

Strengthen your servants who ask for your healing, O Lord

Guide and direct our doctors, nurses, pastoral ministers, and all who serve as instruments of healing for our people...

Teresa Coulter, Liz Wroblewski, Larry Habe, Carol Hall, Donna Curtis, & Ryder Barent

If you, or an immediate family member, is experiencing a serious health issue and wish to be included on this list, please let us know. Names on the list will be taken off after one month, unless we are notified that the health issue continues.

Diocesan Appeal 2025	OLL	<u>Pleasanton</u>	
GOAL	\$17,689.00	\$3,192.00	
RECEIVED As of 4/21/2025	\$11,345.00	\$2,690.00	
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	52/70	8/12	

Higher Ground

Registration for the Higher Ground Retreats is open to high school and middle school students. Registratrion will close May 1st.Take this opportunity and register today and be part of a growing group of teens who continue to grow their love in Christ and find what it means to be a community of faith. Middle school registration goes until June 1st. Register online at highergroundretreats.org.

Steubenville of the Rockies

Attention high school students. Steubenville of the Rockies fees increase April 21, 2025. Take this opportunity and register today to become part of a growing group of teens who continue to grow their love in Christ. United with Christ and with each other we can restore hope to our world. Go to gidiocese.org/Steubenville for details and to register.

Our wonderful Fr. Lou Nollette will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Sunday, May 25, 2025 at his home parish St Mary's in Nenzel, NE. The celebration will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:00pm Mountain Time followed by a reception at Niobrara Valley Vineyards. If you are interested in joining a group of fellow 4th Day members to caravan (or perhaps catch a bus) to this event, with a possible side trip option for a one day mini retreat at the Sioux Spiritual Center with 1 or 2 overnights, please click on the survey link at the bottom of this email to express your interest and mark all of the options you would like to participate in. To see the website for the Sioux Spiritual Center, click this link: https://siouxspiritualcenter.org/

UNK Students for Life and Justice For All Presents:

Abortion: From Debate to Dialogue. Sunday, May 4th from 12-1:00p.m. free lunch at St. Teresa of Calcutta Newman Center Dining Hall, 821 W. 27th St. From 1-5:30 p.m. training in Copeland 142, 2507 11th Ave., in Kearney. Monday, May 5th-Wednesday, May 7th, encountering students on campus. Learn how to start a conversation with others about abortion and learn how to respond to common pro-choice arguments. A flyer with more info is at the doors.



April 26 & 27, 2025

Our Lady of Lourdes

515 Sicily Avenue (Church & Rectory)
324 E. Corinth Avenue
(Parish Center & Office)
PO Box 90 (Mailing Address)
Ravenna. NE 68869



St. Mary's 504 N Sycamore Street Pleasanton. NE 68866

April 26-May 4, 2025					
4/26 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Shelly Hecker			
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's			
4/27 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's			
	*10:30 a.m.	The First Communicants			
4/28 Monday	******No Services******				
4/29 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Sharing at OLL			
4/30 Wednesday	******No Services******				
5/1 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Dave Huryta			
5/2 Friday	8:00 a.m.	+Joan Sehi			
	10:00 a.m.	§Intention of the Priest			
5/3 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Ed Chramosta Jr.			
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's			
5/4 Sunday	* 8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's			
	8:00 a.m.	First Communicants at			
		SMP with SGH			
	10:30 a.m.	Don Keaschall			

Our Lady of Lourdes

*St. Josaphat's at Loup City

§Seneca Sunrise

Mass Schedule

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We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

Apr. 26 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL 7:00 p.m. Mass at SJ

Apr. 27 8:00 a.m. Mass/First Communion at St. Josaphat's 10:30 a.m. Mass/First Communion at

OLL

Apr. 29 8:30 a.m. Bible Sharing at OLL

May 3 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL

7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's May 4 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary Pleasanton with First Communion

10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, May 3 Sunday, May 4

Hospitality

Jack & Audrey Reimers Senior Class

Lector

Gary Hewitt

Senior Class

Eucharistic Mnister

Eileen Hewitt

Joan Clifton

Altar Servers

Morgan Schuller Mason Schuller Katie Bursaw Lilllian Bursaw

Our Offering to God Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Rice Bowl	\$1,989.19
Building Fund EFT	\$535.00
Holy Land EFT	\$135.00
Holy Land	\$683.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$50.00
Easter EFT	\$845.00
Easter	\$2,697.00
Budget for 7/24-6/25	\$171,314.00
Income budgeted per week	\$3,294.50
EFT Received	\$1,097.50
Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,877.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Weekend Offering Received	\$105.00
Offering EFT	\$250.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$826.63
Budget for 7/24/-6/25	\$42,985.00
Easter	\$395.00
Easter EFT	\$30.00
Holy Land	\$40.00
Holy Land EFT	\$30.00
My return to the Lordfor all His	goodness to me

Parish/ Committee Meetings

Formed.org XXT4C6

Parish Registration Forms

It has been over 13 years since we last had an update for the parish registry. And since some have new addresses, have dropped their landlines, or changed emails, we would like to have you fill in the forms you were handed at the doors and get them back to the office as soon as possible. You can either put them in the collection basket, drop in the mail or bring to the office. But PLEASE fill the forms out and get back to the office. Thanks for your help with this. This is for both Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Mary Pleasanton.

O God, faithful rewarder of souls, grant that your departed servant Pope Francis, whom you made successor of Peter and shepherd of your Church, may happily enjoy for ever in your presence in heaven the mysteries of your grace and compassion, which he faithfully ministered on earth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen. (Roman Missal)

A reminder to our parishioners in St. Mary's in Pleasanton:

There will be no Sunday Mass there on April 27; there will be however Mass the next Sunday, May 4, at 8 AM for our First Holy Communion. I know the time and date are not the usual but I'm trying to accommodate every parish for their First Holy Communions. *Fr. Richard*

Special Collection

This weekend, April 26 & 27, a collection will be taken up for the Catholic Home Mission Appeal. Today nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its current and former territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support for this appeal helps them meet these faith formations and sacramental needs. Use the envelopes in your box sets.

Totus Tuus--Registration is now Open!

Our Lady of Lourdes will host Totus Tuus the week of July 27-August 1. The elementary program, grades K thru 6th grade (based on the 2024/2025 school year) will run Monday thru Friday from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. The middle school/high school program, grades 7-12 (based on the 2024/2025 school year) will run Sunday thru Thursday from 6:00-8:15 p.m. Registration fee is \$40.00 per attendee with a maximum of \$120.00 per family. Please register at gidiocese.org/totus-tuus. Register by July 6th and receive a FREE t-shirt. Registration will remain open for any walk-in participants the week of the program. Please call Joan Clifton if you have any questions-308-380-5946.

Thank You

Now that the Lenten and Fish Fry Season is over, the Knights of Columbus Council 5455 wants to extend our appreciation to our community and the surrounding areas. Your incredible support and attendance made this season a great success. Thanks to all of our Knights who help on various committees (collecting, frying, serving, dessert, and clean-up) and to our Knight's spouses who also assist with these committees. We also want to acknowledge Phyllis Mroczek again this year, who provides her expertise in preparing the dumplings for the crowd favorite, Sauerkraut and Dumplings. Thank You. Knights of Columbus Council 5455.



The following young people are receiving their First Communion this Sunday, April 27 at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Evie Bolling, daughter of Dan & Hilary Bolling; Claire Giffin, daughter of Kyle & Cassie Giffin; Tate Rager, son of Shiloh & Lacey Rager; Madisyn Schuller, daughter of Andrew & Jessica Schuller; Ryker Stange, son of Branden & Sarah Stange; Leo Yendra, son of Jonathan & Alison Yendra; and Charity Zoerb, daugh ter of Ethan & Nichole Zoerb.

O Father, we come before You with grateful hearts as we prepare for our First Communion. Bless these children as they receive Your body and blood for the first time. Fill them with Your love and grace, and may this sacred moment deepen their faith and bring them closer to You. Amen.