

# 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.**

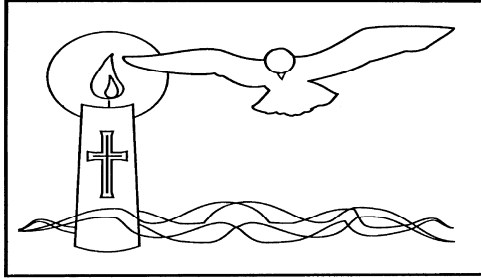
## MASS SCHEDULE

**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)



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## The Ascension of the Lord May 20, 2012

*Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved.*

— Mark 16:16

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



### CABRINI FAMILY DAY

We come together to enjoy our Annual Parish Family Picnic Day on Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>. The fun begins right after the 11:30 a.m. Mass with music, games and foods for everyone. So, come with your family and friends to appreciate our fellowship at St. Frances Cabrini Parish. I am grateful to the Parish Council, Ladies League, Men's Club and many others who organize this day for the whole community in order to have fun and fellowship.

Congratulations to our children, their parents and families, their teachers (both parish school and religious education program) and friends. Our eighty children are receiving Holy Communion for the first time this Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at all Sunday Masses. The entire Cabrini Parish Family is blessed as these children now join us at the altar to be nourished by the Eucharist of the Lord Jesus Christ.

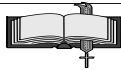
Do you know that you can support the parish on line? You can do so through the Parish-Pay by going to <https://www.parishpay.com>, or by calling toll free, (866) 727-4741. A representative will be happy to assist you in continuing your much appreciated support to St. Frances Cabrini Parish.

Do you also know that we are saving money to replace our church roof? You can contribute to this saving so that we will have enough money to replace our current church roof which is 49 years old. Please indicate "Church Roof" on your donation. Thank You!

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

Fr. Lieu Vu

### Readings for This Week



- Mon:** Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33
- Tues:** Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11a
- Wed:** Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19
- Thurs:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26
- Fri:** Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19
- Sat:** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn 21:20-25
- Sun:** Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b
- Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13



### Mass Intentions May 19th to May 27th

SAT	8:30a.m. Mother's Day Novena 5:00p.m. Michael J. Welch †
SUN	8:00a.m. Mother's Day Novena 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Robert Dodds †
MON	8:30a.m. Mother's Day Novena
TUES	8:30a.m. Roel Ceniza †
WED	8:30a.m. Amelia Reyes Castillo †
THUR	8:30a.m. Cora Gochuico †
FRI	8:30a.m. Heather Ocampo †
SAT	8:30a.m. Abbot David † 5:00p.m. Frank Hernandez †
SUN	8:00a.m. Paul Morillo † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Bob Dodds †



May 21st to May 27th

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

MON	3:00p	Little Flowers - PC/DR/LR
	7:00p	Boy Scouts - KH
TUE	9:00a	Perpetual Help Devotion - CH
	10:45a	Women's Bible Study - PC/DR
	5:00p	RCIA Pot Luck - PC/DR/K
	7:00p	RCIA - PC/LR
	7:30p	5:00pm Mass Music Min. Practice - CH
WED	6:30p	ICF Dinner Mtg. - EH/K
	7:00p	Choir Practice - CH
THU	1:30p	Legion of Mary - PC/LR
	6:30p	Stewardship Mtg. - GR
	7:00p	Evening Bible Study - PC/DR
	7:00p	Music Ministry Practice - CH
FRI	6:30p	BINGO - PH (doors open at 5pm)
SAT		-----
SUN		-----

Altar Society: May 25th, 26th

Nadine Buswell 356-8670 / Arden Russell 559-8374

The Feast of Ascension of the Lord will be celebrated this weekend.

### Special Collection / Catholic Communication Campaign / Next Week

In 2011, the CCC funded the Virtual World Youth Day pilgrimage, a web-based project that allowed thousands to share in the celebration of World Youth Day in Madrid by registering online, creating a personal "avatar" and following the five-day event through links to video, news feed and other resources.

Fifty percent of the collection stays in the local (arch) diocese to support local communication efforts. To learn more about what the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign supports nationally, visit [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) (search "Catholic Communication Campaign Resources").

### Special Collection / Today

There will be a Special Collection for the Feast of the Ascension today, May 20th

### COLLECTIONS REPORT 5/13/2012 Fiscal Year 7/1/11— 6/30/12

Collection	\$11,638	\$541,822
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Thank you for your generosity and support.

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, May 28th, in observance of the Memorial Day Weekend.

### St Frances Cabrini Pro-Life Group / Culture of Life Group

The goal of our group is to recognize, respect, and promote the dignity of every human being from conception to natural death. Every person is created in the image and likeness of God. Every person is created for a special purpose in life. By using the talents God gave each of us and cooperating with the graces God so freely offers us, we can accomplish much for Him. Over the next few weeks I ask you to pray and to ponder if God is calling you to join our ministry. This invitation to join us is made during the month of May, the month we celebrate motherhood. Our sign up campaign, accepting your response, will be in June, the month we celebrate fatherhood. Thank you and God bless you.


Contact Joann Allegretti at 408-268-5542.

### THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ASCENSION

The theological unity, or perhaps even the temporal experience of the early community, made it seem that Jesus' resurrection and his ascension were inseparable aspects of a single mystery. Only in the later writings of Luke and John has further theological reflection helped the Christian community to distinguish different dimensions of the mystery. Liturgical tradition has followed the forty-day chronology formulated by Luke. We would miss the point, however, if we were to demand a precise historical chronology of events such as the Resurrection-Ascension that are primarily spiritual in nature and that clearly surpass the bounds of time and space as we know them.

What is important for us to grasp is the significance of the Ascension. For Luke, it is the decisive turning point that marks the end of Jesus' earthly ministry and the beginning of the disciples' Spirit-led ministry and thus the ministry of the whole church down to our own day.

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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 **Mina Bella, Msgr. John Coleman, Alice Hitzfield, Jack La Rosa, Audrey Dodds, John Young, Alice Singer, Amelita Cu, Cindy Anastagio, Rosa Tardavian, Bev Roberts, Michael McLellan, Jean Dahl, My Nguyen, Martino Dominguez, Romina Benjamin, Hector Baca.** *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.

**Mother's Day Novena Cards** are available on the Gift Table behind the last pew in the church or on the counter in the parish office.

### Box Tops for Education

You can help raise money for our SFC school by clipping the pink Box Tops off many products that you purchase from the grocery store and dropping them off at the school office. Each one is worth 10¢ when our school redeems them from the Box Tops for Education program. We have already raised \$1000 this school year. For more info. on the program, log onto [www.btf.com](http://www.btf.com) or contact Chris Weitz, 408-410-7802 or email: [sihrcz@yahoo.com](mailto:sihrcz@yahoo.com).



### Scholarship Award

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS! The Knights Of Columbus Bishop O'Dowd Council 3474 is now accepting scholarship applications. Applicants must be high school seniors and be a member of one of the six parishes that the council serves. This (1) \$500.00 Award is presented to an outstanding individual selected from the applications received. The criteria for the selection is based on financial need, Grade Point Average, and extra curricular activities including those with church and community. **THE DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS JUNE 1, 2012.** Contact Chris Strathmeyer at [strathc@att.net](mailto:strathc@att.net) for more information and an application.

### LITTLE THINGS

Faithfulness in little things is a big thing.

—St. John Chrysostom



**A Get-Away Weekend!** Give yourself and your spouse time away from the pressures of work and everyday responsibilities. Enjoy a chance to reconnect to that special someone who loves you! Enrich your relationship by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. 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 P a v i c k , 4 0 8 2 6 2 - 4 0 6 1 o r Email: [gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net).



**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! The need is always there. On average, SVdP's volunteers give out 30 to 40 bags every two weeks!

### Religious Education &

I wish to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who contributed to making First Holy Communion at three Liturgy celebrations so holy and joyous: Fr. Lieu Vu, Fr. Eddie Obero, Fr. Paul Soukup, liturgical ministers, music ministers, musicians, and altar servers. My appreciation is also extended for the love and guidance from parents, Godparents, teachers and aides, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Figlia, Mrs. Blanz, Mrs. Ducote, Mrs. Allegretti, Mrs. Tkach and home schooling by Mrs. Donnelly, Mrs. Hardy and Mrs. Conlin. The communicants have prepared so well for this special day in their young faith formation years. Our SFC community welcomes you to the Table of the Lord. Come often, for God will sustain you on your journey. Religious education classes are now over for the summer. We happily await all of our first communicants' registering for third grade when we begin registration again the first week in September. The first day of classes in the Religious Ed program will be on Wednesday, October 3, 2012 at 5pm in the church for opening prayer. There is much to learn of our rich Catholic Faith and Traditions for God's children K-12. Thank you for partnering with us in this Faith Formation, as the families are the first teachers of the Faith. Mrs. Schenck

### Your Time and Talent is needed for this year's Fiesta at St. Frances Cabrini

I am looking for volunteers for this year's Fiesta. There are several key spots to be filled: **Food Chair, Asst Food Chair, Food booth Chair ( 2), Committee Volunteers.** I will be able to help with getting you familiar with the jobs and helping along the way. This will be Saint Frances Cabrini's 55<sup>th</sup> Fiesta. Last year we brought in over \$54,000! This money helps both the school and the Parish. To continue this success I am asking for your help. If you are a school parent this is one way of getting your hours. If you are a Parishioner, this is a great way to help your community with your Time and Talent.

Thank you in advance for your help,

David Citrigno

Fiesta Chair

[dpcitrigno@aol.com](mailto:dpcitrigno@aol.com) 408-559-4995 cell 667-1737

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Radio Station 1260 AM**

# 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>	
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 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>	
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>	
Ron Johnson, President.....	206-5069
<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: \_\_\_\_\_

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.