



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...

Don Curtis, Dulcie Lopez,

**Joe Psota,
 Don Stittle,**

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 2023

	<u>OLL</u>	<u>Pleasanton</u>
GOAL	\$17,689.00	\$3,192.00
RECEIVED (As of 12/5/22)	6,575.00	1,400.00
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	24/70	6/12

"I would like to encourage you to include the annual Diocesan Appeal in your end-of-year giving plans if you haven't given already. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish/Ravenna parish goals are \$17,689 with 70 households contributing. Two months into this appeal and our parish has already reached 37% of our dollar goal. We need \$11,114 and 46 more households to donate to reach both our goals. If we reach both our dollar goal and donor goal by December 31st, our parish will qualify for a drawing for a \$5,000 rebate. St Mary's Parish/Pleasanton parish goals are \$3,192 with 12 households contributing. We need \$1,792 and 6 more households to donate to reach both our goals.

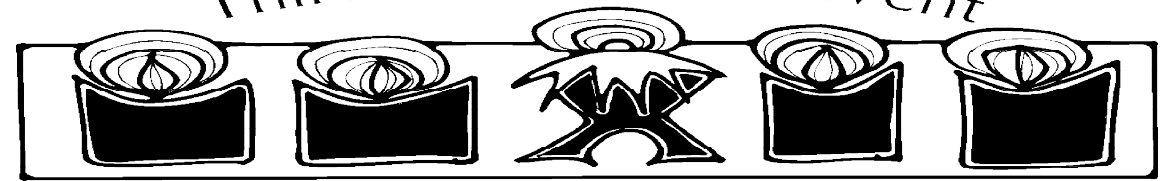
National Eucharistic Revival--The Liturgy of the Eucharist

The Liturgy of the Eucharist begins with the preparation of the gifts and the altar. As the ministers prepare the altar, representatives of the people bring forward the bread and wine that will become the Body and Blood of Christ. The celebrant blesses and praises God for these gifts and places them on the altar, the place of the Eucharistic sacrifice. In addition to the bread and wine, monetary gifts for the support of the Church and the care of the poor may be brought forward. The prayer over the Offerings concludes this preparation and disposes all for the Eucharistic Prayer.

Theology on Tap

Is a gathering of young adults who are in their 20's & 30's. Join this Young Adult Community on January 8th, 7:00 PM at Kinkaiders Brewing Co., 316 N Pine St., Grand Island. Bishop Hanefeldt will open the 2023 lineup with a presentation on Eucharistic Amazement. This is a great opportunity to meet others from the area and grow friendships. Theology on Tap will meet the first Sunday of each month through May 2023. These gatherings are sponsored by the Diocese of Grand Island Office of Young Adult Ministry. Check out the 2023 Spring lineup at gidiocese.org/young-adults. We can't wait to see you there, and don't forget to invite a friend!

Third Sunday of Advent



December 10 & 11, 2022

The Catholic Parish Communities of

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

PO Box 134 (Mailing Address)
 502 N Sycamore Street
 Pleasanton, NE 68866

Mass Schedule

December 10-18, 2022

12/10 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Arlone Novotne
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's
12/11 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's
	10:30 a.m.	+Gary Carman
12/12 Monday	*****No Services*****	
12/13 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Sharing at OLL
12/14 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
12/15 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Jim Huryta
12/16 Friday	8:00 a.m.	+Lawrence Miigerl
	\$10:00 a.m.	\$Alvin Barent
12/17 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Barb Habe
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's
12/18 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's
	10:30 a.m.	+Kenny Rasmussen

Our Lady of Lourdes
 \$Seneca Sunrise
 *St. Josaphat's at Loup City

PARISH COMMUNITY PASTORAL STAFF

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We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

Dec. 10 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
Dec. 11 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL
11:30-1:30 Reconciliation at OLL
Dec. 14 6:30 p.m. CYO at OLL
KC Meeting at Loup City
Dec. 17 12-2 Reconciliation at St. Josaphat's
5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
Dec. 18 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Dec. 17 **Sunday, Dec. 18**

Hospitality

Mark & Mary Wrobl. Andy & Denise Bolling

Lector

Ron Siegel Richard Hervert

Eucharistic Mnister

Lon Bohn Lacey Rager

Altar Servers

Claire Coulter Barrett Bolling
 Cassie Coulter Connor Paitz

Seminarians Addresses

Samuel Ogden, Kenrick Glennon Seminary 5200 Glennon Dr St. Louis, MO 63119
Noah Huddleston Pontifical North American College VIA DEL GIANICOLO, 14, 00165
 ROME (RM) ITALIA Kaelob Marx, Trevor Fisher, Benjamin Vargas are all at the same
 Conception Seminary address: Conception Seminary 37174 State Hwy VV Conception,
 MO 64433 Jimmy Beran is a pastoral intern at St. Ann's Parish in Lexington: St. Ann
 Church PO Box 578 Lexington, NE 68850

Office Hours

This next Thursday, December 15th, I will only be working until 12 or shortly after. Any notices for the bulletin need to be in by Wednesday afternoon as I will be printing the bulletin Thursday morning. Thanks.

The Senior Center is still accepting any donations you might want to make!

Our Offering to God

Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$2,573.05
EFT Received	\$1,682.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,019.81
Budget for 7/22-6/23	\$157,030.00
Building Fund	\$305.00
Diocesan Mental Health Care	\$25.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Offering Received	\$240.00
EFT Received	\$170.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$691.21
Budget for 7/22/-6/23	\$35,943.00

My return to the Lord....for all His goodness to me

Parish/Committee Meetings

OLL Men's Holy Name

Monday, December 19

at 8:00 p.m.

Envelopes for 2023

The new boxed set of envelopes for 2023 are at the west entryway of the church. Please pick yours up and take home with you. And if there is anyone else's that you can take to, please do so. We would like to have them gone before we decorate for Christmas. We will not be mailing any of them out because of the cost, so if you don't get yours before Christmas, they will be at the office for pickup. But **DO NOT** use these until January as your number may have changed.

Additional Reconciliation Times

Father Richard will be hearing confessions here at Our Lady of Lourdes on Sundays, December 11 & 18 from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Also at St. Josaphat's in Loup City on Saturdays, December 10 & 17 from 12-2 p.m. These times are in addition to the 1/2 before Masses as well. Fr. Scott Harter from Ord will be at St. Josaphat's in Loup City on Tuesday Dec. 13 (this Tuesday) for Individual Reconciliations from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. This is your chance to go to confession to a priest MUCH kinder than your pastor. (This is from Fr. Richard himself!)

Special Collection

This weekend is the collection for Retirement Fund for Religious. Please give generously to those who have given a life time of service. Envelopes are in your box sets.

CCW Clothing Drive

Is going on now and will continue until after the new year. You can take your nice coats or clothing to Ravenna City Hall. If you have any questions, you can get a hold of Mark or Kristy Keilig 308-390-9354. Thanks

Keeping the Lord's Day Holy

In 1998 Saint Pope John Paul II gave the church an Apostolic Letter entitled Dies Domini (Keeping The Lord's Day Holy). Join Bishop Hanefeldt for a live-streamed teaching presentation of Dies Domini on Monday evening, December 12, beginning at 7:30 PM Central time. These weekly teachings will be available on the Catholic Diocese of Grand Island Facebook page and You Tube channel. Links can be found on the diocesan website at: www.gidiocese.org

Poinsettia Envelopes

Are in the pews if you would like to remember someone and help with decorating the church for the Christmas season. Enclose \$15.00 in the envelope and fill out the information on the front. Have them back to the office by December 20th to be included on the list of donors.

New Ministry Schedules

Will be available at the west entryway. Please pick yours up and help save on postage. If you can take someone's to them please do so. And many thanks to all of you for sharing your talents with the parish by being part of the different ministries. You are truly appreciated.

Rejoice in the lord always; again I say, rejoice. Indeed, the Lord is near.

