

All Saints Catholic School Collections

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School News

All Saints School office hours are 7:30 am to 4 pm. School hours are 8 am to 3:15 pm.

Lent at Cabrini - 2025

- ◆ We are continuing the theme of the Jubilee Year: "Pilgrims of Hope"
- ◆ Prayer will be our focus, emphasizing intercessory prayer (praying for others) as a community. During the 1st and 2nd weeks of Lent (March 9th and 16th), there will be note cards and pencils in the pews to write down personal prayer intentions. Drop these in the collection baskets or in the baskets by the doors. You can be as specific or as anonymous as you want, such as "please pray for my friend who is experiencing health issues" or "please pray for my friend Joe who is having trouble finding a job after being laid off," or "my car is broke down and I don't have the money to repair it". During the 3rd and 4th weeks of Lent (March 23rd and 30th), you will be invited to take a card randomly from the basket and pray for the request the remainder of Lent. The cards we filled out in Advent will be in vases on the high altar so as to be included in our general prayers.
- ◆ Stations of the Cross will be offered on Friday evenings at 6 pm through April 11th, and at Noon on Good Friday, April 18th.
- ◆ Lenten Reconciliation Service with multiple confessors will be Tuesday, April 8th at 7 pm.

Stories of Hope

Stories of Hope are what we are calling how God has answered our prayers. We invite everyone to submit your Stories of Hope to Deacon Doug at (402) 934-7706 or dalenz@archomaha.org Whether it is one, two or several examples, whether it takes one paragraph or a half a page, we want to hear from you! Look forward to reading these Stories in the bulletin and on our website during Lent. Thank You!

Pray for Families

Join the Serra Club of West Omaha on Monday, March 17th, for a beautiful *Holy Hour to Pray for Families* at St. Mary's Catholic Church (2302 Crawford Street, Bellevue). This special prayer event begins with greetings at 6:30 pm in the Narthex. At 7 pm, gather in the Church for a *Holy Hour* with *Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament*. The Presider will be Father Joe Kwasau, Associate Pastor of St. Mary's. Together, pray a *Rosary for the Healing and Protection of Families*, reflect on a Gospel reading and homily, and also recite the *Litany of the Holy Family*. Then spend time in silent adoration and sing hymns as they pray for families in the Archdiocese of Omaha. All are welcome! For questions, contact Lori Hamilton, Serra VP, at (402) 699-5027 or by email at westomaha@serrainternational.org. Learn more at serrawestomaha.org and follow them on Facebook @serrawestomaha.

Pro Life Living Rosary

You are welcome to participate in praying the Pro Life Living Rosary at 3:30 pm, March 23rd, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church (2110 South 32nd Avenue, Omaha). Holy Mass at 5 pm.

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Winter Alpha for All ages, Tuesdays, 6 - 8 pm, through March 25

Come and See Sundays after 5:30 pm Mass, through Easter

Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass), March 30, April 27, May 25, June 29

Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8 pm, April 3, May 1, June 5

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team (First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass) April 4, May 2, June 6

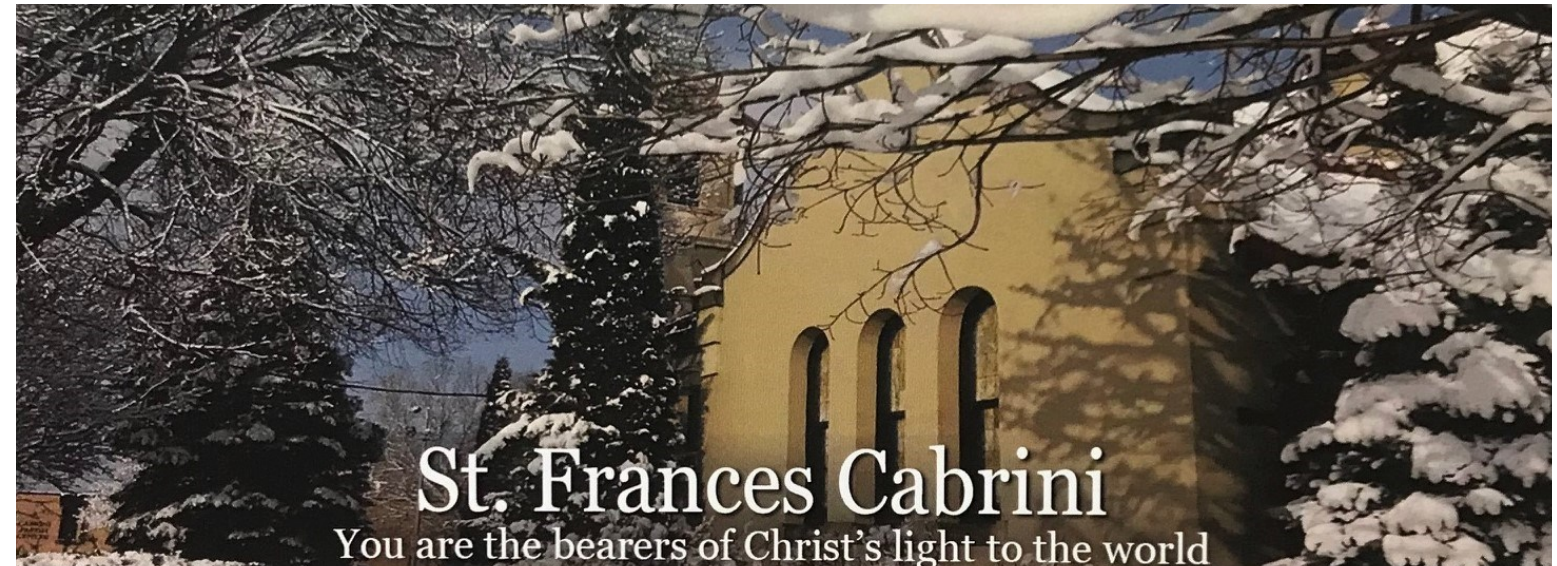
First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, April 5, May 3, June 7

Spring Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, April 6, Noon to 6 pm

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Saturday of the month), 3:30 - 4:30 pm, April 19, May 17, June 21

Cabrini Potluck Family Dinner (on select Sundays), 6 - 8 pm, April 27

Meal Service at Siena Francis House, Thursdays: May 8, October 16, December 11. If interested, contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com



**First Sunday of Lent
March 9, 2025**

Second Collection This Weekend

There will be a second collection at the Masses this weekend for the Black and Indian Missions.

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
March 10	March 11	March 12	March 13	March 14	March 15	March 16
Parish Mission 7 pm	Parish Mission 7 pm	Bible Study on Amos 7 pm	Meal Service at Siena Francis	Stations of the Cross 6 pm	Eucharistic Adoration 3:30 pm	<i>Come and See</i> 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

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Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Mar. 11	11:30 AM	+Virginia Simpson
Wednesday, Mar. 12	11:30 AM	+Millie Reinig
Thursday, Mar. 13	11:30 AM	+Eulalia Armenta
Friday, Mar. 14	11:30 AM	Cabrini Communities
Saturday, Mar. 15	5:00 PM	+Dorothy Orent
Sunday, Mar. 16	9:00 AM	+Jean K. McAndrews Szczpanowski
Sunday, Mar. 16	11:00 AM	Renee Dyer (Blessings)
Sunday, Mar. 16	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 cabrinibulletin@archomaha.org 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 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 February March 1-2

Sunday Tithes- Collections	\$	11,362.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	108.00
Organ Fund	\$	20.00
Improvement Fund	\$	391.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	223.00

IPF Morning of Reflection

Join the Institute for Priestly Formation for a Lenten Morning of Reflection, Saturday, March 15th at Christ the King Parish in Omaha. These annual Lenten gatherings offer an opportunity for the laity to experience the IPF charism used in the spiritual formation of diocesan seminarians and priests who participate in their programs. Presentations will be given by IPF staff members. The morning begins with the 8:15 parish Mass, includes a continental breakfast, presentations by the IPF Staff, time for silent reflection, and concludes at noon. There is no charge for the event, however a free will offering for the refreshments will be gratefully accepted. For planning purposes, please register online at www.priestlyformation.org or call Dawn at (531) 272-8498.

St. Mary Magdalene Church

(Our Sister Parish in the new Archdiocesan Families)

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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,

During this Lenten season, as a parish, we will continue to explore the Jubilee Year theme of being Pilgrims of Hope. Each Sunday, we will share stories from our parishioners about the power of prayer and the hope such power proclaims. I trust you will enjoy them.

Peace,

Fr. Damian

I was asked to write this letter about intercessory prayer and the hope it has brought to my life. My first thought was *what will I write that will fill up a page?* Quickly my thoughts changed to *what will I have to leave out?* Many of my prayers have been for people I don't know, people I've come across, usually through work, and now for people at church who have requested prayer. Most of the outcomes I will never know. However there have been a few people in my life who I prayed for, and I do know the outcome. God has answered many of my prayers in ways far better than I hoped for.

In 1998, I began deeply praying for my mom before I even knew what intercessory prayer was. She was diagnosed with ovarian cancer, which at that time, I thought was a death sentence. She tried to keep it from me because I was only 24 and in the police academy. She didn't want to hinder my chances at graduation, but I saw her sick from chemo and I knew. I remember I cried so hard. I could not imagine living my life without her kindness and guidance. She was truly my only present parent ever. Every night for what seemed like months I would cry, then I would envision the cancer leaving her body while I prayed to God. I only started talking about this miracle a few years ago, so I'm not certain but I'm betting my grandma was praying for her, and I'm sure she was praying for herself, for us. By God's will my mom is still alive today.

My husband and I met when I was 19. He drank a lot during the ten years we dated. He would quit for six months to a year here and there. I stayed with him because, aside from growing up in an alcoholic home myself, I thought *wow, he is an amazing dad, if he would be there for me and loved me half as much as he loves his boys, I would be so lucky.* He promised me after we got married that he would quit drinking. After a long year he did quit, for two and a half years, then he started again. My heart broke. He had so many demons from his childhood I doubted he would ever be able to free himself and stay sober. I began praying without ceasing. It is all I could do. I could not chase him around bar to bar anymore, and things were no better when he drank at home. I even prayed out of prayer books to keep me focused from my mind wondering to negativity and despair. One day I went out on my deck and looked up to God and completely surrendered my husband to His will. I didn't know it at the time, we only recently began talking about this, but my husband was praying too. We both had thought not only that our marriage would not survive, but that he would not survive. Now it has been over 17 years since he had a drink. I'm so thankful to God. He has been sober and completely there for me during a time, unknowingly then, that ended up being the hardest part of my life. I rely on my husband for so much now. I have no more fear or anxiety when it comes to his sobriety because of our faith in the Lord.

Other family members are sober, we're still praying for some dearest to us.

A few years ago, my aunt was given two months to live; she is now cancer free. I think our prayer team had a large part in that. My seventeen-year-old grandson, Xavier, is getting baptized and confirmed here this Easter weekend, thanks to many prayers for that. We're still praying for other loved ones to come to the Lord. And my dad has cancer in many parts of his body; we are praying for peace and healing for him.

I know I didn't always feel God's presence when I was praying but looking back now, I know He has always been with me. As many of you know I had a health scare during a recent church event. God certainly was with me then and I definitely felt all the prayers. I am well, many thanks to all of you who prayed for me.

Tonya Bolter