All Saints Catholic School News

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#### All Saints Catholic School Collections

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#### School News

All Saints Catholic School office hours are 7:30 am to 4 pm. School hours are 8 am - 3:15 pm. No School February 16

## **Kindergarten Round-up**

All Saints will host a Kindergarten Round-up on Friday, February 23rd. Please go to the website allsaintses.org for more information and call the School Office at (402) 346-5757 to register.

## Nebraskans Embracing Life 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Celebration of Life

Nebraskans Embracing Life invites you to join them for their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Life Celebration on January 31st, with 5:30 pm Social and 6:30 pm Dinner and Program, at the St. Vincent de Paul Parish Center (14330 Eagle Run Drive). The keynote speaker is Lincoln Bishop Emeritus Fabian Bruskewitz, introduced by Bishop James Conley of the Diocese of Lincoln. Support them with your sponsorship, advertising, reservations, or donations at

www.NebraskansEmbracingLife.org Join the rally to defend life with dozens of faithful pro-life leaders, in a common fight for life in Nebraska against the proposed abortion on demand up to birth amendment, likely to be on the November ballot and likely to become law in Nebraska without divine intervention. Follow updated information at their website and at www.SaveTheBabyKillTheBallot.com or call (402) 399-0299. You can also watch LIFEstreamed from their website. Silent auction items can be found at 222.LifeJewelry.org

#### **Music in Catholic Schools Benefit Dance**

Music in Catholic Schools (the Omaha Archdiocese  $5^{\text{th}} - 8^{\text{th}}$  grade band program) has one large fundraiser per year, and it is coming fast! February 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 7:30 to 10 pm (doors open at 6 pm) at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Center (5419 N. 114th Street). They would love to have a full house – it is a fun night with music by the Swingtones. The cost is only \$15 per adult, \$10 per student or senior citizen age 65 and up. There are free swing dance lessons (6:15-7:15 pm), snacks, drinks, desserts, and a silent auction. A fun and inexpensive evening ! Contact Annette Wallace at (402) 827-3724 or email her at amwallace@archomaha.org if you have questions.

## **Update from Holy Family Shrine**

We hope you're staying safe and warm! The snow and cold is affecting the progress of work on the interior of the Holy Family Shrine Chapel. Due to this, we do not anticipate completing the necessary maintenance until the end of February. The limited hours for visiting the Shrine will remain in effect until the end of February. January-February Visiting Hours: Friday-Monday - Open 10 am to 5 pm. Tuesday to Thursday - CLOSED. No Saturday Mass. Visits to the Chapel will be limited to looking in the doors. Spending time in the Chapel will not be possible.

## Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Come & See, for those interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, Sundays after 5:30 pm Mass, through Easter

Winter Alpha for Young Adults Tuesdays, 6-8 pm, through March 26, Day-Away is March 2

Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8 pm, February 1, March 7, April 4

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team (First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass) February 2, March 1, April 5

First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, February 3, March 2, April 6

Ash Wednesday, Lent begins, February 14

Meal Service at Siena Francis House, Monday, February 12th, Thursdays: May 16, August 15, December 19. If interested, contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com

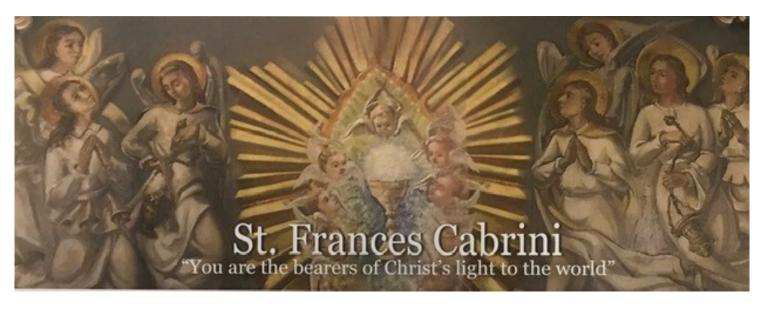
Eucharistic Adoration (Third Saturday of the month), 3:30 - 4:30 pm, February 17, March 16

Cabrini Family Dinner (on selected months), 6 - 8 pm, February 18, March 17, April 28

SFC Lenten Mission: A Deeper Yes Thursdays at 7 pm for 5 weeks: February 22, 29, March 7, 14, and 21

Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass) February 25, March 24, April 28

Spring Spaghetti Dinner, April 21, 12 noon - 6 pm



## **Cabrini Family Dinner This Sunday**

Cabrini Family Potluck Dinners will resume this Sunday, January 21st, at 6 pm. In honor of winter, let's make casseroles! Bring your own beverages. Kimberly Kuszak will share with us around 7 pm. Doors will open at 5 pm for those dropping off food before Mass. All are welcome!

## Come and See

It's not too late! If you, or someone you know, is interested in joining the Catholic Church, interested in learning more about what the Catholic Church teaches, are Catholic but have been away from the Church for awhile, were baptized Catholic but never confirmed—*Come and See* is for you! We are offering *Come and See* for interested persons on Sundays, following the 5:30 pm Mass. These classes will occur weekly through Easter. It's not too late to join us! The content will focus on the core areas of the Catholic faith. Those desiring to become Catholic or to complete their sacraments will be brought into the Church at Easter. Please reach out to Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or (402) 312-3550 or Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org This Sunday the group will start their meeting at the Cabrini Family Dinner.

## Last Call for Young Adults Alpha, Ages 21-35

Our Alpha course for young adults ages 21-35 is Tuesdays at 6 pm through March 26th. The Day-Away will be March 2nd. To sign up, contact Deacon Doug at dalenz@archomaha.org or Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org

#### **Holy Hour for Priests**

You are invited to come to the Holy Hour for Priests and Vocations at 7 pm on February 8th at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Fr. Benjamin Boyd will share his vocation story and lead prayers, including adoration and benediction. It also includes communal and silent prayer and music ministry. St John Vianney said, "The priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus. When you see a priest, think of Jesus Christ."

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
January 22	January 23 Young Adult Alpha 6 pm	January 24 Pastoral Council 7 pm	January 25	January 26	January 27	January 28 Anointing of the Sick at 11 am Mass <i>Come and See</i> after 5:30 pm Mass

# Third Sunday in Ordinary Time **January 21, 2024**

## **Upcoming Schedule**



Rev. Damian Zuerlein, Pastor E-mail: djzuerlein@archomaha.org (402) 934-7706 Deacon Doug Lenz, Pastoral Associate E-mail: dalenz@archomaha.org Deacon Larry Mruz E-mail: deaconmruz@yahoo.com Ann Lenz, Director of Evangelization (402) 990-3296 or amlenz@archomaha.org

Cabrini Parish Center Offices open 9 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday, (402) 934-7706, 1248 South 10th Street, 68108 Website: <u>www.stcabriniomaha.org</u>

## Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Jan. 23	11:30 AM	Special Intention
Wednesday, Jan. 24	11:30 AM	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, Jan. 25	11:30 AM	+Andy Crouch
Friday, Jan. 26	11:30 AM	+Diane Pollack
Saturday, Jan. 27	5:00 PM	Pat & +Mary Ann Sweeney
Sunday, Jan. 28	9:00 AM	+Fr. Christopher Ferreira S.J.
Sunday, Jan. 28	11:00 AM	+Alyverne Coopwood
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## **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 noon** 

## **Prayer Ministry**

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

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 January 13-14

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## Sidewalk Advocates for Life (SAFL) Training

YOU are needed in this important mission! Training will be offered for men and women desiring to help women through sidewalk advocacy or prayer support at local abortion facilities . This peaceful, prayerful, law abiding approach has saved over 20,000 babies in 239 cities. Attend our training and see how you can be a part of our team. Join them Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, at Catholic Charities St. Teresa of Calcutta Campus Building (9223 Bedford Avenue), from 10 am – 4 pm. \$10 registration fee covers workbook, materials and lunch. For information or to register, go to lifesidewalk@gmail.com The power of compassionate outreach where help and resources are shared with clients not only saves babies' lives but brings real hope of a better choice for the mother.

## St. Mary Magdalene Church

(Our Sister Parish in the new Archdiocesan Families) 109 South 19th Street, Omaha, NE 68102

<u>smmomaha@msn.com</u>

Rev. Rodney Adams, Pastor E-Mail: rtadams@archomaha.org (402) 342-4807

## MASS TIMES

Sunday 7:30 am / 9 am / 11 am / 12:15 pm / 5:15 pm Monday-Friday 7 am / 12:05 pm / 5:15 pm Saturday 12:05 pm / 5:15 pm / 7 pm

## **CONFESSION TIMES**

Confessions are heard approximately thirty minutes before each Mass time in the lower level of the church.

## Pastor's Letter

## Dear Friends,

One of my vacation pleasures (this can happen when I am snowed in as well) is to enjoy a good novel or an insightful book. I save my reading of challenging theology for work days when I expect my mind to get tired, not for times when I am on vacation where my mind likes to take its' ease. Wonderfully, I made it through four novels while I was on vacation. Some of them were better than others but each of them invited me to explore in depth the lives of the main characters.

One nonfiction book I read concerned improving human relationships. As the Church has long taught, we are made in God's own image. This means that, like God, we are made for relationships, relationships with God and relationships with others. David Brooks is a columnist for the New York Times and a well-known American writer. His new book *How to Know a Person* offers a perspective on human connection that's written for our world's troubled times.

In the past decades, relationships have become difficult. Mean-spirited political division is coupled by declining social skills and loneliness. At the same time, we live in a culture that tells us we have to compete with each other. Many feel ongoing anxiety. The ever-present social media makes it feel like we are always being judged.

David Brooks shows how none of this helps us thrive. He brings us back to the recognition of the basic human needs: "People are social animals. People need recognition from others if they are to thrive. People long for someone to look into their eyes with loving acceptance...What matters most is not the strength of individual's willpower, but how skillful she is in her social interactions."

Obviously, you can't learn relationship skills from a book. You need to practice them. However, what Brooks recommends I see many of you already practicing here at Cabrini. The subtitle of Brooks' book reads "The Art of Seeing Others Deeply and Being Deeply Seen." That is exactly what good disciples of Jesus do in their encounters with others. They practice that art.

Brooks says, Life has a way of tenderizing you. Becoming a father was an emotional revolution, of course. Later, I absorbed my share of the normal blows that any adult suffers — broken relationships, personal failures, the vulnerability that comes with getting older. The ensuing sense of my own frailty was good for me, introducing me to deeper, repressed parts of myself. I learned that living in a detached way is a withdrawal from life, an estrangement not just from other people but also from yourself.

I'm not an exceptional person, but I am a grower. I do have the ability to look at my shortcomings and then try to prod myself into becoming a more fully developed person.

I have learned something profound along the way. Being openhearted is a prerequisite for being a full, kind and wise human being. But it is not enough. People need social skills. The real process of, say, building a friendship or creating a community involves performing a series of small, concrete actions well: being curious about other people; disagreeing without poisoning relationships; revealing vulnerability at an appropriate pace; being a good listener; knowing how to ask for and offer forgiveness; knowing how to host a gathering where everyone feels embraced; knowing how to see things from another's point of view.

People want to connect. Above almost any other need, human beings long to have another person look into their faces with love and acceptance. The issue is that we lack practical knowledge about how to give one another the attention we crave. Some days it seems like we have intentionally built a society that gives people little guidance on how to perform the most important activities of life.

The Irish playwright George Bernard Shaw once wrote, "The worst sin towards our fellow creatures is not to hate them, but to be indifferent to them: that's the essence of inhumanity." In other words, the cruelest punishment you can inflict upon another person is to treat them as if they don't matter – or don't exist. On the flipside, one of the greatest gifts you can give to others is seeing and understanding them. It can be life-altering to hear someone see and praise something within you that you may not even be aware of yourself. Or for someone to understand exactly what you need at exactly the right moment and give it to you with warmth and affection.

For those of you who might be wondering how to do it better, I would recommend a quick read of Brook's new book. Not a hard read. Something you can even do on vacation.

Peace,

Fr. Damian