

All Saints Catholic School News

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All Saints School is Seeking Paraprofessionals

All Saints Catholic School is looking to hire Paraprofessionals for PREK and Upper Elementary classrooms. Interested parties, please email Mrs. Whitfield at awhitfield@allsaintscs.org.

Fall Alpha for All Ages Begins September 15th!

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that **freely explore** the meaning of life and the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly, open, informal environment. **It is for everyone!** Alpha runs Tuesdays at the Cabrini Parish Center gym from 6-8 pm, September 15th through November 17th, with a Day Away on October 24th. It’s free. It includes a full meal (we do accept free will donations to help cover food costs). For questions or to register, contact Annie Wise at amwise@archomaha.org Registration forms can also be found at the back of Church and can be added to the offertory collection baskets or sent/brought to the Cabrini Parish Office.

Sts. Peter and Paul Summer Festival

Mark your calendar for August 2nd! Sts. Peter and Paul Church (36th and “X” Streets in Omaha), celebrates its fantastic summer festival, featuring a MegaBucks grand prize drawing, a melting pot of South Omaha’s favorite ethnic foods, beer, rides, prizes and live music. “The Original South O” festival will be on Sunday, August 2nd, from noon to 8 pm. Bring a hearty appetite to savor delicious ethnic foods, including Sts. Peter and Paul’s famous “sarma” (cabbage rolls), homemade sausage and peppers, Polish sausage, BBQ lamb, tacos and desserts from every corner of the world! Enjoy a full day of music, featuring the high-energy polka music of the Ken Janak Orchestra, a variety of oldies, country, waltzes and polkas with the Mark Vyhldal Band and the classic rock of Blandford. Music, food and games for children and the entire family promise a great day!

Essential Pregnancy Services – Breakfast for Life 2026

Join Essential Pregnancy Services on Saturday, August 8th, at the St. Patrick’s Elkhorn Parish Hall (18602 West Maple Road, Elkhorn, NE) for the EPS Auxiliary’s 16th Annual Breakfast for Life, featuring keynote speaker, Lydia Taylor Davis. Doors open at 8:30 am, and the program begins at 9:15 am. Registration is \$40 per person. There are a limited number of complimentary student tickets available for high school and college students up to age 24. Register, sponsor, and donate at friendsofeps.org. Essential Pregnancy Services provides life-affirming, holistic support to women experiencing unexpected or under-supported pregnancies. For event questions or to inquire about student tickets, contact Sherilyn Park at spark@essentialps.org or (531) 239-3129.

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, Wednesdays, Next date TBD

Fall Alpha for all ages, Tuesdays, 6-8 pm, September 15 through November 17. Day Away is October 24.

Adoration for Young Families, Quarterly, 10 -10:30 am, Saturday, **July 25** (note date change) at St. Frances Cabrini, followed by donuts and fellowship in the Parish Center.

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 October 25

Rite of the Blessing of the Child in the Womb, last Sunday of the month at 9 am Mass. July 26, August 30

Upcoming Events at Cabrini

Anointing of the Sick, last Sunday of the month at 11 am Mass. July 26, August 30

First Saturday Rosary, monthly, 4:30 pm. August 1

Taize Prayer, First Thursday of the month, 8 pm. August 6

Personal Prayer with Prayer Ministry Team, First Friday of the month following 11:30 am Mass. August 7

Women’s Faith Sharing Group with St. Mary Magdalene Parish, monthly on second Friday after 12:05 pm Mass: 12:30-1:30 pm, August 14

Eucharistic Adoration, 3:30—4:30 pm, third Saturday each month. August 15

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

Fall Spaghetti Dinner, Sunday, October 18, 12 noon to 6 pm



**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 19, 2026**

Thank you from Fr. Nick

Just wanted to send a quick note to share that I arrived safely to Milwaukee and am settling in well. It’s a great group of Jesuits here and the house is nice and cozy!

I also want to say thank you for the wonderful going away dinner last week. Words cannot describe my gratitude. It was such a special evening—thank you (and the Cabrini community) for always welcoming me with great love and hospitality. It was a blessing to call Cabrini “home.”

I LOVE the gorgeous image of the parish that was given as a gift to me. I look forward to hanging it in my room as a reminder of the hope and Christ-filled love that Cabrini shared and gifted to me. Prayers and blessings to you and everyone at Cabrini!

Adoration for Young Families

Young families are invited to meet at St. Frances Cabrini Church Saturday, July 25th from 10 to 10:30 am for Adoration. Donuts and fellowship will follow in the Parish Center.

2026–2027 Registration Open: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a children’s Montessori-based faith formation program founded on the belief that young children already have a loving relationship with God. The program seeks to nourish this relationship through prayer, Scripture, and hands-on activities such as exploring the objects used at Mass, kneading bread for a shared meal, and creating prayer cards. Much of each session is devoted to individual work, freely chosen by each child. St. Frances Cabrini is offering a Toddler session for children who are walking independently through 3 years old. Sessions will meet weekly on Saturday mornings from 8:30–10:30 am, beginning September 12, 2026 - May 15, 2027. Space is limited. Register through the QR code or by contacting Nicole Bourne at ndbourne23@gmail.com.



Upcoming Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July 20	July 21	July 22	July 23	July 24	July 25	July 26
			Finance Council 4 pm		Adoration for Young Families 10 am at Cabrini	Blessing the Unborn in the Womb at 9 am Mass Anointing the Sick at 11 am 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, July 21	11:30 AM	+Warren Reynolds
Wednesday, July 22	11:30 AM	+Marge Wilwerding
Thursday, July 23	11:30 AM	+Anne May Paden
Friday, July 24	11:30 AM	+Edward, John, Victoria & Gary Kowal
Saturday, July 25	5:00 PM	+Deceased Members Aliano Family
Sunday, July 26	9:00 AM	+Marge Wilwerding
Sunday, July 26	11:00 AM	+Deceased Members Behrends Family
Sunday, July 26	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 Collection
July 11-12

Sunday Tithe– Collections	\$	5,951.00
All Saints Gift Fund	\$	324.00
Organ Fund	\$	75.00
Improvement Fund	\$	27.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	130.00

Making an Impact

Since our financial year began in October 2025, we have assisted our neighbors with nearly \$80,000 in direct financial aid. This is double the support provided during the same timeframe last year!

In addition to your local generosity, we successfully secured \$27,000 in one-time grants from the SVdP District office. As Vincentians, we are truly blessed to serve as the "hands and feet of Christ," bringing the heart and compassionate spirit of St. Frances Cabrini directly to our neighbors in need.

To help us continue meeting these historic demands, please consider supporting our mission by scanning the QR code below. Thank you for your continued prayers and generosity!



These are your neighbors!
Thank You for your support!



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,

Back in 1970, when I was a sophomore in high school, Alvin Toffler and his wife wrote a book entitled *Future Shock* to describe what happens to societies and people when too much social change happens too quickly. Toffler died in 2016 but had predicted the “revolutionary transitions” that would lie ahead for humankind many years ago. He thought you and I would feel disoriented, irritable, and malaise as we sought to find our footing in a new reality.

I am not sure if he saw the world of AI that is quickly becoming a new part of our norm. Certainly, it was foreseen in *2001, A Space Odyssey* with the conversations held with the computer, HAL. What seemed impossible only a short time ago can now take place between you and your AI agent. There are new stories daily about the type of robots that will be serving us soon. Even as I type this letter, some “helper” keeps making suggestions to me about the next word I should choose, or it corrects my grammatical mistakes.

Those things are minor in comparison to the concerns Pope Leo raises about AI in his encyclical *Magnifica Humanitas*. I mentioned in the letter last week several of the concerns that the Holy Father raises about unregulated AI. Early in the letter, he uses a strong word in approaching the morality of AI use, “to disarm”. He initially uses it generally and then later in the letter specifically about weapons.

Here is his statement found early in the encyclical: *I would like to employ the expression “to disarm,” which is close to my heart. Disarming AI means freeing it from the mentality of “armed” competition, which today is not limited simply to the military context, but is also an economic and cognitive phenomenon. This entails a race for ever more powerful algorithms and larger datasets, driven by the desire to secure geopolitical or commercial dominance. To disarm means discrediting the assumption that technical power automatically confers the right to govern. To disarm does not mean rejecting technology, but preventing it from dominating humanity. It means freeing technology from monopolistic control and opening it to discussion and debate, therefore making it human-friendly and restoring it to the plurality of human cultures and ways of life. Our task today is not only ethical or technical. It is ecological in the deepest sense, for it concerns a new dimension of our common home. AI is already an environment in which we are immersed, as well as a force with which we must engage. For this reason, merely regulating it is insufficient; it must be disarmed, welcoming and accessible.*

Pope Leo concludes this section by reminding us of what we humans are made to be: *Having considered the issues of responsibility and governance of AI, we must now return to our central question: what does it mean to safeguard our humanity? The risk extends beyond the misuse of certain technologies. More gravely, the pervasive technocratic paradigm in which we are immersed, and that is amplified by the digital revolution and AI, threatens to normalize an anti-human vision. In that vision, the fullness of life is equated with having more, reducing weakness, eliminating uncertainty and exerting total control. When efficiency becomes the ultimate measure of value, human beings are tempted to see themselves as a project to be optimized rather than as persons called to relationship and communion...The quality of a civilization is measured not by the power of its means, but by the care it is able to offer, by its ability to recognize the other as a face not merely as a function. The ability to care for one another is a fundamental dimension of our humanity, one that is learned and mastered through lived experience. Reading stories to a child, offering company to an elderly person and arranging a home so that it is welcoming are simple gestures often rooted in family life...*

More next week.

Peace,

Fr. Damian