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# **Saint Frances Cabrini School**

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## **School News**

*"At Saint Frances Cabrini School, our Mission is to **Serve** as Christ served, and be **formed** by the exceptional academic curriculum and the **Catholic** Faith."*

## **Message from Mr. Waech**

Dear Families,

It was wonderful to see you on Thursday! We can't wait to see you again on Monday!

Our staff had a very nice retreat today, around the topic of the Eucharist, and were given an hour of silence to reflect and prepare for the year spiritually. They were also treated to lunch from Jumbo's!

This weekend, we are having a 50th reunion for Cabrini's class of 1973! I'm excited

to show them around the building, and to hear stories from their time here at Cabrini.

Also this weekend, we are having a K3-K5 family picnic! We're looking forward to getting families together to begin to get to know one another before the year begins.

The first week of school brings our first all school Mass! It will be on Thursday at 8am. Please be sure to consult the Mass Day dress code for that day. And please join us. Through the years, a lot of parents have expressed how much they enjoy attending the opening Mass of the year. We will send another reminder on Wednesday.

Thank you!  
Principal William Waech

Office: 262-334-7142  
Cell: 414-530-2232

## Upcoming Dates

### August

- **Sun, Aug 27: K3, K4, K5 Family Picnic**
- **Mon, Aug 28:** First Day of School
- **Thur, Aug 31:** First all-school Mass, 8am - parents are invited

### September:

- **Fri, Sep 1:** No School, Professional Day
- **Mon, Sep 4:** No School, Labor Day
- **Tue, Sep 12:** Elementary School Parent Meeting & Classroom Night
- **Thu, Sep 14:** School Picture Day (K3 - 8th)
- **Thu, Sep 14:** Middle School Parent Meeting & Classroom Night

### October:

- **Oct 2 & 4:** Parent Teacher Conferences
- **Oct 2-4:** Book Fair
- **Oct 5-6:** No School
- **Sat, Oct 7:** Cabrini Golf Outing
- **Thu, Oct 26:** Picture Retake & Make-up Day

## Quick Links

- [2023-24 School Calendar](#)
- [Dress Code & Mass Day Dress Code](#)
- [Lunch Menus - August and September](#)
- [Lunchroom Wish List](#)
- [ProCare Access](#)
- [Past Newsletters](#)

## Volunteer Signups

- **[Recess Duty 2023-24](#)** - Each family is requested to volunteer to help with lunchtime recess supervision at least 3 times per year.
- **[Lunch Room Helpers](#)** - Each day, we need 2 helpers from 11am - 12:30pm to help with serving food and wiping tables. It's easy and fun.

- **Riteway Bus Company** - contact phone number is 262-429-1334
- **Safe Environment Training** - Access the training portal. Gentle reminder every parent and volunteer is required to complete Safe Environment training.
- **Room Parent Signup**
- **Spaghetti Dinner Helpers** - fundraiser for Haiti (see below for more info)
- **Adoration Family Challenge Signup**
- **Library Day Helpers for Day Care**

## New This Week

### Drop-Off and Pick-Up Procedures

School starts on Monday, August 28. You can drop students off beginning at 7:30am. They need to be in their seats, ready to begin at 7:45am.

It's important to familiarize yourself with our Drop-off and Pick-up procedures, to keep the children safe in our parking lot. They're explained on our school website. Click on About Our School > Drop Off & Pick Up Procedures.

And a reminder that our first week is a short one. The students have off on Friday, September 1. You can see our school calendar on our website, by clicking on About Our School > School Calendar.



### School Picture Day

School pictures will be taken in the morning on **Thursday, Sept 14.**

This is for ALL students, K3 - 8th grade.

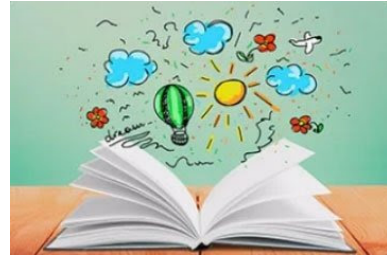
We'll start with the 8th graders at 8am. After that we'll take each grade in a row, starting with K3.

There will be a retake/makeup day for anyone who was absent or who needs to have their picture retaken.

Makeup/Retake Day: **Thursday, Oct 26**

## Library Day Helpers for Day Care

On Tuesdays, our 2-year-old day care kids have library time from 2:30-3pm in the school. We're looking for volunteers to help out, reading them a story, and helping them as they color a picture and pick out a book to take home to read with their families. There will be a teacher present, too.



Miss Cheryl will be holding an introductory meeting on Sept 19 for those who are signed up. Questions? Contact Miss Cheryl at 262-388-1330.

**[Click here to sign up >](#)**

Gentle reminder that all volunteers must be Safe Environment Certified. Not sure if you are? Contact Rhonda Prim, our parish's Safe Environment Coordinator at [rprim@wbparishes.org](mailto:rprim@wbparishes.org)

## Father-Son Hike

# St. Frances Cabrini's 1st Annual A Hike to Remember

Boys, this is your day! Invite your dad, uncle, or grandpa to join you on this special afternoon of hiking, mass, grilling, smores, and games. We will meet at St. Matthias Church and then begin our hike on the Ice Age Trail. Please visit the link below to RSVP and donate an item(s) in lieu of a per person fee.

OCTOBER  
**21ST**

## ITINERARY

3:15 PM Hike

4:30 PM Mass

Dinner to follow



St. Matthias Catholic Church  
Campbellsport, WI 53010

**RSVP**





## Yard Signs

We've restocked! Do you need a yard sign? Be sure to stop by the school office to pick one up for your yard. #cabrinispirit

## Updates and Reminders



Each family is requested to volunteer to help with lunchtime recess supervision at least 3 times per year. Recess duty is from 11:35 to 12:35. Stop in the school office when you arrive, and our office staff can explain what to do. Thank you!

**[Click here to sign up >](#)**

Gentle reminder that every parent and volunteer is required to complete Safe Environment training. **[Click here to access the training portal >](#)**

## Room Parents

Each classroom has a room parent (or two or three.) This is a nice way to get to know your child's teacher and classmates, and it's fun. You'll help out planning classroom parties, and you can volunteer in your child's classroom when the teacher needs a hand.

**[Click here to sign up >](#)**

Questions? Contact our room parent coordinator, Alicia Dineen ([alicia@aconversationpiecelc.com](mailto:alicia@aconversationpiecelc.com)). Thank you!

Gentle reminder that every parent and volunteer is required to complete Safe Environment training. **[Click here to access the training portal >](#)**



## School Liturgy Choir

Parents of Students in Grades 4-8, we would like to formally invite your student(s) to join the School Liturgy Choir for the coming school year.

This is a nice opportunity for students who would like more music-making experiences in school. The choir will rehearse on Thursdays beginning Thursday, September 7. (Students who have missing assignments will not be allowed to attend choir rehearsal, until they have made up needed work.)

The choir will lead the student body during school masses that have music. Plus, they'll be part of the combined choir that sings for Catholic Schools Week.

Thank you,  
Beth Habersetzer & Susan DeMarco



Interested? Please download and complete the permission slip, and return it to the school office with "school liturgy choir" written on the outside by Wednesday, September 6.



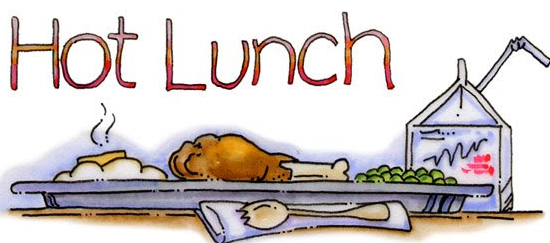
LiturgyChoirPermissionSlip.pdf

## Important Info for Students Taking the Bus

The Riteway Bus Company asked us to remind families that if your child needs bussing on any days when public schools are off, please call Go Riteway at 262-429-1334 to request bussing for those days.



This is important right away, because our first day of school is Aug 28, but the public schools don't start until Sept 5.



**Lunch Accounts** - We no longer take lunch payments through OSV. We are now using EZ School Apps. Instructions on how to log in can be downloaded from the [school website](#).

### Service Charge for Online Payments

We wanted to add a note about EZ School Apps that we didn't include in the original information we provided. Just so you are aware, there is a Credit Card fee per transaction through the app when purchasing your child's lunch. If paying online, we recommend purchasing multiple days at a time, because the fee is per transaction. You are still able to pay with cash or check, without a service fee, in the school office. We can no longer take lunch payments through OSV.

**Lunch Balances** - Pre-order is *highly* encouraged, as well as keeping a positive balance in your children's accounts. A locked account will happen after three months of unpaid balances.

### Menus

The hot lunch menu is on our school website. (In the menu bar, click on About Our School > School Lunch.) Every week you'll also find it in this e-newsletter, in the Quick Links section at the top.

### Lunchroom Helpers

Each day, we need 2 helpers from 11am-12:30pm to help with serving food and wiping tables. It's easy and fun, and a nice way to get to know the kids in our school. If you'd like to help, [click here to sign up >](#). Questions? Contact our Lunch Coordinator, Holly Machi, at [hmachi@wbparishes.org](mailto:hmachi@wbparishes.org).

Gentle reminder that every parent and volunteer is required to complete Safe Environment training. [Click here to access the training portal >](#)

**Questions?** Reach out to our lunch coordinator, Holly Machi ([hmachi@wbparishes.org](mailto:hmachi@wbparishes.org)) with questions or issues that may arise. She'll be happy to help you. *an find more more* info, including login instructions, pricing and lunch menus, on our school website, by clicking on About Our School > School Lunch.



Notices of negative balances will be sent out weekly.

**Save the Date!**



Planning is underway for the 28th annual **SFC Dinner Auction**. This year's theme is Together on the Red Carpet. The dinner auction our biggest fundraiser, and it's A LOT OF FUN!

Please mark your calendars for a fun and fancy night out together on March 2nd, 2024! All SFC community members are invited to attend, including SFC school and Little Saints parents, parishioners, and friends of SFC.

Are you interested in helping with the event? The Auction Committee chairs welcome any help that you can provide! There is lots to do, and you can commit as much or as little time as you'd like. Contact our auction chairs: Jenny Kunz ([jennifer.h.kunz@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.h.kunz@gmail.com)) or Christ Szymanski ([cszyman2@gmail.com](mailto:cszyman2@gmail.com)).

See you at the auction!



SAVE THE DATE!

# SFC GOLF OUTING

SATURDAY, OCT 7, 2023  
KETTLE HILLS  
1 PM

9-hole scramble  
\$5k putting contest



Parish Events

# CHILDREN'S CHOIR FORMING NOW

- Open to all children in 4th-12th grade  
(with unchanged voices)
- Rehearsals on Thursday afternoons
- Sing once/month at the 10:30am Mass
  - Sing for Christmas Eve Mass
- Attend Children's Choir Festival in Milwaukee in March



Contact Susan DeMarco  
in the parish office at  
262-338-2366x120 or  
[sdemarco@wbparishes.org](mailto:sdemarco@wbparishes.org)



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Journey is a program that embraces a unique mission: to teach and share the richness and fullness of the Catholic faith with persons, aged 6 through adult senior citizens, with intellectual, developmental and cognitive disabilities.

Registration is now open.



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# SAVE THE DATE!

**Spaghetti Dinner & Fundraising Event** for the Cabrini Community Center & Ministries in Jacmel, Haiti

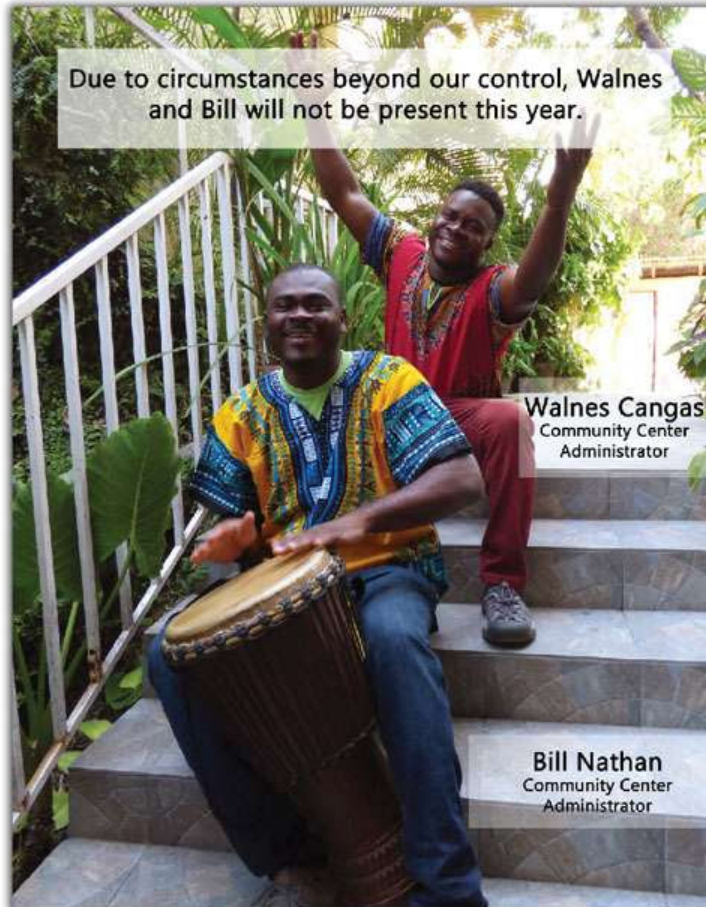
**September 23, 2023**

Serving Time - 5:30pm  
Haitian Program - 6:30pm  
Basket Raffle Drawing - 7:30pm  
(Check website for more info: [haitianmission.com](http://haitianmission.com))



**Tickets:**  
Single \$10.00  
Family \$30.00

**St. Frances Cabrini Church**  
Mother Cabrini Hall  
West Bend, WI



## HAITI MISSION APPEAL:

September 17, 2023

Save the date for the Spaghetti Dinner. We're raising funds to support our ministry in Haiti. We hope you and your family will be there!

We're also looking for some volunteers to help out, e.g. food prep, set-up, take down, serving, and selling tickets. [Click here to sign up >](#).

And if you're able to donate something to our raffle, we're looking for baskets valued at \$75 - \$100.

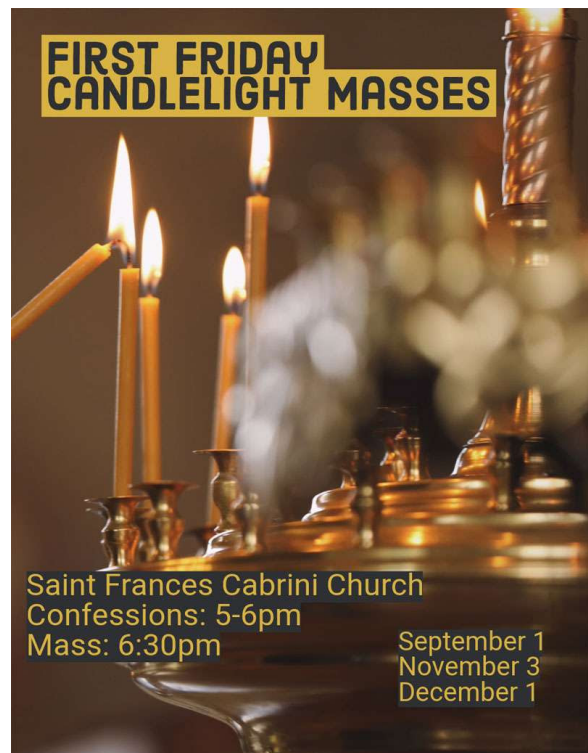
Questions? See the attached flyer for more info, or contact Kim Nielsen at [pkanielsen@gmail.com](mailto:pkanielsen@gmail.com)

Thank you for helping us with this important work!

See the attached flyer for more info.



Haiti-Spaghetti-Dinner-Flyer.jpg





**FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2023**



**OUR LADY OF SORROWS ROSARY AT 12NOON  
SAINT MARY'S IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH**

**CONFESSIONS:5-6PM \* CANDLELIGHT MASS:6:30PM  
SAINT FRANCES CABRINI CHURCH**

**THINKING OF JOINING  
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?  
RCIA CLASSES ARE FORMING NOW!**

**Saint Frances Cabrini &  
Saint Mary's Immaculate Conception Parishes**



Classes will meet at  
Saint Frances Cabrini  
Parish  
Lower Level JPIL Room  
Sundays mornings from  
9am-10:15am

**CLASSES WILL MEET:**  
September 17  
October 8, 22  
November 5, 19  
December 3  
January 7, 21  
February 4, 18\*, 25  
March 3, 10, 17, 24  
\*March 28 Holy Thursday  
\*March 29 Good Friday  
\*March 30 Easter Vigil  
April 7  
\* indicates alternative meeting  
place/time

Want to Register?  
Have Questions?  
Please contact  
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Director of Catholic Formation and Evangelization,  
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If you have any questions, or if you're Interested in learning more about becoming fully Catholic? Contact Julie Braun at [jbraun@wbparishes.org](mailto:jbraun@wbparishes.org).

Thank you!

**Contact Julie**

**Little Saints**



# LITTLE SAINTS

## EARLY LEARNING CENTER

# WE ARE HIRING!

Apply online at [school.saintfrancescabrini.com](https://school.saintfrancescabrini.com)  
Please call 262-384-3210 for more information!

Little Saints Early Learning Center is looking for some caring hearts to join our team!

[More Info](#)

## Community Events



Registration is open for this year's Girls Jr. Suns Basketball fall/winter program. Get all the info and costs by downloading the registration/info form.



2023-24-East-Jr-Suns-Girls-Basketball-Registration-and-Information.pdf



**Benefit Concert**  
**September 10 at 1:30pm at Trinity**  
**Lutheran Church**

Enjoy an afternoon of beautiful music from this all-male ensemble, gathered from our community to lift up our neighbors, one song at a time. It's directed by our own Mr. Pecsí. All proceeds from the concert and raffles will be donated to NAMI Washington County, to support mental wellness in our community.



**PLEASE JOIN US...**

- Information on the 4-H Program
- Meet Club & Project Leaders
- Learn about 4-H camp & trips
- Archery Demonstrations
- Talk with 4-H members
- See what 4-H is all about!

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**SEP 12<sup>TH</sup>**  
**2023**

**5<sup>30</sup> PM**  
**to**  
**7<sup>30</sup> PM**

**Washington County Fairgrounds**  
**Small Animal Barn**  
**3000 County Hwy PV**  
**West Bend, WI 53095**

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