscover the newly-weds you once were. The next local Catholic Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: June 8-10, 2012 (Mountain View). For more information or to register, please visit our website at: <http://sanjose.wwme12.org> or contact Thomas & Sandy Pavick, 408 262-4061 or Email: gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although the procession with palms has an unforgettable grip on our imagination, the real emphasis of this day's liturgy is contained in its name: The Sunday of the Lord's Passion. Since 1955, the old custom of a blessing of palms with procession of the people has marked the entry of the Church into a time so rich that it is called "Holy Week." The center of today's liturgy, however, is the solemn reading of the Passion, this year taken from Mark's Gospel. Our community is to be transformed by its celebration of Easter, and so this week everything is made new. Soon, the bishop will celebrate the "Chrism Mass" when the holy oils for the sacraments will be completely replenished and blessed, and transported from the cathedral to every parish. Easter is the first Sunday after the first full moon of springtime. Be on the lookout later this week for this "paschal" moon, rising in the east at the precise moment the sun sets in the west. Imagine: a day when there is not a single moment when the earth is not bathed in light from the heavens. We are on the threshold of the three great days (Triduum): Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, beginning at sunset on Thursday when the parish gathers in response to the Lord's command: "Do this in memory of me."

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Let Us Pray for our parishioners who are homebound, sick, recovering, or are confined to rest homes, that Jesus be their strength and comfort. This week we especially pray for **Kenna Stuck, Michael Pezzaniti, Paul Yllana, Pam McLoughlin, Fran Whitney, John Salamida, Carrie Madrid.** Please keep them and their families in your prayers. To place a name on this list (for 4 weeks), contact the Parish Office at 879-1122. You may also write the names in the Book of the Sick, next to Mary's shrine.



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Monday: Monday of Holy Week

Tuesday: Tuesday of Holy Week

Wednesday: Wednesday of Holy Week

Thursday: Holy Thursday; The Sacred Paschal Triduum

Friday: Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday); Fast and Abstinence

Saturday: The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night; Holy Saturday; Passover begins

TODAY'S READINGS

Gospel at the Procession with Palms — Jesus' entry into Jerusalem (Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16).

First Reading — In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame (Isaiah 50:4-7).

Psalms — My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Psalm 22).

Second Reading — Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation (Philippians 2:6-11).

Gospel — The account of Christ's passion according to Mark (Mark 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]).

Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997,



Our St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry needs your help! As you shop for your own family, please keep the needy and working poor in mind. We are in particular need of **jams, jellies, pasta sauce, canned corn, canned beans, canned soups, Top Ramen, dry goods, non perishables, etc.** Thank you for your support! It is greatly appreciated!

Our church will be so beautiful!

Volunteers are needed on Saturday, April 7th, in the church at 10am to help decorate the church with flowers in Preparation for Easter Season.



Religious Education &

On March 18th the St. Joseph Cathedral-Basilica in downtown San Jose was filled with hundreds of Girl scouts, Brownies, Camp Fire scouts, Daisy scouts, Cub scouts, Webelos, Boy scouts, Venturer scouts and their parents. This annual prayer service is sponsored by the DSJ Catholic Committee on Scouting, Chairperson Ann Resch. This year's Religious Recognition Ceremony, entitled "Tell the Good News", was presided by Monsignor Fran Cilia, and Con-celebrated with Rev. Paul Soukup and Rev. Peter Loi Huynh.

The excitement was all about these Catholic scouts who earned religious medals this past year by studying their Catholic faith. The music was performed by the Donnelly Family and Niamh Murphy. The GSA donated all the Girl scout cookies for the reception. This year's ceremony was dedicated in memoriam to Wayne Resch and Jack Kusters, two long-time dedicated Scouters who contributed much to the Boy Scouts of America over the past many decades.

The GSA "Spirit Alive" program helps high school girls grow in their awareness of the Holy Spirit through sacred Scripture. This award was earned by Erin Donnelly. The BSA "Light of Christ" program helps Cub scouts develop a personal relationship with Jesus. This award was earned by Joshua Burpee, Douglas Loia, and Christopher Donnelly. The Parvuli Dei (Children of God) program is to help young Cub scouts explore the presence of God in their daily lives as members of their families and by contributing to the parish community. This award was earned by Alex Cala, Paul Contas, and Angelo Resayo. The counselors who received recognition certificates were Kristen Burpee, Lisa Cala, Jennifer Donnelly and Joan Schenck. There will be counselor training for all awards on Monday, May 14, 2012 from 7-9pm at the Girl Scout Office located at 1310 S. Bascom Avenue. Next year's awards ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, March 10, 2013 at 3pm at the Basilica. For details see Mrs. Schenck, DSJ-BSA Committee member at Jschenck@sfc.school.org

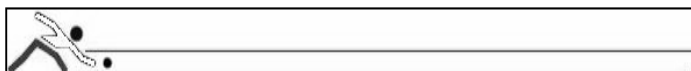
Don't Forget To Visit Our Library!

We invite you to visit the Library after Mass. For us to be informed Catholics, it is important to continue our education in our faith in order to be able to answer questions from others about our faith and our church. There are many books available in the library for both adults and children. Check out a book or tape anytime. Come on in, take a look, Enjoy!



BOCCE COURT

Planning a birthday or anniversary? Do you know someone who is making plans for a First Communion, Confirmation, Graduation, Wedding or baby shower? The Bocce court is the ideal location for any of these gatherings. For more information or to make reservations contact Betty Antuzzi 408-559-4268 or Aldine Grisenti 408-559-1242.



Parish Ministries and Contacts

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Society	
Sally Konopacky	371-8540
Altar Servers	
Joan Schenck	377-6545 ext. 3051
Eucharistic Ministers & Liturgy Committee	
Fr. Lieu.....	879-1122
Lectors	
Edith Gallant	371-9629
Ushers	
Dick Hawkins	879-1122
Home Ministries	
Grace Rivero.....	265-1380
11:30am Choir	
Maria Sarmiento.....	281-2407

Spiritual Enrichment

Adoration Chapel	
Barry & Charlotte LeMay	379-6510
Evening Bible Study	
Dave & Sue Keller	879-1122
Legion of Mary	
Sally Konopacky	371-8540
Library	
Fran Whitney	879-1122
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)	
Nadine Mackey	356-6429
Director of Religious Education & Youth Ministry	
Joan Schenck	377-2111
Franciscan Order / Secular	
Joanne Dobrzynski.....	960-4142

Administration

Finance Council Chair	
Jennifer Nickolas.....	879-1122
Scheduling of Facilities	
Jean O'Connell.....	879-1122
Bookkeeper	
Stephanie Rivera (Mondays only).....	879-1129
Parish Council	
Chair, John Dahl.....	879-9158

Parish Life

Bingo	
Joe Roulin	266-6982
ICF Bocce Ball	
Betty Antuzzi	559-4268 - Aldine Grisenti.....559-1242
Hospitality/coffee & donuts	
Kathleen Sundaram	391-6211
Italian Catholic Federation	
Joe Medoro	674-6255
Knights of Columbus	
Carl Mack	267-7414
Men's Club	
President - Mike Campbell.....	813-6902
Secretary - Thomas Knapp.....	910-4951
Mexican Catholic Organization	
Alicia Gonzales	857-0523
Serra Club/Vocational Awareness	
Art Swain	269-2589
St. Vincent de Paul	
Parish Office.....	879-1122
Ladies League	
Jennifer Avila / Pres.	858-9362
Fiesta	
Dave Citrigno.....	667-1737
Stewardship Committee	
John Dahl	879-9158
Prayer Shawl Ministry	
Rebecca Valverde.....	723-1030

St. Frances Cabrini Parish School

Principal	
Gail Cirone	377-6545 ext. 3003
Vice Principal	
Chris Siegfried.....	377-6545, ext. 3005
School Office	
Connie Tomasello.	377-6545, ext. 3001
Activities Director	
Helen Gengras	377-6545, ext. 3038
School Development Director	
Theresa Matson.	377-6545, ext. 3046
School Advisory Council	
Ron Johnson, President.....	206-5069
Parent Teacher Group	
Debbie Casey.....	209-9297

Welcome to St. Frances Cabrini Church

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We are pleased that you have chosen to worship with us. If you wish to register, please fill in the information below and drop this form into the collection basket. A registration form will be mailed to you.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

If you are coming to St. Frances Cabrini Church on a regular basis, we encourage you to register in the parish and become active in one of our ministries. Anyone over 18 years of age who wants to be considered a member of the Parish must register.