

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions

November 10 – November 18, 2007

Weekend Masses:

STM

Saturday Nov 10 Vigil: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00pm **Mary Alice Jussila Memorial Anniversary**
by Chuck & Carol Herb, Mary Beth & Mike Holdford,
Kelly & Garrett Gaydosch

Sunday Nov 11 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

STM 8:00am **Joyce McCorkle** by John & Family

SFC 11:00am **Eleanor Schmaeman** by the McGoverns

Pro-populo (For the People)

50th Wedding Anniversary Blessing

George & Dorothy Hlifka

Weekday Mass/Communion Service with Morning Prayer

VILLA

Monday Nov 12 St. Josaphat, bishop, martyr
2:00pm **Jeanette & Charles Mundy** by Tony & Renee Scardino

SFC

Tuesday Nov 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin
6:00pm **Mary Santillo** by Carmela & Nick DiBiase

SFC Hall

Wed. Nov 14 Weekday
7:30am **Arnie Armeni & Arnie Armeni II** by Your Family

Thursday Nov 15 St. Albert the Great, bishop, doctor
7:30am **Mike & Carmella Castrilla** by Castrilla Family

Friday Nov 16 Sts. Margaret of Scotland & Gertrude, virgin
7:30am **Communion Service**

Weekend Masses:

STM

Saturday Nov 17 Vigil: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00pm **Mrs. Peggy Arp** by Family

Sunday Nov 18 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

STM 8:00am **Jim Pohman** by Dolly & Mike

Pro-populo (For the People)

SFC 11:00am **Mary & Kay Penza** by Chase Family

Catholic Charities and the HALO Program are appealing to area churches for *new or gently used blankets and bed linens* during the months of October and November. If you can help please leave your items in the back of the church, they will be picked up and delivered to our neighbors in need.

This Monday at 4:30pm Father's guest on "**Time with Thomas**" will be Rev. Rudy Babcock from the United Congregational Church. "**Time with Thomas**" is broadcast LIVE on Mondays at 4:30pm and then replayed the following Saturday at 9:30am on WWOW Radio 1360AM.

Lector Workbooks for 2007-2008 can be picked up in the Church Sacristies.

Scripture Readings, Nov 18, 2007

Malachi 3: 19-20a

2 Thessalonians 3: 7-12

Luke 21: 5-19 (159)

Sanctuary Candle

Intentions

St. Mary

In Memory of:

Mark S. Copple

by Julio Family

Connie and Jaime Corbitt

by Delma Gaukel

For the Health & Welfare of:

Mary Alice Byers

By Family

St. Frances Cabrini

In Memory of:

Sarah Armeni

by Family

Jane Maukonen

by Family

Emil & Dorothy Zappitelli

by Pat & Nancy Cifelli

In Honor of:

TSGT John D. Hlifka

by George & Dorothy Hlifka

This Week

Sunday, Nov 11

9:15am CCD

7:00pm

Taize Prayer, STM

Monday, Nov 12

NOON

Cemetery Board, Parish Offices

1:00pm

Chair Yoga, SFC Hall

4:30pm

"Time with Thomas"

6:30-8:00pm

Bible Study, Parish Offices

Tuesday, Nov 13

6:00pm

St. Frances Cabrini Feast Day

Mass & Tureen Dinner

Wednesday, Nov 14

6:30-8:00pm

RCIA, Parish Offices

Thursday, Nov 15

NOON

Golden Elite Senior Luncheon, SFC

Hall, All Seniors Welcome!

6:30pm

CAMA Thanksgiving Service, 1st

United Methodist Church

7:00pm

Ladies Guild, SFC Hall

Sunday, Nov 18

9:15-10:45am

CCD Advent Workshop, SFC Hall

9:30-10:00am

The Group, SFC Hall

4:00-6:00pm

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

SFC Hall

Stewardship Update

Last Week

Budgeted \$6,328 Actual \$7,788.56 291 Env.

Fiscal YTD

Budgeted \$120,232 Actual \$118,428.91 -\$1,803.09

Thank you for your generosity

Our Hearts of Hope Bereavement Ministry has received donations in memory of **Connie Corbitt** and donations have been received by St. Frances Cabrini Church in memory of **Robert Leach**. Please remember **Connie** and **Robert** in your prayers for the deceased and the benefactors in your prayers of Thanksgiving.

The Feast of St. Frances Cabrini will be celebrated on Tuesday, November 13 with a Mass at 6pm at SFC Church followed by an International Tureen Dinner at the Hall. All are welcome!

There are still a few seats left on the bus for the shopping trip to the **Grove City Outlets** on Saturday, Nov. 17. Cost is only \$10. Call the Parish Offices if interested.

Children's Christmas Party/Breakfast with Santa - Sign up sheets for the Children's Christmas Party are in the back of the Churches. The Parish Breakfast/Christmas Party is December 2 from 8:30am until 1:00pm with Santa arriving at Noon. You must sign up by Nov. 25 if you want your child(ren) (up to age 10) to receive a gift from Santa!

Olive Wood Religious Articles from the Holy Land will be on sale following the Masses this weekend. Sue Musleh will have them available to assist the Catholic carvers in the Holy Land.

St. Mary and St. Frances Cabrini parishes will assist the Salvation Army with the 2007 Kettle Drive. Our day is Saturday, Nov. 17 from 10am-6pm at the front of Orlando Bros. If you would be willing to 'ring the bell' for one hour, please call the Parish Offices to sign up.

St. Mary/St. Frances Cabrini and the Methodist Churches of Conneaut are providing a Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, Nov. 18. Meals will be delivered from 3-4pm and dinner will be served from 4-6pm at St. Frances Cabrini Hall. **All are welcome!** If you are eating in, your cash or canned good donation to benefit the Food Pantry will be accepted at the door. Reservation forms are in the back of the church and must be in by Thursday, Nov. 15.

HALO Share your Christmas Program – Applications for 2007 are being taken through Friday, Nov. 30 in the main hall of the Conneaut Human Resources Center, 327 Mill St on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9am-1pm. Applicants must provide proof of household income.

Oliver! Sts. John & Paul Drama Club is presenting Oliver on Friday & Saturday, November 17th & 18th at 7pm and Sunday, November 19th at 1pm at O'Leary Hall (MOS) gymnasium. Tickets are \$5.00.

The Sts. John & Paul 14th Annual Festival of Trees – Please join us on Saturday, November 24 at Mt. Carmel Community Center for an enchanted evening of holiday festivities. A live auction features beautifully decorated themed Christmas Trees. The silent auction and Chinese auction ensures there is something for everyone! Tickets are \$25 each and include dinner and drinks. A table of eight can be reserved for \$200. Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 7pm and live auction at 8pm. Call 997-5531.

Pittsburgh Trip: The Senior **Golden Elites** Group is sponsoring a bus trip to Pittsburgh on Monday, Dec. 10. Highlights include a stop at Station Square (shopping), The National Aviary (23 natural habitats with over 250 exotic birds), dinner at Hoss' Restaurant, and a tour of the Christmas light display at Hartwood Acres. Reservations are due by Thursday, Nov. 29 to Sr. Jean Marie at the Parish Offices. Cost is \$52. All are welcome!

If you would like someone to visit and bring communion to a loved one who is homebound or confined to a hospital or nursing home, please call the Parish Offices. Because of **The Patient Privacy Act**, this information is not given out to the Parish by any institutions. You must contact Father Thomas, Sister Jean Marie or the Parish Offices directly.

Just a reminder to continue to **check out our web-site** at www.stmary-stfcabrini.org for items of interest regarding the **Memory Gardens for 2007**, the **RCIA process**, **First Reconciliation** and **First Eucharist Sacramental program**, **Karing Ways Preschool**, and much more.

'**Chair Yoga**' is being offered at St. Frances Cabrini Hall on Mondays from 1:00 – 2:15pm. Mrs. Renea Lillie is instructing the class. Breathing and stretching exercises may all be done from a chair or standing position. A free will offering is taken each week. All are welcome to attend; no registration necessary.

The United Methodist Churches are sponsoring an afternoon of music on Sunday, Dec. 9 and are looking for soloists, church groups or choirs who would like to participate. If interested please call Pastor Paula at 593-2105 or Becky Levering at 593-2525.

The Conneaut Food Pantry is in need of basic food items. Donations can be left in the back of the Churches or taken to the Human Resources Center on Mill St.

Counseling Assistance Fund. The Church is committed to helping those who have been harmed as a result of sexual abuse by representatives of the church. According to mental health professionals, counseling is a vital component of the healing process for survivors of childhood sexual abuse. The Church recognizes, however, that there are people who are reluctant to contact the church for help. This new Counseling Assistance Fund can help these individuals. If you would like more information go to the website at www.counselingassistancefund.org

As of October 1, 2007 the cost of lighting Sanctuary Candles at St. Mary and St. Frances Cabrini increased from \$10 to \$15 due to increased costs. *Separate checks need to be written for candles and Masses.*

Mass intentions for 2008 are being accepted at the Parish Offices. Each parishioner will be allowed to schedule intentions for up to 6 Masses, 2 of those may be on weekends. The remaining will be scheduled during the weekdays closest to your requested date. *Separate checks need to be written for candles and Masses.*

Parish Participation – As good stewards of all that God has entrusted to us, we all should contribute in some way toward building up the Body and Blood of Christ at St. Mary/St. Frances Cabrini. Our Faith Community offers multiple opportunities for service in liturgy, education, outreach and development. Please speak with Father Thomas or a member of the Staff to determine how your talents may best serve the Church.

Tune in to AM1360, WWOW - Walking on Water Radio to listen. **“Time with Thomas”** is broadcast LIVE on Mondays at 4:30pm and then replayed the following Saturday at 9:30am.

Father Thomas’ homily’s are available on our parish web site: www.stmary-stfcabrini.org Click on the prompt to *‘Listen to Father’s Sermon’* and several of the most recent sermons are available to listen to through Windows Media Player.

Wheels of Love Do you know someone who has been deprived of their ability to walk due to illness or disease? If so “Hope on Wheels” can help your loved ones regain their confidence and their independence with a power wheelchair or scooter. “Hope on Wheels” helps seniors with mobility limitations to receive a power wheelchair or scooter paid by Medicare. FMI call 1-866-631-3028.

If you wish to *rent tables or chairs* from either Church hall, please call the office a week in advance. Rental forms must be completed and signed and the rental fee is to be paid before picking up these items.

The Hearts of Hope Bereavement Team offers funeral luncheon meals for a small fee to parish families following funeral Masses. For information, call Sr. Jean Marie at the Parish Offices.

Diocesan Vocations Website – www.youngstownvocations.org. Go to this web site or click on the sidebar link for *Vocations* on the Diocesan homepage website – www.doy.org. The site is a source of information for those discerning a Church vocation to priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life and is also a resource for families, teachers, catechists & DRE’s.

The Sisters of Notre Dame offer a Prayer Line Ministry. Your intentions will be remembered in prayer each day by calling 440-279-1163. A sister will receive your call, Mon-Fri, 10:00am-4:00pm; at other times the answering service will be available. All requests will be remembered in prayer.

Posted in the back of each of the Churches are lists of members of the Pastoral Planning Council, Finance Council and the Worship Committee. Feel free to approach any of the members with any questions or comments regarding the committees and their activities.

Volunteers are needed to assist in various areas of the RCIA process as catechists, sponsors, greeters and hospitality, as well as for Pre-Catechumenate, Mystagogia and the Sunday dismissal rite. If you feel called to be of service this coming year, please call Father Thomas or Sister Barbara at 599-8570 FMI.

Estranged from the Church? If you or someone you know feels estranged from the Catholic Church because of divorce or marital status, consider checking into what is needed to bring you back. It may be the annulment process or simple paperwork, depending on your personal situation. If you would like to talk with someone to find out what is needed please call Father Thomas, Sister Jean Marie or Sister Barbara at the Parish Offices, 599-8570.

Don’t let the IRS tax your IRA – If you have an IRA and are at an age where you are required to take distributions, you know how taxing that experience can be. As a supporter of St. Mary and/or St. Frances Cabrini, you may be surprised to learn that a new law allows you to keep those IRA withdrawals up to \$100,000 from ever being taxed.

For a free brochure that describes the provisions of the *Pension Protection Act of 2006*, call Mr. Pat Palombo, Director of Development & Stewardship, at 330/744-8451 ext. 325 or email Mr. Palombo at patpal@cboss.com.