

All Saints Catholic School Collections

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School News

All Saints School office hours are 9 am to 1 pm, Monday through Thursday. School is out for the summer!

Have a Safe and Happy Summer

Rosary and Mass for Vocations

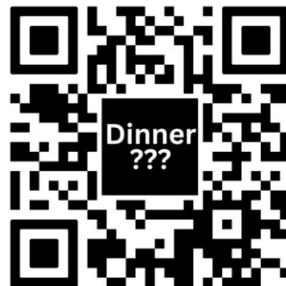
The Serra Club of West Omaha invites you to join them for a special Rosary for Vocations followed by a Holy Mass on Monday, August 4th, at St. James Catholic Church (4710 North 90th Street), to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and consecrated religious life within the Archdiocese of Omaha. The Rosary will begin at 5 pm and Mass is at 5:30 pm. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Michael McGovern, and concelebrated by Rev. Tom Weisbecker, Serra Chaplain, and Rev. Matthew Pohlman. After Mass, join them in the Parish Center for a reception where Father Matthew will speak about *Priestly Ministry with Mother Mary*. Enjoy heavy hors 'd oeuvres, beer, wine, and cake. All are welcome! If you are interested in helping to build the Church locally through vocations support, contact John Lingo, Serra VP, at westomaha@serrainternational.org. Learn more at serrawestomaha.org and follow us on Facebook [@serrawestomaha](https://www.facebook.com/serrawestomaha).

Congratulations Mrs. Avila!

Karen Avila, a teacher at All Saints School, is the 2025 McGinn Family Foundation Educator of the Year. She will be honored at the Archbishop's Dinner for Education on September 18th at the CHI Health Center. To register or make a donation in honor of Mrs. Avila, visit archomaha.org/dinnerforeducation

Guess Who is Coming to Dinner

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 scan this QR code or 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. Then, on the weekend of August 22-24, 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.



Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Pray and Play for Young Families, 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month (ndbourne23@gmail.com)

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner, quarterly, (click on link at stcabriniomaha.org to sign up) August 22-24

Eucharistic Adoration for Little Ones and their Families, St. Frances Cabrini,

First Saturday Rosary (Monthly), 4:30 pm, (Not in August), September 6

Taize Prayer (First Thursday of the month), 8 pm, August 7, September 4

Eucharistic Adoration (Third Saturday of the month), 3:30 - 4:30 pm, August 16, September 20

It's a Garden Party (Annual Parish Parking Lot Party) Saturday, August 16, following 5 pm Mass. Music by Joe Morgan's band.

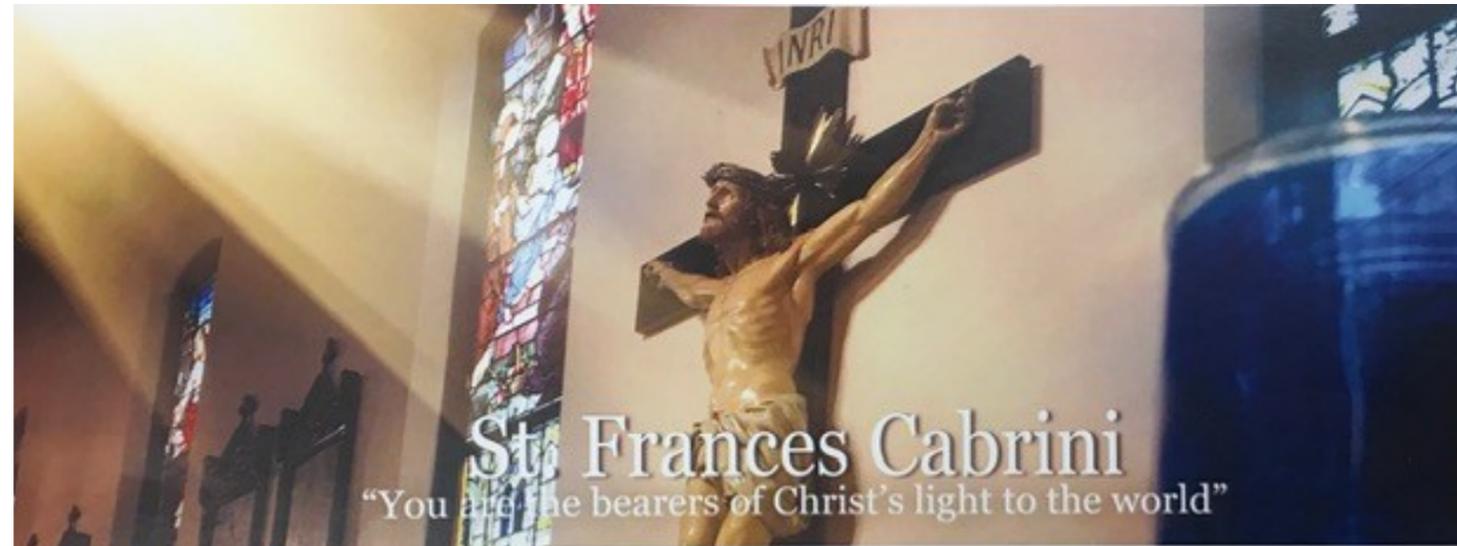
Anointing of the Sick (Last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass), August 31, September 27

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team (First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass) September 5

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

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

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



**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 27, 2025**

Santa Lucia Festival

The Santa Lucia Festival will be held in the 10th and William Streets area, July 31st through August 3rd. The full schedule of events can be found on their website www.santaluciafestival.com. As in past years, this affects parking for Masses. The Church and Cabrini Center parking lots will be reserved for Mass time parking.

Archbishop McGovern Visit

The weekend of the Santa Lucia Festival, **Archbishop McGovern will celebrating our 5 pm Saturday evening Mass on August 2nd**. We'd love to have you join us for Mass and then the festival afterwards. While dinner will be on your own, the tent on the Cabrini Center lawn will be available for us. There will be **NO** first Saturday Rosary that evening.

Openings at All Saints School

All Saints Catholic currently has openings for K – 3. Any interested parents can call the office at (402) 346-5757. They look forward to welcoming you to the school family.

It's a Garden Party

Save the date and make plans to join us Saturday, August 16th, for our annual party in the parking lot following the 5 pm Mass. The theme this year is "It's a Garden Party on the Parking Lot". We'll enjoy food and dancing to music by Joe Morgan's band. If you are able and willing to serve, please contact Bill and Sharon Kingston at wsrkingston@gmail.com or Lynette Farhart and Bill Alford at lynettefarhart@hotmail.com. See you there!

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July 28	July 29	July 30	July 31	August 1	August 2	August 3
				Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team	Archbishop McGovern Celebrates 5 pm Mass	
				Santa Lucia Festival at 10th and William Streets		



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Cabrini Parish Center Offices open 9 am to 4 pm, Monday through

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, July 29	11:30 AM	+Vincent Emmanuel
Wednesday, July 30	11:30 AM	+Mike Pokorny
Thursday, July 31	11:30 AM	Charlie Leo (Blessings)
Friday, Aug. 1	11:30 AM	+David J. Nuno
Saturday, Aug. 2	5:00 PM	+Dorothy Orent
Sunday, Aug. 3	9:00 AM	+Deceased Members Pistone Family
Sunday, Aug. 3	11:00 AM	+Santa Lucia Festival
Sunday, Aug. 3	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 bulletineditorcabrini@gmail.com 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 July 19-20

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	11,750.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	62.00
Organ Fund	\$	140.00
Improvement Fund	\$	37.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	60.00

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” LUKE 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. The truth is that many of us need very little. However, we usually want so much more! Stewardship is simply being grateful for all that we are and all that we have been given, and generously sharing all of our God-given gifts with others. Gratitude and generosity are gifts that opens doors to new relationships with others and with God.

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,

When the news reported July 17 on the deaths of three people at Holy Family Church in Gaza, some of you might have been confused. Perhaps that's because most of the time the Israeli-Palestinian conflict suggests just two communities are caught in the crossfire: Israelis (uniformly Jewish) and Palestinians (exclusively Muslim).

However, it's not so simple. Jews comprise around 73% of Israel's population while roughly 21% are Arabs. Arab citizens of Israel are mainly Muslims but also include Christians and Druze. In the Palestinian territories (West Bank, Gaza) roughly 99% of the population is Muslim. The remaining 1% is mostly Christian and even includes descendants of the biblical Samaritan community.

I did a sabbatical in Israel ten years ago at the Tantur Institute, run by Notre Dame University. We had the opportunity during our studies to meet leaders from the different communities as we strove to understand the events that have taken place in that land, both 2,000 years ago and in the last hundred years.

There are Arab Catholics living in Israel and Palestine. In fact, there is a seminary located in Beit Sahour, near Bethlehem, serving dioceses in Palestine, Israel, and Jordan. During my first trip to Israel in 2001, we spent a couple days at the seminary and enjoyed Passover with them. One of the old professors at that seminary had been the spiritual director for Yasser Arafat. It was quite fascinating to talk with him about how the leader of the PLO moved from practicing violence to peace.

When Israel was created in 1948, thousands of Palestinian Arab Christians were displaced, settling in neighboring countries and further afield. Today, Palestinian Christians can be found in places as diverse as villages in the West Bank, in the suburbs of the Lebanese capital, Beirut, and the streets of Omaha. The largest Palestinian community outside of the Middle East today is in Chile. Cardinal Fernando Chomalí Garib, the Archbishop of Santiago, has Palestinian roots.

While the Catholic community in Palestine and Israel is small compared to the recent past, still they form an important part of the community in the Holy Land. Imagine if all the Christians left the Holy Land. Then the tears Jesus cried over Jerusalem would need to be shed all over again.

I grant that the situation in Israel is very complex. Those of you who accompanied me in 2021 on our Holy Land pilgrimage saw firsthand some of the sufferings of the Palestinian people. The answers are not easy and will require, as Pope Leo said last week, courage and pain on all sides.

If you are interested in a balanced view of the conflict, I would encourage watching or reading anything by Fr. David Neuhaus. (Here is one suggestion where he is speaking in Rome on the concept of hope: [laycentre.org/full-video-david-mark-neuhaus-sj-on-hope-waking-up](https://www.laycentre.org/full-video-david-mark-neuhaus-sj-on-hope-waking-up)). Fr. Neuhaus is a Jesuit priest who has lived among both Palestinians and Israelis. He gave several presentations while I was at Tantur. Born in South Africa to Jewish parents, Neuhaus first arrived in Israel at the age of 15 and has since spent most of his life there. After converting to Roman Catholicism, he began an academic career and is now a guest professor of sacred scripture, biblical theology and Judaism at Salesian Pontifical University's Jerusalem campus.

Pray for peace in the Holy Land. May the suffering of the innocents come to an end.

Peace,

Fr. Damian