All Saints Catholic School News

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All Saints Catholic School Collections

All Saints Catholic School is still collecting Supermercado and Family Fare Receipts, Our Family UPCs, Coke product lids and pop tabs. Please drop these off at the School or the Cabrini Parish Center reception desk.



No School Wednesday, April 13 through Sunday, April 24.

All Saints Beauty and the Beast Performance at Holy Name, Thursday, April 28, 7 pm.

Preparing for Our Summer Alpha Course

Are you, or do you know someone age 21 to 35 who is looking for a place to gather with others that age to talk about the big questions in life—Is there a God? Who is Jesus? What about the Holy Spirit?, etc. Maybe God is an unknown? Maybe you/they know God but are looking to form new friendships? Maybe you/they just want to gather with others in that age group... Summer Alpha is for you/them! It begins Tuesdays at the Cabrini Parish Center gym, from 6-8 pm, May 31 - August 9, with Retreat Day on July 16. It's free. It includes a full meal (we do accept free-will donations to help cover food costs). It's life-changing! Registration forms can be found in the back of Church, or contact Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or call the Parish Center at (402) 934-7706.

Have a Blessed Holy Week!

Easter 2022 Flower Donations

If you would like to remember loved ones or raise up thankfulness for blessings received, please consider an Easter flower donation this Easter season. Please fill out the form below, place it and your donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" and drop it in the offertory collection baskets. Any level of donation is gratefully appreciated and will be used for our Easter environment. Thank you.

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Fr. Damian's Lenten Bible Study on the Acts of the Apostles, Wednesdays from 7-8:30 pm, through April 20 (no April 13)

Sodality Community Meeting (3rd Monday of month) 6:30 pm April 18, May 16, June 20, July 18

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Thursday of the month), 7-8 pm, April 21, May 19, June 16

Cabrini Family Dinner (Monthly), 6-8 pm, April 24, May 15

Meal Service at Siena Francis House one Thursday each month. Contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com), April 28, May 26

Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8-9 pm, May 5, June 2, July 7

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team after the 11:30 am Mass (First Friday of the month) May 6, June 3, July 1

First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, May 7, June 4, July 2

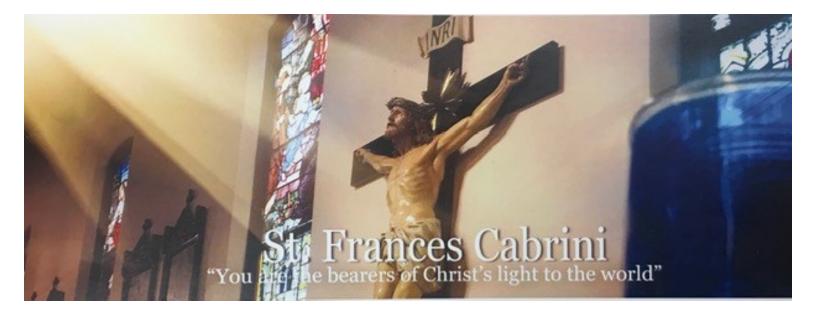
Summer Alpha Session for Young Adults (ages 21-35) begins Tuesdays, May 31 through August 9, 6-8 pm. Retreat Day is Saturday July 16

Santa Lucia Festival, 10th & Williams Streets, July 21-24

Christ Our Life Conference, September 24 - 25. Watch for Information on a "Watch Party", live-streaming the event at Cabrini.

Fall Spaghetti Dinner, October 16, Noon – 6 pm

Flowers for Easter (2022) Your name (Please print) In Remembrance of In Thankfulness for



Palm Sunday April 10, 2022

Spaghetti Dinner TODAY, 12 noon-6 pm

Blessings to all who have worked, and are working today, to make this dinner a success! Let's keep the Tradition going...

No After-Dinner Sales of Meatballs and Sauce

Please buy all the extra meatballs and sauce you will want at the dinner today as there will be NO sales on following weekends. Also, if you are purchasing large amounts of food, please bring a box or tray to carry your purchases as we have a limited supply this time. Thanks!

Holy Week & Easter Schedule

Additional opportunities for **Reconciliation**/Confession are this Tuesday and Wednesday, April 12 and 13, from 10-11 am and 4-5 pm. (No Saturday confessions).

Holy Thursday Services are April 14, beginning at 7 pm (live-streamed). The **Adoration Altar** will be open following the Mass, until midnight, in the Teacher's Lounge area in the school.

Good Friday includes the Stations of the Cross at 12 noon, and full services at 3 pm (live-streamed).

Clean Church, decorate for Easter Saturday, April 16, starting at 8 am. All are welcome.

Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil Services begin at 8 pm.

Easter Sunday Masses are at 9 am (live-streamed) and 11 am. (No evening Mass).

To recap the **live-streamed services**: Thursday at 7 pm, Friday at 3 pm, and Sunday at 9 am.

Cabrini Parish Center Closings

The Cabrini Parish Center will be closed Good Friday and Easter Monday, April 15 and 18, for the Easter holiday.

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
April 11	April 12	April 13	April 14	April 15	April 16	April 17
	Confessions 10-11 am and 4-5 pm	Confessions 10-11 am and 4-5 pm No Bible Study this week	Holy Thursday Services 7 pm	Stations 12 noon Good Friday Services 3 pm Parish Center Closed	Clean & Decorate Church 8 am Easter Vigil 8 pm	Easter Sunday



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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 Website: www.stcabriniomaha.org

Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule						
Tuesday, Apr. 12	11:30 AM	+Frank & Marge Wilwerding				
Wednesday, Apr. 13	11:30 AM	+Al Reinig				
Thursday, Apr. 14	7:00 PM	+Mark Johnson				
Friday, Apr. 15	3:00 PM	Good Friday Services. NO MASS.				
Saturday, Apr. 16	8:00 PM	Pro Populo				
Sunday, Apr. 17	9:00 AM	Maggie & Robert Johansen (Blessings)				
Sunday, Apr. 17	11:00 AM	Leonard, Patty & Bridget Arenas				
Sunday, Apr. 17	5:30 PM	NO MASS				

Reconciliation Schedule

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

Bulletin Additions

To have information published in the upcoming bulletin, please email <u>bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com</u> 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

Palm Sunday

"...I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me. "(LUKE 22:34) How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet not to cause a disturbance? Or, because you don't want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don't think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful dialogue when the opportunity arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

Weekly Collections

April 2-3

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Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	9,855.00	
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	25.00	
Organ Fund	\$	40.00	
Improvement Fund	\$	557.00	
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	653.00	

Feast of Divine Mercy, Sunday, April 24

"The Second Sunday of Easter henceforth throughout the church will also be called Divine Mercy Sunday." (Pope John Paul II, April 30, 2000).

To observe the Feast of Divine Mercy, you should sincerely repent of your sins, place your complete trust in Jesus, go to confession (on the feast day, or 20 days before or after if in a state of grace on the feast day), receive Holy Communion on the feast day, venerate (show religious respect to) the Divine Mercy Image, and be merciful to others through actions and words, and pray on their behalf. Our Lord Jesus also asks the Feast of Mercy be preceded by a novena to the Divine Mercy, which begins on Good Friday. "By this novena I will grant souls all possible graces." Each day of the novena has a particular intention to pray for, and you can find the novena online. You can participate live in Divine Mercy devotions at St. Thomas More Church (4802 Grover St.) Exposition starts at 11:30 am, followed by rosary at 1 pm, Chaplet at 2 pm, Mass at 3 pm, confessions from 12:30-3 pm. More information can be found on the yellow papers at the back of church. Devotions are also being held at Christ the King Church (654 S. 86th St.) from 2-6 pm. They include talks, procession, adoration, benediction, chaplet, rosary and Mass with Archbishop Emeritus Eldon Francis Curtis. Please call (402) 498-9871 for more information.

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

My first trip to Israel happened in 2001 while the second Intifada was happening, which made tourists in the Holy Land almost non-existent. I spent that Good Friday afternoon sitting and praying in the courtyard of Caiaphas' house all by myself. On that very spot two betrayals had taken place: Judas had accepted thirty pieces of silver from the high priests to betray Jesus, and Peter had denied Jesus three times while Jesus was on trial before the Sanhedrin.

Sitting alone in the courtyard overlooking the Kidron Valley, I had plenty of time to reflect on how often we betray Jesus, how often I had betrayed Jesus. Reflecting on my sins and failures is not something I enjoy doing, but I know if I get better at naming my betrayals, I will do a better job at avoiding them in the future.

We do not know why Judas betrayed Jesus. There have been many theories as to what his final goal may have been. We do know that he disappears with the other disciples when Jesus is arrested. Perhaps he wanted to look like he was just one of the other disciples and in the chaos appeared innocent. Judas might have been relying on being able to tell the other apostles later, "The soldiers secretly followed me! I can't believe it!" So, too, do we sometimes crave a plausible excuse to do evil in front of others and not be held accountable. We blame our evil on someone else, the soldiers or the government, even while we secretly gain from it. We sigh and weep while we profit from it, keep confrontation at bay, and close ourselves off. We desire an excuse, and we delight in a reasonable story which accounts for our evil. We have our many excuses ready for when we see Jesus. "Not our fault, never our fault."

At the same time, we want to remain close to Jesus. Both Judas and Peter follow Jesus secretly after his arrest. Judas is present to see Pilate condemn Jesus and Peter follows at a distance, keeping abreast of the results of the arrest, even while he does not want to be named a friend with Jesus. Peter wants to be near Christ, but he is terrified to accept the fate which comes with it. Peter wants to love Christ, even as he fails to do so. Peter wants to be a safe distance from Christ, close enough that he might mourn when Christ is executed, but far away enough that he might escape execution himself. Every person is tempted to be like Peter. We have sworn our fidelity to Christ and then broken our oath. We huddle far enough away from Christ that we will not be held accountable for His actions and words. We like Christianity from a distance, we do not want to change our thinking and living.

If we are honest, we have to admit that what happened that first Holy Week is really not that far from us. The denial of Christ is both the betrayal of God and the betrayal of ourselves. The sin of denial runs deep in us; not only do we deny God, we deny the truth. We are angered by the truth, embarrassed by the truth, ashamed of the truth. The truth reveals our own limitations, the shallowness of our perception, the nagging uncertainty of the beliefs of which we claim to be most sure, and the incompleteness of our 'Yes'.

Like Peter and Judas, we tend to turn away and not look Jesus in the face because if we did, then we would have to acknowledge the truth. Wonderfully, in spite of our betrayal, Jesus offers us loving forgiveness. He remains faithful while we turn away. Even when we nail him to a cross, he rises to let us know we are loved and called to so much more.

As our Lent comes to an end, let us pick up both our failures and successes and join Jesus for the Holy Week ceremonies. With Jesus it is never too late to start again.

Peace,

Fr. Damian

Vocations Mass. Meeting and Mixer

The Serra Club of West Omaha invites you to join us for Holy Mass on Monday, April 18, at 5:30 pm at the JPII Newman Center (1221 S. 71st Street in Omaha), to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and consecrated religious life within the Archdiocese of Omaha. Mass will be celebrated by Rev. Dan Andrews, Director and Pastor of the JPII Newman Center, assisted by Rev. Frank Baumert, Chaplain of the Serra Club of West Omaha. Following Mass, we will enjoy a one-hour *Meeting & Mixer*. Our speaker at the meeting will be Rev. Padraic Stack, Associate Pastor of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Elkhorn. Light refreshments, appetizers, pizza, and sweet treats will be provided. All are welcome! To ensure we have enough food, kindly RSVP here to attend:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C4FA9AC22A7FD0-serra10 For questions, contact John Lingo, Serra VP, (402) 290-4670 or John@JLingoLaw.com. Learn more at serrawestomaha.org.