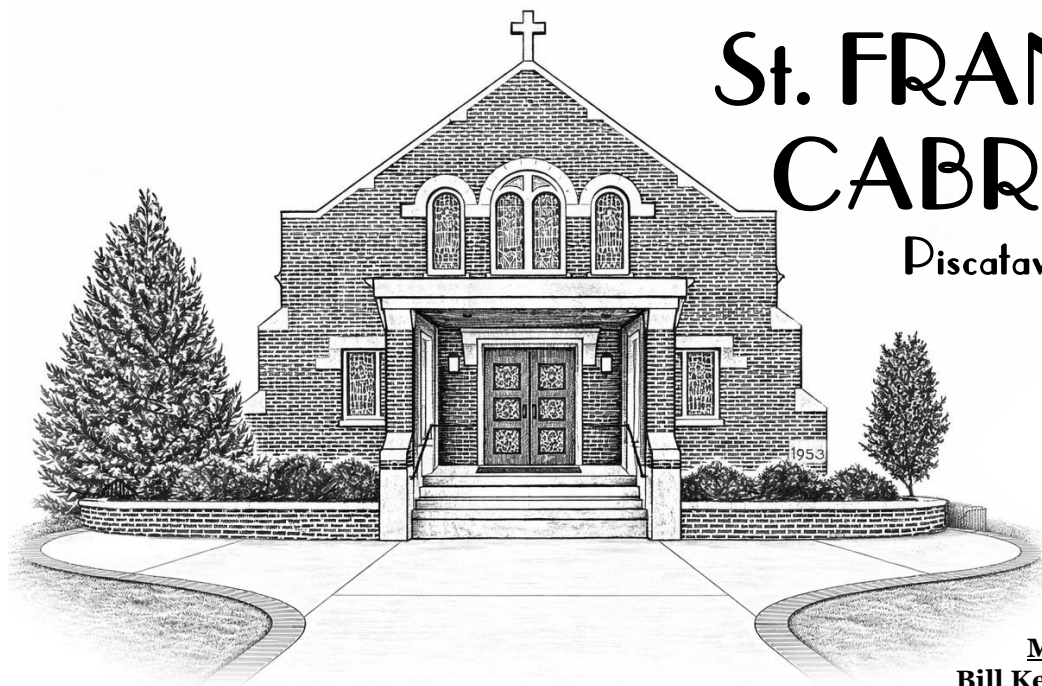




St. FRANCES CABRINI CHURCH

Discataway, New Jersey 08854

October 11, 2026

Rev. Jim Considine, Pastor
Deacon Roger Ladao
Bill Hillsinger, Office Manager
Mary Horvath, Director of Music
Bill Keenan, Buildings & Maintenance
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Knights of Columbus Council #11017, Grand Knight, Dave Losey

Parish Office

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8 AM- 12 Noon & 1-4 PM

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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

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.

OCTOBER 11, 2026
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME



Monday, October 12, 2026

12:10 PM + Oscar V. Lopez
r/o Abraham family

Tuesday, October 13, 2026

7:00 AM + Teddy Hanco
r/o Marian Hanco

Wednesday, October 14, 2026

12:10 PM + Margaret Glazer
r/o son, Robert

Thursday, October 15, 2026

7:00 AM + Teresa Miller
r/o Mumber family

Friday, October 16, 2026

12:10 PM + Harold Hobayan
r/o Jamby & Vince Vesce

Saturday, October 17, 2026

8:00 AM + Ana Uy
r/o Roger Ng

4:30 PM + Benjamin G. Fuertes
r/o Medenilla family

Sunday, October 18, 2026

7:30 AM + People of the Parish

9:30 AM + Sharon & Christina Dy
r/o Ceferino Dy

11:30 AM + Tyke Mojica
r/o Alexa Mojica

Sanctuary Candle:

Tyke Mojica
r/o Alexa Mojica

The Parish office will be closed on Monday,
October 12th in observance of Columbus Day

FISH is asking for the following items:
Canned fruit, spaghetti, tea bags, instant
potatoes & cereal. Thank you to all our
parishioners for your continued support!

New Jersey Right to Life is having their annual fundraiser raffle for the protection of all human life from conception to natural death. Please stop at the table after Mass on October 17th & 18th to offer your support.

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a blood drive with the Red Cross in the church hall from 1 PM to 6 PM on October 28th. Please see the bulletin boards or our website for further details. An appointment is necessary.

Knights of Columbus Council 11017 is pleased to welcome two new members, Richard Cardona and Kalu Oche. They were officially inducted into our Parish Council on September 23rd at a ceremony attended by family, friends, and fellow Knights.

Pray for the Sick: Chris Aleo, Victoria Austria, Damaris Camacho, Frank Camacho, Jean Cesare, Beverly Copeland, Celia Riego deDios, Edward Linares, German Mercado, David Rivera, Donald Smith, 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 – October 4th

Weekly Collection: \$6,483.00

Improvement Collection: \$1,241.00

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 rectory if you are interested in volunteering to help with this program.

OCTOBER 11, 2026 TWENTY- EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10a

This passage describes the new Jerusalem as a heavenly banquet on the mountain with the Lord God wiping away all tears.

Second Reading: Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20

In simple, direct words, Paul thanks the Philippians for alleviating his hardships. He stresses, though, that he is as accustomed to poverty as to abundance and finds all his strength in Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

Once more speaking to the chief priests and the elders, Jesus relates the parable of the wedding banquet. A King, preparing a wedding banquet for his son, summons all the invited guests. When, after several invitations, no guests arrive, the King commands his servants to "go out into the byroads and invite anyone you come upon." Again, Jesus warns the elders, "the invited are many, the elect are few."

"I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things, I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me...My God will supply whatever my need."

As we follow the missionary journeys of Saint Paul, and read his letters, we come to appreciate what he experienced, all for the gospel. He provides a wonderful example as he reveals his ability to deal and adapt to circumstances beyond his control. He knew shipwreck and imprisonment, beatings and punishment, but remained faithful. Why? 'I can do all things in him who strengthens me'.

May I have his courage and turn to the Lord who was the source of his strength and lean on Him. Maybe I can acknowledge the blessings of the Lord as His gift for me. Those with less, the hungry and unsheltered are deserving of my action response, not just feelings of compassion. Government policy of removing much needed aid at home and abroad is a scandal. We are told what I do not need is really not mine but belongs rightfully to someone else.



Sunday

Is 25:6-10a; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20;
Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

Monday

Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1; Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday

Gal 5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday

Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46

Thursday

Eph 1:1-10; Lk 11:47-54

Friday

Eph 1:11-14; Lk 12:1-7

Saturday

Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"COME
TO THE
FEAST."

MATTHEW 22:4

