Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

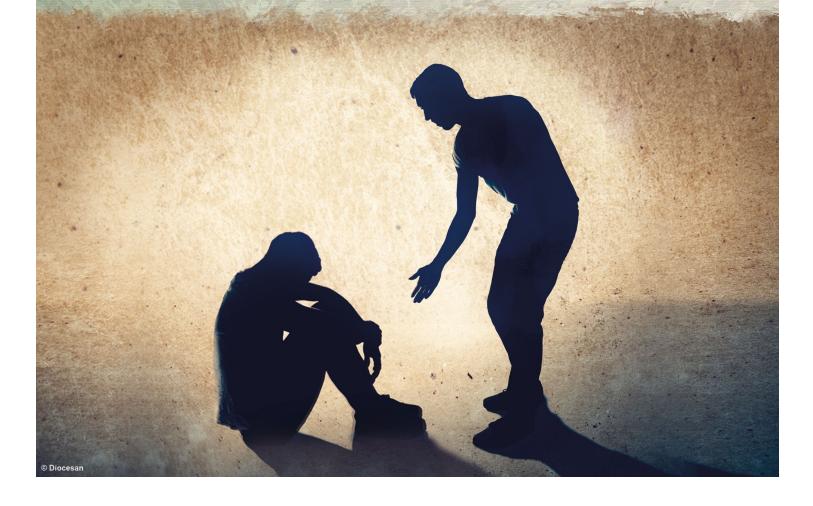
Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Do to others as you would have them do to you."

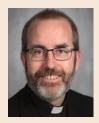
Luke 6:31

"Traten a los demás como quieren que ellos les traten a ustedes."

Lucas 6, 31



Weekend at Birney's



Quo Vadis Domine Shepherd's Report Pastoral Letter

I appreciate your patience with the pause regarding the anticipated Pastoral Letter that was originally scheduled to be sent in January. The letter was placed in the mail this

past Friday, so I expect you will be receiving it, if not already, in the next few days.

As you await the opportunity to read the letter, and the changes within it, I am very aware of how unsettling this can be. Change is often difficult and can create an atmosphere of doubt or uncertainty. While this is an acknowledged reality, it does not pose a valid reason for ignoring what is known to even the causal observer....changes are necessary to be prepared for the future so we can stay focused on the mission of the Church.

Within the Shepherd's Report: Pastoral Letter sent home to every registered parishioner; I outline three main areas that will be affected by the changes:

- Weekday and Weekend Mass schedule
- Parish Office hours
- Pastoral Staff positions

For further reference about the data that went into the discernment for these changes, the power point presentation (Shepherd's Report) that was delivered 22 times amongst our 6 parishes, has been available on the first page of the St. Frances Cabrini website since October (cabriniparish.org). If you have not yet viewed it, I encourage you to do so. Also, as was announced by the Archbishop two weeks ago, the entire Archdiocese of Detroit will be lead through a reorganization process with a newly created office called the Office of Parish Renewal. A letter from the Archbishop was published outlining the vision and scope of this effort. You can find that letter at aod.org or at the Families of Parishes button on the parish websites under Pastoral Notes. No Second Tunic is the title of the Pastoral Note.

Please continue to pray for a spirt of docility and charity. Through the embrace of these virtues, we'll find the wisdom and understanding from the Holy Spirit to take these new steps together as a Family of Parishes.

CSA needs your help!

As you can see from the bulletin, not all our parishes have been able to attain the assigned CSA goal. I ask that you prayerfully consider helping your parish by donating at: givecsa.org. If we fail to realize the goal, it will come out of our parish budget, a budget that has no 'wiggle room'.....which is the case for each parish.

May is the month when the CSA begins. It is my prayer that we can reach our goals this month, to avoid cutting a program from our budget and allow our parishioners some distance between the old (2024) and new (2025) CSA campaign.

Thank you to those who have already given, and I pray those who have not will do so this week. God bless your generosity.

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Today's gospel reading is a continuation of the teaching that began in last Sunday's gospel. We continue to hear Jesus' Sermon on the Plain.

These words from Jesus' teaching are familiar to us. They constitute the crux and the challenge of what it means to be a disciple: Love your enemies, turn the other cheek, give to those who ask, do unto others, lend without expecting repayment, judge not lest you be judged.

There are several similarities between Luke's and Matthew's report of Jesus' great teaching. Both begin with the Beatitudes. There are, however, differences in language and nuance. For example, Matthew presents this portion of the teaching as a contrast between Jesus' teaching and the teachings of the law and the prophets. This is in keeping with Matthew's concern to address his predominantly Jewish audience. It is likely that Luke omits this contrast because it was unnecessary for the Gentile believers for whom Luke is writing.

In both Gospels, Jesus' words challenge those who would follow him to be more like God. God loves us beyond our expectations, beyond anything we can possibly imagine. In response to God's love, we are to love as God loves, beyond expectations and with a depth beyond imagining." (loyolapress.com)

Quote for the Week

"There is no such thing as bad weather. All weather is good because it is God's." -Saint Teresa of Avila

That's all for now, see you in Church, Fr. Tim Birney

Fin de Semana en Birney's

Quo Vadis Domine Informe del Pastor Carta Pastoral

Agradezco su paciencia con la pausa con respecto a la anticipada Carta Pastoral que originalmente estaba programada para ser enviada en enero. La carta fue enviada por correo el viernes pasado, por lo que espero que la reciban, si no lo han hecho ya, en los próximos días.

Mientras esperan la oportunidad de leer la carta, y los cambios en ella, soy muy consciente de lo inquietante que puede ser. El cambio suele ser difícil y puede crear una atmósfera de duda o incertidumbre. Si bien esta es una realidad reconocida, no representa una razón válida para ignorar lo que se sabe, incluso para el observador causal... los cambios son necesarios para estar preparados para el futuro y así poder mantenernos enfocados en la misión de la Iglesia.

Dentro del Informe del Pastor: Carta Pastoral enviada a casa a cada feligrés registrado; Describo tres áreas principales que se verán afectadas por los cambios:

- Horario de misas entre semana y fin de semana
- Horario de Oficina Parroquial
- Cargos del personal pastoral

Para obtener más información sobre los datos que se utilizaron en el discernimiento para estos cambios, la presentación en power point (Informe del Pastor) que se entregó 22 veces entre nuestras 6 parroquias, ha estado disponible en la primera página del sitio web de St. Frances Cabrini desde octubre (cabriniparish.org). Si aún no lo has visto, te animo a que lo hagas. Además, como fue anunciado por el arzobispo hace dos semanas, toda la Arquidiócesis de Detroit será conducida a través de un proceso de reorganización con una oficina recién creada llamada Oficina de Renovación Parroquial. Se publicó una carta del arzobispo en la que se esbozaba la visión y el alcance de este esfuerzo. Puede encontrar esa carta en aod.org o en el botón de Familias de Parroquias en los sitios web de las parroquias en Notas Pastorales. Ninguna segunda túnica es el título de la Nota Pastoral.

Por favor, continúen rezando por un espíritu de docilidad y caridad. A través de la adopción de estas virtudes, encontraremos la sabiduría y el entendimiento del Espíritu Santo para dar estos nuevos pasos juntos como Familia de Parroquias.

¡CSA necesita su ayuda!

Como se puede ver en el boletín, no todas nuestras parroquias han sido capaces de alcanzar la meta asignada de CSA. Les pido que consideren en oración ayudar a su parroquia donando en: givecsa.org. Si no logramos alcanzar la meta, saldrá de nuestro presupuesto parroquial, un presupuesto que no tiene

'margen de maniobra'..... que es el caso de cada parroquia.

Mayo es el mes en el que comienza el CSA. Es mi oración que podamos alcanzar nuestras metas este mes, para evitar recortar un programa de nuestro presupuesto y permitir que nuestros feligreses tengan cierta distancia entre la antigua (2024) y la nueva (2025) campaña de CSA.

Gracias a los que ya han dado, y ruego a los que no lo han hecho que lo hagan esta semana. Dios bendiga su generosidad.

Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"La lectura del Evangelio de hoy es una continuación de la enseñanza que comenzó en el Evangelio del domingo pasado. Seguimos escuchando el Sermón de Jesús en la llanura.

Estas palabras de la enseñanza de Jesús nos son familiares. Constituyen el quid y el desafío de lo que significa ser un discípulo: Amad a vuestros enemigos, poned la otra mejilla, dad a los que piden, haced a los demás, prestad sin esperar recompensa, no juzguéis para que no seáis juzgados.

Hay varias similitudes entre el informe de Lucas y el de Mateo sobre la gran enseñanza de Jesús. Ambos comienzan con las Bienaventuranzas. Sin embargo, hay diferencias en el lenguaje y los matices. Por ejemplo, Mateo presenta esta porción de la enseñanza como un contraste entre la enseñanza de Jesús y las enseñanzas de la ley y los profetas. Esto está en consonancia con la preocupación de Mateo de dirigirse a su audiencia predominantemente judía. Es probable que Lucas omita este contraste porque era innecesario para los creyentes gentiles para quienes Lucas está escribiendo.

En ambos Evangelios, las palabras de Jesús desafían a aquellos que lo seguirían a ser más como Dios. Dios nos ama más allá de nuestras expectativas, más allá de cualquier cosa que podamos imaginar. En respuesta al amor de Dios, debemos amar como Dios ama, más allá de las expectativas y con una profundidad más allá de lo imaginable". (loyolapress.com)

Frase de la semana

"No existe el mal tiempo. Todo tiempo es bueno porque es de Dios". -Santa Teresa de Ávila

Eso es todo por ahora, nos vemos en la Iglesia, Padre Tim Birney

Mass Intentions Intenciones De Las Misas

Wednesday, February 26 | Miércoles Febrero 26 9:00am

†Carlson Plague

Friday, February 28 | Viernes Febrero 28 9:00am

†Richard Zelmanski

Saturday, March 1 | Sábado Marzo 1 4:00pm

†Ken Operhall †Bonrupfil Tariao For the Health of Jane Sobieraj For the Heath of Stan & Lucy Kloc

Sunday, March 2 | Domingo Marzo 2 10:00am

People of the Parish

12:00pm

†Paz Gonzalez



Stewardship of Prayer Corresponsabilidad de Oracion

The foundation of meditative prayer is the Bible. This is where we come to know Jesus who reveals his Father to us. Studying his life and ministry helps us find our purpose and direction. Strengthen your prayer life by making it a habit to read and study the Bible.

El fundamento de la oración meditativa es la Biblia. Es allí donde llegamos a conocer a Jesús, quien nos revela a su Padre. Estudiar su vida y ministerio nos ayuda a encontrar nuestro propósito y dirección. Fortalezca su vida de oración haciendo de la lectura y el estudio de la Biblia un hábito.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of: Por favor oren por el descanso del alma de: John Paul Gelletta

Stewardship of Treasure Corresponsabilidad de Tesoro

February 9, 2025

Envelope/Loose Sobres/Dinero Suelto	\$5,197
Online Giving Donaciones en Sínea	\$755
Total	\$5,952
Cathalta Camitas Annia al 2024	

Catholic Service Appeal 2024

Llamado al Servicio Católico 2024

Goal Objetivo	\$41,767
Paid to Date Pagado Hasta la Fecha	(\$183,506)
Parish Rebate Reembolso Parroquial	\$141,739

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, March 1 | Sábado Marzo 1

4:00pm

Lector Frank Lentine
Eucharistic Minister Sharon Mitchell
Altar Servers Brittany Turner,
Romina Orozco

Notifilia Ofozco

Ushers Barbara Kotarsky, Alfred Kouri,

Lisa Mousseau, Judy Persia

Rick Mousseau

Sacristan Carol Knedgen

Sunday, March 2 | Domingo Marzo 2

10:00am

Lector Caige Kelly

Eucharistic Minister Deacon Scott LaForest
Altar Servers Jim Gueli, Sharon Mitchell,

Ann Muldoon

Ushers Donna Gueli, William Kessler,

Paul Pesta, Joe Scrimenti

Sacristan Ron Neu

12:00pm

Lector Claudia Serrato

Eucharistic Minister Indomar Aguilar, Ana Rizo

Teresa de la Torre

Monaguillos Cristobal Barba, Alex Diaz,

Natalie Franco

Ujieres Aaron y Jose Diaz, Jose Barba,

Adrian Muratalla, Andres

Garcia

Christian Women Bake Sale | Basket Raffle

March 1/2

ALL are invited to stop by, we will have homemade baked goods and treats. We welcome all Bakers! Please reach out to any member of Christian Women if you are interested in baking. Join us for chance a to win one of the themed baskets filled with wonderful items.

TODOS están invitados, tendremos deliciosas opciones. ¡Aceptamos donaciones! Comuníquese con la oficina si está interesado en hornear. Únase a nosotros para tener la oportunidad de ganar una de las canastas llenas de artículos maravillosos.

Stewardship of Time and Talent

Are you looking for a way to use your time and talents to serve those less fortunate than yourself? One way is to join the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Vincentians bring friendship, listening, and hope to others. To get connected with the Vincentians, call the parish office.

¿Está buscando una manera de utilizar su tiempo y sus talentos para servir a los menos afortunados que usted? Una manera de hacerlo es unirse a la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl. Los vicentinos brindan amistad, atención y esperanza a los demás. Para ponerse en contacto con los vicentinos, llame a la oficina parroquial.

Please Pray For • Por Favor Oremos Por

Giovanni Arcuri Dale Akers Jr Boni Chamberlin Laurie Elswick Jane Sobieraj Evans Mary Hepler Ramon Hernandez Ronda Jewell **Ronald Jewell** Magdalena Juarez Rafaela Juarez Ronald Kowalchik Bev Lentini Patrick Maculewicz

Chester Marculewicz Trish McMahon Andrew McCowan Gladys Michalek John Michalek Raleigh Minning Anne Mondro Judy Mondro **Harry Morris** Melvin Morris

Libby Muszynski

Geraldine O'Connor

Lynne Patrick Cheryl Pesta Luis Rodriguez Edna Rodriguez Fr. Leo Sabourin **Sharon Siemion** Melissa Solano Nanette Tariao Patricia Taylor **Bob Whaley** Cyndy Williams **Margaret Wolney** Sarah Woloszyk

Armed Forces

Fuerzas Armadas:

Daniel Bellman, USM Joshua Blevins, USMC Patrick J. Feys, USN Oscar F. Gutierrez, USMC Jonathan R. Martin, Army Ryan Myre, USN

Bradley J. Schleicher II, USN Charles A. Sseguya, USMC Patricia Nakanwagi, USMC



Save the Date | Aparta la Fecha

February 27 | Febrero 27

Bible study every Thursday at 6:00PM until April 10. No bible study on March 20 | Estudio bíblico todos los Jueves 6:00pm hasta el 10 de abril. No habrá estudio bíblico el 20 de marzo.

February 28 | Febrero 28

God's Housekeeper Group 3 | Cuidado de la Casa de Dios Grupo 3

March 1 and 2 | 1 y 2 de Marzo

Christian Women Bake Sale Venta de Resposteria de las Mujeres Cristianas

March 5 | 5 de Marzo

Ash Wednesday | Miercoles de Ceniza

March 8 and 9 | 8 y 9 de Marzo

Pierogi Presale | Preventa de Pierogi

April 5 | 5 de Abril

Brunch with the Easter Bunny Almuerzo con el Conejo de Pascua

St. Alfred Parish

24175 Baske St. **Taylor, MI 48180**

www.stalfredtaylor.org (313) 291-6464

Office Hours | Horario de Oficinas

Tuesday | Martes9:00am-8:00pm Wed-Thurs | Miércoles-Jueves ... 9:00am-4:00pm Friday | Viernes9:00am-12:00pm

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Worship Schedule | Horario de la Liturgia

Wednesday & Friday | Miércoles y Viernes English Mass | Misa en Ingles 9:00am

Saturday | Sábado

English Mass | Misa en Ingles4:00pm

Sunday | Domingo

English Mass | Misa en Ingles 10:00am Spanish Mass | Misa en Español 12:00pm

Confessions at St. Frances Cabrini

Saturday 3:00pm

All masses are livestreamed on Facebook, Web and YouTube. | Todas las Misas son transmitidas en vivo en Facebook, Web y YouTube.



For more information about the parish, donate online or to check out the latest activities, scan the QR code below. | Para obtener más información sobre la parroquia, para hacer una

donación en línea o para consultar las últimas actividades, escanee el código QR a continuación.

St. Alfred SVdP | Vicente de Paul de St. Alfred Thursdays | Jueves | 9:30am - 11:30am

(313) 291-4888



Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 1 | 6:30pm

†Patricia Dawidko by Family

Sunday, March 2 | 10:00am

†Patricia Dawidko by Family †Procopio Gaglio by Rosalia Gaglio †Helen Rogers by Family

Usher Ministry

We could sure use your help!

Sound like something you might like to do, and you want to know more, please contact our head of the usher's group, Michael Howarth at (313) 414-2699.

Must be 18 years of age.

Lift Up Your Hearts

Today's Gospel gives us some practical advice about daily living.... how to "walk in the ways of Jesus...." There is one place we can all begin, how about in the morning when we get that first look in the bathroom mirror... Oh my....

Love.... bless.... turn the other cheek.... think before we speak....be merciful....no judging....

Oh my.... what a challenge to walk in the ways of Jesus.... but we must learn to think, speak and act the way that He would want us to.

It is difficult to live in a way, mindful of The Lord. Do you remember something that was fairly popular several years ago: W.W.J.D.....???

We had it on tee shirts, pencils and notepads:

WHAT WOULD JESUS DO????

When we think about it.... That's not a bad summary of how to handle our words and actions on any day.

W.W.J.D....? It's in today's gospel and in our hearts.

"For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out you." (LK 6:38)



Ministry Schedule

Saturday, March 1 | 6:30pm

Lectors Two Needed
Eucharistic Minister One Needed
Mass Servers One-Three Needed

Sunday, March 2 | 10:00am

Lectors Nick Herhilan & One Needed

Eucharistic Minister One Needed

Mass Servers One-Three Needed

Money Counters | March 2

Team #8

Servers & Ushers, for the month of March, please sign the volunteer sign-up sheet in the Vestibule.



Baptisms

"Lord, send forth your Spirit upon us"

February 2, 2025 Fr. Tim Birney Courtney Flodensca Geffrard

Please Pray For

Julie Babik Mary Brua Joe Favazza Quinn Lauder Dennis Ligai Michele McCauley Neil McLaughlin Oliver Miller

Shelby Parker Maryann Pizzo Sarah Ring Rick Roy **Dora Schindorff** McKenley Tillery The Tillery Family

Tom Torongeau

Beverly Mytkowski

Upcoming Events

Women of Faith & Service | Pre St. Patrick's Day

Friday, February 28, 6:00pm in the Parish Hall

Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner 50/50 Raffle | \$15 per person

Bring a nonperishable food item for an extra raffle ticket to help replenish our Taylor Food Pantry. Tickets are on sale now. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Fellowship Weekend

Saturday, March 8 | After 6:30pm Mass in the Parish Hall Sunday, March 9 | After 10:00am Mass in the Parish Hall

Upcoming Meetings

All Meetings are held in the Parish Hall

Women of Faith & Service

Sunday, March 2, 11:00am

Usher's Group

Sunday, March 2, 11:00am

Health Ministry

Sunday, March 23 at 11:00am | Following the 10:00am Mass

Join us for a continental breakfast in the Parish Hall, and a presentation on easy fitness and nutrition at any age. Please RSVP to 313-418-2548.

Weekly Meetings

Alcoholics Anonymous

Meets every Monday, at 8:00pm in the Parish Hall

Narcotics Anonymous

Meets every Wednesday, at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall

Monday Night Rosary Group

Meets every Monday at 7:00pm in the Church

Light of Christ Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group Meets every Wednesday, 7:30pm in the Church

St. Constance Parish

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Taylor, Michigan 48180

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Parish Liturgy Schedule

Saturd	ay	6:30pm
Sunday	/	10:00am

Reconciliation

Saturday at St. Frances Cabrini 3:00pm



Our Stewardship

February 16, 2025

Envelopes/Loose	\$3,040
Online Giving	\$150
Total	\$3,190
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Give online at: www.stconstance.com

Catholic Service Appeal 2024

Goal	\$36,439
Paid	(\$37,439)
Amount Needed	\$0.00

Way to go! Our community has exceeded our CSA goal! God Bless you & thank you for your generosity!

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 24 | 9:00am

†James Durgerian

Tuesday, February 25 | 9:00am

†Gordon Birkett

Saturday, March 1 | 4:30pm

†Sandra Williams

Sunday, March 2 | 10:00am

†Dennis Aguirre



Please Pray For

Pauline Amormino Robert Ayala Lori Church Elizabeth Coogan Carmen Cotto Alfredo Cresentini Maria Cresentini Carol Merta

Lindsay Merta Anthony Pyszko Heather Swantek

For all those listed in the Book of Comfort & Healing



Saint Gregory

Feast Day February 27

It can be so comforting to those who have experienced certain hardship in life to be able to identify with a particular saint. For example, today's saint, Gregory of Narek, was an orphan. He was born in Turkey in the middle of the 10th century. After his parents died, he went to live with his uncle, who was a monk. Gregory entered the monastery and later became a priest and a theology professor.

He was also a mystic and became a well-known writer and poet. One of his pieces, which he described as "an encyclopedia of prayer for all nations," has been translated into thirty languages. He spent his life within the walls of the Narek monastery and was buried there in the early 11th century. Pope Francis declared Gregory, already a saint of the Armenian Apostolic Church, a Doctor of the Church in 2015. He is the patron saint of musicians, singers, students and teachers. Saint Gregory of Narek, pray for us!

—Tami Urcia

St. Mary Magdalen Parish

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Parish Liturgy Schedule

Monday & Tuesday	9:00am
Saturday	4:30pm
Sunday	10:00am

Reconciliation at St. Frances Cabrini

Saturday......3:00pm

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, March 1 | 4:30pm

Lector Juanita Munoz
Eucharistic Ministers Adriana Ayala
Carmen Villalobos

Sunday, March 2 | 10:00am

Lector Carol Benton
Eucharistic Ministers Linda Mikus
Maricela Peña

Our Stewardship

February 16, 2025

Envelope/Loose	\$2,226
Online Giving	\$231
Total	\$2 457

Give online at: magdalenparish.org

Catholic Service Appeal 2024

Goal	\$23,517
Paid	
Amount Needed	\$8,068

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Stagnant or Overflowing?

We find ourselves in the midst of a short, seven and a half week stint of Ordinary Time. It can seem like we are somewhat lost in time - no longer in the Christmas season and not yet in the throes of Lent. It can also be a dreary time. All of the exterior lights are extinguished; the days are still short and the nights still long. The gray clouds and threats of snow linger on in some parts, yet without the childlike anticipation to pull us through.

What do we have to look forward to now? How can we not grow stagnant in our walk of faith during this time?

A friend once told me that Ordinary Time was his favorite season of all. When he first said it, I thought he was crazy. How can anyone enjoy Ordinary Time more than Christmas or Easter?! But then he shared that, just as the liturgical color green indicates, Ordinary Time is a season of growth. As we muddle through the mundane, tackle the trivial and battle the boredom, we are invited to continue blossoming and blooming.

In today's first reading we discover Saul and David in the middle of a cat and mouse chase. Saul finds himself in a jealous rage and wishes to extinguish David, while David's men encourage him to obliterate Saul. David could have just as easily become enraged. Afterall, his best friend's father wanted to chop his head off! But he fled in self defense, and when afforded the opportunity to retaliate, refused to lay a finger on the Lord's anointed one. He acquiesced to God rather than

Jesus puts the actions of David into words saying: "love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you... Do to others as you would have them do to you...and you will be children of the Most High, for he himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked." Sounds selfless and saintly and... super hard. To act in a way that gains no reward, not even a tiny bit of dopamine, sounds just horrible. It offers my humanness no motivation, my pride no boost.

Yet we live for the promise of a different kind of reward all together: "then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High...gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down and overflowing..." So let us shake off the ordinaryness of this time and dive into the growth, so that our heavenly reward may be overflowing.

Scripture Readings

For the Week of February 23, 2025 Sunday • Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103; 1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

Monday

Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday

Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday

Sir 4:11-19; Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175; Mk 9:38-40

Thursday

Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mk 9:41-50

Sir 6:5-17; Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mk 10:1-12

Saturday

Sir 17:1-15; Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18; Mk 10:13-16

Sunday • Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sir 27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14; 15-16; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45

Lecturas de las Escrituras

Para la Semana del 23 de Febrero de 2025

Domingo • Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 1 Sam 26, 2. 7-9. 12-13. 22-23; Sal 102, 1-2. 3-4. 8 y 10. 12-13

Lunes

Sir 1, 1-10; Sal 92, 1ab. 1c-2. 5; Mc 9, 14-29

Sir 2, 1-13; Sal 36, 3-4. 18-19. 27-28. 39-40; Mc 9, 30-37

Miércoles

Sir 4, 12-22; Sal 118, 165. 168. 171. 172. 174. 175; Mc 9, 38-40

Jueves

Sir 5, 1-10; Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6; Mc 9, 41-50

Viernes

Sir 6, 5-17; Sal 118, 12. 16. 18. 27. 34. 35; Mc 10, 1-12

Sir 17, 1-13; Sal 102, 13-14. 15-16. 17-18; Mc 10, 13-16

Domingo • Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Sir 27, 5-8; Sal 91, 2-3. 13-14. 15-16; 1 Cor 15, 54-58; Lc 6, 39-45

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 24 | 8:30am

†Clement Prusakiewicz

†Joann Witkowski by Husband

†Dolores Guardiola by The Dusik Family

Tuesday, February 25 | 8:30am

†Holly Moon by The Boik Family

†Michael Gavazsi by The Gavazsi Family

Wednesday, February 26 | 8:30am

†Lucas Sizemore by Family

†Sharon Marks & Family Living & Deceased by Family Special Intention Roberts Family

Special Intention Mary Heavner

Thursday, February 27 | 8:30am

†Jacqueline Smith

†Joseph Cernik by Elaine Cernik

Living & Deceased Members of The Borello &

Schuck Families

Special Intention Leonard Prush by Daughter Joan Born

Friday, February 28 | 8:30am

†Julie Rivett

†Ernie Burgess by Family

Saturday, March 1 | 5:00pm

For the Parishioners of St. Frances Cabrini

Sunday, March 2 8:00am

†Mary Lindeman

†Carol Scalici by Family

†Margaret Willim by Daughter

†Dolores Cernik by Elaine Cernik

10:00am

†Robert Rossi by Family

†Rudy Piszker by Angie Sammut

†Deceased Members of Fr. Saylor Knights of

Columbus

Special Intention Karen M. Jones

12:00pm

†Mary Ann Lipinski by Pat Smolinski

†Peter Frabotta by The Blazaitis Family

†George Escamilla by Family

†Susan Dunn by Peggy Durocher

"Do to others as you would have them do to you."

Please Pray For

Lennon Allen Lyssa Marie Aromin Shirley Bardallis Kristina Boik Erica Born Steven Born Mary Brua Chuck C.

Chuck C. Margaret Doyle Patricia Elliot George Eskridge Jeanette Filarski

Ken Fraley

Barbara Fronczak Lyndee G. Michael Gorski

Virginia Holowecky Valerie Husar Ava Jabczenski

Gerald Jaszcz

Theresa Jean Doran Lefaive Joel Lefaive Elaine Longfellow Geraldine McDonald

Janet Nirva

Raymond Nowacki Rosemarie Nowacki

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Gaye Olah
Barbara Onofrio
Nicholas Prusakiewicz
Emily Rossman-Rodriquez

Paul Sander

Julia Berry-Sheppard

Jimmy Stecki Sylvia Taylor Nettie Terteling Lorraine Waskelis Margaret Wolney



May the Perpetual Light Shine Upon the Soul of:

Patrick Teper

Our Stewardship

February 16, 2025

Give online at: www.cabriniparish.org	
Total \$20,765	
Online Giving \$8,757	
Envelopes/Loose\$12,008	

Catholic Service Appeal 2024

Goal	\$149,213
Paid to Date	
Amount Needed	·

Debt Reduction

Starting Amount	\$4,313,894
AOD Credits	(\$600,000)
Payments thru December 2024	(\$2,099,184)
January Debt Reduction Envelopes (43)	(\$1,137)
January Parish Payment	(\$19,647)
Balance as of 1/31/2025	\$1.593.926

*The monthly payment towards our 12 year Michigan Catholic Conference (MCC) commitment to retire our debt is applied the first of each month. The final payment to be completed by 7/1/28.

Christian Service

Manna Meal

Monday, February 24, 6:15am-11:00am

We provide three volunteers to prepare and serve a simple bagged lunch. We will meet outside the Holy Family Hall. Transportation is provided. We currently have a group of six faithful volunteers. We need additional volunteers to fill in as needed or to join a month rotation. **To volunteer call Joyce McCabe (313) 506-6154.**

Needed items: monetary donations for the purchase of fresh fruit, Free and Clear laundry detergent, bleach, or Awesome or Fabulosa for the shower and laundry facilities, or by donating gently used men's clothing (seasonal only) and white underwear and socks. Drop donations off at the Parish Office.

St. Christine Soup Kitchen

Tuesday, March 11, 8:30am — 2:30pm

Volunteers are needed to help cook and serve the more than 200 men, women and children who depend on St. Christine's for a hot meal. If you would like to join us on this day, please call or text Jeannine Little at (313)268-5181 or email jandjlittle@hotmail.com.

The group will meet in the Parish Office at 8:30 am to carpool to St. Christine's and are back to Cabrini around 3:00 p.m. Donations of juice boxes and individually wrapped desserts are needed for the children's bagged meal and monetary donations are always needed to help off-set the cost of the food served on this day.

We also provide desserts to complement the meal. These special diners really enjoy brownies, cakes, pie, cheesecake, and cupcakes. If you would like to donate homemade or store-bought baked goods, please drop them off to the Rectory by Monday, March 10 no later than 1:00 p.m. A cart will be left in the hallway outside the office door for drop off.

Mens Prayer Group

All men are invited to join the St Frances Cabrini men of St. Joseph Prayer Group on Thursday's from 7:00 to 8:30pm in the Mother Cabrini room for fellowship, Bible study, and prayer.

We believe it is an opportunity to grow in our Catholic faith, to become beacons of light and to live as Christ intended us to live.

Jesus calls men to follow His way, for He is the embodiment of Truth; leading to a life free from the lure of a world filled with growing moral darkness and death. Join us as we gather together to follow Christ.

Contact Deacon Fred Guardiola at fguardiola@smmagdalen.org

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Parish Liturgy Schedule

Saturday		5:00 pm
		, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm
Mondáy – Frida	ıv	8:30 am
Reconciliation	Saturday	3:00 pm

St. Frances Cabrini Schools

Grade School	(3	13)	928-6610
High School & Academy	, (3	13)	774-2729
High School Athletic Of			

Grade School, Academy, High School

Office Hours......7:15 am—3:15 pm



Coffee and Donuts

Sunday, February 23

Following 8:00 & 10:00am Masses

Plan to join our hosts, Maria and Danny Wyatt in the Grade School Cafeteria for fellowship, a delicious Donut Kastle donut and a warm cup of coffee.

Altar Server Training

March 3 | 3:15pm | In the Church

Calling all 5th—12th graders who are baptized Catholic, received Holy Communion, and who would like to serve. Please attend this Altar Server Training.

No registration needed. Just a desire to serve the Lord. The Church needs you!

Lector Training

March 3 | 6:00pm | In the Church

Are you feeling called to become a lector? This training is for you! No registration needed. Just an appreciation and love of scripture.

Please email jschuman@qvdomine.org if you have questions.





Living Our Mission CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY SERVICES





How wonderful it is to have our church filled with parishioners gathered before the table of the Lord each weekend. We especially welcome those who have recently registered to be part of our parish family:

John and Yen Balger Angel and Ileana Bermudez & Family David and Kim Culver Diana Escamilla & Family Gerald and Abigale Fetherson & Family Joseph and Adrienne Hane & Family Matthew Kosmalski Randall Marchel Leonal and Johana Reyna & Family Nicholas Sanscrainte Jeffery Scalici Christopher and Stella Trusk Josue Zaval

Sewing Ministry

Come and learn a new skill, freshen up on an existing skill, meet some new people, and enjoy fellowship through service to others.

We work on reusable sani-pads for girls and women around the world that have limited or no access to sanitary pads. Cutting, pinning, sewing - no experience necessary.

We crochet bags and sleeping mats for the homeless from plastic grocery bags, making 'plarn' from strips of the plastic grocery bags that do NOT need to be in our landfills. We can teach you how to crochet if you don't know how, or you can help make the 'plarn'.

We meet the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month from Noon until 2:30pm in the St. John Paul II room of Holy Family Hall at Cabrini (15300 Wick Rd. Allen Park). Enter through door #2 across from the garden.

Call or text Nancy Trela at 313-575-2971 or call Pat DeClerk at 734-946-4709 with any questions.

Open to all Parishes!

We would love for you to become involved!

Mary Poppins Pancake Breakfast Thank You

We want to extend a big thank you to all the Cabrini parishioners, and families who came out to support the Cabrini Monarch Theatre Troupe Mary Poppins Pancake Breakfast!

It was a huge success! The Mary Poppins cast is made up of students from our Grade School, Academy, and High School. Please come out to see their show live March 20-23!







Tuition Assistance

Please complete application by February 28, 2025, to be eligible for this and other scholarships and grants through Cabrini.

Application can be found at https://www.detroitcatholicschools.org/tuition-assistance-scholarships

For more information contact the Admissions Office at (313) 357-3266





JUBILEE CELEBRATION

Upcoming Celebration St. Andre Bessette Friday, March 21st at 7PM

Giving Back Your Gifts

Christians are called to be "faithful stewards" of our God-given gifts. Using your talents (or Charisms) for God can help you find purposeful work and share God's love. Depending on what your gifts are, you will most likely be using those talents in different ways.

There are many examples of ways talents can be used to show glory to God. If you are gifted in teaching, perhaps you can use your talents to help teach a Sunday school class at your church. If you are an artist, you might use your talent to create art that depicts events or that people can relate to. Do you find it easy to converse with others? Consider using that gift to ask someone who is lonely to lunch. Is cooking one of your talents? Preparing meals for a person who lost a family member could be one application of your talent.

Look for opportunities to serve God, although using your talents for God might not look the same every day. Even if you do not see how your talent is making an impact, it is important to let yourself be used by God because you may never know how you affected someone's life.

Retribuir tus Regalos

Los cristianos estamos llamados a ser "fieles administradores" de los dones que Dios nos ha dado. Usar tus talentos (o carismas) para Dios puede ayudarte a encontrar un trabajo con propósito y compartir el amor de Dios. Dependiendo de cuáles sean tus dones, lo más probable es que utilices esos talentos de diferentes maneras.

Hay muchos ejemplos de maneras en que los talentos pueden ser usados para mostrar gloria a Dios. Si tienes el don de enseñar, tal vez puedas usar tus talentos para ayudar a enseñar una clase de escuela dominical en tu iglesia. Si eres un artista, puedes usar tu talento para crear arte que represente eventos o con el que la gente pueda relacionarse. ¿Te resulta fácil conversar con los demás? Considere usar ese regalo para invitar a almorzar a alguien que se siente solo. ¿Cocinar es uno de tus talentos? Preparar comidas para una persona que perdió a un miembro de su familia podría ser una aplicación de su talento.

Busca oportunidades para servir a Dios, aunque usar tus talentos para Dios no sea igual todos los días. Incluso si no ves cómo tu talento está teniendo un impacto, es importante que te dejes usar por Dios porque es posible que nunca sepas cómo afectaste la vida de alguien.



Tuesday Travelers Schedule

The itinerary is set and reservations are now being taken for Tuesday Travelers day trips. Whether you choose to come solo or with a friend or two, the adventures continue to provide fun and fellowship with travelers from around the area.

Wednesday, March 26, 2025

Pilgrimage to the Solanus Casey Center | Cost: \$91 Bus leaves Cabrini at 9:15am, and returns at 5:45pm.

Tuesday, June 24, 2025 | Cost: \$146 Midland

Bus leaves Cabrini at 6:30am, and returns at 6:45pm.

Tuesday, July 29 – Wednesday, July 30, 2025 | Cost: \$375 Shipshewana, Indiana

Bus departure and return TBD

All bus trips leave from St. Frances Cabrini Church parking lot. To reserve a spot on any trip or get more details, call Therese (313) 436-0201 or email ttardiff@cabriniparish.com.

You can find flyers in the church or at cabriniparish.org

Moms on Mission

February 25, 2025 | 9:30-11:00am | Open to all Parishes In St. John Paul II Room of the Holy Family Hall at Cabrini

Please join us for our second meeting. This group is founded to strengthen our bond to one another and our bond to Christ through the vocation of motherhood. You will feel the love and compassion of Christ through group discussion on relevant topics, prayer, scripture and fellowship with others.

Mothers and children of all ages are welcome! No registration required.

If you have questions, please call Katie (846) 979-2291.

New Monthly Service Opportunity

Pope Francis Center | Bridge House

We have a chance to become involved at the Bridge Housing Campus, part of the Pope Francis Center, as a Meal Team providing regular support preparing and serving meals alongside their talented chef. The location is near the former St. Leo's soup kitchen near I-96 and Warren.

Meal Teams of four will cover the lunch shift from 11am-2 pm on the 3rd Thursday each month with our next opportunity on Thursday, March 20. We'll meet outside the Cabrini Parish Office at 10:20 am on the designated date. All food is provided. Transportation as well will be provided.

If you're interested in joining us or would like more information call Barb Engler at (313)407-9511 or email at bpengler621@gmail.com.



Senior Group 55+

Join us each month for a themed luncheon and other activities for enjoyment and socialization for active seniors. All those in our Family of Parishes are invited to join us each month. We look forward to meeting you and sharing in some fun events and activities.

Let the Shamrock Shenanigan's Begin

Tuesday, March 18th | 12:00 - 2:00pm | \$15 (at arrival) Mother Cabrini Room (Enter through the door on Wick)

Enjoy a satisfying lunch of Shepherd's Pie, a fresh salad, and Irish soda bread. Finish off your meal with lime sherbet punch, iced tea and a delicious piece of shortbread for dessert.

Then sit back and enjoy challenging your friends to a few games of Bingo and some Irish Trivia. RSVP by March 14 Rsurma@surmaco.com or ttardiff@cabriniparish.com (313) 436-0201

Card Ministry

The next working meeting is Tuesday, March 4th from 12:30-2:30pm in the St. John Paul II room of Holy Family Hall at St. Frances Cabrini!

In the past few months many individuals/families have been touched by the cards sent out with get well messages, sympathy condolences, birthday wishes, thank you's and congratulations on special anniversaries, weddings and baptisms!

All are welcome to join in fellowship and faith as we form and send our next mailing. Please contact Debbie Frey 313-820-3806 or Trisha Schlaff 313-819-5881 if you have questions!

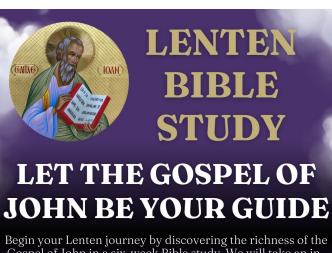
Grief Support Group

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at St. Frances Cabrini 6:30-8:00pm in the Sr. Martha Room of the Holy Family Hall

This group is for those who have gone through the Griefshare program or another bereavement program and seek to continue ongoing support with other adults who have lost loved ones.

You will feel the love and compassion of Christ through the group discussion on relevant topics, prayer, scripture, and fellowship of others. All are welcome! No registration required!

If you have questions, contact Gail Scalf at 586-215-4897.



Gospel of John in a six-week Bible study. We will take an indepth look at this unique Gospel, how it places great emphasis on the individual Christian's relationship to Jesus and how the Holy Spirit strengthens and guides the lives of people of faith.

THURSDAY EVENINGS | 6 PM \ **STARTING FEBRUARY 27**

Bring your Bible and make this Bible study part of your plan for a fruitful Lenten journey!



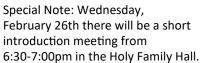
St Alfred, 24175 Baske St, Taylor, MI



stalfredtaylor.org

Lenten Series

Soup, Reflection and Discussion **Wednesday Evenings** March 12-April 9 6:30-8:30pm St. Anne Room of the Holy **Family Hall at Cabrini**



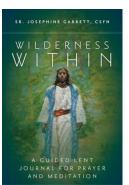
The journal for the season "Wilderness Within" will be given out at that time. Cost for journal is \$10.00

This Lent, allow Sr. Josephine Garrett to be your guide as you explore the interior wilderness of your heart and invite Jesus in to heal you with his love.

Each day's content includes brief mediations, specially crafted illustrations, thought-provoking reflection questions, heartfelt prayers curated to uplift your spirit, and ample journaling space for personal revelations and insights.

Whether you're journeying alone or with a group, Wilderness Within is your guide to a beautiful and renewing Lent. We will begin with soup and bread followed by prayer, video reflection and small group discussion.

Questions? Please contact Therese Tardiff, 313-436-0201 or by email ttardiff@cabriniparish.com.



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Mass Times

Saturday, 4:00pm Sunday, 9:30am | 11:30am (bilingual) Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 9:00am

Our Lady of Angels

Fr. Dariusz Strzalkowski, Priest In Solidum 6442 Pelham Road, Taylor Michigan (313) 381-3000 | www.loacc.org

Mass Times

Saturday, 4:00pm Sunday, 9:30am | 11:30am Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 8:45am