



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

Are you looking to improve your facilitation skills? As small groups continue to flourish here at St. Frances Cabrini, we want to equip you with the tools and confidence to foster an engaging and supportive environment. Join us for a **brief training session on Tuesday, May 6th from 6 – 7 pm via Zoom**. Brooke Riera will lead the session, sharing best practices and answering your questions. There's always room for improvement - so why not take this opportunity to sharpen your skills and abilities? We'd be delighted to have you join us! For more information or to receive the Zoom link, contact Deacon Doug at dalenz@archomaha.org.

Interested in getting to know your fellow parishioners here at St. Frances Cabrini? Sign up for a "Guess Who Is Coming to Dinner Night!" which is a new quarterly offering here at St. Frances Cabrini. Simply go to our website stcabriniomaha.org, click on the link, and answer some simple questions (i.e.. Do you have any food allergies? Can you host? Do you prefer to travel? etc.) and the team will put together groups for you to have dinner with new friends. The host typically will provide the main dish and the guests can bring a side/drinks/dessert, etc. or anything else that is needed. On the weekend of May 17th - 18th, you will meet with your group and enjoy a meal together! There is no commitment other than a shared meal and company. Feel free to go out for ice cream afterwards, have a game night, or just have a dinner filled with conversation, community, and making new friends. Please scan this QR code to register or contact Richard Carrillo (RACarrillo83@gmail.com) for more information.



Dinner?

The Serra Club of West Omaha invites all the faithful to join them for a special *Holy Hour to Pray for Ordinandi and Seminarians* on Monday, May 19th, at St. Cecilia Cathedral (701 North 40th Street). Meet in the Narthex at 6:30 pm for greetings and at 7 pm in the Sanctuary for the Holy Hour. The Presider will be Father Tom Weisbecker, Chaplain of the Serra Club of West Omaha. This special Holy Hour on May 19th is to pray for the Priesthood Ordination of three men—Deacons Logan Hepp, Brian Hula, and Will Targy—on June 7th. We will also pray for the Transitional Diaconate Ordination of one seminarian—Michael Figura—in the fall in Rome. Be sure to join them as they pray together for these ordinandi and all our seminarians before the Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Please show your support and invite your family, friends, and guests to join in! All are welcome! For questions, contact Lori Hamilton, Serra VP, at bobxlori@aol.com or (402) 699-5027. For more information visit serrawestomaha.org.

"The end for which God has instituted the priesthood has been to appoint on earth public persons to watch over the honor of his divine majesty, and to procure the salvation of souls." St. Alphonsus Liguori

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

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

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

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

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

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

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Saturday of the month),
3:30 - 4:30 pm, May 17, June 21 (Not in April)

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

Annual Parish Parking Lot Party will be Saturday, August 16 following 5 pm Mass. Music by Joe Morgan's band.

Fall Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, October 19, Noon to 6 pm

Fall Alpha Tuesdays, 6-8 pm, September 9 - November 18



Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
April 20th, 2025

He is Risen! Happy Easter

Congratulations and Blessings to those who are being baptized or confirmed over this Easter weekend.

Baptisms: Tristan Anguiano, Xavier Bolter, Amelia Caniglia, Kadin Jackson, Elliot Toomer-Clark, Eman Arow, Dominic Caniglia, Gianni Caniglia, Lorenzo Caniglia, Marisella Gray, Lorenzo Gray, Angelo James, Hiyat Saeed, Louis Yak Atier, Alexander Villagomez and Malia Villagomez.

Confirmations: Julia Falke, Jasmine Jackson, Jerad Leifeld, John Newman, TsuiLing Toomer, Eli Werner, Ronald Fuller and Suenis Goncalves.

The Cabrini Parish Offices will be closed Easter Monday, April 21st.

A second collection will be taken next weekend for the Home and Foreign Missions (4 in 1).

Join us next Sunday, April 27th, from 6 to 8 pm, for a Cabrini Family Potluck Dinner! We will be welcoming the *Come and See* attendees who were brought into the Church over Easter. Meatball sandwiches will be provided. Bring a side, a salad or a dessert to accompany them. Doors will be open by 5 pm for those who wish to drop off food before the 5:30 pm Mass.

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
April 21 Parish Offices Closed Today	April 22	April 23	April 24 Pastoral Council 7 pm	April 25	April 26	April 27 Divine Mercy Sunday Anointing of the Sick at 11 am Mass Cabrini 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

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Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Apr. 22	11:30 AM	+Sam & Louise Monaco
Wednesday, Apr. 23	11:30 AM	+Nino D’Agosta
Thursday, Apr. 24	11:30 AM	+Al Vacanti
Friday, Apr. 25	11:30 AM	+Jose Armenta
Saturday, Apr. 26	5:00 PM	+Eleanor Iverson & Lowell Mendlik
Sunday, Apr. 27	9:00 AM	+Butch Turco
Sunday, Apr. 27	11:00 AM	+Zita Noonan
Sunday, Apr. 27	5:30 PM	+Colleen Barry

Reconciliation Schedule

Wednesday, April 16th, 10 to 11 am and 5:30 to 7 pm
(northwest room)

Bulletin Additions

To have information published in the upcoming bulletin, please

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

April 5-6

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	12,849.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	105.00
Organ Fund	\$	15.00
Improvement Fund	\$	443.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	250.00

April 12-13

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	6,532.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	299.00
Organ Fund	\$	43.00
Improvement Fund	\$	33.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	238.00

Meal Service at Siena Francis House

Did you know St. Frances Cabrini parishioners volunteer to serve meals at Siena Francis House? Our next evening is May 8th from 4:15 - 6:15 pm. If you are interested in helping, please contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com

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,

I hope you have enjoyed the personal reflections on the power of prayer that fellow parishioners have shared with us in this space during the season of Lent. We have a few more to share with you during the Easter season. I know reading them has impacted me and encouraged me to place before God people who are in need and ask for God’s help. Perhaps it has done the same for you.

Every Lenten journey has a goal – to get us ready to encounter the Risen Lord in the Easter Season in a more profound way. The extra time with the Lord in prayer and dedicated works of mercy should have prepared us for a deeper encounter.

You might recall, at the beginning of Lent during our Parish Mission, Fr. Sichko asked a question about why Zacchaeus climbed the tree. Most of us answered because he was short, but Fr. Sichko was looking for a deeper reason. He said the answer was because Zacchaeus wanted to see Jesus. It was desire that caused him to climb a tree. A strong desire overcomes our natural limitations; being “short,” he overcomes and transcends himself. The question placed before us then is whether we desire the right things, whether the power of desire in us is aimed at the right goal. What are we willing to do to “see” Jesus?

At the beginning of each Sunday Mass this Lent we have sung about our need to have our eyes and ears and hearts opened. We sang about seeing Jesus’ face, hearing Jesus’ voice, and loving like Jesus loved. Liturgically, we emphasized the Penitential Rite with a bit of incense and a chanted Kyrie to say that this quest for honesty and humility is the beginning of true repentance. For repentance, above all else, is a return to the original order of things, the restoration of the right vision: we are made in the likeness of God. We want to live and become more fully what we are – God’s children.

I suppose the whole season of Lent may appear to some as artificial. That is more a matter of perception rather than reality. We humans are natural procrastinators. To have a declared season of repentance, examination, and spiritual discipline encourages us to do what Jesus already encouraged us to do. It is a serious attempt to provide community encouragement for individual spiritual discipline and holiness.

Now we come to the Easter Season and we celebrate the truth about ourselves that Jesus brings. The truth that we, freed from the fear of death, can live courageously and abundantly. That we can love with abandon. That we no longer have to define ourselves as others have named us but that we can truly see ourselves as children of God, sharing God’s life for all eternity.

Jesus has risen from the dead. You, my friends, rise with Him. Rejoice in that truth. Julian of Norwich was a mystic who lived in the 14th century. Near death as a young woman, she experienced visions from God. In one of those visions, God spoke to her in words that have become so comforting to so many. She tells it this way:

“In my folly, before this time I often wondered why, by the great foreseeing wisdom of God, the onset of sin was not prevented: for then, I thought, all should have been well. This impulse [of thought] was much to be avoided, but nevertheless I mourned and sorrowed because of it, without reason and discretion. But Jesus, who in this vision informed me of all that is needed by me, answered with these words and said: ‘It was necessary that there should be sin; but all shall be well, and all shall be well, and all manner of thing shall be well’;

These words were said most tenderly, showing no manner of blame to me nor to any who shall be saved.”

Happy Easter my friends! All shall be well!

Peace,

Fr. Damian