### All Saints Catholic School News

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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, April 12.

### **Kindergarten Round-up**

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

## **Lenten Bible Study – The Book of Job**

The Book of Job has to do with the most painful and unavoidable questions that can arise in human experience. These questions arise in connection with experiences of arbitrary suffering. Those that suffer begin to suspect that the narrative that held together their life and their faith have been fabricated to hide ourselves from the reality of life. The Book of Job has always had a universal appeal because of its willingness to tackle the issues of suffering, morality, and concepts of God. It is designed to provoke an internal discussion in the reader as to their own beliefs and come to some peace with suffering. The Book of Job has always been difficult to translate and modern scholars are well aware that sometimes just the simplest change in a word can make all the difference in the world. Join us this Lent as we explore this important book of the Bible: **The Book of Job – The Great Human Struggle, Making Sense of Suffering.** 

Wednesdays at 7 pm in-person in the Parish Center or via Zoom (register with Deacon Doug to get a Zoom link).

**February 21st** - Introduction and Prologue, Chapters 1-2 – A Dialogue of Heaven and Earth.

**February 28th** - The First Cycle of Attempted Understanding, Chapters 3-14 – Friends with Answers.

March 6th - The Second and Third Cycles of Attempts, Chapters 15-27 – Suffering in the Moral Universe.

**March 13th** - Conclusion, Chapters 28-42 – The Voice of God and Job's Response.

### **Prayer/Love Does Ministry**

What is Prayer/Love Does Ministry? Scripture tells us, "Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God" (Philippians 4:6). Prayer Ministry is our response to this call, loving our fellow parishioners by remembering them in prayer.

Who can join? This ministry is for anyone and everyone who feels called to serve fellow parishioners by praying for their intentions, whatever they might be.

How does it work? To request prayers, simply contact our parish office at (402) 934-7706. The Prayer Ministry/Love Does team will then be contacted with the specific intention. We will also pray for these intentions at our daily Masses. As part of the Prayer Ministry team, Deacon Doug or Ann Lenz will email out each prayer request as they come in. Your role is to open the email and take a moment to lift up the person or intention in prayer. If the Spirit nudges you to do something more (a note, a treat, a meal, whatever), great! If not, great! That's totally between you and God. The most important piece... Prayer!

How do I sign up? If you need prayer, or if you feel called to serve in this ministry, please contact Deacon Doug Lenz at dalenz@archomaha.org or Ann Lenz at amlenz@archomaha.org.

# Upcoming Events at Cabrini

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

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

Ash Wednesday, Lent begins, February 14

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, April 28

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

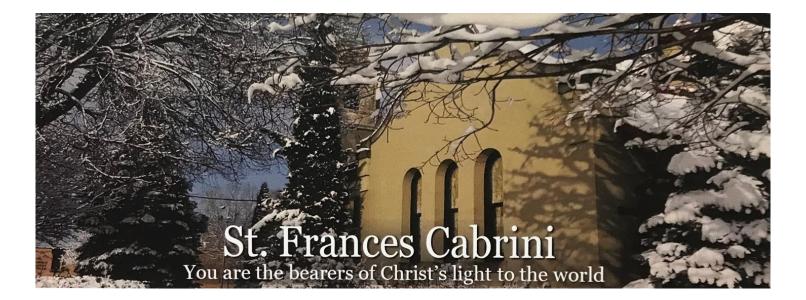
Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass) February 25, March 24, April 28

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

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

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

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



# Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 4, 2024

### Cabrini Communities—Join by February 9th

You've been hearing about our Cabrini Communities at the weekend Masses for several weeks now. If you are not in a Cabrini Community and you'd like to give it a try, please contact Deacon Doug Lenz at <a href="mailto:dalenz@archomaha.org">dalenz@archomaha.org</a> or Ann Lenz at <a href="mailto:amlenz@archomaha.org">amlenz@archomaha.org</a> by February 9th! We hope you'll take a leap of faith and join us!

# LENT Begins in 10 Days! Are You Ready? Our Theme: "A Deeper Yes"

There's lots happening at Cabrini – Please join us!

- Ash Wednesday, February 14th, Mass and distribution of ashes at 11:30 am and 5:30 pm.
- Lenten Bible Study of the Book of Job will be Wednesday evenings (2/21, 2/28, 3/6, 3/13) at 7 pm in the Parish Center. (See back page for more information)
- Our Parish Mission will be on Thursday evenings (2/22, 2/29, 3/7, 3/14, 3/21) at 7 pm in the Church.
- We will also have a meditative silence and prayer for 30 seconds after receiving Holy Communion during weekend Masses. Greek Kyrie and Latin Sanctus and Agnus Dei will be used.
- Lenten Reconciliation service Saturday, March 23rd, at 1 pm.

#### **CEC** Weekends

Sign up for Christians Encounter Christ (CEC) Spring 2024 weekends – Men's, March 8-10 and Women's, March 15-16. A life-changing weekend with talks, new friends, conversation, reflection, worship, and a faith-filled community. Cost is \$150 per person for food, lodging and materials. You owe it to yourself! <a href="www.cecomaha.org">www.cecomaha.org</a>

#### **Congratulations!**

Congratulations to Hannah Narie Payumo and Olivia Riera who made the Honor Roll at Gross High!

# **Upcoming Schedule**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
February 5	February 6 Young Adult Alpha 6 pm	February 7	February 8	February 9	February 10	February 11  Come and See after 5:30 pm  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

Website: www.stcabriniomaha.org

# Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Feb. 6	11:30 AM	+Randy Heimes
Wednesday, Feb. 7	11:30 AM	+Parishioners Deceased Loved Ones
Thursday, Feb. 8	11:30 AM	+Gene Cost & Nick Butts
Friday, Feb. 9	11:30 AM	+Mary Mendlik
Saturday, Feb. 10	5:00 PM	+Mary Ann Sweeney
Sunday, Feb. 11	9:00 AM	+Frank Nocita
Sunday, Feb. 11	11:00 AM	+Eulalia Armenta
Sunday, Feb. 11	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 <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 <a href="mailto:amlenz@archomaha.org">amlenz@archomaha.org</a> (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 January 27-28

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$ Will
All Saints Gift Fund	\$ be
Organ Fund	\$ printed
Improvement Fund	\$ next
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ weekend

# Celtic Notes and Anecdotes: A Night with Fr. Ryan Duns, SJ

Join Jesuit friends and alumni for an evening of Irish music and anecdotes as they countdown to St. Patrick's Day! Hosted by the Midwest Province of Jesuits, this networking event is set for February 22, 2024, from 6-8 pm at Shadow Ridge Country Club. Complimentary appetizers and drinks will be served. For more details and to register, go to <a href="https://jfanusa.org/cities/omaha/">https://jfanusa.org/cities/omaha/</a>.

# St. Mary Magdalene Church

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### **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,

For the past couple of months, you have heard testimony from many of your fellow parishioners about their experience as a member of a Cabrini Community. I trust you've enjoyed the variety of stories that were shared within the common framework of a Cabrini Community. We are now coming up against the relaunch deadline.

You have one last week to think and pray about either creating or joining a Community. I want to make sure that you have felt invited. If you want help forming a Community or want to be in a Community, just let us know

As you have heard me say before, our endeavor with Cabrini Communities puts us on a cutting edge of where Catholic parishes are headed. Others are looking to us to see how it goes and if participation in a Community yields the goal of deeper discipleship – a better prayer life, living more like Jesus, and greater friendships with other disciples. When people ask for my evaluation of how it is going, I can only say that it truly has been a Spirit blessed endeavor – better than I ever expected. You've heard the witnesses at Masses the past two months.

I had known the power of small faith communities. I had seen how powerfully the short-term approach had worked in Renew and on a CEC and at Alpha and at prior parishes. I knew how important my priest support group had been to me during these 40+ years of priesthood. I had read about how the Church had been dramatically reborn in Latin America through *comunidades de base*. I just wasn't sure how ongoing groups would work at a parish level. We were stepping into the unknown and had to trust the Holy Spirit. Now, I would say that they are possible, effective and beautiful at the parish level. Other parishes are learning from us. Jesus gave me a commission right before he ascended into heaven. It has been my guide throughout my priesthood. It is the commission given to all who have chosen to follow Jesus. So, it is a commission given to you as well: "Go, and make disciples."

How we fulfill that commission is up to each one of us. Jesus did not set quotas. There is no contest to see who gets the most disciples made in the shortest time. No quality standards have been set. But the first disciple we make is the hardest one – that is our self. It's pretty hard to make another if we are not doing what Jesus taught us to do. Jesus understood that what he was asking was a challenge which is why he formed a Church and why he sent out the disciples in pairs. Being a disciple is much easier when we are working on it with others. It's also a lot more fun. That is what our Cabrini Communities are doing in magnificent ways. People are growing in their discipleship and, with the support of others, are finding it's not as hard as when they were trying to do it alone. What was a challenge has become a joy.

For this next season with Cabrini Communities, we will be using a book in addition to the videos to help us in our understanding. The next season will focus on our prayer life with God. I really enjoyed the book we will be using. It is by Tyler Staton and is titled *Praying Like Monks, Living Like Fools*. Tyler does a terrific job of taking very traditional Catholic teaching on prayer and making it fresh for today's Christian. He also presents it in such a way that you really do want to pray. You will truly look forward to your next experience of encountering God. I'm sure you will enjoy it as much as I did. And, when this season of Cabrini Communities is over, we will all be better friends with Jesus and as a result better disciples.

Peace,

Fr. Damian

# Omaha Catholic Men's Slowpitch League Softball Teams Are Now Forming for 2024

The softball league formed in the early 1960's and continues today (CMSPL www.cmsplsoftball.com). It's considered a "30 & Over" league, but teams are allowed to have a limited number of under age 30 players to support league development. Teams are made up of men typically in their 30 &40's with several in their 50's playing and coaching the team. They are fathers, sons, friends and parishioners of the church being represented. It's around a 13-week season with games played at 4:30 and 5:30 pm Sunday afternoons beginning in April, at either Seymour Smith or Kelly Softball Complexes with a year-end league tournament early August. As the league is associated with UBA, there are fees associated in participating. Current league team members come out year after year as the camaraderie and lasting friendships are formed across the Omaha Catholic Community. If your church is interested in forming a team or if there are questions regarding the league, please contact Doug Ziska at dougzis@yahoo.com