### 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 March 28-April 1 (Easter Break), April 12 and 19..

### Enrollment for the next school year (2024-2025) is now open.

#### **Parish Center Closed**

The Parish Center will be closed Good Friday, March 29, and Easter Monday, April 1st.

#### **Decorate Church for Easter**

We will be decorating the Church for Easter on Saturday, April 30th at 8 am, if you are interested in helping.

### **Divine Mercy Celebration**

You are invited to the Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration at St. Thomas More Church (4804 Grover Street), on April 7<sup>th</sup>.

11:30 am - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

2:00 – 4:30 pm Confessions 4:00 pm Benediction 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet 4:15 pm Procession

3:30 pm Rosary 4:30 pm Mass with Fr. Jindra

Relics of St. John Paul II and St. Faustina will be on display.

(Due to the shortage of priests, going to confession prior to Divine Mercy Sunday is strongly recommended). You may receive the indulgence even if you go to confession 20 days prior or 20 days after Divine Mercy Sunday and are in a state of grace.

### **Evangelium Institute Event: Dr. Larry Chapp - Sanctity in an Era of Unbelief:**

Nationally known speaker, writer, and theologian – and Lincoln native - Dr. Larry Chapp is coming to Omaha to address the importance of how today's saint will need to conquer this culture of deepening disbelief from within, and how God raises up saints in every era in a manner appropriate to the needs of the time. Tickets are only \$5! Join us on May 2nd, at Christ the King Parish – Omaha, from 7-8 pm. For more information and to register, visit <a href="https://www.eicatholic.org/upcoming-events">www.eicatholic.org/upcoming-events</a>

# Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8 pm, April 4, May 2, June 6

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team (First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass) April 5, May 3, June 7, July 5

First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, April 6, May 4, June 1, July 6

Called and Gifted, Sundays, April 7 through May 5, 10 am to 12 noon.

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Saturday of the month), 3:30 - 4:30 pm, April 20, May 18, June 15, July 20

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

Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass) April 28, May 26, June 30

Cabrini Family Dinner (on selected months), 6 - 8 pm, April 28

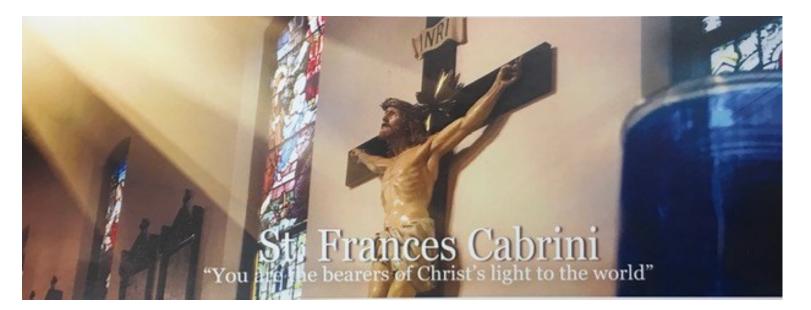
Meal Service at Siena Francis House, Thursdays: May 16, August 15, December 19. If interested, contact Natalie May at <a href="mailto:nmcgovern1@yahoo.com">nmcgovern1@yahoo.com</a>

## Flowers for Easter (2024)

Your name (Please print)

In Remembrance of

In Thankfulness for



## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord March 24, 2024



The Altar of Repose following the Holy Thursday services will be in the Parish Center gym until midnight. Please use the gym doors to enter and exit.

Stations of the Cross will be at Noon on Good Friday, March 29. Good Friday services of the Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross will be at 3 pm and 7 pm. The Passion will be sung at the evening service.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
March 25	March 26 Young Adult Alpha 6 pm	March 27	March 28  Holy Thursday's Celebration of the Eucharist 7 pm and Altar of Repose	March 29 Stations of the Cross 12 Noon Veneration of Cross 3 & 7 pm	March 30 Easter Vigil 8 pm	March 31 Easter Sunday Masses 9 & 11 am No 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, Mar. 26 11:30 AM +Fr. Giuseppe Chiara, SJ

Wednesday, Mar. 7 11:30 AM +Poor Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, Mar. 28 7:00 PM +Helen Butera

Friday, Mar. 29 3:00 PM Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross (No Mass)

Friday, Mar. 29 7:00 PM (Sung) Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross (No Mass)

Saturday, Mar. 30 8:00 PM Pro Populo

Sunday, Mar. 31 9:00 AM + Fred Pistone

Sunday, Mar. 31 11:00 AM + Virginia & Clyde Simpson

Sunday, Mar. 31 5:30 PM No Mass

## **Reconciliation Schedule**

Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm (northwest room) Lenten Reconciliation Service, March 23 at 1 pm

#### **Bulletin Additions**

To have information published in the upcoming bulletin, please email <a href="mailto:bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com">bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com</a> 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 March 16-17

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$ 9,774.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$ 1.00
Organ Fund	\$ 137.00
Improvement Fund	\$ 20.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 0.00

### **Spaghetti Dinner Save-the-Dates**

Friday, April 12th—Meatball set-up, Cookie prep
Saturday, April 13th—Meatballs. (We also need folks after the 5 pm Mass to help bin the cooled meatballs).
Sunday April 14th—Pasta, Cookies, Cookie packing
Wednesday, April 17th—Onions and bones
Friday, April 19th--Sauce, Dinner set-up
Sunday, April 21st—THE DINNER

# St. Mary Magdalene Church

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# Holy Week 2024

Holy Thursday, March 28, 5:15 pm Good Friday, March 29, Stations 12:05 pm, Passion and Veneration of the Cross 5:15 pm Holy Saturday, March 30, Easter Vigil 7:30 pm Easter Sunday March 31, Masses 7:30 am, 9 am, 11 am. 12:15 pm, 5:15 pm

**Confessions** Thursday and Friday, 10 am – 12 Noon

## Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

During my recent trip to Guatemala (for meetings to plan the summer mission trip), we had an opportunity to be a part of Antigua's Lenten procession. It involved hundreds of people dressed in purple, playing drums and pipes, walking ahead of several floats upon which were displayed life-sized scenes of the events surrounding Jesus' crucifixion. The amazing thing was that the floats were not being pulled by a pickup but were carried on the shoulders of about forty people walking in a practiced processional step, four steps forward and one step back. Men carried the images of Jesus and women carried the images of Mary. Each Sunday during Lent they would have a procession and then during Holy Week they carry even more floats, with more people involved. The average length of the procession was over 24 miles. They would walk for more than 15 hours a day. The locals told us that the people in the procession prepared for Lent and Holy Week all year long. They would improve the floats and toughen their bodies – all to give praise to God for the great gift of salvation.

What we do here at Cabrini is tiny by comparison. Even the outside stations of the cross done in South Omaha on Good Friday are small when compared with these grand processions in Guatemala. However, even if our way of remembering Jesus' final moments is not grand, it is still important for us to do.

On Good Friday during the reading of the passion and veneration of the cross we encounter Jesus not as God or the leader of a religion but as a simple and fragile man. Nowhere in the accounts of his life is he more human. On this day, there are no miracles. No sermons. No parables. There's no walking on water, no turning water into wine. No one is healed and no demons are cast out. On Good Friday, we find Jesus raw and broken. He is, like all of us, vulnerable and subject to great pain.

Regardless of the humiliation and the physical abuse that Jesus endures, he never behaves in typical human ways. When Roman soldiers beat him, he doesn't curse them. Jesus doesn't fight back, doesn't charge his followers to riot on his behalf. After his friends abandon him, he doesn't cast judgment. Instead, he accepts them for who they are. In the midst of great loneliness, Jesus prays. Standing before his accusers, he remains calm. Bleeding from the brutal assault to his body, Jesus forgives his attackers. As he hangs from a cross, he doesn't think about himself. Instead, he turns his focus to his mother and the other women who remained faithful. In his compassion during his death, Jesus not only offers us the ultimate example of grace under pressure, but he shows us what it means to be truly human, what it means to possess divinity in human form. And, from the cross, he offers us the hope of eternal life.

We will not be asking you to carry a float with 39 of your friends for 24 miles and 15 hours this week. We will ask for one simple gesture during the Good Friday liturgy. We will invite you to come forward and venerate the wood of the cross. In doing so, you will be able with a simple kiss or touch to express your love for Jesus who gave his life to free you from death.

Take some time this week to join fellow Cabrini parishioners in prayer. The week the Church calls Holy is upon us. Your Easter will be more joyful if you have walked this week with Jesus.

Peace,

Fr. Damian

#### **Easter 2024 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 on the bottom of the back page, 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!