



*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...*

**Larry Habe, Dale Busch, &
Loren Hecker**

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 2024	<u>OLL</u>	<u>Pleasanton</u>
GOAL	\$17,689.00	\$3,192.00
RECEIVED As of 2/19/2024	9,460.00	2,175.00
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	37/70	9/12

Higher Ground

Parents of high school students, Higher Ground registration is open. This weeklong retreat is for sophomores, juniors, and seniors. The retreat begins Sunday afternoon and ends early the following Friday. HG camps are the weeks of May 26-May 31, and June 2-7, 2024. Check your calendar and help them sign up for the week that best fits your schedule. Register online at highergroundretreats.org

Higher Ground Extreme Faith Middle School

Parents of middle school students, higher Ground Extreme Faith Middle School camp registration is open. This weeklong retreat is for current 6th, 7th, & 8th grade students. The retreat begins Sunday afternoon, July 7, and ends early afternoon Thursday, July 11, 2024. Register at highergroundretreats.org

CEC (Catholics Encounter Christ)

Registration for the Women's and Men's Catholics Encounter Christ Weekends is open. You may share the following links to invite your friends and family members to attend.
CEC Women's Weekend (jotform.com) CEC Men's Weekend (jotform.com)
We are excited to announce for the first time, that online registration includes the ability to pay online. Registrants may pay the \$25 deposit, the entire amount of \$150, or they may submit a request for a scholarship to attend the weekend. Please note: some parishes also pay for part of all of the fees when their parishioners attend the weekend. So, if you plan to invite someone, you might want to check with their parish to see if there are funds available to help them.
The Women's Weekend will be held March 8,9,10 2024 and The Men's Weekend will be held March 22,23,24 2024. Both events will be held at Camp Comeca in Cozad. Please don't forget to send Palanca to Cindy Thramer by the Wednesday before each of the weekends at 1701 B St. Cozad, NE 69130

Second Sunday of



February 24 & 25, 2024

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

Febr. 24--Mar. 3, 2024

2/24 Saturday	*5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's People of the Parish
2/25 Sunday	8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. *10:30 a.m.	+Lucille Gappa +Gary Carman at SMPleas. *Mass at St. Josaphat's
2/26 Monday	*****No Services*****	
2/27 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Study at OLL
2/28 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
2/29 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Kristi Habe
3/1 Friday	8:00 a.m. \$10:00 .a.m.	+Ron Benisek \$Intention of the Priest
3/2 Saturday	*5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Tim Lammers
3/3 Sunday	8:00 a.m. *10:30 a.m.	+Don Keaschall *Mass at St. Josaphat's

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!

- Feb. 24 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
7:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
- Feb. 25 8:00 a.m. Mass at OLL
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary Pleas.
10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
- Feb. 27 8:30 a.m. Bible Sharing at OLL
- Feb. 28 6:30 CYO at OLL
- Mar. 2 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
7:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
- Mar. 3 8:00 a.m. Mass at OLL
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Mar. 2 Sunday, Mar. 3

Hospitality

Jack & Audrey Reimers Kindergarten Class

Lector

Kevin Vogt Greg Hervert

Eucharistic Mnister

Kathy Vogt Joan Clifton

Altar Servers

Adleigh Bock Lucy Bolling
Ebony Bock Barrett Bolling

Formed.org is still available: Password is XXT4C6

Theology on Tap

St. Paul will be having Theology on Tap during Lent. On March 6 Father Scott Harter will talk on Your Heart and Your Story; and on March 20th Deacon Neil Baquet will talk on Faith in the Workplace. All are at the the Loup River Distilling, 503 Howard Ave. in St. Paul and are at 7 p.m.

St. Francis Ashton

Will be holding a Soup Luncheon this Sunday, February 25th from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the St. Francis parish hall. Will be serving chicken noodle, chili, and czarnina soups, sandwiches, dessert, and drink. Adults: \$10.00, Children 6-12 years: \$5.00, and 5 & under are free. Quarts of soup will be available for purchase after 12 noon.

Our Offering to God

Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$3,544.00
EFT Received	\$1,247.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,077.44
Budget for 7/23-6/24	\$160,027.00
Building Fund	\$185.00
Building Fund EFT	\$535.00
Eastern Europe Collection	\$732.56
Eastern Europe EFT	\$145.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Offering Received	\$110.00
Offering EFT	\$250.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$780.87
Budget for 7/23/-6/24	\$40,605.00
Church in Eastern Europe EFT	\$20.00

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

Parish/Committee Meetings

**OLL CCW on
Thursday, March 7
at 6:00 p.m.**

Stations of the Cross are here at OLL on Sundays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

Dates to Remember

Father will be holding Adult Catechism classes for those who wish to deepen and know more about their faith and those who wish to join the Church. These will be on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in Loup City and Thursdays at 7 p.m. in Ravenna. We will be meeting in the parish halls. Except for the first week in February, we will be meeting on a regular basis until Holy Week which is the last week in March. There may be exceptions for funeral vigils and emergencies. Please come and bring a friend! Fr. Richard

Area Fish Fry Dates

KC's at Loup City will have their's on Fridays March 8th and March 22nd. Serving from 5-7 pm at the parish Hall. Serving hand-breaded fried fish, cheesy potatoes, macaroni and cheese, sauerkraut and dumplings, coleslaw, dinner rolls, and desserts.

**Sts. Peter and Paul in St. Paul dates are March 1st and March 15th in the Parish Life Center. Serve from 5-7 pm.

National Eucharistic Revival

God hears our prayers for the renewal of our Church. He will answer them through a life-changing transformation of our own hearts. Make history by joining others from across the diocese and the US to be part of the first National Eucharistic Congress in 83 years. Find out how to be part of our diocese delegation at <http://gidiocese.org/national-conference>. Bus capacity is limited so don't delay, sign up today.

West Nebraska Catholic Magazine

The March/April 2024 issue of the magazine will highlight the nine priests from our diocese that will include a special cover story of Father Hubert J. Spanel. Watch for it in your mail.

The Grand Island Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

Sponsors a scholarship for senior girls who exemplify their Catholic Faith with service, leadership, and faith. This \$250 scholarship is awarded following the submission of their 2nd semester registration for classes in their Freshman year at an accredited 2 or 4 year college, technical college, or other specialized area of training. Applications are due April 1st to each deanery president. The scholarship money is awarded directly to the student rather than to the college. The scholarship application can be printed off at the GIDCCW Scholarship application on--line. They may send the application to Imelda Gressley Vice Pres. of Kearney Deanery 77553 473rd Ave. Hazard, Ne. 68844 or Kellie Crowell Pres. of Kearney Deanery 521 Alba Ave. Ravenna, Ne. 68869.

The Next Theology on Tap

Takes place March 3rd at Kinkaiders in Grand Island. Madison Sutton, student athlete from Benedictine College will lead the conversation. The evening begins with social time at 6:30 p.m. All young adults in their 20's & 30's are invited.

