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Saint Frances Cabrini Roman Catholic Church

1562 86th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11228



SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2024
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PASTORAL STAFF

REV. Vincent Miceli, Pastor

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MASSES

Saturday Vigil for Sunday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM (bilingual : Italian and English)
10:30 AM (Family Mass), 12Noon (Spanish)
Monday to Saturday: 9:00 AM
Holydays of Obligation: 9AM, 12 Noon & 7:30PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions will take place after the 8:30AM mass on Saturdays

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal - Monday, after 8:30 AM Mass
St. Frances Cabrini - Wednesday, after 8:30 AM Mass
First Friday Eucharistic adoration From 8:30AM - 10AM Followed by Benediction

PARISH OFFICES

Rectory Office : 1562 86 St.; Brooklyn, NY 11228
718 - 236 - 9165 / - 9166 FAX: 718 - 331 - 8139

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday — Friday: 8 AM - 2:00 PM
Saturday and Sunday: closed, except by appointment
Closed Holydays and Holidays

COMMUNION CALLS

If someone is homebound and wishes to receive the Sacraments, please call 718 - 236 - 9165 to arrange for a visit by a priest or a Communion call by an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is available after any Mass for the sick, the elderly and those going into the hospital and who are able to come to church. Just see the priest after Mass. For those who are homebound, please call the Rectory Office to arrange for a home visit by a priest. **For emergency sick calls, please call 718 - 236 - 9166 any time during the person's sickness, the sooner, the better.**

BAPTISMS

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated every first Sunday of the month after the 12:00pm mass. Private Baptism are available for Saturdays. Please come to the Parish Office with the child's birth certificate in order to make the arrangements.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE

Marriage requires spiritual preparation. Please call the Rectory Office to arrange for an appointment with a priest at least six (6) months prior to the date of your wedding. Arrangements with the Church should be made before setting the date with the caterer. All couples who are getting married must participate in an approved diocesan or parish Pre-Cana Program before marrying.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The RCIA process provides an opportunity for adults to explore the Roman Catholic faith. We welcome all non-Catholics who are interested in becoming Catholic, as well as those Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist (First Communion) or Confirmation. Please contact the Office of Faith Formation.

NEW PARISHIONERS / REGISTRATION

We welcome you and invite you to join us by completing a registration form (available both at the Rectory Office and in the church) and returning it to the Rectory Office as soon as possible. Combined with your regular use of envelopes for your weekly offering at Mass, it helps us to know that you are an active member of the Parish community. Please let us know that you are here so that we may serve you better. If you are not registered, we may not be able to provide you with letters or certificates for Sacrament sponsorship, INS, schools, job references, etc.

MASS INTENTIONS / MEMORIALS

Please come to the Rectory Office to make arrangements for intentions for Masses. Memorials are also available on a weekly basis for the sanctuary candles, the altar candles and the bread and wine to be used during the week.

Parish Website: www.stfrancescabrini-brooklyn.org

Facebook Page: *St. Frances Cabrini Dyker Heights*

YouTube: *SFCDykerHeights*

*The Church is accessible by elevator
and the office by hanidcap ramp.*



Twentieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

AUG
18TH
2024

MASS SCHEDULE

8/18 Sunday: Twentieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Special Intention (Fredella)
10:30 AM Filomena & Giuseppe Baranello
(Mr. & Mrs. Pilla)
12:00 Noon Santa Misa en Espanol

8/19 Monday:

9:00AM Nunizatella & Francesco Califano
(Daughter)

8/20 Tuesday: St. Bernard

9:00AM Communion Service

8/21 Wednesday: St. Pius X

9:00AM Communion Service

8/22 Thursday: Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00AM Communion Service

8/23 Friday:

No Mass

8/24 Saturday: St. Bartholomew

4:00 PM Maria Coppola (Family)

8/25 Sunday: Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Helen & Frank Valente
Anthony & Marie Barbera
10:30 AM Carmela & Carmine Pilla
(Mr. & Mrs. D. Pilla)
12:00 Noon Santa Misa en Espanol

Summer Schedule

There will be **NO Mass** on

Friday and Saturday mornings from

Friday, June 14th thru

Saturday, September 14th.

Daily Mass will be at 9am starting

Monday, June 17th until the end of the year.

The Parish off will be **CLOSED** on

Fridays from

June 14th thru September 13th.

MONDAY

August 19
Weekday
Ez 24:15-23
Mt 19:16-22

TUESDAY

August 20
St. Bernard,
Abbot and Doctor
of the Church
Ez 28:1-10
Mt 19:23-30

WEDNESDAY

August 21
St. Pius X, Pope
Ez 34:1-11
Mt 20:1-16

THURSDAY

August 22
Queenship of
the Blessed
Virgin Mary
Ez 36:23-28
Mt 22:1-14

FRIDAY

August 23
Weekday
Ez 37:1-14
Mt 22:34-40

SATURDAY

August 24
St. Bartholomew,
Apostle
Rv 21:9b-14
Jn 1:45-51

SUNDAY

August 25
Twenty-first Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Jos 24:1-2a,
15-17, 18b
Eph 5:21-32
or 5:2a, 25-32
Jn 6:60-69



The Annual Catholic Appeal seeks to raise a minimum of \$8 million to provide programs and ministries throughout the Diocese and support the local efforts of parishes like ours. **The goal at St. Frances Cabrini is \$25,248.00. We have pledged so far \$17,090.00.** Once we exceed our goal, we will then receive 100% of all funds raised above this figure directly back to our parish. Please join us to respond as the Church of Christ United in Communion, United in Charity in Brooklyn and Queens through a pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal today at Annual Catholic

Appeal.org or text DONATE to 917-336-1255.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM STUDENT PRE-REGISTRATION 2024-2025



All Those Who Have Died

The Sick and
The Homebound

August 22: Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary—Memorial



The twentieth century saw a resurgence in devotion to the Mother of God. Several decades prior, on December 8, 1854, Pope Pius IX declared the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception. This was confirmed in 1858, when the Blessed Mother appeared in Lourdes, France to Bernadette Soubirous, a fourteen-year-old peasant girl. The Heavenly Lady told Bernadette, “I am the Immaculate Conception.” Lourdes became a frequent pilgrim site where many miracles have occurred.

In 1916, three shepherd children in Fátima, Portugal received three apparitions from the Angel of Peace, the Guardian Angel of Portugal. In 1917, they received six apparitions from the Lady of the Rosary. At her final apparition, 70,000 witnessed the promised miracle. A pouring rain suddenly stopped, the sun danced and plunged to earth, and everything and everyone were immediately dry.

In 1950, Pope Pius XII issued an apostolic constitution, declaring as dogma that Mary was assumed body and soul into heaven. Since Jesus, as King of Kings, sits on His throne at the Father’s right hand in Heaven and Mary was assumed into Heaven, today’s memorial is the logical conclusion.

Early Church Fathers used a “typology” to establish the continuity between the Old and New Testaments. For example, though King Solomon sinned, he is a prefigurement, or “type” of Christ because he was a peacemaker, filled with wisdom, and built the Temple. Saint Augustine’s commentary on Psalm 127 states that our Lord is “the true Solomon” and that “Solomon was the figure of this Peacemaker.” Christ is the true Peacemaker who built the true Temple of His Body, the Church. Following this form, theologians note that King Solomon paid his own mother homage and granted her requests ([1 Kings 2:19–20](#)). If King Solomon, an Old Testament type of Christ, honored his Queen Mother’s requests and sat her on a throne next to his, then so much more does our Lord, the true King of Kings, honor His mother. Today’s memorial celebrates that Jesus’ mother sits on a throne next to His, and Jesus says to her, “Ask it, my mother, for I will not refuse you.”

For these reasons, on October 11, 1954, four years after proclaiming the Assumption, Pope Pius XII instituted the Memorial of the Queenship of Mary in his encyclical, *Ad Caeli Reginam* (The Queen of Heaven). This memorial was assigned to May 31, following the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, but in 1969, Pope Paul VI moved the date to August 22, eight days after the Solemnity of the Assumption. Largely this was done to create an octave of anticipation and to show that the Assumption results in the Mother of God being also the Queen Mother of Heaven and Earth.

As Queen, Mother Mary intercedes for us and acts as His mediator. From her heavenly throne, the Queen Mother of Heaven and Earth is entrusted with God’s grace. Not the source, she is privileged to be the instrument of distribution. As a mother, she is pleased to lavish every good thing upon her earthly children. She longs to gather them together in Heaven, with and in her divine Son.

The heart of today’s memorial is simple. We have a Queen Mother in Heaven. We turn to her with childlike faith and simplicity. As a young child runs to his mother in time of need, never questioning her love, protection, and care, so we run to her. She is our protectress, our refuge, our hope, and our sweet delight. Her affection is perfect and her motherly love unmatched.

Mother and Queen of Heaven, I run to you as a child with confidence and trust. You are the glorious Queen Mother, reigning over your children with love and mercy. Please pray for me and bestow upon me all that I need. I open my heart to your Son’s grace that you are entrusted to dispense. Make me holy and free from sin, so you can present me spotless and pure to your beloved Son, the King of the Universe. Queen of Heaven, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.



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