

All Saints Catholic School News

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Mass with the Students

Mass with the students is at 8:20 am Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

All Saints Collections

All Saints Catholic School is collecting Supermercado/Family Fare Receipts, Box Tops, Our Family UPCs, and Coke lids from bottles and pop tabs. Please drop these off at the School or the Cabrini Parish Center reception desk (9 am to 4 pm M-F) or in the Sunday collection baskets. We love and appreciate your participation!

Save the Date

Wednesday, May 13, 2020, see our production of Beauty and the Beast at 7 pm at Creighton University.

Pre-k and Kindergarten Roundup

You're invited to Roundup on Friday, February 28th at the Cabrini Parish Center Gym (1248 So. 10th St.). Please bring birth certificate, immunization records, copy of tax return (for tuition purposes), kindergarten physical, and baptismal certificate. Morning registration is from 8-10 am and will include donuts and refreshments. Afternoon registration is from 3-6 pm and will include pizza and refreshments. Meet our principal and teachers, tour the classroom, learn about tuition prices, uniform information and guidelines, school hours, parent volunteering opportunities, school lunch program, drop-off information, and the Completely Kids before and after school program.



Parish and Community Happenings

Stewardship—February 2, 2020

“... they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord...” LUKE 2:22

How seriously do you take being a Catholic? Is “being Catholic” something I just do when I attend Sunday Mass or attend one of my parish functions? It’s easy to be Catholic then; it’s harder to be Catholic when I am out in the world. Would someone recognize me as a Catholic by the way I act, dress and talk? How do I present myself to the Lord and to others?

OTOC Issue Cafe:

Healthy Housing on Tuesday, February 4 at 6:45 - 8 pm at Urban Abbey (1026 Jackson St.) OTOC's Housing Coalition talks about trends, progress and challenges in our housing landscape. Help us begin a new conversation for housing in Omaha, looking towards elections and building power for an Omaha that works for all. Parking in the lot across the street for \$2. Payday Lending on Tuesday, February 11 at 6:45 - 8 pm at Urban Abbey (1026 Jackson St.) Learn about and get involved in the state referendum to limit predatory lending. Leaders will explain the predatory debt trap many lenders fall into, and how a state ballot initiative seeks to cap those harmful annual interest rates.

Healing Mass

His Global Love Prayer Community invites you to a Healing Mass on Wednesday February 12th, 7 - 8:30 pm with Father Kevin Joyce at St. Bernard Church (3601 N. 65th.). Praise and worship begins at 6:30 pm with Ablaze Worship. All are welcome. Questions? Contact Marie Peri at 402-451-1974.

45th Annual St. James/St. Elizabeth Ann Melodrama and Olio

Join us at Sokol Auditorium (13th & Martha Sts.), Omaha, February 21, 22, 27, 28, 29 at 7:30 pm and Sunday, February 23 at 6:30 pm. Beer, Popcorn & Pop included in \$23 show price. For tickets and info call Lil Chatfield 402-493-3326.

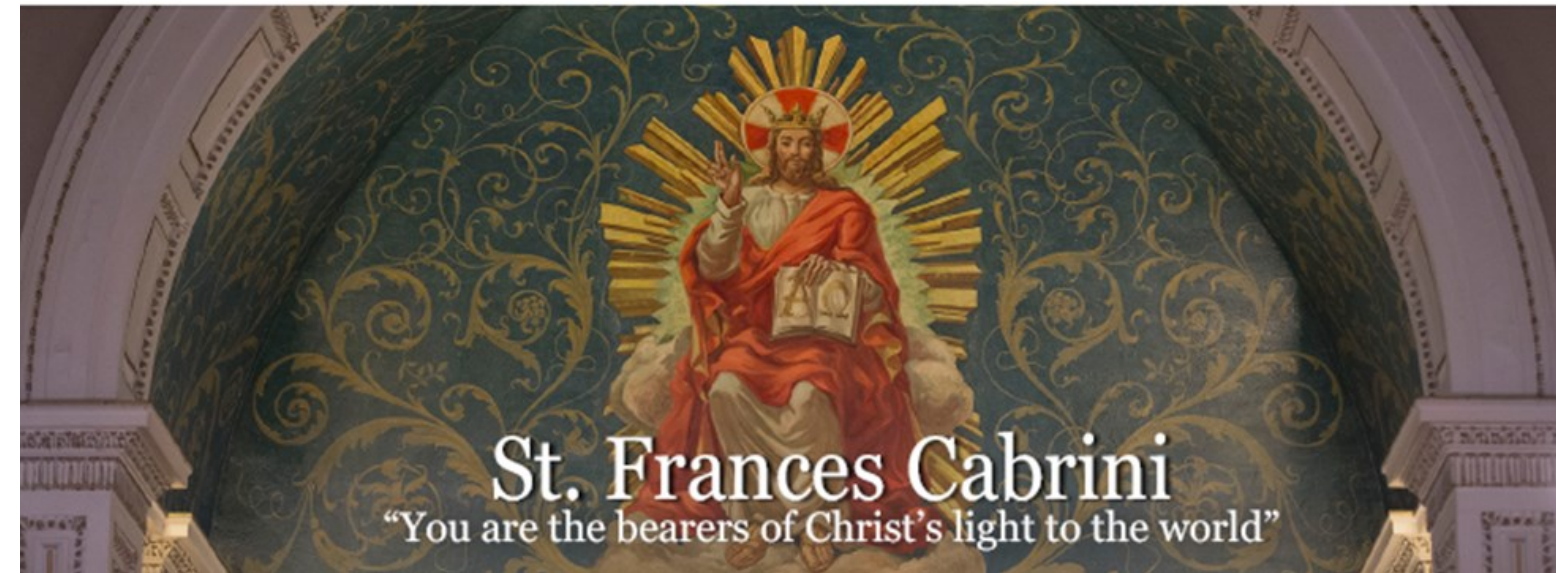
www.sjseamelodramaolio.org.

Pro-Life Essay Contest

Give voice to your pro-life values! The Archdiocese Pro-Life Essay Contest is taking entries from students in grades 7-11 from January 22 through March 25. Prizes range from \$20-\$40, and first place entries will be submitted to the Knights of Columbus statewide contest. For the writing prompt and submission details, visit archomaha.org/essaycontest/. For more information contact Whitney Bradley, Respect Life Apostolate Coordinator, at wabradley@archomaha.org or call 402-551-9003 x1306.

Bulletin Additions

To have information published in the upcoming bulletin, please email bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com by Wednesday evening.



The Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2020

Special Collection This Weekend

There is a second collection this weekend for the Home and Foreign Missions.

Congratulations Honor Students!

Congratulations to our Honor Students: Nyok Majok and Sophia Turner at Duchesne Academy, Sophia Riera at Gross Catholic, and Akech Ngor at Roncalli Catholic!

Feast of St. Blaise

St. Blaise, patron saint of throat illnesses, feast day is Monday, February 3rd. Deacon Larry will hold a communion service and bless throats for those interested at 12:00 noon.

Vote for your favorite school!!

It's back! The 2020 Superstar Catholic School Contest presented by Spirit Catholic Radio—January 27 through February 8. All Catholic high schools and elementary schools in the listening area are eligible to win, including All Saints Catholic School. Contest voting lasts two weeks and schools will compete by enrollment size! Prizes include \$1,000 on-air time for winning schools; a live Spirit Mornings interview; prayer cards for all students in the winning school; a trophy; a visit from Spirit Catholic Radio to your school; and customized banners for the inside AND outside of the winning schools! The contest is Spirit Catholic Radio's way of shining a light on the GREAT Catholic schools in our listening area. Voting began January 27 at spiritcatholicradio.com/superstar.

Lenten Program

Our 2020 Lenten program “Be Opened—A Journey to New Life (Reflections on the Sunday Gospels)”, will be offered on Thursdays, beginning February 27th and ending April 16th. Watch for more information and times.

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
February 3	February 4	February 5	February 6	February 7	February 8	February 9
Blessing Throats 12 Noon	Alpha 6 pm		Acts Bible Study 6 pm Taize Prayer 8 pm			
Alpha Connect 6:30 pm						



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Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday, Feb. 3	12:00 PM	Communion Service & Blessing of Throats
Tuesday, Feb. 4	8:20 AM	Communion Service
Wednesday, Feb. 5	8:20 AM	+Virginia Tranisi
Thursday, Feb. 6	8:20 AM	+Randy Heimes
Friday, Feb. 7	8:20 AM	+Weronika Jablonski
Saturday, Feb. 8	5:00 PM	+Dennis Schafer
Sunday, Feb. 9	9:00 AM	+Butch Turco
Sunday, Feb. 9	11:00 AM	+Helen Butera
Sunday, Feb. 9	5:30 PM	Pro Populo

Other Masses Schedule

Wednesdays: 3:00 PM at St. Joseph's Tower
Fridays: 10:15 AM at St. Joseph's Villa

Reconciliation Schedule

Saturdays: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM
(northwest room of the Church)

Stewardship

January 25-26

Sunday Tithes- Collections	\$	4,288.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	0.00
Organ Fund	\$	20.00
Improvement Fund	\$	10.00
Furnace Debt Reduction Fund	\$	205.00
St. Vincent de Paul Fund	\$	602.00

Sick and Recovering

Please pray for the sick and those recovering including: Mary McNeill, Tina Ruma, Jim Noonan, Jackie Brooks, Paul Thomas Pojar, Rick Bower, Tiffany Pojar, and all those in our nursing homes.

(To add or remove a name on our list, please email bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com or call 402-934-7706. Please have the person's permission to print their name publicly before submitting their name.)

Growing In Faith

Alpha

"Spring" Alpha has begun! We meet from 6-8 pm on Tuesdays for dinner, a video, and conversation. If in doubt about the weather, check your email to see if it has been cancelled or not. Spring Alpha runs through March 31 plus Saturday, February 22.

Summer Alpha for Young Adults (ages 20-35) will be June 9 - August 18 with Saturday, July 25 for Retreat Day. **Fall Alpha** (for all ages) will run September 8 - November 17, plus Saturday, October 24th. Contact Ann Lenz at 402-990-3296 or amlenz@archomaha.org to sign up now, or if you have any questions.



Bible Study

We will begin studying the Book of Acts with Jeff Cavins this Thursday, February 6th, at 9 am or 6:00 pm. (Subsequent evening sessions will meet at 6:30 pm) We will cover the Introduction and the First Session on that date. There is no pre-reading for the Intro but there is for Session 1. Pre-ordered books may be picked up at the Parish Center. They are \$36 each, payable to St. Frances Cabrini Church.

Meal Service at Siena Francis House

A group of St. Frances Cabrini volunteers go one Thursday each month to distribute meals. If you are interested in participating, please contact Natalie McGovern at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com. Our next date is Thursday, February 27.

Taizé Prayer at St. Frances Cabrini Church



Please join us **this** Thursday, February 6th at 8 pm.

SAVE THE DATE - Parish Mission March 22-24

St. Frances Cabrini's Lenten Mission with Jeanne Cotter, is March 22nd, 23rd, and 24th at 7 pm. Please join us for any or all of the evenings.

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

Each year, a liturgy of great solemnity and beauty takes place in every cathedral church in the world. At that liturgy, the Chrism Mass, the Archbishop blesses the oils, which are to be used during the ensuing year in the administration of the Sacraments, as well as in various consecrations and blessings of persons and things. The ceremony of the Blessing of the Oils is full of significant symbolism. It includes the presence of a large number of the clergy (where they renew their priestly commitment), for the sacred oils are considered by the Church to be of such importance as to call for an imposing ceremony. Few inanimate things receive more honor than the oils, which are to be used so often during the year in the imparting of God's grace through Sacraments and blessings.

Each of us Catholics have received already some of the benefits given through these holy oils, namely, in the ceremonies of Baptism and in the conferring of the Sacrament of Confirmation; some have received further graces through them in the Sacrament of the Sick, and a few have been ordained.

In the countries of the Middle East and in southern Europe, olive oil has always been a necessity of daily life. It enters into the preparation of food; it is used as a remedy, internally and externally; in past centuries it was the chief means of furnishing light, being consumed in lamps; it was employed in ancient times by the athletes of the Olympic games, to give suppleness to their muscles. We see the various symbolic meanings the Church observes when she uses it to give us spiritual nourishment, to cure our spiritual ailments, to diffuse the light of grace in our souls, and to render us strong and active in the never-ending work of discipleship. The use of oil to express the imparting of spiritual strength is so appropriate that the Church employs it not only for the anointing of living beings but also for bells and chalices and altars and churches.

The oils blessed are of three kinds:

The Oil of Catechumens.

This kind of sacred oil is used in the ceremonies of Baptism, and derives its name from that fact -- a catechumen being an instructed convert who is about to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

The Holy Chrism.

The Chrism is the essential substance for the administration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. It is applied by the Bishop in the form of a cross on the forehead of the person confirmed. It is used also in the ceremonies of Baptism, an anointing being made with it on the crown of the head immediately after the pouring of the water. Its use is required also in the consecration of a Bishop, and the ordination of a priest. All those who share in Christ's priesthood, share with him, each at their own level, Christ's role in teaching, sanctifying and leading his people. Chrism has balsam added to the olive oil. The mixing of this fragrant material with the sacred oil gives the latter the name of Chrism, which signifies a scented ointment. As oil typifies the fullness of grace imparted through the Sacrament, so balsam expresses freedom from corruption and the sweet odor of virtue.

The Oil of the Sick.

The sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is given to those who are seriously ill by anointing them on the forehead and hands with blessed oil.

The Church asks that these sacred oils be stored in a special place, usually in an area close to the baptismal font. Most of the time you will see these storage places, Ambries, as a recessed spot near the font. However, when the Ambry is built later than the church itself, the Ambry is usually a special cabinet mounted to the wall near the baptismal font.

If you were observant last Sunday, then you noticed the new Ambry mounted near the baptismal font. Its design is such, that like the font itself, it looks like it was always a part of our beautiful church of Cabrini. The Ambry honors the oils with the dignity they deserve yet does not take away from the Sacraments themselves. I hope the new Ambry inspires you to a deeper understanding of the role of the sacred oils and our Sacraments.

Peace,

Fr. Damian