

All Saints Catholic School Collections

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Holy Hour for Vocations with Archbishop Lucas

Join the Serra Club of West Omaha for a special *Holy Hour for Vocations with Archbishop George J. Lucas* at St. John Vianney Catholic Church (5801 Oak Hills Drive, Omaha). Together we will pray a rosary for vocations before the Blessed Sacrament. We will also 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 evening begins with a welcome reception and refreshments at 6 pm. Our speaker at the reception will be Rev. Eliot Schwer, Associate Pastor of St. Cecilia Cathedral, who will share the story of his call to the priesthood and the inspiration to start a citywide Holy Hour for young adults, Veni, at the Cathedral. At 7 pm we will gather in the sanctuary for the Holy Hour for Vocations. Please invite your family, friends, and guests to join us! *All are welcome!* RSVP to help us plan for success at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4CAAA72BA6FECF8-holy>. If you are interested in helping to build the Church locally through vocations support, contact Bruce Jefferies, Serra VP, (402) 521-4262 or bjefferies16117@gmail.com. Learn more at serrawestomaha.org and follow us on Facebook @serrawestomaha. *"Here is the rule for everyday life. Do not do anything which you cannot offer to God." ~ St. John Vianney ~*

Holy Family Shrine Celebrates 20 Years with *Life Is Beautiful*

Throughout the month of October, the LIFE IS BEAUTIFUL: VISUAL & PERFORMING ART SHOW is occurring at the Holy Family Shrine (231332 Pflug Road, Gretna). Visit the Shrine to view and purchase beautiful Catholic art created by local artists. Visual art will be available during regular business hours, 10 am to 5 pm Monday-Saturday and 12 noon to 5 pm on Sunday. Musicians/performance art will be available on select weekend days. There will be a live performance sampler Saturday, October 1 at 7 pm and Sunday, October 2 at 2 pm. Find the entire schedule at <https://www.fellowshipofcatholicartists.com/schedule.html>

United We Walk

United We Walk is a walk for an inclusive Omaha, today, September 11 from 3 to 6 pm at the Tri-Faith Initiative (13136 Faith Plaza). It is free. Sign up at TRIFAITH.ORG/WALK. It is family-friendly with food trucks, entertainment, a journey around the Commons, open houses, and a special performance by the River City mixed chorus. One of the Grand Marshals, Preston Love, used his community column in the Omaha World Herald to discuss the importance of uniting together, and dedicated his column to United We Walk. This was published Sunday, and will be promoted on our social media pages.

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Fall Alpha Session for all ages, Tuesdays, September 13 through November 22, 6-8 pm, Retreat day Saturday, October 29

Meal Service at Siena Francis House on a Thursday each month. If interested, contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com, September 22, October 27, November 17, December 22

Christ Our Life Conference, September 24 - 25. Live in Des Moines, Iowa, or a "Watch Party", live-streaming the event at Cabrini.

Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass) September 25, October 30, November 27

Pastoral Conference 2022, 9 am to 12:30 pm, Saturday, October 1, live-streamed in Parish Center gym

First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, October 1, November 5, December 3

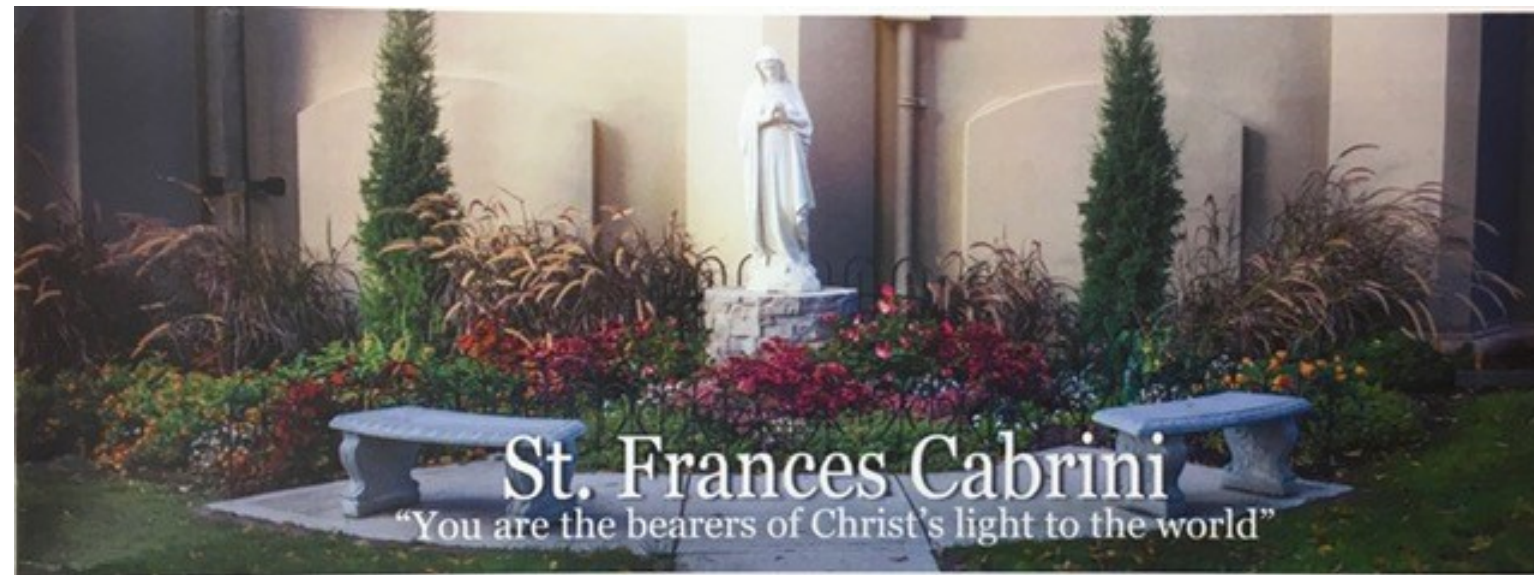
Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8 pm, October 6, November 3, December 1

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team after the 11:30 am Mass (First Friday of the month) October 7, November 4, December 2

Fall Spaghetti Dinner, October 16, Noon – 6 pm

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Thursday of the month), 7-8 pm, October 19, November 16, December 21

Cabrini Family Dinner (Monthly), 6-8 pm, October 23



**Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 11, 2022**

Cabrini Family Dinner Next Sunday

Join us September 18 from 6-8 pm to share the Sabbath with your Cabrini family and friends for a pot-luck dinner in the Cabrini Parish Center gym. Invite your friends and neighbors too. Chicken will be provided for this dinner. Going to Mass at 5:30 pm? No problem! Just drop your food off at the gym on your way to Mass and come back over after Mass to eat. We've had numerous requests for recipes for the wonderful dishes that have been brought to the dinner. If you are willing to share your recipe, please bring a copy and we'll set them out for those who want the recipe. Hope to see you there as we honor the Lord together. Gail Klimek will be sharing his testimony with us around 7 pm.

Alpha

Fall Alpha, for all ages, starts this Tuesday! It will run through November 22, with the Retreat Day on October 29. The Fall session is offered in-person in the Cabrini Center gym. A full dinner is provided, followed by a video and group discussion. Save your Tuesday evenings and join us from 6-8 pm. To register, contact Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org or call the Cabrini Parish Center at (402) 934-7706. See you there!

Spaghetti Dinner October 16

Calling all Cabrini Communities, parishioners, and friends of St. Frances Cabrini Church! It is that time of year again... Fall weather is a-comin', Fall sports are here, and the October 16th—Cabrini Spaghetti Dinner planning has begun! Communities pull together, work together, encourage each other, and help each other whenever the need arises. Our Spaghetti Dinner is an event that needs the entire St. Frances Cabrini community to "pitch in" however, wherever, or whenever you can for the total benefit of the students at All Saints School. Whether it be rolling meatballs, making sauce, cooking bones and onions, cooking the pasta, making the biscotti, helping to serve guests, helping to seat guests, filling cannolis, filling takeout containers, setting up the gym, baking treats for the bake sale, working at the bake sale, cleaning up afterwards---no kidding, we need lots of help! You can go to SignUp Genius via our website stcabriniomaha.org for the complete listing of all your chances to help. We are looking forward to meeting and welcoming "new" Spaghetti Dinner team members and welcoming back "veteran" Spaghetti Dinner team members. All are welcome!

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
September 12	September 13	September 14	September 15	September 16	September 17	September 18
	Alpha 6 pm		Eucharistic Adoration 7 pm			Cabrini Family Dinner 6 pm



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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

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Liturgy and Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Sept. 13	11:30 AM	+Dan Gillespie
Wednesday, Sept. 14	11:30 AM	+Mark Johnson
Thursday, Sept. 15	11:30 AM	+Nick Butts & Gene Cost
Friday, Sept. 16	11:30 AM	+JoAnn Feeney
Saturday, Sept. 17	5:00 PM	+Deceased Members Calabro, Dellutri & Schroeder Families
Sunday, Sept. 18	9:00 AM	+Deceased Members Shileny Family
Sunday, Sept. 18	11:00 AM	+Deceased Members Santa Lucia
Sunday, Sept. 18	5:30 PM	Maggie & Robert Johansen (Blessings)

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

Weekly Collections September 3-4

Sunday Tithes— Collections	\$	8,197.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	155.00
Organ Fund	\$	35.00
Improvement Fund	\$	598.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	125.00

CBGO September Social/Mixer

You are welcome to attend this social event and share conversation, create business connections and learn from others about Catholic resources here in Omaha. There is no RSVP for this event. Just bring your Catholic friends and business associates.

Date: Thursday, September 15

Place: OCI Office Building Terrace (4221 North 203rd Street, Elkhorn)

Time: 4:30 to 6:30 pm

Cost: No fee. Beverages and snacks available

Pastoral Conference

The Archdiocesan annual Pastoral Conference is being held this year on October 1 from 9 am to 12:30 pm. We are all invited! Join us in the Cabrini Parish Center gym as we live-stream the conference. Our own Fr. Damian and Ann Lenz are among the speakers. If you can join us, please let the reception desk know, (402) 934-7706. Questions? Contact Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org

Life Chain Sunday

Pro-life is Pro-love, Pro-woman, Pro-information. Make a prayerful statement and defend life by participating in the annual Life Chain on Sunday October 2nd, from 2-3 pm. St. Frances Cabrini's spot is on Dodge Street, north side, west of Crossroads. This is a peaceful/prayerful demonstration and so all forms of yelling and confrontation are discouraged. However, smiling and waving as well as singing hymns joyfully are highly encouraged! Pregnant and parenting moms in need are in our parishes and our neighborhoods. As Pope Francis reminds us, our parishes need to be "islands of mercy in the midst of a sea of indifference."

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

You may recall that Pope Francis asked the entire Catholic Church to enter into a process of reflection as part of a synod on the Church itself. Each diocese was to engage their people and then to submit their results to their national church who in turn would submit the responses to the Vatican in preparation for the full meeting. Our parish participated in the diocesan process by hosting our own listening session and encouraging all parishioners to do the online instrument and let the Church know what you are thinking and feeling.

The Archdiocese recently published their summary statement of what was sent on from Omaha to the United States Bishop's Office and will be included in the presentation to the Vatican. I am going to presume that most of you have not gone to the Archdiocesan website to read the summary. And so, I am going to use this space for the next few Sundays to give you a summary of the summary.

The synod questionnaire was completed by 7,678 persons and approximately 500 people participated in listening sessions. The ages of the participants were: 13 to 18-year-olds: 22%, 19-35-year-olds: 9%, 36-50-year-olds: 16%, 51-65-year-olds: 23%, over 65-year-olds: 29%, unknown: 1%. Most of the respondents were active Catholics. While it was hoped that there would be a more substantial response from people who no longer consider themselves Catholic and Catholics who do not participate in the life of the Church, it did not happen. To present a holistic viewpoint of all Catholics as requested by Pope Francis, comments were used to amplify the voice of non-practicing Catholics, those who no longer consider themselves Catholics, and non-Catholics.

One of the high points of the diocesan phase of the synod was the many people who said their lives were blessed by participating in the life and mission of the Church. Another high point was the enthusiasm of those who attended listening sessions (that was very true of our listening session at Cabrini). Those on the peripheries were particularly grateful that their opinion was sought since that does not often happen. Many respondents expressed a genuine interest in evangelizing and sharing their faith with non-Catholics or fallen-away Catholics. These are people who consider themselves highly engaged in the life of their parish, are joyful, and eager to share that joy with others. Many respondents, who wrote comments, expressed genuine respect and admiration for Archbishop Lucas. They believe he is an exceptional shepherd to the people of the Archdiocese. Some people, particularly in the rural areas, expressed wanting to have more access to the archbishop.

One of the most important points of concern was the clear divide between members of the archdiocese. Some consider the Church too liberal and others too conservative. Some respondents see Pope Francis pushing a liberal agenda and hostile toward those who want a Latin Mass. They believe that the Church is following the culture instead of leading it. On the other side of the spectrum, some respondents said that the Church alienates people because it does not accept same-sex marriage, makes it too difficult to get an annulment, and is too conservative.

Some sources of tension in the local Church fell along the rural/urban divide. The majority of respondents, who live in the rural areas and submitted comments, believe that the archdiocese invests more time and money into urban parishes, and they are often ignored. Some noted the numerous pleas for money from their parish and the archdiocese are annoying, as are many mailings from the archdiocese.

More to come next week...stay tuned...

Peace,

Fr. Damian