

# *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**  
15333 Woodard Road San José, California 95124  
408 879-1120 [www.sfcabrini.org](http://www.sfcabrini.org)  
Email: [parish\\_office@sfcabrini.org](mailto: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.**

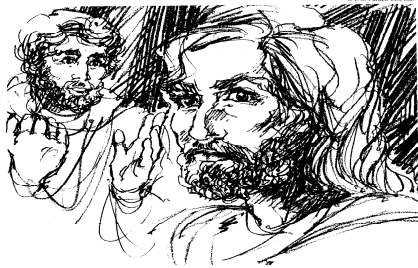
## **MASS SCHEDULE**

**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  
2655A Madden Ave San Jose CA 95116

**Saint Frances Cabrini School**  
15325 Woodard Road San José, California 95124  
408 377-6545 [www.sfcschool.org](http://www.sfcschool.org)



Jesus rebuked Peter: "Get behind me, Satan!"

## Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 16, 2012

*The Lord GOD is my help,  
therefore I am not disgraced.*

— Isaiah 50:7

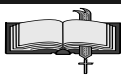
**Parish Office** 879-1120 / Fax: 377-3587  
Mon–Fri, 9–Noon, 1–4 p.m.  
Sylvia Bennett - Secretary  
Jean O'Connell - Receptionist / Facilities Coordinator  
Stephanie Rivera - Bookkeeper (Mondays Only)  
call 879-1129

**School Office** / School days, 7:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Ph: 377-6545 Fax: 377-8491  
Jane Daigle - School Principal  
Amy Corral - School Vice Principal  
Connie Tomasello - Receptionist

**Religious Ed / K-12:** The Rel. Ed office is closed for the Summer; opening again on Sept. 4th. Joan Schenck, Religious Ed. 377-2111

### Readings for This Week



**Mon:** 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10

**Tues:** 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Lk 7:11-17

**Wed:** 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Lk 7:31-35

**Thurs:** 1 Cor 15:1-11; Luke 7:36-50

**Fri:** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13

**Sat:** 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15

**Sun:** Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54; Jas 3:16 — 4:3;  
Mk 9:30-37



### Mass Intentions Sept. 15th to Sept. 23rd

SAT	8:30a.m. Marie Lonsbury † 5:00p.m. Anna Durante †
SUN	8:00a.m. Norma Rose † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Nancy Hester †
MON	8:30a.m. Vito Durante †
TUES	8:30a.m. Bev Roberts †
WED	8:30a.m. Rick Tonry †
THUR	8:30a.m. Pasquale Maresca †
FRI	8:30a.m. Marian Schillage †
SAT	8:30a.m. Monique LeMay, Birthday 5:00p.m. Larry Scaglione, Spec. Int.
SUN	8:00a.m. Paul Morillo † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Concepcion Palao †



### THE CHRIST

Jesus asks his disciples, as we hear it from this weekend's Gospel (Mk. 8:27-35), "Who do you say that I am?" Jesus makes sure his disciples understand and know who he is. Peter responds, "You are the Christ." As the Christ, he must accept the cross and die for the world, and he encourages his disciples to take up their cross if they want to follow him. Although taking up one's cross can mean accepting life's pains and disappointments, Jesus promises whoever saves his life will lose it and whoever gives his life for him and for the Gospel will save it. Are you ready to give yourself to Jesus Christ?

The November General Election is fast approaching; as Catholics it is imperative that we prepare ourselves to form our consciences and vote. The California Catholic Conference (CCC) has prepared online resource kits especially designed for use in this fall's election. Those kits are posted on the CCC's website at [www.cacatholic.org](http://www.cacatholic.org) Election 2012. I encourage you to visit the CCC's website.

**FIESTA!** Please save the dates, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> for our 56<sup>th</sup> Parish Annual Fiesta. Come with your family and friends to this wonderful community gathering together as we celebrate who we are as the family of St. Frances Cabrini Parish. There will be a lot of food, games, entertainments and much more. Come and have a good time!

Do you know that you can support the parish on line? You can do so through the Parish-Pay by going to <https://www.parishpay.com>, or by calling toll free, (866) 727-4741. A representative will be happy to assist you in continuing your much appreciated support to St. Frances Cabrini Parish.

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

Fr. Lieu Vu

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

MON	3:30p	Little Flowers - PC/LR/DR
	7:00p	Boy Scout Troop 266 - KH
TUE	9:00a	Perpetual Help Devotion - CH
	10:45a	Women's Bible Study - PC/DR
	5:30p	Finance Council Mtg. - PC/DR
	7:00p	Parish Council Mtg. - PC/DR
	7:00p	RCIA - PC/LR
WED	7:00p	Choir Practice - CH
THU	1:30p	Legion of Mary - PC/LR
	6:00p	Bocce Ball - Bocce Ball Court
	7:00p	Cub Scout Comm. Mtg. - PC/GR
	7:00p	Evening Bible Study - PC/DR
	7:00p	Music Ministry Practice - CH
FRI	6:30p	BINGO - PH (doors open at 5pm)
	6:30p	Life Teen Youth Ministry - PC
	6:30p	Assyrian Community gathering - PC
SAT	10:00a	Ministry to the Sick / Quarterly Mtg. - PC/DR
SUN		---

Altar Society: Sept. 21, 22

Telly Bayuga 356-4915 / Sally Konopacky 371-8540

**There will be a Special Collection for Catholic Education today.**

### 40 Days for Life

You are invited to take part in the San Jose 40 Days for Life effort from September 26<sup>th</sup> to November 4<sup>th</sup>. 40 Days for Life is composed of 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. **Join us on September 17<sup>th</sup> at a Special Mass celebrated by Bishop Thomas Daly at St. Christopher Parish at 7pm.** A reception with Bishop Daly will follow Mass. **Join us on September 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am at St. Leo's Parish, 88 Race Street, San Jose for procession to Planned Parenthood Abortion Clinic for a prayer service.** To get more information or to volunteer to help, contact Pat at 408-497-7270 or visit [www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose](http://www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose)

All are welcome!

### COLLECTIONS REPORT 9.9.12

Fiscal Year 7/1/12— 6/30/13

	<u>Last week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Collection	\$10,612	\$116,828

*Thank you for your generosity and support.*

## FIESTA!

It's that time of year again! St. Frances Cabrini's 56th Annual Fiesta is just around the corner. Save the dates of **October 5th, 6th and 7th**. Last year was a great success and we can't wait for you to see what is in store this year. We will have the **Silicon Valley House Rockers** on Friday night, the Groove Kings on Saturday night and our very own Steve Crooks of **Doezn't Matter** on Sunday. Our food booths, rides and games will be ready to provide a 3 days and to evenings of enjoyment, so please come over and enjoy the fellowship this event thrives on. We will be looking for you at the Fiesta! If you have a little time, talent or treasure you would want to give at Fiesta this year - just give us a call. We could always use the help.

## IT'S ALL ABOUT CONTROL

From toddlerhood to old age, we grow in mastery of our own lives, our bodies, and our destiny. This mastery is hard won, and we don't let go of autonomy easily. Much of this self-mastery involves the avoidance of pain or discomfort, so when we hear things like "take up your cross" and "lose your life," we tend to resist the message.

James says that faith without works is dead. Ouch! That is really a direct message! One way to look at this, as well as the part about losing our life to find it, is that faith is a process of more and more openness to God's direction of our lives. It is very hard for us to give up control, but perhaps what we are being asked to do is not to become passive and babyish, but to allow God to direct where our self-mastery will lead and what it will accomplish. We are asked to relinquish the need to control the results of our efforts; to risk, as Jesus did, the loss of everything we are working to achieve. We are asked to let God take the lead and to control the results, even though we may never see those results.

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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 **Simon Shaughnessy, Fr. Paul Goda, Michael Tully, Sr. Maureen Hilliard, John Stoffer, Shirley Corbari,**

**Jovita Follo, Frank Basuino, Jerry Book.** Please keep them and their families in your prayers. To place a name on this list (for 5 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.

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## Spiritual Care Giving at SCVMC:

### “Listening with the Ears of Your Heart”

is the healing mission of the Spiritual Care Givers at **Santa Clara Valley Medical Center**. If you feel a desire to be a Listening Presence to the ill, and if you can commit to twenty hours of training to discern if God is calling you here and now to volunteer, please call the Spiritual Care Warm Line at 408/885-6996 or email Chaplain Barbara Zahner at [Barbara.Zahner@hhs.sccgov.org](mailto:Barbara.Zahner@hhs.sccgov.org). Our Fall training will be held Thursdays, September 27th -November 8th from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at SCVMC, 751 S. Bascom Avenue, San Jose 95128.



**RCIA SPONSORS NEEDED** The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a program that allows interested individuals an opportunity to examine the Catholic faith in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere. The people on this faith journey need a fellow traveler to be a support and presence during the process.

St. Augustine referred to the Church as a community of "Christians begetting Christians." In the early days, the Church was dependent on the witness of every member. Welcoming new Catholics was not only the responsibility of the clergy, but belonged with the entire community of the faithful. Today the RCIA gives each person in our parish the opportunity to share the gift of his/her faith with someone who is seeking to know God through our Church. Please consider sharing your time, talent and experience of God's love by becoming a sponsor. Please Call Nadine at 356-6429 for further information.

**Married Couples:** Getting ready for school means lots of time spent helping your children prepare to do their very best. After school begins, why not give yourselves some time together to make your marriage it's very best? Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next local Catholic Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: **Oct 12-14, 2012 (Mountain View)**. For more information or to register, please visit our website at: [www.rekindleyourmarriage.org](http://www.rekindleyourmarriage.org) or contact Thomas & Sandy Pavick, 408 262-4061 or Email: [gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net).

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## 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.



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## Religious Education &

Welcome back to the Religious Education new school year 2012-2013. We are excited to have you join us, and if you are a newly registered parish family, welcome to our SFC parish community! We will begin the year with the annual required **"Back To School Night"** for **Rel.Ed. K-6** families on **Wednesday, October 3, 2012** opening prayer and meeting in the church at **5:00pm**. All parents must be prepared to stay for the special announcements and new calendar handouts so that we start out the year together **"Where Christ Embraces All"**. The teachers will then lead the students to their classrooms and get to know you and the children in order to get off to a great start! Please let your teacher know any information, such as nicknames, allergies, etc.

**Grades 7-12 will meet for "Back To School Night" in Room 8B at 6:15pm** for opening prayer, announcements and handouts. All parents please be prepared to stay, especially for the Sacrament of Confirmation Updates, the calendar and more.

All families are required to donate their precious Time, Talent and Treasure for at least two hours per child during the school year. Help is especially needed for this year's annual **Fiesta in the Rel.Ed. Soda & Water Booth**. Call our office at 377-2111 and give your name and phone number to sign up. Grades 7-12 need service hours so consider signing up to work with your teen. Registration fee is again only \$125.00 per family, per year, the lowest in the Diocese. Save the date, Wed, Nov. 14, 2012 for the annual required "Safe Environment" interactive talk by Mrs. Katy Meister at 5:00pm for grades K-6 and at 6:15pm for grades 7-12.

Thank you for allowing us to partner with you for your child's faith formation development. Our teacher/catechists are eager to share the Word of the Lord, and to assist you in passing on our Catholic Traditions to your children. See you at **9:30 Mass this Sunday, Sept. 16th** for the annual blessing of the catechists on **Catechetical Sunday**. In Christ's peace, Mrs. Joan Schenck, [DRE Jschenck@sfc.school.org](mailto:DRE Jschenck@sfc.school.org)



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## 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! **We are currently looking for volunteers to help in the library. Please call 879-1122.**

# Parish Ministries and Contacts

## Liturgical Ministries

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

## Spiritual Enrichment

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

## Administration

<b>Finance Council Chair</b>	
Sean Cook.....	879-1122
<b>Scheduling of Facilities</b>	
Jean O'Connell.....	879-1122
<b>Bookkeeper</b>	
Stephanie Rivera (Mondays only).....	879-1129
<b>Parish Council</b>	
Chair, John Dahl.....	879-9158

## Parish Life

<b>Bingo</b>	
Joe Roulin .....	266-6982
<b>ICF Bocce Ball</b>	
Betty Antuzzi .....	559-4268 - Aldine Grisenti.....559-1242
<b>Hospitality/coffee &amp; donuts</b>	
Kathleen Sundaram .....	391-6211
<b>Italian Catholic Federation</b>	
Joe Medoro .....	674-6255
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	
Carl Mack .....	267-7414
<b>Men's Club</b>	
President - Steve Catching.....	691-1267
Secretary - Thomas Schwartz.....	506-1401
<b>Mexican Catholic Organization</b>	
Alicia Gonzales .....	857-0523
<b>Serra Club/Vocational Awareness</b>	
Art Swain .....	269-2589
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	
Parish Office.....	879-1122
<b>Ladies League</b>	
Jennifer Avila / Pres. ....	858-9362
<b>Fiesta</b>	
Dave Citrigno.....	667-1737
<b>Stewardship Committee</b>	
John Dahl .....	879-9158
<b>Prayer Shawl Ministry</b>	
Rebecca Valverde.....	723-1030

## St. Frances Cabrini Parish School

<b>Principal</b>	
Jane Daigle .....	377-6545 ext. 3003
<b>Vice Principal</b>	
Chris Siegfried.....	377-6545, ext 3005
Amy Corral / Resource.....	377-6545, ext 3005
<b>School Office</b>	
Connie Tomasello.....	377-6545, ext. 3001
<b>Activities Director</b>	
Helen Gengras.....	377-6545, ext. 3038
<b>School Development Director</b>	
Theresa Matson .....	377-6545, ext. 3046
<b>School Advisory Council</b>	
Ron Johnson, President.....	206-5069
<b>Parent Teacher Group</b>	
Debbie Casey.....	209-9297
Maila Figone, Pres. ....	287-8720

### 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.