

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

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

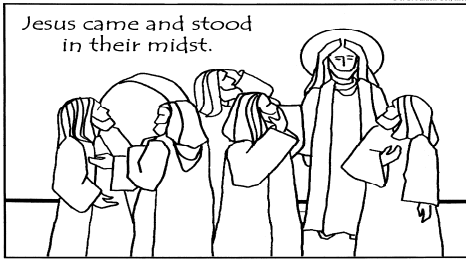
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408 377-6545 www.sfcschool.org

Jesus came and stood
in their midst.



Second Sunday of Easter (or of Divine Mercy)

April 15, 2012

*Who indeed is the victor over the world
but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?*

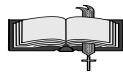
— 1 John 5:5

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: Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tues: Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15

Wed: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

Thurs: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

Fri: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

Sat: Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Sun: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk
24:35-48



Mass Intentions April 14th to April 22nd

SAT	8:30a.m. Robert Dodds † 5:00p.m. Bob Dodds †
SUN	8:00a.m. Robert Dodds † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Charles Sanchez, In Gratitude
MON	8:30a.m. Roel Ceniza †
TUES	8:30a.m. Chuck Feifarek †
WED	8:30a.m. Bob Dodds †
THUR	8:30a.m. Joyce Lynch †
FRI	8:30a.m. Jane Ross, Birthday
SAT	8:30a.m. Robert Dodds † 5:00p.m. Rose Cefalu †
SUN	8:00a.m. Robert Dodds † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Bill Vermillion †



DIVINE MERCY

Pope John Paul II, on the occasion of the canonization of Sr. Faustina on April 30, 2000, declared that from then on throughout the Universal Catholic Church the Second Sunday of Easter will be known as Divine Mercy Sunday, the Feast of Mercy. On this Divine Mercy Sunday, the Sunday after the Easter Sunday, we are reminded that Jesus told St. Faustina: **the total forgiveness of sins and punishment is granted for anyone who goes to Confession and receives Holy Communion on this feast.** I want to encourage everyone to use this feast as an opportunity to return to the practice of our Catholic faith!

Congratulations! We welcomed 20 people through either the waters of baptism or reception into the Catholic Church through the sacrament of Confirmation at the Easter Vigil. We thank the many Catechists, members of the RCIA Team and Sponsors, who have devoted their time and effort to help in the sacramental formation.

St. Frances Cabrini Parish wishes to thank the Assyrian Catholic community for their recent generosity to the parish with a donation of \$5,000.00 to the church roof fund. May the Risen Christ bless all members of the Assyrian Catholic community at St. Frances Cabrini Parish.

Thank You! You brought the Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA) campaign to its successful conclusion before Easter Sunday with 109% of our goal. I want to express my deepest gratitude to John Dahl, Chairman of the ADA, Patricia Boorn, Sylvia Bennett and many others who have coordinated this campaign so well that we have a successful conclusion. I especially want to **THANK YOU** for your generous support and contribution bringing our goal to its success. If you still want to make a pledge to the ADA, you can do so. Whatever you would give to the ADA from now on would be added to our Church Roof Fund. I encourage and invite you to do so, because we need money to replace our church roof soon.

May the peace of the Risen Christ reign in your hearts and in your homes; may the Blessed Virgin Mary pray for you and your loved ones; and may St. Joseph protect you and your family always. Many thanks 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	3:00p	Little Flowers - PC/LR
	6:30p	Boy Scouts - KH
TUE	9:00a	Perpetual Help Devotion - CH
	10:45a	Women's Bible Study - PC/DR
	2:00p	SVdP Comm. Mtg. - PC/DR
	2:00p	Brownies Troop - KH
	5:30p	Finance Council Mtg. - PC/DR
	7:00p	RCIA - PC/LR
	7:00p	Parish Council Mtg. - PC/DR
	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 12
	7:00p	Choir Practice - CH
THU	3:15p	Girl Scouts TP 60149 - KH
	1:30p	Legion of Mary - PC/LR
	3:00p	Brownie Troop 160 - School
	7:00p	Evening Bible Study - PC/DR
	7:00p	Cub Scout Mtg.-PC/GR
FRI	5:00p	BINGO - PH
SAT	12:30p	Sacred Heart Fraternity - PC/LR
	6:30p	Life Teen Youth Ministry - PC

Altar Society: April 13th, 14th

Khalid Family 313-6553

Reminder!

If you are the head of an organization and have not received an email with an attachment: "Request for Facilities Form" for events, mtgs. to be scheduled (June 2012 to May 2013), please contact Jean in the Parish Office at 879-1122.

Special Collection / Next Week

There will be a special collection for Catholic Home Missions. The Catholic Home Missions Appeal works to support home mission dioceses in the United States by supporting seminarian formation in poor dioceses. Often home mission priests and lay ministers require special training to attend to the unique needs of their faith communities. Your support is necessary for the success of these and other projects. Please help strengthen the Church at home through your generosity to this Appeal

**COLLECTIONS REPORT
Fiscal Year 7/1/11— 6/30/12**

Collection 3.25.12	<u>\$11,449</u>	
School 4.1.12	<u>\$1,863</u>	
Collection 4.1.12	<u>\$14,127</u>	
Holy Thursday	<u>\$939.</u>	
Good Friday	<u>\$2,246.</u>	
Collection 4.8.12 (Easter Sunday)	<u>\$27,601</u>	<u>\$488,150</u>

Thank you for your generosity and support.



Scripture says about married people that **"Two shall live as one"**. How often do you find yourselves living as two? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you get back to basics in this complicated day and age. The next local Catholic Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: Jun 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.

Widowed, Separated and Divorced Weekend

May 18 - 20, 2012 at The Jesuit Center of Los Altos. For information and a brochure contact John Ferreira at 650-692-4337 or go to SJBeginExp@aol.com or www.beginningexperience.org

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today was once called in Latin "*Dominica in albis*," or "Sunday in White," because the church was full of newly baptized Christians wearing their white baptismal garments. Another old title, best forgotten, is "Low Sunday." There's nothing low about this festive Sunday in Easter, the eighth day since the first "Alleluia" rang out. In Christian tradition, the number eight is a symbol of fulfillment, transition, breaking through the seven-day rhythm of life to a new way of being. That is why many baptismal fonts have eight sides. The greatest feasts of our calendar are always extended for eight days, called an "octave." In a way, this means that this first week of Easter is really considered to be one great day. This octave day of Easter sees the best features of Easter still vibrant: joyful alleluias, lush spring flowers everywhere, sprinkling with water, and a lavish table where the Lord gives us himself as bread and wine.

For Orthodox Christians, today is the Easter feast, since their tradition requires that the Christian Passover cannot begin until the days of the Jewish Passover are ended.

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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 **Kathy Yamamoto, Kenna Stuck**. 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.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

We welcome the SFC school children (male or female) to participate in helping make hats, scarves, fingerless gloves, and even head bands for next year's event.

We welcome you to give us a call and place your request for someone that will benefit from a shawl. It is a beautiful gesture in demonstrating your love, and support for them from SFC. The blessing of the shawls occurs on the third Sunday of the month at the 8:00am Mass. Please call or email Rebecca Valverde for your request. We look forward to hearing from you. Contact Rebecca at alegrereb@comcast.net or 408-723-1030. Please go to sfcabrini.org/ministries/organizations to see these women and their joyful work in action!



Volunteers are needed at **2012 Cambrian Relay for Life** at Union Middle School, Friday April 27th and Saturday April 28th. To see when volunteers are needed and sign up for a shift, visit the volunteer website at <http://cambrianrelayforlife.com/volunteer>

cambrianrelayforlife.com/volunteer

If you have any questions, please email volunteer@cambrianrelayforlife.com

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The community of believers was of one heart and mind (Acts 4:32-35).

Psalm — Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting (Psalm 118).

Second Reading — Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is begotten by God (1 John 5:1-6).

Gospel — The risen Christ comes to his disciples with peace and the Spirit. (John 20:19-31).

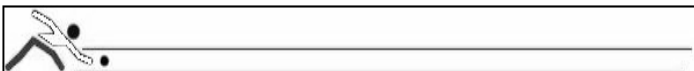
NO THEORY

Let your religion so be less of a theory and more of a love affair.

—G. K. Chesterton

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.



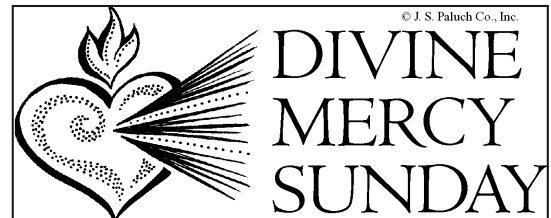
Religious Education &



On Saturday April 7th at the beautiful Easter Vigil Mass six students in our RCIC program were welcomed into the church by Father Lieu, Fr. Paul Soukup, Fr. Eddie Obero, and Deacon Harry Collins. They were from SFC school and Religious Education as follows: Natalie Palmisano, Martin Saxe, Daniella Sparry, Hagan Prestinario, Kayla DuBois, and Nicholas Hogue. I would like to take this opportunity to thank their parents, God parents, and extended families for helping them along their journey.

An extra special thank you to Mrs. Donna Tkach who always assists me and goes way beyond in catechizing the youth of our parish and families in the Baptismal classes. I would also like to thank Pam Mullen, Nadine Mackey, and Maria Sarmiento for the beautiful music and for the organizing of the Rite of Christian Initiation celebrated by our esteemed clergy. I am blessed to be a part of the Easter Vigil celebration.

A gentle reminder that the Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Sat. April 28th at the 5PM Life Teen Mass, and to look at the Confirmation memo calendar for all due dates. Questions? Call me at 377-6545 x3051 or e-mail me Jschenck@sfcpschool.org Happy Easter Season, Mrs. Schenck



DOUBT

The desire to be able to prove the existence of a divinity has troubled humanity since human consciousness first became aware of the divine. To this very day we are fond of saying that any number of things—from sunsets to hot fudge sundaes—are “proof that there is a God.” We get so caught up in the story of “doubting Thomas” that we fail to notice that today's Gospel gives us John's account of Pentecost, the bestowing of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples following the Resurrection. Thomas, evidently, missed out not only on seeing the Risen Christ, but receiving the Holy Spirit as well. This is not to be taken lightly and, perhaps, makes Thomas' disbelief a bit easier to comprehend. It also makes his professing that Jesus is his Lord and God—the only time the New Testament explicitly refers to Jesus Christ as “God”—more remarkable.

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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 - Steve Catching.....	691-1267
Secretary - Thomas Schwartz.....	506-1401
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.