#### 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.

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

#### Become a Teammate! Make a Difference!

All Saints Catholic School is looking for volunteers to join the Teammates mentoring program. Mentors meet with their mentee for 30 minutes once per week. For more information or to become a mentor, please visit: <a href="https://chapters.teammates.org/chapters/metro-catholic-schools/">https://chapters.teammates.org/chapters/metro-catholic-schools/</a>

#### Spirit Catholic Radio's EWTN and Catholic Answers Symposium on The Eucharist

Jack Williams, General Manager of EWTN Radio, will serve as emcee at St. Robert Bellarmine Church (11802 Pacific Street) as **The Eucharist: Source and Summit of our Faith** is explored. The dates are Friday, April 26th from 7 to 9:30 pm, and Saturday, April 27th from 9 am to 4:30 pm. A bookstore will be open before, during and after the symposium, and a Saturday lunch is available for pre-purchase. Participants include Fr. Wade Menezes, Tim Staples, Coleen Kelly Mast. Joe Heschmeyer, and Stacy Trasancos. To reserve your \$25 tickets, visit spiritcatholic radio.com/april

#### **Christ Our Life Conference**

The Christ Our Life Conference for our searching souls is held every two years at the Wells Fargo Arena in Des Moines, Iowa, the last weekend of September. This year's dates are September 28th and 29th. It is also live-streamed for those unable to attend in-person. An all weekend pass is \$30 for an adult (in-person or live-stream), no charge for student or youth attendees. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in Spanish. Speakers include Bishop William Joensen, leader of the Des Moines Diocese; Fr. Robert Spitzer, a host of EWTN TV's "Father Spitzer's Universe" where he explains the complementarity of science, faith and philosophy; Msgr. Stephen Rossetti, sharing knowledge gained as Chief Exorcist of the Archdiocese of Washington for 13 years, and as a licensed psychologist; Fr. Craig Vasek, who energizes Catholics to increase their connection to the Eucharist; Sr. Josephine Garret, raised a Baptist and a former banker, she took her final vows in 2020 and is passionate about youth and the sacred importance of family; Jeff Cavins, a biblical scholar who teaches and writes on a vast realm of subjects (we have previously used some of his Bible Studies here); Jason Evert, who shares the message of purity and inspires all to live as Jesus desires as he travels in six continents; Magnus McFarlane-Barrow, CEO of Mary's Meals feeding over 2.4 million hungry children daily, and Steve Angrisano, leading music and sharing stories to inspire and enrich our faith. <a href="https://christOurLifeIowa.com">ChristOurLifeIowa.com</a> for more information, to buy tickets, or for hotel information.

# Upcoming Events at Cabrini

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

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

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

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

Meal Service at Siena Francis House, 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, May 18, June 15, July 20

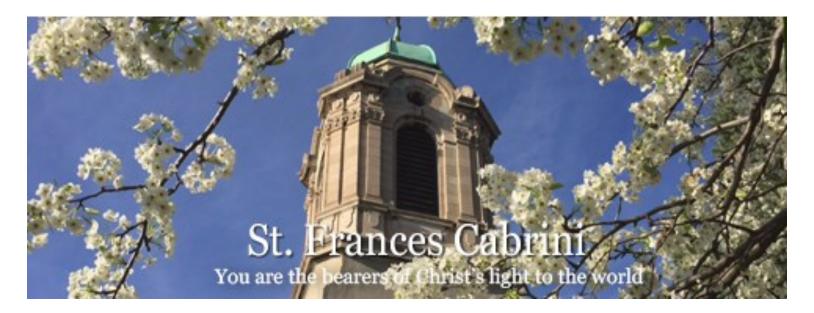
Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass) May 26, June 30

Parish Parking Lot Party Saturday, July 13, 6 pm

Fall Alpha for all ages runs Tuesdays from 6 - 8 pm, September 17 - November 26. Retreat day is Saturday, November 2. Contact Deacon Doug or Ann Lenz to register.

Christ Our Life Conference, Wells Fargo Arena, Des Moines, Iowa, September 28-29

Fall Spaghetti Dinner, October 20, 12 noon - 6 pm



# Fourth Sunday of Easter April 21, 2024

# It's Spaghetti Dinner Sunday!

Sunday, April 21st -- The day is here!

Bring Bake Sale items to the School Gym between 8:30 and 11 am.

Want to help but didn't get signed up and don't know what to do? Come on over and check-in at the workers table and they'll find a spot for you!

#### **Second Collection Next Weekend**

There will be a second collection at next weekend's Masses for the Home and Foreign Missions (4 in 1).

#### **Cabrini Family Dinner Next Sunday**

Plan now to attend our Cabrini Potluck Family Dinner next Sunday, April 28th from 6 - 8 pm. Chicken will be provided. Bring a side dish, salad, dessert...and come eat and visit. Doors will open at 5 pm for those wishing to drop food off before the 5:30 pm Mass. Invite neighbors, friends, family - all are welcome! We will be welcoming those who were brought into the Catholic Faith at the Easter Vigil Services this year.

#### If You Enjoy Fr. Damian's Homilies, You're Going to LOVE This...

The Catholic Church describes the Eucharist as "the source and summit of the Christian faith" (CCC 1324). The National Eucharistic Revival is a movement to restore understanding and devotion to this great mystery in the United States by helping us renew our worship of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. On our website **stcabriniomaha.org**, you can join Fr. Damian as he takes us on a journey focused on the Eucharist and what it means to us. These videos were created for our Cabrini Communities at St. Frances Cabrini and so some of you may have seen them. If you haven't or would like to see them again, simply go to the website and click on "Eucharist, The Ultimate Gift". Enjoy!

# **Upcoming Schedule**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
April 22	April 23	April 24 The Chosen 6:30 pm	April 25 Pastoral Council 7 pm	April 26	April 27	April 28  Called and Gifted 10 am  Anointing of the sick at 11 am Mass  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 Website: www.stcabriniomaha.org

# Daily Mass Schedule

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Tuesday, Apr. 23	11:30 AM	+Nino D'Agosta
Wednesday, Apr. 24	11:30 AM	+Al Vacanti
Thursday, Apr. 25	11:30 AM	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Friday, Apr. 26	11:30 AM	+Eleanor Iverson & Lowell Mendlik
Saturday, Apr. 27	5:00 PM	+Butch Turco
Sunday, Apr. 28	9:00 AM	+Jose Armenta
Sunday, Apr. 28	11:00 AM	+Alyverne Coopwood
Sunday, Apr. 28	5:30 PM	Pro Populo

## **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 April 6-7

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	10,643.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	20.00
Organ Fund	\$	70.00
Improvement Fund	\$	356.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	180.00
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## **April 13-14**

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$ 4,732.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$ 197.00
Organ Fund	\$ 81.00
Improvement Fund	\$ 15.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 180.00

# **Movie Night as a Parish Family with Season 4** of The Chosen

Please join us as we watch and discuss Season 4 of **The Chosen** on Wednesday evenings, until June 5th at 6:30 pm in the Cabrini Center gym. We will watch one episode each week and then listen in on a panel discussion with Fr. Damian and a few fellow parishioners, moderated by our very own Chris Beeler. This is fun! Please join us! All are welcome.

# 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,

Many moons ago, when I was a child, our culture was shaped by a handful of television shows that almost everyone watched. As children, we would reenact the episodes in the backyard or in the basement. Certain ideas were strongly reinforced through the stories presented in the shows and then played out in our own reenactments.

One of those shows that comes to mind for me in the Easter season is The Lone Ranger where the hero is not really known, enacts justice from outside the system and leaves behind a silver bullet to remind the local folks to live a life of justice. The mask he wore was also meant to be a symbol of justice – not decided by personalities or wealth but, like the ancient statues of a blindfolded justice, was decided by truth alone.

Perhaps some of you remember the background story of The Lone Ranger. Here's a summary: "In 1874, six Texas Rangers were betrayed by a guide and ambushed at Bryant's Gap. Five died, the sixth was left for dead and would have died that day but for an amazing coincidence. After the shooting was over, an Indian man happened upon the scene of the ambush. The ranger who was wounded but still clinging to life had saved that Indian from outlaw raiders a few years earlier, when the two were just boys. The Indian recognized his former companion, carried him into a nearby cave and nursed him back to health. He has been The Lone Ranger ever since. On radio, in movies, in novels, on television, in comic books, his story has been embroidered, embellished and rewritten. But he always wore a mask, he always pursued justice and he never accepted praise or payment" (NPR Story).

As kids, it was always fun to be the Lone Ranger because he always won even if it looked like everything was going bad along the way. You could be captured or pinned down by gunfire or in a burning building and somehow goodness won out. Your faithful friend was a Native American who you could trust with your life and who never said too much while you rode to the next town. The series taught us to fight for justice, to care for those who could not care for themselves, to be free of racial and religious prejudice and to take personal risks to make the world a better place.

I suppose it comes to mind during the Easter Season because these TV series picked up on what were strong themes in Jesus' teaching and the experience of the Paschal Mystery where death is overcome by the resurrection. And, since Jesus will soon be leaving his friends behind as he ascends to heaven, it is like the Lone Ranger riding off into the sunset and leaving some reminder behind.

Of course, The Lone Ranger was just fantasy and play while the tough fact of our real human life—as individuals and as communities—is of course messy, complex, a tangle of good and bad motivations and actions. But this doesn't make the "triumph of good" story a mere fantasy. These human stories represent our deepest desire: we ache for the good in ourselves and in our world to win out. We ache for the truth of Jesus' teaching to become real in our world. Isn't that Easter?

Peace,

Fr. Damian