

# *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.



## **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)



## Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 9, 2011

*I can do all things in him who strengthens me.*

— *Philippians 4:13*

**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



### THE EUCHARIST I

For the past weeks I have shared with you the first part of the Mass: Greetings, Penitential Rite, the Gloria, the Liturgy of the Word, the Creed and Petitions. For the next few weeks, I want to share with you the second part of the Mass: the Liturgy of Eucharist.

Jesus chose the time of Passover to give His disciples His Body and Blood in the Eucharist. In Luke’s Gospel we read that “when the day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread arrived, the day for sacrificing the Passover lamb, He sent out Peter and John, instructing them, ‘Go and make preparations for us to eat the Passover.’” (Lk. 22:7-8). By celebrating the Last Supper with His Apostles in the course of the Passover meal, Jesus gave the Jewish Passover its definitive meaning. Indeed, at the Last Supper, Our Lord anticipated His own “passing over” to His Father by His death and Resurrection.

This “new Passover” of the Lord, which fulfills the Jewish Passover, is today celebrated in the Eucharist – the Mass. So, when we celebrate Mass, we remember the first Passover, when our Israelite ancestors were freed from slavery in Egypt; we commemorate Jesus’ new Passover, by which we were redeemed from our own slavery to sin; and we look forward to the final Passover of the Church at the end of time, when Jesus will come again in glory, and when all the elect will be seated at the heavenly banquet in the kingdom of God.

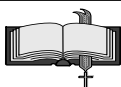
Today, you and I celebrate the Eucharist because Jesus at the Last Supper commanded us, “Do this in memory of me” (Lk. 22:19c; 1 Cor. 11:24-25) until He comes again at the end of time. From the very beginning, the Church has been faithful to the Lord’s command. We read in the Acts of the Apostles that “they devoted themselves to the Apostles’ teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers . . . day by day attending the temple together and breaking bread in the homes” (Act. 2:42, 46a).

It was on “the first day of the week,” Sunday, the day of Jesus’ Resurrection, that the early Christians met “to break bread.” From that time on, and down to our own day, the celebration of the Eucharist – the Mass – has been continued, so that today we encounter it everywhere in the Church with the same fundamental structure. The Mass remains the source and summit of the Church’s life, and of our own. **The Mass: A.D. 33– present!**

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

Fr. Lieu Vu

### Readings for This Week



**Mon:** Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32

**Tues:** Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41

**Wed:** Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46

**Thurs:** Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54

**Fri:** Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7

**Sat:** Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12

**Sun:** Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21



### Mass Intentions

Oct. 8th to Oct. 16th

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| SAT  | 8:30a.m. Stephen Keller †<br>5:00p.m. Francisco Veloso †   |
| SUN  | 8:00a.m. Leslia and Victor De Leon †<br>9:30a.m. People of the Parish<br>11:30a.m. Fouad Akiel † |
| MON  | 8:30a.m. Patrick Lynch †   |
| TUES | 8:30a.m. Stephen Keller †  |
| WED  | 8:30a.m. Mary Ford, Spec. Int.   |
| THUR | 8:30a.m. Scott Harris †  |
| FRI  | 8:30a.m. Gladys Powell †   |
| SAT  | 8:30a.m. Special Intention<br>5:00p.m. Connie Cortez †   |
| SUN  | 8:00a.m. Conception Pallao †<br>9:30a.m. People of the Parish<br>11:30a.m. Don Carlson †         |

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

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| MON | 7:00p  | Boy Scouts - KH                                      |
|     | 7:00p  | Men's Club Rosary / Dinner - CH/EH                   |
| TUE | 9:00a  | Perpetual Help Devotion - CH                         |
|     | 10:45a | Women's Bible Study - PC/DR                          |
|     | 6:00p  | Liturgy Comm. Mtg. - PC/DR                           |
|     | 7:00p  | RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults - PC/LR |
|     | 7:30p  | 5:00pm Mass Music Min. Practice - CH                 |
| WED | 5:00p  | Rel. Ed. Grades K to 6                               |
|     | 6:15p  | Rel. Ed. Grades 7 to 12th                            |
|     | 7:00p  | Choir Practice - CH                                  |
| THU | 10:00a | Prayer Shawl Ministry - PC/LR                        |
|     | 1:30p  | Legion of Mary - PC/LR                               |
|     | 6:00p  | Bocce Ball   |
|     | 7:00p  | Bible Study - PC/DR                                  |
|     | 7:00p  | Music Ministry - CH                                  |
|     | 7:00p  | Ladies League - KH/K                                 |
| FRI | 12:00p | Grandparents Day - PH                                |
|     | 5:00p  | BINGO - PH   |
| SAT | 12:30p | Sacred Heart Fraternity                              |
| SUN | 6:30p  | LifeTeen Youth Ministry - PC                         |

**Altar Society: Oct 14th, 15th**

Mary Warp 264-1590 / Mary Rosseto 377-3488

SFC School will be hosting an Open House for prospective parents on Thursday, October 27th from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the gym. If you would like to request a private tour of the school or have questions, visit our website at [www.sfcschool.org](http://www.sfcschool.org). or call 377-6545.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION Next Week**

There will be a special collection next week for World Mission Sunday. The offerings that will be collected on World Mission Sunday are destined for a common fund of Solidarity distributed in the Pope's name by the Society for the Propagation of the Faith among the missions and missionaries of the world.

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**COLLECTIONS REPORT 10/2/11**

**Fiscal Year 7/1/11— 6/30/12**

|            | Last Week | Year-to-date |
|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Collection | \$11,850  | \$151,208    |
| SFC School | 1,762     |              |

**Thank you for your generosity and support.**

**GOD REVEALED TO THE NATIONS**

What wonderful images we have today of the reign of God! Isaiah speaks to us of a great feast—a heavenly feast—a feast of abundance with rich foods and choice wines. It is the Lord's own affair, Isaiah explains, when God will unite all nations, dry every tear, and destroy death forever. Then, too, will the entire earth rejoice in the Lord and bask in God's saving grace.

Jesus speaks of heaven in terms of a feast as well. Here, the kingdom of heaven is likened to a king's wedding feast given for his son. This is a feast of abundance also, with the fattened cattle prepared just so. But many of the people invited don't want to come, so the king invites anyone who would honor his son by their presence there. And Paul tells us that whether we live abundantly or in humble circumstances, we can do all things in the Lord who strengthens us.

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**BIBLICAL DEVOTION**


Let sleep find you holding your Bible, and when your head nods let it be resting on a sacred page.

—St. Jerome

**Married Couples:** It has been said that the greatest gift you can give your children is two parents very much in love with each other. Polish up this gift and put a bow on it at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. You deserve the best and your children need to see you reaching for it. The next local Catholic **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: Nov 18-20, 2011 (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](mailto:gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net).

**SFC Ladies League**

Please join the Ladies League for their October Witches Hat meeting, Thursday, October 13th at 7:00 pm in Kelley Hall. We will be collecting new or gently used Halloween costumes that we will be donating to a local children's shelter. Get in the spirit and put on your favorite witches hat and come join us for some appetizers, refreshments and great friends! For more information please visit our website at [www.sfcladiesleague.com](http://www.sfcladiesleague.com).



**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 **Sally Konopacky, Anna Taormina, Pat Cougill, Maria Paula**. Please them and their family 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.



## Blessing of the Animals

St. Frances Cabrini is built on tradition; so with that in mind, we will be holding our Annual Blessing of the Animals on Saturday, **October 15th, after the 8:30am** Mass across from the church in front of the school. We welcome your precious pets so that they may be blessed and under the protection of St. Frances of Assisi for another year!

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### OPEN HOUSE

SAINT FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL - Located at 1885 Miramonte Avenue, Mountain View, has an annual Open House on Sunday, October 23, 2011 for students and parents. You are welcome to attend any time between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Please join us when it is most convenient and you do not need to register to attend.

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### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time;

National Children's Day

Monday: Canadian Thanksgiving Day; Columbus Day

Thursday: Sukkot (Jewish harvest festival) begins at sunset

Friday: St. Callistus I

Saturday: St. Teresa of Jesus

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### Italian Catholic Federation Branch #191

#### Presents

Hill Billy-Rock Wine-Fest

Wine Tasting Dinner Dance

St. Frances Cabrini Church - Essig Hall

15333 Woodard Road, San Jose

**Saturday, October 22, 2011**

**6 - 11:30pm (Dinner @7:15pm) Wine Tasting 6-7pm**

Menu

Steak, Salad, Veggies, Beans, rolls, Coffee, Wine & Dessert

NO HOST BAR Music by: Gino Popolizio / Top DJ

Door Prize Raffle

50-50 Raffle from 6-7pm (Benefits Lunches for the poor @ SFC)

Donation: Adults \$30

Reservation Deadline - October 12, 2011

For more information call: Aldine Grisenti 559-1242

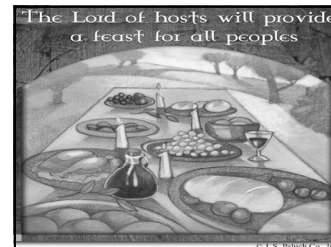
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**Young Adult Fall Retreat Oct. 21-22, 2011** (6pm Fri-6pm Sat) with the Dominican Sisters of MSJ, Fremont, CA. For Men & Women ages 21-40 Theme: Transformation. We will examine the idea of transformation, risk, and reconciliation -- with God and others. Presenter: Sister Maryann Cantlon, CSJ. Free Will Offering. RSVP by October 17 at [blessings@msjdominicans.org](mailto:blessings@msjdominicans.org). Bless you and thank you so very much, Sister Frances Mary Pierson, OP Administrative Assistant Vocation Team 510-933-6335 SEND YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS TO: [requestprayers@msjdominicans.org](mailto:requestprayers@msjdominicans.org)

## Religious Education &

The Religious Education Program has officially started on Wednesday evenings. We welcome you back and welcome all our new families! Thank you to all the families who have registered their children and started classes on October 5th. If you have not registered your child(ren) for ongoing catechism, please do so immediately. **Registration for all classes, Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, and RCIC Baptism for Easter 2012 will close within the next two weeks.** There is much for the children to learn about our Catholic faith. We thank you for blessing our catechetical team to partner with you to teach the Word of the Lord and Catholic Traditions.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday, April 28th, 2012; First Reconciliation will be during Lent, and First Eucharist will be celebrated on Sunday, May 20th. Any questions— please call Religious Education Office at 377-2111 or e-mail Joan at [Jschenck@sfcschool.org](mailto:Jschenck@sfcschool.org)



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### RCIA of St. Frances Cabrini

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process of education and spiritual formation. The Saint Frances Cabrini Parish RCIA team welcomes those inquiring into the Catholic Christian faith as well as those adults who desire to receive the Sacraments of Initiation. Christian Initiation is a beautiful process that merges the work already begun in you with the life of the Church. The sessions include an informal inquiry period and are held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Center living room beginning in the fall. Please contact Nadine Mackey at 356-6429 to sign up or gain more information.

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### SFC Men's Club

SFC Men! Come join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month at 7pm in Essig Hall for great fellowship, food, drinks, and celebration of our Catholic Faith. SFC Men's Club is open to current and former SFC School Dads and parishioners alike, and we perform many volunteer projects and fundraisers, that better our community, school, and parish, while having a lot of fun. Our next SFC Men's Club meeting is at 7pm in Essig Hall on October 10th, 2011. Please contact Thomas Knapp for membership information at: 408-910-4951.

# 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> |                    |
| Bob Dodds .....                                      | 377-9725           |
| <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>                           |          |
| Barbara Mastrini .....                                      | 272-4074 |

## Administration

|                                       |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| <b>Finance Council Chair</b>          |          |
| Jennifer Nickolas .....               | 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 Hopkins .....             | 371-4651 |

## Parish Life

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| <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>     |   |
| Emily Corral .....                     | 723-2377                                |
| <b>Knights of Columbus</b>             |   |
| Norb Heinen .....                      | 371-1992                                |
| <b>Men's Club</b>                      |   |
| President - Mike Campbell .....        | 813-6902                                |
| Secretary - Thomas Knapp .....         | 910-4951                                |
| <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

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|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Principal</b>                   |                     |
| Gail Cirone .....                  | 377-6545 ext. 3003  |
| <b>Vice Principal</b>              |                     |
| Chris Siegfried .....              | 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>     |                     |
| Ryan Mills, President .....        | 242-6085            |
| <b>Parent Teacher Group</b>        |                     |
| 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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