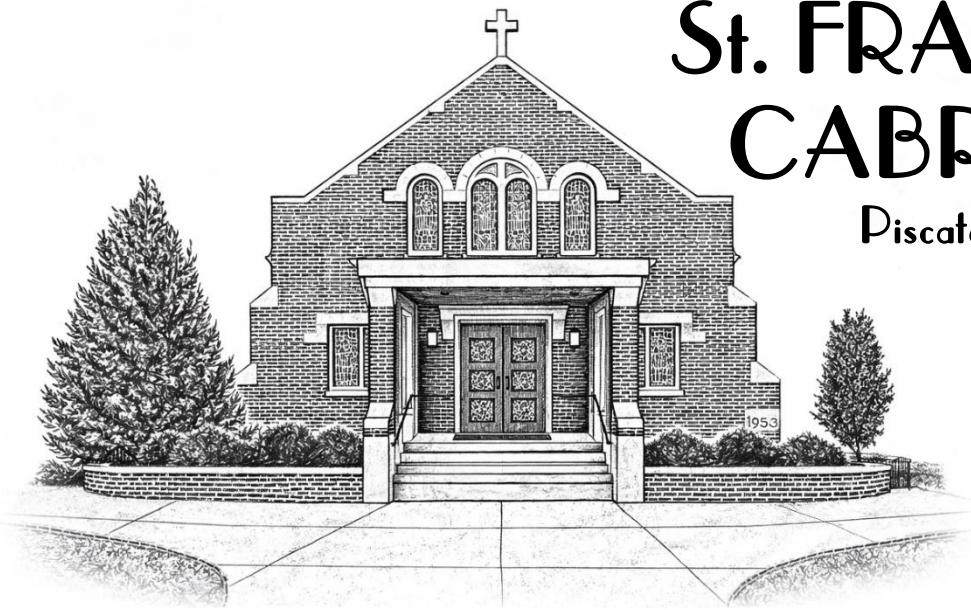


# St. FRANCES CABRINI CHURCH

Discataway, New Jersey 08854

April 12, 2026



**Rev. Jim Considine, Pastor**  
**Deacon Roger Ladao**  
**Bill Hillsinger, Office Manager**  
**Mary Horvath, Director of Music**  
**Bill Keenan, Buildings & Maintenance**  
**Maggie Marcinko, Parish Catechetical Leader (CCD)**  
**Columbiettes Auxiliary #11017, President, Michelle Losey**  
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## Parish Office

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8 AM- 12 Noon & 1-4 PM

## Religious Education

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CCD Hours: Tuesday 6-7:30 PM  
Grades 1-8

## Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM  
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 12:10  
Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 AM  
Saturday 8:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
Saturdays 3:45-4:15 PM

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**Parish Registration:** Welcome to St. Frances Cabrini Church! New parishioners are asked to please register with us. You may do so by coming to the parish office during hours or calling the office manager & asking for a registration form to be mailed. Newly married couples need to re-register as a family even if you grew up in the parish. Please notify the parish office upon a change of address, phone number or a move.

**Baptism:** Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of the month immediately following the 11:30 Mass. Parents are required (& Godparents are encouraged) to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class before the Baptism. Please call the parish office to register for the class & the baptismal date. Parents & Godparents are both asked to attend the Sunday 11:30 Mass on the date of the Baptism.

**Marriage:** The Diocese of Metuchen requires a period of preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage. This includes sessions with the parish priest, a Pre-Cana Class, a God's Plan for a Joy Filled Marriage Session & F.O.C.C.U.S. (an online values indicator.) We ask that you contact the parish office one year in advance & **PLEASE CALL TO BE SURE YOUR WEDDING DATE IS AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH BEFORE BOOKING A VENUE.** God Bless You on your engagement!

**Pastoral Care of the Sick:** Arrangements for Communion Calls & Holy Anointing for those at home, in care facilities or in the hospital may be made by calling the parish office.

**APRIL 12, 2026  
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER  
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**



**Monday, April 13, 2026**

12:10 PM + Dominic & Benedetta Izzo  
r/o Bob & Marissa Greco

**Tuesday, April 14, 2026**

7:00 AM + Christine & Dave Haigh  
r/o Phil Armstrong

**Wednesday, April 15, 2026**

12:10 PM + Conrad Uy & Ernesto Uy  
r/o Josie Lim

**Thursday, April 16, 2026**

7:00 AM + Souls in Purgatory  
r/o Oscar & Ruth Galvez

**Friday, April 17, 2026**

12:10 PM + Eugenia Robles  
r/o Oscar & Ruth Galvez

**Saturday, April 18, 2026**

8:00 AM + Apolinario Balot, Jr.  
r/o Evelyn Medenilla & family

4:30 PM + Tyke Mojica  
r/o Ria Mojica

**Sunday, April 19, 2026**

7:30 AM + Swier & McAndrews families  
r/o Sue McAndrews

9:30 AM + Antonia Mocharski  
r/o Paul & Carol Verzi

11:30 AM + People of the Parish

**ALTAR CANDLES:**

Tyke Mojica  
r/o Ria Mojica

**Holy Savior Academy Charity  
Breakfast**

The Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes will be sponsoring the 2026 Holy Savior Academy Charity Breakfast on Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM in the School Cafeteria. Tickets will be available at the door - \$14 for Adults, \$12 for Seniors and \$5 for Children, and Free for Children under 5 to benefit Holy Savior Academy.

The Columbiettes will be collecting after all Masses next weekend for Autism Awareness Month.

**Requests for Altar Candles (\$10),  
Tabernacle Candle (\$10) and Sanctuary  
Flowers (\$30)** are to be given in memory of a loved one or a special intention and may be made at the parish office. The request will be printed in the bulletin.

**Pray for the Sick:** Eufrocina Abdellatif, Chris Aleo, Victoria Austria, Alexander Bautista, Damaris Camacho, Frank Camacho, Jean Cesare, Beverly Copeland, Celia Riego deDios, Danilo Fanugao, Edward Linares, German Mercado, David Rivera, Dennis Thomas

**Please call the Parish Office at ext. 2 with any person you want added to our list of prayer for the sick. Note that requests should come from a family member or with permission of the person.**

*Weekly Collection*

**Stewardship – April 5<sup>th</sup>**

***Easter Collection: \$17,434.00***

***Improvement Collection: \$3,959.00***

## **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

We meet every Sunday at the 9:30 AM Mass. All children are dismissed after the Introductory Rites and return during the Offertory. Please call the Parish Office if you are interested in volunteering to help with this program.

## **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 12, 2026**

### **First Reading: Acts 2:42-47**

In the early days of the Church in Jerusalem, the faithful listened intently to the teachings of the apostles. They lived a communal life, sharing all property in common and praying and taking their meals together.

### **Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9**

In this first letter from Peter, he speaks to the Christians with great joy and confidence, reminding them that through Christ's resurrection, they have been given a new birth and are heirs to the kingdom of heaven.

### **Gospel: John 20:19-31**

After his resurrection, Jesus appears to his disciples and gives them the power to forgive sins. Thomas, who is absent, sees Christ later and believes in His resurrection after feeling His wounds. Christ admonishes Thomas by saying, "You became a believer because you saw Me. Blessed are they who have not seen and believed."

**"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled and unfading, kept in heaven for you who by the power of God are safeguarded through faith to a salvation that is ready to be revealed in the final time. In this you rejoice... Although you have not seen him you love him...as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls."**

A very long sentence from the pen of Saint Peter, on this Divine Mercy Sunday. As we look back to the events of the passion, death and resurrection, we should, in the words of Peter, keep our eyes 'fixed on Jesus', looking forward to the promised gift of salvation. The gift comes to us only through the mercy and love of God. May I repeat the simple prayer of the pilgrim 'Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, have mercy on me a sinner.'



#### **Sunday**

Acts 2:42-47; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31

#### **Monday**

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

#### **Tuesday**

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

#### **Wednesday**

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

#### **Thursday**

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

#### **Friday**

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

#### **Saturday**

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