

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

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

2655A Madden Ave San Jose CA 95116

Saint Frances Cabrini School

15325 Woodard Road San José, California 95124

408 377-6545 www.sfcschool.org



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*Have in you the same attitude
that is also in Christ Jesus.*

— *Philippians 2:5*

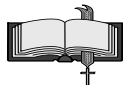
Parish Office 879-1120 / Fax: 377-3587
Mon–Fri, 9–Noon, 1–4 p.m.
Sylvia Bennett - Secretary
Jean O'Connell - Receptionist / Facilities Coordinator
Stephanie Rivera - Bookkeeper (Mondays Only)
call 879-1129

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: The Religious Education office is open for Registrations as of Sept. 6th and Classes begin Oct. 5th, 2011. Open on Wednesdays and by appointments.

Readings for This Week



Mon: Zec 8:1-8; Lk 9:46-50
Tues: Zec 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56
Wed: Neh 2:1-8; Lk 9:57-62
Thurs: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Jn 1:47-51
Fri: Bar 1:15-22; Lk 10:13-16
Sat: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24
Sun: Is 5:1-7; Ps 80; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43



Mass Intentions Sept. 24th to Oct. 2nd

SAT	8:30a.m. Rose Marie Del Chiaro † 5:00p.m. Irma Velosco †
SUN	8:00a.m. Guillermo Echavia † 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Michael Miller †
MON	8:30a.m. Joesph Abbeduto †
TUES	8:30a.m. Julian Cheater, Spec. Int.
WED	8:30a.m. Patricia Galletto †
THUR	8:30a.m. Rosario (Ross) Bucalo †
FRI	8:30a.m. Skip Seiler †
SAT	8:30a.m. Joan Venus † 5:00p.m. Norm Traverso †
SUN	8:00a.m. Deceased Members of ICF 9:30a.m. People of the Parish 11:30a.m. Howard Seiwert †



THE CREED 1

Beginning on Sunday, November 27th, the First Sunday of Advent, when we recite the Creed, the Profession of Faith (the Nicene Creed), instead of saying **"We believe"** as in the current translation, we will begin by saying **"I believe."** The change from the plural to the singular was made because the original Latin text of the new Roman Missal uses the singular (Credo)—perhaps because the Creed came into the Mass from the Baptismal Rite, where the one being baptized made an individual profession of faith. Thus, the use of the singular, then, can serve to remind us of our Baptism; and each individual in the liturgical assembly professes his or her own faith, which is joined together to the profession of the whole assembly, the Church.

We also recite the Creed as a response to the Word of God just proclaimed in the readings from Sacred Scripture and explained in the homily. We call to mind and confess the great mysteries of our faith immediately before these mysteries are celebrated in the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

Other changes to the wording of the Creed and the full text of the new translation will be printed and discussed in next week's bulletin.

FIESTA! Please save the dates on the weekend of October 7th – 9th for our Parish 55th 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, carnival rides, entertainments and much more. Come and have a good time!

You are invited to join our newly-formed St. Frances Cabrini Pro-Life Group. As the Blessed John Paul said, "Life, especially human life, belongs to God; for this reason whoever attacks human life, in some way attacks God Himself." For more information, please contact Joann Allegretti at (408) 268-5542 or (408) 472-5169.

Do you know that you can support the parish on line? You can do so through the Parish-Pay by going to <https://www.parihpay.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	3:00p	Little Flowers, PC/LR/DR
	7:00p	Boy Scouts - KH
	7:00p	Men's Club Sports - EH
TUE	9:00a	Perpetual Help Devotion - CH
	7:00p	RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults - PC
	7:30p	5:00pm Mass Music Min. Practice - CH
WED	7:00p	Choir Practice - CH
THU	1:30p	Legion of Mary - PC/LR
	6:00p	Bocce Ball
	7:00p	Bible Study - PC/DR
	7:00p	Music Ministry - CH
	7:30p	ICF Dinner Mtg. - KH
FRI	5:00p	BINGO - (doors open at 5pm) - EH
SAT	6:30p	LifeTeen Youth Ministry - PC
	7:00a	Fiesta Set-Up of booths in parking lot
	6:30p	LifeTeen Youth Ministry - PC
SUN		-----

Altar Society: Sept. 30th, Oct 1st

Ruth Guevara 323-8634
Amy Corall 445-9745

Are you listening?
Tune into 1260 AM - Catholic Radio

DONATIONS

To ensure that you will receive proper credit for your weekly donations, please write your name (if not pre-printed on the envelopes) and the monetary amount **clearly** on your contribution envelopes. Your contributions are posted to your account from the envelopes.



Special Collection for SFC Parish School / Next Week

There will be a special collection for the school next week. The tuition charged by the parish school does not actually cover the full cost of educating a student. The school relies on your generous donations to help supplement these costs. *Thank you kindly for your support.*

COLLECTIONS REPORT 9/18/11
Fiscal Year 7/1/11— 6/30/12

	Last Week	Year-to-date
Collection	<u>\$10,092</u>	<u>\$129,175</u>
Catholic Charities	<u>\$1,426</u>	

Thank you for your generosity and support.

FEAST OF FAITH - The Lord's Prayer

The Eucharistic Prayer ends with the great "Amen," the acclamation of assent by the assembly. Then the Communion rite begins with the Lord's Prayer. We pray this prayer in many contexts, both inside and outside the Church's liturgy. Here, in the context of the Mass, the Lord's Prayer is profoundly eucharistic. When we ask for our "daily bread," we are asking for the gift of the Eucharist. When we ask God to forgive us as we forgive others, we are seeking forgiveness and purity of heart before we approach the altar to receive the sacrament of the Lord's Body and Blood—"so that what is holy may, in fact, be given to those who are holy" (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 81).

At Mass, a prayer for peace is inserted between the prayer and the doxology. In this prayer, called the embolism, the Church asks God for freedom—freedom from sin and all anxiety and distress. We are living in an in-between time; even as we rejoice in Christ's presence, we await his coming in joyful hope.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).


Psalms — Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).

Gospel — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).

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 EVERYTHING! Thank you for your support!**

Attention! All Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors should have received their schedule assignments for October & November via email on Thursday, September 15. If you have not received it, please contact the head of your respective ministry. Thank you.



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 **Maria Paula, Jim and Ann Myers, Stan Russell, Dorothy Reynolds, John Young, Sue Tu, Karen Worley, Erica Fowler, Karene Corella.** 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.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Just a reminder that the shawls we make are for All occasions, from a joyful celebration to an illness within your family, extended family and friends. It is a beautiful gesture in demonstrating your love, and your support for them from SFC. The blessing of the shawls occurs at the 8:00am Sunday Mass. Please call or email Rebecca Valverde for your request. We are looking forward to hearing from you. (alegrereb@comcast.net or 408.723.1030)

Continuing our Deanery Five Social Justice series

Theme: "Life and Dignity of the Human Person"

Speaker: Ruth Gay, Director of Public Policy and Advocacy for the Alzheimer's Association of Northern California and Northern Nevada will talk on, "From out of the Shadows, Alzheimer's Glimmers of Hope." This will be a brief overview of Alzheimer's disease, the current problem as it stands now as a public health issue, the need to bring it from out of the shadows, and lastly, where we hope to go with this disease in the future. **Please join us at The Church of the Ascension, Oct 4th, 7:15pm** 12033 Miller Ave, Saratoga, Ca. 95070

Couples who make Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends not only rediscover the joy, intimacy & romance in their relationships, but also become more active in their Church. Together, we are making marriages, families and our Church stronger & healthier.

Attention Married Couples: Looking for Marriage Enrichment? Worldwide Marriage Encounter is offering three different upcoming opportunities to support you in your chosen vocation – Marriage!

October 1, Holy Family Catholic Church: The 5 Love Languages Spend a day exploring the languages of love and learn which love language you and your loved one understand most easily.

**Based upon *The Five Love Languages* by Dr. Gary Chapman. Engaged couples also welcome!
Contact Richard & Theresa Rieve at: 408-993-4742
rtrieve@sbcglobal.net**

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. 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

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Religious Education &

COME YOUNG PEOPLE AND FILL YOUR CHURCH NOW! Welcome back to a new school year 2011-2012 of Faith Formation here at SFC for your children! Registration forms for classes K-12 are available from now until Oct. 4th. All families must be parishioners in order to register for these **classes and Sacraments of Initiation**. Classes begin on **Wednesday, October 5th**; **K-6** children and parents please meet us in the **church at 5:00pm** for the opening prayer and announcements. The teachers will take the students to their classrooms and parents are encouraged to stay in the classrooms to observe the first day. The fee for a family, no matter how many children, is still only \$125.00 and turned in at the time of registration. The annual DSJ mandated Nationwide Safe Environment training class will be presented to the students and parents in Kelley Hall on **Wednesday, November 9th**.

As always, you are allowed to opt out of the class, but it is highly encouraged for parents to spend the time with their children and listen to and participate in Mrs. Katy Meister's excellent information. Every year the topic is different and the presentation is engaging with the students. Registration for Jr. High and the Sacrament of Confirmation **Gr. 7-12** is also available now. **Classes meet in the portable classrooms on Wednesday, October 5th in Room 8B from 6:15pm to 7:30pm. Questions? Please call Christina in the Religious Education office at 377-2111 or myself at 377-6545 x3051.** Looking forward to partnering with you to share the Catholic faith and Catholic Traditions with your family. In His Name, Mrs. Schenck

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.

Check out the Volunteer Opportunities listed on
www.catholiccharitiesscc.org

Annual BSA Popcorn Sales

On Sunday September 25, 2011 Boy Scout Troop 266 will be holding its annual Popcorn Sale. The Scouts will have a table set up from 8:30 AM until 1:00 PM. Please stop by and see what treats they have for sale; and remember, popcorn makes a wonderful gift. Approximately 70% of the sales dollars stays in Santa Clara County (over 30% stays with our Troop) to support various Scout activities. Ray Bechtold, Scoutmaster, Troop 266, raybecht@gmail.com

Parish Ministries and Contacts

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Society	
Sally Konopacky	371-8540
Altar Servers	
Joan Schenck	377-6545 ext. 3051
Eucharistic Ministers & Liturgy Committee	
Bob Dodds	377-9725
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	
Barbara Mastrini	272-4074

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 Hopkins	371-4651

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	
Emily Corral	723-2377
Knights of Columbus	
Norb Heinen	371-1992
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	
Ryan Mills, President	242-6085
Parent Teacher Group	

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.