

# 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	<i>\$3,192.00</i>
RECEIVED (As of 12/19/22)	8,925.00	1,400.00
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	29/70	6/12

## National Eucharistic Revival--The Eucharistic Prayer

The Eucharistic Prayer is the heart of the Liturgy of the Eucharist. In this prayer, the celebrant acts in the person of Christ as head of his body, the Church. He gathers not only the bread and the wine, but the substance of our lives and joins them to Christ's perfect sacrifice, offering them to the Father. The intoductory dialogue establishes that this prayer is the prayer of the baptized and ordained, is offered in the presence of God, and has thanksgiving as its central focus. Following this dialogue, the celebrant begins the Preface, which consists of four different Eucharistic Prayers. After these prayers, communion is then given.

# 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! flyers are at the doors.

# **US Sisters Against Human Trafficking**

Chocolate is a favorite of choice for many however we consume it, in candy or drinks. Did you know that children as young as 9 and 10 work long hours every day on chocolate farms to satisfy the demand for chocolate. For more info go to sistersagainsttrafficking.org

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and for ever.



—January 1—

Dec. 31, 2022 & Jan. 1, 2023

# 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

Dec. 31, 2022--Jan. 8, 2023

12/31 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Erma Kalinowski *Mass at St. Josaphat's
1/1 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Liz Schuller
1/2 Monday 1/3Tuesday	*********No Services************************************	

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1/5	Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Julie Bernt	
/6	Friday	8:00 a.m.	+Jean Buhman	
		§10:00 a.m.	§The Residents	

1/7 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Helen & Stanley Spotans
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's
1/8 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St.Josaphat's
	10:30 a.m.	+John Kriha

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. 31 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL 7:00 p.m. Mass atSt. Josaphat's

Jan. 1 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's 10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL

Jan. 5 6:30 p.m. OLL CCW Mtg.

Jan. 7 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL

7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's

Jan. 8 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's KC Membership/Breakfast at SJ after Mass

9:00 a.m. RE at OLL 10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL

Jan. 11 6:30 p.m. CYO at OLL

# Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Sunday, Jan. 8 Saturday, Jan. 7

Keith & Lisa Paitz Roger & Jeanne Wilke

#### Lector

Sheri Schirmer Paul Janulewicz

#### **Eucharistic Mnister**

Lily Kriha

Evelyn Stittle

#### **Altar Servers**

Reannon Sieael Adleigh Bock

Connor Paitz Maleah Rager

# **Our Offering to God Last Week's Collections**

#### OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,927.00
EFT Received	\$277.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,019.81
Budget for 7/22-6/23	\$157,030.00
Christmas	\$4,164.00
Christmas EFT	\$955.00
Building Fund	\$5,420.00

## ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Offering Received	\$860.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$691.21
Budget for 7/22/-6/23	\$35,943.00
Christmas	\$2,365.00
Christmas EFT	\$20.00

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

# Parish/Committee Meetings OLL CCW on Thursday, January 5th

at 6:30 p.m.

Formed.org is still available. Password is XXT4C6 for anyone interested.

# Bishop's Pro-Life Youth Mass and Pilgrim Blessing

January 14th at 5:00 p.m at Prince of Peace of Peace Church in Kearney. Bishop Hanefeldt will be the Celebrant. Pilgrimmage blessing will be given to the students traveling to the March for Life in Washington D.C.

# For Your Information

If at anytime a mass has to be cancelled because of bad weather, I will get a notice to the NTV and KHAS TV stations to be put on their closings list. And you can always check with Father Richard by either texting him or calling him on his cell phone at 308-530-5803 as well. You can usually check on Facebook as well.

## CYO

Classes will resume on Wednesday, January 11th at 6:30 p.m. There WILL NOT be any held on the 4th.

# **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

#### End of Year

Any contributions that you may want on your Statement for 2022 will need to be to the office by January 3rd. After that they will be put on your 2023 contributions. Then I will start to mail them out after that so everyone should have them by the end of the second week of January. And your Appeal donation will come from the Diocesan Office--they keep track of that now.

# St. Mary Pleasanton

Will not have their weekly mass on Thursday, January 12th because Father Richard has a meeting with other priests that day. And since he is hosting the meeting he probably better be there!

# Congratulations

To Chelsea Rae Williams who was baptized this last week here at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. She is the daughter of Aaron and Alexis Williams from Dannebrog. Her Godparents are Cody Depweg and Tanya Williams. God's blessings to all of you.

# A PRAYER FOR NEW BEGINNINGS

Consult not your fears, but your hopes and your dreams.

Think not about your frustrations, but about your unfulfilled potential.

Concern not yourself with what you tried and failed in, but what it is still possible to do.

Now is the time to put aside past and present setbacks and failures and look with confidence to the new day called tomorrow.— Pope John XXIII

Happy New Year to everyone. Best wishes for a great 2023.

