

School News

No school October 30th. November 2nd and 3rd.
Parent Teacher virtual conferences Thursday, October 29th.



All Saints Catholic School Collections

All Saints Catholic School is collecting HyVee, 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

Parish Events

Growing in Faith

St. Mary's Church Harvest Dinner Drive-Thru

On Sunday, November 1st, St. Mary's Church will hold their Golden Harvest Dinner Drive-thru from 11:30 am to 3 pm at the St. Mary's School parking lot (enter through St. Mary's Cemetery off of Q Street at the 33rd Street entrance). Dinners are \$10. Choose either roast beef with mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans and a roll, or roast pork with sauerkraut, dumplings, green beans and a roll. No substitutions.

Catholic Charities Virtual Boutique

Browse and shop online, now through December, for an array of holiday and home décor items via the Virtual Boutique. This is a unique way to support Catholic Charities works of mercy. All boutique items are "buy now" and can be in your home for the holidays! Visit ccomaha.org to learn more and start shopping.

Online Book Fair

Find your new favorite books with the All Saints Catholic School book fair! This is an on-line book fair through Childrens Book Store. Shop October 19th to November 1st and All Saints School will receive 30% of every book purchased. It's easy to participate. Visit www.childrensbookstore.com shop for the books you want and enter our unique code at checkout: **9lzzmnm** Books will be mailed directly to your home. Thank you and happy reading.

The next Taize is November 5th. Live or via Facebook.



Alpha

Fall Alpha continues to meet via Zoom on Tuesday evenings. If you are interested in attending, or helping with, an Alpha Course, contact Ann Lenz at (402) 990-3296 or amlenz@archomaha.org The Spring Alpha will begin in January and we are taking reservations now. Alpha via Zoom allows us to invite family and friends who might otherwise not be able to experience Alpha.

Genesis Bible Study with Fr. Damian

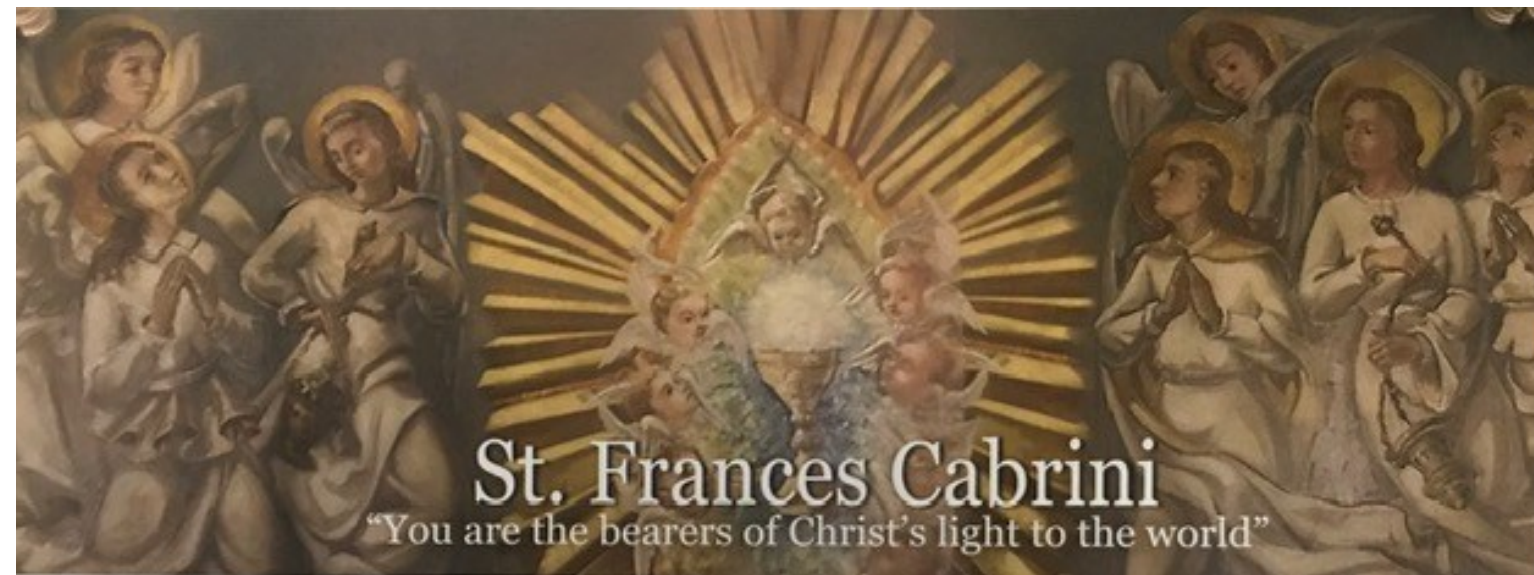
Our study of the Book of Genesis with Fr. Damian continues through December 2nd. (No class Wednesday, November 25th). Contact Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or (402) 312-3550 if you have any questions or problems with your Zoom link.

The Wild Goose

The Wild Goose is a video series about the Holy Spirit. It is meeting on Sunday evenings from 7 pm to 8:15 pm via Zoom. Following the 1/2 hour video, there is small group discussion. Contact Deacon Doug Lenz at (402) 312-3550 or dalenz@archomaha.org if you have any questions.

Walking With God? Walk With Us!

The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, invite single women, ages 18-40 who are considering religious life, to attend a Virtual Monastic Experience via Zoom November 20-22. We hope to digitally show discerners around, introduce some of our Sisters, and share some tips on prayer and discernment. The experience will include one hour of input each day. There will also be an opportunity to connect with the Vocation Director one on one. There is no cost to attend. To learn more, please visit www.benedictinesisters.org To register, contact Sr. Maria Victoria at (660) 944-2221 ext. 127 or email vocation@benedictinesisters.org



**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 18, 2020**

Cabrini Meatball/Sauce Drive-Thru is TODAY, October 18th, 12:30 pm—?

The meatballs and sauce are all made and pre-packaged. All that's left to do is selling our goods! Tenth Street will be blocked off on the east side from Worthington north to past All Saints Catholic School for our Drive-Thru. As cars pull up, orders will be placed and money paid, then they proceed forward in line to exchange their tickets for food. Sales will start at 12:30 pm (to give the 11 am Mass attendees time to clear out) until we sell out. A bag of eight (8) meatballs will sell for \$10, one (1) quart of sauce will sell for \$5 and there will be loaves of Orsi's bread available for \$3 each. Payment in the form of cash, checks for the amount only, and credit/debit cards will be accepted. Walk-up sales will also be available. Thank you to all our volunteers today! Spread the word and Come One, Come All! Enjoy meatballs and sauce with your home-cooked pasta and support All Saints Catholic School!

St. Vincent de Paul Coat Drive

As Winter approaches, there's higher demand for warm clothing which may not be available to everyone who needs it. Last year, the St. Vincent de Paul Society in Omaha helped keep about 5,000 kids and adults warm by providing a free coat along with winter accessories. Please bring any gently used kids and adult sized coats to the blue barrel located between the church and the school. This really is an opportunity to extend the love of Christ directly to people in need. Thank you from the St. Vincent de Paul team at St. Frances Cabrini.



Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
October 19	October 20	October 21	October 22	October 23	October 24	October 25
	Alpha (Zoom) 6 pm	GENESIS Bible Study with Fr. Damian 7 pm (Live/Zoom)	Alpha Team Meeting (Zoom) 5:45 pm		Alpha Retreat (Zoom) 8 am	The Wild Goose 7 pm (Zoom)



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Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Oct. 20	11:30 AM	+Theresa Devroy
Wednesday, Oct. 21	11:30 AM	+Frank Catania
Thursday, Oct. 22	11:30 AM	+Virginia Tranisi
Friday, Oct. 23	11:30 AM	+Patricia Emmanuel
Saturday, Oct. 24	5:00 PM	+Frank Wilwerding
Sunday, Oct. 25	9:00 AM	+Joan Chonis
Sunday, Oct. 25	11:00 AM	+Joe Inserra
Sunday, Oct. 25	5:30 PM	Pro Populo

Other Masses Schedule

There are no Masses at St. Joseph's Villa or Tower at this time.

Reconciliation Schedule

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

Sick and Recovering

Please pray for the sick and those recovering including: Larry & Glenda Davis, Maddy Miller, 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.)

Stewardship

October 18, 2020

"Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's."
- MATTHEW 22:21

Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second, especially our money.

October 11-12

Sunday Tithe- Collections	\$	3,204.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	66.00
Organ Fund	\$	0.00
Improvement Fund	\$	8.00
Furnace Debt Reduction Fund	\$	168.00
St. Vincent de Paul Fund	\$	1,015.00

Community Events

Holy Hour for Vocations with Archbishop Lucas

The Serra Club of West Omaha invites all the faithful to join us for a special Holy Hour for Vocations with Archbishop George J. Lucas, Rev. Tom Weisbecker, and Rev. Frank Baumert on Monday, October 19th, at St. James Catholic Church, (4720 N. 90th St.). Together we will pray the rosary for vocations before the Blessed Sacrament, recite the Litany for Vocations, and spend time in silent adoration as we pray for an increase in vocations throughout the Archdiocese of Omaha. This special prayer event begins with a welcome reception at 6 pm, followed by the Holy Hour for Vocations at 7 pm. For questions, contact us at westomaha@serrainternational.org. All are welcome!

Healing Mass

His Global Love Prayer Communities will livestream a Healing Mass on Wednesday, October 21, beginning with praise and worship at 6:30 pm and Healing Mass to follow at 7 pm with Dr. Kevin Joyce and Fr. Michael Voithofer.

Bulletin Additions

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

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

As we enter into the final weeks before the election, it becomes increasingly difficult to have simple and pleasant conversations with neighbors and family members. There is no shortage of strong opinions floating around. We might be tempted to run and hide until sometime in late November.

In the midst of these current challenges, it is good to remember our roots. Christians are called to a higher duty than those expected of an ordinary citizen. In the early church, Christians kept quite a distance from the government. The early church's relationship to Rome was a mixed bag. St. Paul says that Christians should submit to the state, obey its laws, and pray for its leaders. Christians are to be good citizens. However, early Christians were also seen as enemies of the state.

The apostles publicly refused to submit to all laws when they conflicted with the way of Christ. Jesus, after all, had been killed by Roman authorities. How could his followers pledge any kind of allegiance to that government? Their refusal to honor public officials as divine got them arrested and sometimes killed.

One of the more radical teachings of Jesus that truly set his followers apart from all others was the command for us to love our enemies. Jesus compares loving our enemies to God's love for all people, the "just and the unjust". Jesus's call to love our enemies is inexhaustible; it demands we love each and every person on the planet.

Scholars tell us that Jesus's command to "love your enemies" was the most popular verse in the early church. It was quoted in 26 places by 10 different writers in the first 300 years of Christianity, which makes it the most celebrated command among the first Christians. Enemy-love was the hallmark of the Christian faith. Other religions taught that people should love their neighbors. They even taught forgiveness for those who wronged them. But loving your enemy? Only Jesus and his followers took love this far.

When early Christians were being martyred, they forgave those who took their lives. Rather than defending themselves or seeking ways to save their lives, they simply turned the other cheek as Jesus had taught. They loved the Roman Empire until their love conquered the empire. Disciples loved in this way because that was the way Jesus had loved them. It was only through the love of Jesus that this radical kind of love could be lived out. Their powerful love was what transformed the lives of those who encountered them.

It may feel like the gladiatorial arena is back, especially in politics. Maybe our love of our enemies can begin to change that again. One thing for sure, loving our enemies will change our hearts. A changed heart changes our words and our actions. Try it.

Peace,

Fr. Damian