

All Saints Catholic School News

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All Saints Catholic School is taking applications for a Part-Time evening custodian. Employment to begin in June. Please send an email to awhitfield@allsaintscs.org.

The Spring Spaghetti Dinner Will Be Here Soon!

Meatball Prep Friday, April 10
 Meatballs Saturday, April 11
 Pasta and Cookies Sunday, April 12

Onions and Bones Wednesday, April 15
 Sauce/Set up Friday, April 17
 Dinner Day Sunday, April 19

Sign-up Genius is open so please sign up soon for the Place and Time you want to work. Invite friends to join you and make it a fun time. Over Easter, as you visit with family and friends, invite them to our Spaghetti Dinner on April 19th! We will have both dine-in and take-out.

Prices are unchanged. An adult dinner is \$15, child's \$7, extra meatballs \$2 each, a container of sauce is \$5, biscotti are \$3 a bag and cannoli are \$3 each. Be sure to buy any extras you want at the dinner as there are no after dinner sales. All remaining food is donated to Saving Grace for distribution. If you are getting take-out, bringing your own containers and boxes or bags is very helpful.

Remember that we take cash, check, debit and credit cards at ticket sales. Inside purchases like bake sale items, pop and pickles are CASH only.

The Bake Sale Needs You!

Bakers, have you decided on what you are going to make for the Bake Sale? Diners look forward to your treats to complete their dinner! Please pre-wrap or individually package the items you are bringing to help the volunteers there. They will do the pricing. Items may be dropped off on the day of the dinner between 8 am and 11 am.

Easter 2026 Flower Donations

If you would like to remember loved ones or express your gratitude for blessings received, please consider a donation for Easter flowers and plants to adorn the altar. You may drop your donation in an envelope marked "Easter flowers" on the outside, then put it in the collection basket. You are welcome to include a note with your name and who your donation is in remembrance of or what you are thankful for. Thank you!

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner, quarterly, click on the link stcabriniomaha.org to sign up, or contact Richard Carrillo at racarrillo83@gmail.com Date TBD

Movie Night for Young Adults, quarterly. Movie starts at 6:15 pm, Wednesday. June 17.

Adoration for Young Families, Quarterly, 10 -10:30 am, Saturday, April 18 at St. Mary Magdalene, followed by donuts and fellowship.

Meal Service at Siena Francis House, Select Thursdays: July 30, October 15. If interested, contact Natalie May at nmcgovern1@yahoo.com

Cabrini Family Dinner, Sunday, 6 pm. Spring and Fall. Fall date TBD

Taize Prayer, First Thursday of the month, 8 pm. (Not in April), May 7

Anointing of the Sick, last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass. April 26, May 31

Women's Faith Sharing Group with St. Mary Magdalene Parish, monthly on second Friday after 12:05 pm Mass (12:30-1:30 pm) April 10, May 8

Eucharistic Adoration, 3:30—4:30 pm, third Saturday each month. April 18, May 16

Spring Spaghetti Dinner April 19, 12 noon to 6 pm

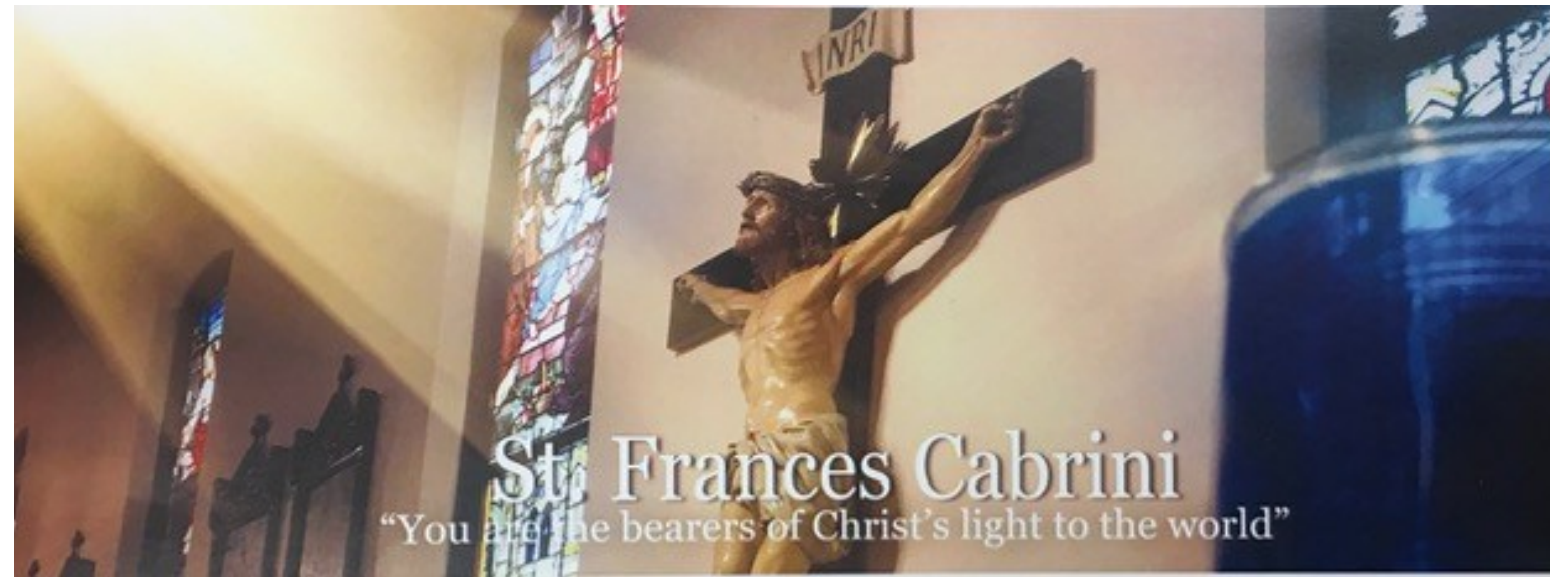
Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team, First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass. (Not in April), May 1

First Saturday Rosary, monthly, 4:30 pm. (Not in April), May 2

Fall Alpha for all ages, Tuesdays, 6-8 pm, September 15 through November 24. Day Away is October 31.

Christ Our Life Conference, live-stream or attend live in Des Moines, Iowa, September 26-27, 2026.

Parish Parking Lot Party, Saturday, September 26, 2026. More to follow.



**Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
 March 29, 2026**

Holy Week and Easter Services

Confessions will be heard Tuesday, 12 noon to 2 pm and Wednesday, 5 to 7 pm.

Holy Thursday services at 7 pm include the washing of the feet. **Please bring food items** to be given to the poor to this service. At the end of the Mass, we process to the Altar of Repose in the Cabrini Center gym for adoration, available until midnight.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross are at 12 noon. Services for the Veneration of the Cross will be at 3 pm. They will be repeated at 7 pm with the singing of the Passion.

Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil We will be uncovering the statues, cleaning and decorating the Church for Easter from 8-10 am Saturday morning, April 5th. All helpers are welcome to join us! Easter Vigil services start at 8 pm.

Easter Sunday Masses are 9 am and 11am. There is no 5:30 pm Mass.

Cabrini Parish Office Volunteers Update

The Cabrini Parish Office is in need of volunteers to answer phones and greet visitors on Tuesday or Friday mornings from 9 am to 12:30 pm. Please consider this opportunity to join our team. Please call the office, (402) 934-7706, or email Jan Bode at jmbode@archomaha.org if you are interested or would like more information. **The Parish Offices will be closed Good Friday and Easter Monday, April 4th and 7th.**

Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
March 30	March 31	April 1	April 2	April 3	April 4	April 5
Confessions 12 noon to 2 pm	Confessions 5 to 7 pm		Holy Thursday Mass 7 pm Adoration at Altar of Repose until Midnight	Parish offices closed Stations of the Cross 12 noon Veneration of the Cross services 3 pm and 7 pm	Easter Vigil services 8 pm	Masses 9 and 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. 31	11:30 AM	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday, Apr. 1	11:30 AM	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, Apr. 2	7:00 PM	+Thomas Herink
Friday, Apr. 3	3:00 PM	+Veneration of the Cross
Friday, Apr. 3	7:00 PM	+Veneration of the Cross
Saturday, Apr. 4	8:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday, Apr. 5	9:00 AM	+Herman & Catherine Franzluebbbers
Sunday, Apr. 5	11:00 AM	+Phyllis Heimann
Sunday, Apr. 5	5:30 PM	NO MASS

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 Collection March 21-22

Sunday Tithe- Collections	\$	7,379.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	38.00
Organ Fund	\$	64.00
Improvement Fund	\$	238.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	264.00

A Neighbor Finds Hope

We recently had the privilege of assisting a young family of four who had fallen on difficult times. After the father's work hours were unexpectedly cut, the family faced the terrifying reality of past-due utilities. Through the support of our St. Vincent de Paul organization, we were able to step in and cover those costs.

In addition to financial aid, we provided grocery cards and a blessing. It was a moving moment that brought tears of joy to the young mother—and to us as well. Before saying goodbye, we shared a list of additional resources to ensure they have a safety net for the future.

After all, that's what neighbors do for neighbors."

Thank you for supporting the mission of SVdP at Cabrini!



St. Mary Magdalene Church

(Our Sister Parish in the 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 fifteen minutes before each Mass time in the lower level of the church.

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends,

With our celebration today of Palm/Passion Sunday, we begin our annual reflection on the Paschal Mystery. Lent officially ends with the beginning of the Triduum. I encourage you to join us at each of the three days of the Triduum:

Holy Thursday Mass at 7:00 pm: Early in the day, Jesus gave instructions to his disciples on how to prepare for their celebration of the Passover. Throughout the day they made these preparations. In the Mass of the Lord's Supper, we place ourselves in the upper room with Jesus and the apostles and do what they did. Through the ritual of washing the feet of parishioners, we unite in Jesus' call to serve one another. Through our celebration of this very first Mass, we unite ourselves to Jesus by receiving his Body and Blood. Afterwards, like Jesus and his disciples, we make the short journey across the Kidron Valley to the Garden of Gethsemane, where he asked them to pray. Following the Mass, we process with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament to a garden (the Altar of Repose) that has been prepared in the Parish Center. It is an ancient custom to spend an hour before the reposed Eucharist on this night. The chapel is open until midnight.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross at noon, Services at both 3:00 pm and 7:00 pm, (7:00 pm has the Passion sung): After Jesus' arrest in the Garden, Jesus is locked in the prison of the high priest's house. Early in the morning Jesus was brought before Pilate, who transferred the case to Herod. Herod promptly sent Jesus back to Pilate. Sometime in the middle of the morning, Pilate bowed to the pressure of the Temple leadership and the crowds, condemning Jesus to a horrible death by crucifixion. Late in the morning, Jesus was taken by soldiers through the city and up to Golgotha. By noon, he had been nailed to the cross, where he hung in agony for three hours. Jesus died at approximately three o'clock in the afternoon. He was taken down from the cross and placed in a tomb before sundown. Today is a day of prayer, fasting, and abstinence. To the extent possible, Christians are urged to keep the day free of work, social engagements, and entertainment, devoting themselves to communal prayer and worship.

Holy Saturday Vigil at 8:00 pm: Although the body of Jesus was in the tomb, his soul is among the dead, announcing the Kingdom. Meanwhile, the disciples, heartbroken at the death of Jesus, observed the Jewish Sabbath in sorrow. They had forgotten Jesus' promise that he would rise. We, however, cannot forget the promise. Tonight, after sundown, we gather for the great Easter Vigil, where we experience Jesus' rising from the dead. We gather in darkness outside and begin by lighting the Easter fire. Then we enter the church and listen to Bible stories that describe God's saving work of the past. Suddenly, the church lights are turned on and the Gloria is sung, as we celebrate the moment of Christ's resurrection. He lives! In the joy of the resurrection, we then celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist for our catechumens and candidates, who have prepared for many weeks for this night. More than twenty will be baptized and another fifteen will make a profession of faith and be confirmed. Quite the event for our small parish!

Easter Sunday Masses at 9:00 am and 11:00 am: Like the apostles we gather with each other to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus. Then, throughout the day, joy-filled Christians will gather in homes with family and friends to share food and drink and remember all that Jesus did for them.

Please, join us as we enter into this great mystery.

Peace,

Fr. Damian

Sepolcri Tradition

Following the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, the Blessed Sacrament is taken in solemn procession to the Altar of Repose for a period of silent prayer and reflection until Midnight. The lush environment calls to mind the Garden of Gethsemane but also provides a glimpse of the promise of Resurrection. Part of the environment again this year is a Sicilian tradition called the *Sepolcri* – literally, "tombs." These are pots of wheat planted in the 3rd week of Lent and then grown in complete darkness to prevent photosynthesis from taking place, causing the plants to grow yellow. These wheat sprouts serve as a reminder of the institution of the Eucharist – Jesus is the Bread of Life. But a transformation takes place over the course of the evening. Exposed to even a little light, over the course of several hours, the wheat sprouts begin to turn green. This reminds us that from the darkness of Christ's death and tomb (*sepolcro*) new life and resurrection springs forth. The *sepolcri* were planted and cared for by the Santa Lucia Festival Committee as a gift to our parish community.