

Important Dates to Remember

Everyone returns back to school Monday, February 1st.

The Scholastic Book Fair will be online the week of January 25th. Use this link:

<https://forms.gle/W7jgDvKsi6FXWCfQ6>



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.

Come and See Class to Begin in January

We will be starting a class for those who would like to know more about the Catholic faith and/or join the Church family in January. Those desiring to join the Parish will be brought into the Church at Eastertime. Please contact Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org for more information.

Alpha (Offered via Zoom)

Explore the meaning of life with us on Tuesdays, from 6 to 7:15 PM for eleven weeks through March 30th (eleven weeks) including a day of retreat day Saturday, March 6th from 10:30 AM to 1 PM. Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the meaning of life and the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly, open, informal environment. It is for everyone, no matter where you are at in your faith. The weekly topics are designed to encourage conversation. No question is out of bounds and you are free to discuss as much or as little as you wish. This is the final week to register. For more information or to register, please contact Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org



The Marriage Course (aka Date Night) (Offered via Zoom)

Whether you've been married six months or 40 years, whether you're in a good place or struggling, The Marriage Course offers practical support to strengthen your relationship. Each Thursday night session from 7 PM to 9 PM, February 4th through March 18th (six weeks), includes a large group greeting, a video, and time for discussion between you and your spouse. For more information or to register, contact Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org

Exodus Lenten Bible Study with Fr. Damian (Limited in-person and via Zoom)

Save your Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8:30 PM to study the book of Exodus in both group discussion and a presentation by Fr. Damian. Location for in-person attendance is yet to be determined. Schedule is as follows:

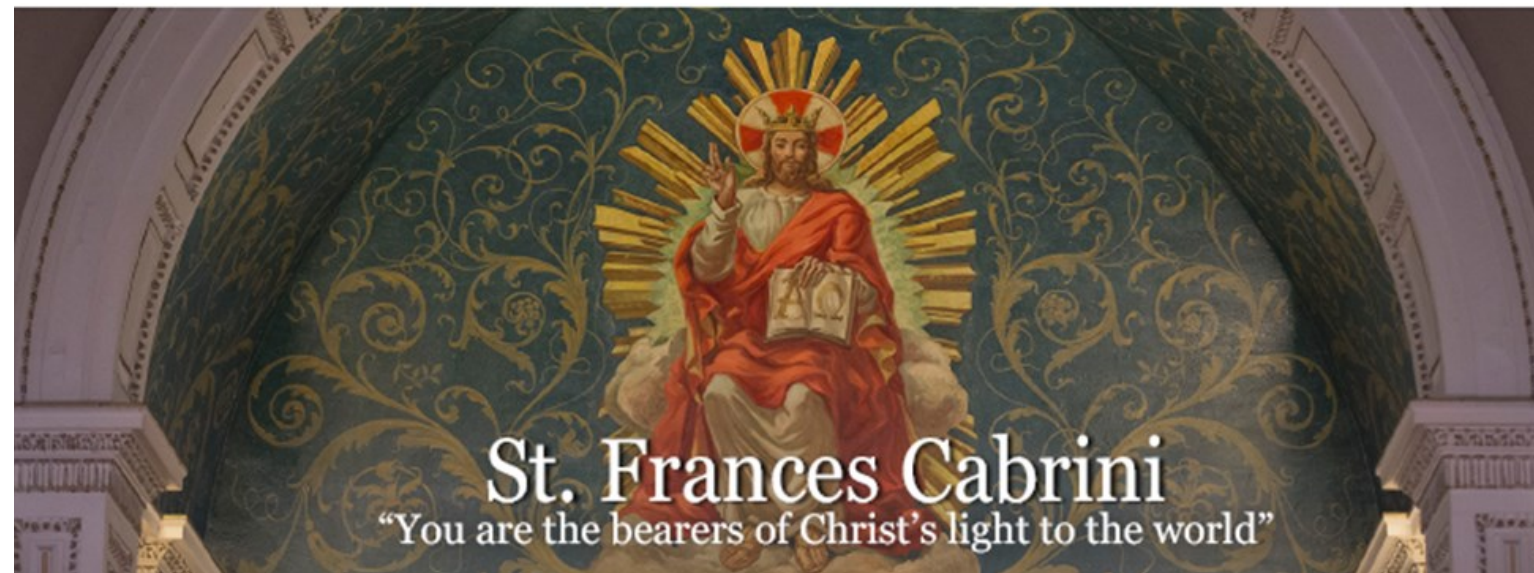
- February 10: Introduction to the study of the Book of Exodus
- February 17: Chapters 1-6, Moses and God
- February 24: Chapters 7-11, The Plagues
- March 3: Chapters 12-18, From Passover to Wilderness Wanderings
- March 10: Chapters 19-24, Law and Covenant
- March 17: Chapters 25-33, Plan for the Tabernacle
- March 24: Chapters 34-40, Restoration of Israel

Life Runners Banquet

Join us Friday, February 19th at 6 PM for the Life Runners Banquet at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Event Center in Omaha. The speaker is Claire Culwell, abortion survivor and 2020 March for Life keynote, along with special guests Bishop Conley, Bishop Coffey, and Lt. Governor Foley. In-Person (Limited) and virtual tickets are available at liferunners.org/banquet. Join us, All in Christ for Pro Life!

Emmaus Retreat

Just as Jesus joined his distraught disciples on the road to Emmaus after his crucifixion, He joins us in our suffering and grief. The EMMAUS RETREAT is for all grieving parents whose children of any age have died by any cause, including miscarriage, no matter how long ago. The EMMAUS RETREAT will take place on Saturday, March 20 from 10:15 AM to 3:30 PM. Join us virtually, or in person at St. Patrick's Elkhorn, for a spiritual retreat focused on the fact that life for your child has changed, not ended. Space limited. Please email Erin Keller, St. Patrick's Director of Faith Formation, at ekeller@stpatsekhn.org. To register visit <https://www.emfgp.org/registration/>



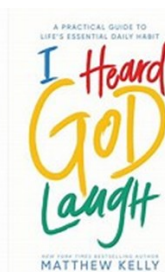
**The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 24, 2021**

Anointing of the Sick Offered

Beginning next Sunday, January 31st, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered during the 11 AM Mass the last Sunday of every month at St. Frances Cabrini. The Anointing of the Sick is administered to bring spiritual and even physical strength during an illness, especially near the time of death. It is a rite that is performed to convey God's grace to the recipient, through the power of the Holy Spirit. The Church offers this Sacrament to all members who are seriously ill. This Sacrament may be received more than once but should not be received frequently. If you or one of your family members desires the Sacrament, please attend this Mass or call the Cabrini Parish Office at (402) 934-7706.

New Ministries at Cabrini

While 2020 brought new challenges, it also brought new insights and ministries to St. Frances Cabrini. Please prayerfully consider if the Lord might be calling you to share by serving in one of these new ministries. If you sense the call or would like more information, please reach out to Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or call the parish office at (402) 934 7706. **Prayer Ministry** is our response to the scriptural call to "Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God" (Phillipians 4:6). **Bereavement Ministry** is an outreach ministry to support our parishioners who are mourning the death of a loved one. Bereavement ministers strive to be compassionate heart and hands of Christ, walking beside and supporting one another. **Love Does Ministry** is love in action. When God calls people to love, God doesn't call people to just think about or have meetings about it. Instead, Love Does.



Fireside Chat

Join the online chat as we discuss the Christmas book *I Heard God Laugh: A Practical Guide to Life's Essential Daily Habit*. Tune in on Facebook or YouTube live for our final week this Wednesday, January 27th, from 7-8 PM. We will be discussing Part Five: The God Who Gave Us Laughter.

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
January 25	January 26	January 27	January 28	January 29	January 30	January 31
	Alpha 6 PM (Zoom)	Fireside Chat 7 PM (Live on Facebook or on You Tube)			Liturgy Meeting 9 AM	Anointing of the Sick at 11 AM Mass



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Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Jan. 26	11:30 AM	+Lorraine Mausbach
Wednesday, Jan. 27	11:30 AM	+Joseph Anthony Venditte
Thursday, Jan. 28	11:30 AM	+Joan Chonis
Friday, Jan. 29	11:30 AM	+Jeanie Pietramale
Saturday, Jan. 30	5:00 PM	+Nigro-Post Families Living & Deceased
Sunday, Jan. 31	9:00 AM	+Adrian & Robert La Pouré
Sunday, Jan. 31	11:00 AM	Nancy Pride, Healing
Sunday, Jan. 31	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)

Bulletin Additions

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

Sick and Recovering

Please pray for the sick and those recovering including: Dan Gillespie, Joseph Setlak, Lisa Reboloso, Barbara Burton, 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.

Stewardship

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." - MARK 1:17

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then Jesus' call to *"Follow me"* is a call to all Christians! The call is in the here and now, in our present circumstances, not when we think we are "ready" or have everything in order. Good stewardship of our God-given gifts means that things aren't always going to go according to our schedule and that God has a much better plan in store for each of us.

Weekly Collections January 16-17

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	Will be published in next week's bulletin.
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	
Organ Fund	\$	
Improvement Fund	\$	
Furnace Debt Reduction Fund	\$	
St. Vincent de Paul Fund	\$	

Healing Mass

His Global Love Prayer Communities will livestream a Healing Mass on Wednesday, February 10, beginning with praise and worship at 6:30 PM, and Healing Mass to follow at 7 PM. Fr. Kevin Joyce from His Global Love and Fr. Michael Voithofer from Ablaze Worship Ministry will be leading and presiding. To view please go to <http://www.youtube.com>, then type in "His Global Love" into the search bar and then click on live video for February 10, 2021 Healing Mass.

Pro-Life Essay Contest

Give voice to your pro-life values! The Archdiocese Pro-Life Essay Contest is now taking entries from students grades 7-11. 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.

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

Let me continue our discussion from last week on the Sacrament of the Sick. We will now be offering the Sacrament at the 11:00 Mass on the last Sunday of every month.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one of the ways Jesus assists us in life and offers his divine help. Through this Sacrament, Jesus offers his courage, strength, and healing—including spiritual healing in the forgiveness of sins. Jesus is with us, his Church, as members face the difficulties inherent in being human.

The Church recommends that the Sacrament be celebrated with a gathering of the Christian faithful. While it can be administered by a priest with only the sick person present, it is best if family and friends are gathered as a sign of the Church's concern. Obviously, if the Sacrament is being offered in a home and the person wishes to receive Reconciliation as a part of the Sacrament, then others would leave during the confession of sin and return afterwards. Suffering has a communal aspect. If one person suffers, all suffer. The Sacrament is intended to address and heal the suffering of all.

The ritual of the Sacrament involves a laying on of hands and an anointing with the Oil of the Infirm, first, on the forehead, and then on the palm of the hands, with the words: "Through this holy anointing may the Lord in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up."

Ideally, Catholics should be "up-to-date" on their Sacraments long before death or the danger of death ensues. Every Catholic who faces death, whether sudden, or at the end of a long illness, should be able to say they have recently received Eucharist, and that Reconciliation has been celebrated within a reasonable period of time. Further, those who are ill and have not died suddenly and unexpectedly, ought to have been anointed at some time prior to death. There is no need to wait until the last moment. In such cases, there is no emergency need to summon the priest, for the Anointing has already been provided. Emergency Anointings ought to be reserved for those who are suddenly stricken or for those who are in accidents.

How we will provide this Sacrament at Mass - will be as follows: After the period of silence following the homily, the deacon will invite those who would like to be anointed to stand (if they are incapable of standing, then someone near them should stand in their place). A prayer of healing will be prayed over all those who are standing. The priest will then move into the congregation to those who are standing, once by them he will place his hands on their head and pray silently for a moment, then he will anoint their forehead and hands with the holy oil while the formula of the Sacrament is being spoken. Those who are sitting near the person to be anointed are invited to extend their hands over the person while the anointing is happening. This can all be done quite quickly and should not make the celebration of Mass extend much longer than usual. Again, this will be done only on the last Sunday of the month at the 11:00 Mass.

I hope that providing the Sacrament monthly at a Mass will allow more people to be anointed and receive the graces God brings through this Sacrament. As the Church teaches in the Catechism, "a *grace of this sacrament is one of strengthening, peace and courage to overcome the difficulties that go with the condition of serious illness or the frailty of old age. This grace is a gift of the Holy Spirit, who renews trust and faith in God and strengthens against the temptations of the evil one, the temptation to discouragement and anguish in the face of death.*"

Peace,

Fr. Damian