

Have a safe and Happy Summer!!

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.



Alpha (In Person)

The summer Alpha session for 21-35 year-olds, has begun and will conclude Tuesday August 10th. The Retreat day is on July 17th.

Registrations are now being accepted for Fall Alpha which will be in-person at the Cabrini Parish Center gym and is open to all ages and faiths. It will run Tuesdays from 6-8 pm, September 14th through November 23rd with the Retreat Day October 30th.

Contact Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org for information or to register.



SUMMER 2021 - Coffee and Conversation: *Let Us Dream* by Pope Francis

Please join us as we read and discuss Pope Francis's book, *Let Us Dream*. This Friday we will discuss Part Three (A Time to Act) and the Epilogue. We gather for one hour at 12 noon in the Cabrini Parish Center. All are welcome! Contact Deacon Doug at dalenz@archomaha.org or by calling the Parish Center at (402) 934-7706 with questions.

Catholic Charities Essential Festival

Join Catholic Charities of Omaha for a day of music, fun, food, and family festivities during the Second Annual Essential Festival, Friday, July 2, at SumTur Amphitheater in Papillion. The event is benefitting Catholic Charities and celebrating the organization's essential programs and services that help feed the hungry, raise people out of poverty, strengthen communities, and protect human dignity. Music performances by The Emmett Bower Band, Finest Hour, Oye Como Va, The String Beans, and Omaha Street Percussion are scheduled. Other activities include Cirque Du Soleil clowns, food, face painting, cheerleaders, and fire trucks. Gates open at 3 pm, and the event finishes with a fireworks show by Bellino Fireworks at 10:15 pm. More details and individual (\$25) and couple/family (\$50) tickets are available at www.essentialfest.org. Facility Covid requirements will be followed.

CEC Weekends

As a lay Catholic movement, guided by the Holy Spirit, Christians Encounter Christ (CEC) is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Omaha and helps advance the Pastoral Vision of "ONE Church: ENCOUNTERING Jesus, EQUIPPING disciples, and living MERCY." CEC is an opportunity for every Catholic or Christian who wishes to strengthen and ignite their faith! CEC is a combined effort of laity and clergy offering a personal encounter with Jesus over a 2 1/2 day weekend experience, beginning on Friday evening and ending on Sunday night. It is open to persons of all faiths. You are strengthened spiritually as you live and study with priests and laity with talks, discussion, prayer, and song. The upcoming weekend for Men is October 8-10, and for Women is October 15-17. Retreats are held at the Columban Fathers Retreat Center in the heart of Bellevue, NE. For more information, or to sign up for a retreat, visit the CEC website: www.cecomaha.org or Bob Thomsen, at sthomsen@cox.net or (402) 206-3411, or Cora Thelen, at corathelen@gmail.com or (402) 960-1020.

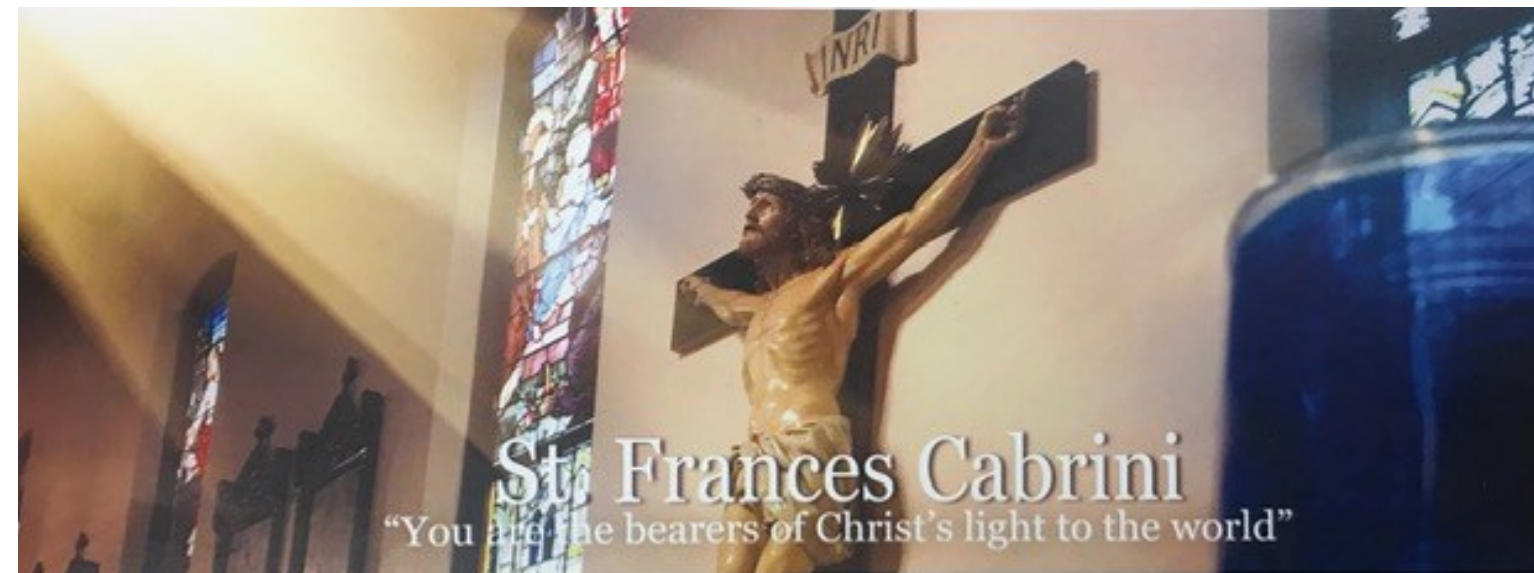
St. Pius X Clothing and Garage Sale

Ann's Attic Clothing Sale and Parish Garage Sale will be Thursday, July 15th from 8 am to 6:30 pm, Friday, July 16th from 8 am to 5 pm and Saturday, July 17th from 8 am to 12 noon at St. Pius X (69th & Blondo—enter off of 69th at Decatur St.). Ann's Attic will be in the school gym and packed full of gently used clothes for all ages and sizes. This year selling by the bag. FREE clothes Saturday morning!!

We will gladly accept your clean, used clothing of all sizes, linens, purses and shoes for the Ann's Attic Sale
Email: annsattic@stpiusxomaha.org

The Garage Sale in the O'Brien Parish Center is packed with many useful and unique items – all at low prices; some sold by the bag. Large items half price on Saturday morning!!

We will gladly take Garage Sale items. Email us for guidelines and hours. Email: garagesale@stpiusxomaha.org



**12th Sunday of Ordinary Time
June 20, 2021**

2021 MARRIAGE CELEBRATION

Archbishop George J. Lucas invites you to attend the annual Marriage Celebration on August 22nd at St. Cecilia's in Omaha or August 29th at St. Mary's in Norfolk. This event honors couples who are celebrating 1, 5, 25, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage with the rosary at 1:30 pm, Mass at 2 pm and a cake reception to follow. Register by July 12th at ArchOmaha.org/FamilyLife. Sponsored by the Evangelization and Family Life Office.

Church Restroom Closed for Remodeling

The church restroom is closed for remodeling until Friday, June 25th. The restrooms in the school basement across from the kitchen will be available during Sunday Masses. We are sorry for the inconvenience.

Festival Returns to Little Italy

For the first time in nearly two decades, the annual Santa Lucia Italian Festival will return to its home neighborhood. The 97th annual festival will be held near 10th & William Streets, in front of St Frances Cabrini Church and Sons of Italy. The festival committee was forced to move the festival from its most recent location at the Lewis & Clark Landing, due to the \$300 million riverfront revitalization project. The Santa Lucia Italian Festival originated in Omaha's Little Italy in 1925 and was located near 6th and Pierce streets throughout much of the festival's rich history. The festival committee has worked closely with the City of Omaha, neighbors and local neighborhood groups to ensure a successful event. The festival will run Thursday, July 8th through Sunday, July 11th. In recent years, the festival was held the first weekend in June. But, due to the pandemic, organizers pushed it back a month to allow for a less restrictive experience. Established in 1925, the Santa Lucia Festival is one of the Midwest's longest running festivals.

Happy Father's Day!

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June 21	June 22	June 23	June 24	June 25	June 26	June 27
Sodality 7 pm Parish Center Gym (use west door)	Young Adults Alpha 6 pm (in-person)			Coffee & Conversation 12 noon Part 3 & Epilogue of <i>Let Us Dream</i>		Anointing of the Sick at 11:00 Mass



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Cabrini Parish Center Offices open 9 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday, (402) 934-7706, 1248 South 10th Street, 68108

Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, June 22	11:30 AM	+Joseph Nuno
Wednesday, June 23	11:30 AM	+Rose Vatalaro
Thursday, June 24	11:30 AM	+Mary Scolaro
Friday, June 25	11:30 AM	+Helen Butera
Saturday, June 26	5:00 PM	+Deceased Members D'Agosta Family
Sunday, June 27	9:00 AM	+Mary Ellen McAndrews
Sunday, June 27	11:00 AM	+Deceased Members Vacanti Family
Sunday, June 27	5:30 PM	Pro Populo

Reconciliation Schedule

Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm
(northwest room)

Bulletin Additions

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

Prayer Ministry

If you would like to request prayer from our Prayer Team, for yourself or someone else, please contact Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org (402) 934-7706.

If you desire to be prayed with in-person, Prayer Ministers gather after the 11:30 am Mass the first Friday of every month to pray with and for intentions. You are always welcome!

Stewardship

12th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"He asked them, 'Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?'" – MARK 4:40

Do you really trust God? Is God your first choice or last resort? Is your faith something you just do on Sunday or do you live the Gospel message every day of the week? Many of us know about God. How many of us have a personal relationship with Him? Start now, open your heart to receive our Lord. Talk and listen to Him throughout the day, in all circumstances.

Weekly Collections June 12-13

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	5,131.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	118.00
Organ Fund	\$	61.00
Improvement Fund	\$	216.00
St. Vincent de Paul Fund	\$	85.00

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Thursday, July 1st: Taize Prayer at 8 pm.

Friday, July 2nd: Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team after 11:30 am Mass.

Monday, July 19th: Sodality.

Sunday, July 25th: Anointing of the Sick during 11 am Mass.

Monday, August 2nd: Alpha Connect at 6:30 pm. (No Alpha Connect in July due to holiday).

August 14th: Parish Party (more info to follow).

September 5th: Fr. Damian's 40th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration.

Thursdays, September 16th - October 28th: The Marriage Course (aka Date Night) via Zoom, 6 - 8 pm.

Sunday, October 17th: Fall Spaghetti Dinner.

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

I love watching young children interacting with their parents. It is often filled with loving, tender moments. Sadly, we do not remember those first few years of life. Like everyone else, my memories are vague and fragmentary, faded snapshots that are probably half-invented, based on things others told me and the mind's desire to fill in the blanks.

Psychologists have many theories as to why we do not have memories from those early years, but whatever the reason, it is sad that we do not remember such loving times. On occasion, I will hear a young man watching his own father now playing with his son, the grandchild, say something like, "my Dad has changed so much now as a grandfather, he never played with me like that when I was young." My guess is that he did but the son simply does not remember. We do remember how are parents are with us after we reach the age of seven – at a time when we are more likely to end up being disciplined. All those hours spent cuddling in the rocking chair are lost in the childhood haze.

Jesus frequently uses the image of a father to describe God and God's relationship with us. That should be a beautiful image. The problem is that, although I am right in picturing God as a father, the actual image that exists in my head portrays not a good, heavenly father, nor even a good earthly father, but an exaggerated version of a male who is demanding obedience, who wants a quiet house when he comes home from work. What we call to mind of "fathers" may hinder our relationship with God.

Perhaps we should observe fathers spending time with their small children to begin to get a better idea of what Jesus meant when he spoke of his Father's love for us. Or if you have your own small children, think about a time when you have come home from a trip or when you have been gone at work all day. Picture the look of joy that breaks forth on your children's faces, the shrieks of delight as they run toward you with arms spread wide, sometimes knocking you over with the force of their affection. I would imagine that there are few things in life that are as precious as lifting up your children in your arms and burying your face into their warm skin.

Imagine God doing that to you. And not just when you are young. God's love for you is immense at every age of your life. Remember the story Jesus told of the prodigal son? The father, when he saw his son returning, "while [the son] was yet at a distance," ran out to meet him and showered him with love and an embrace. He did not wait to hear the son admit that he had been wrong, he did not wait to see the son grovel and beg for forgiveness--he rejoiced at the repentance of his child.

This weekend, we celebrate our fathers and men who have served as father figures in our lives, living and deceased. We honor them for the dedicated love they offered to us when we were young and as we grew older. We recall the place of fathers in our lives and the guidance they offered. We acknowledge their mistakes and limitations, their presence and absence. We value how they helped us ride that bike and bandaged our skinned knees. From earliest diaper changes, to making lunches, to walking brides down the aisle . . . our fathers have been integrally involved in our lives. This weekend we say thank you. Thank you, for in some small way you gave us an image of how greatly we are loved by our God.

Thanks.

Amen to dads.

Peace,

Fr. Damian