



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...

**Liz Wroblewski, Gene Sonnenfeld,
 Larry Habe, Carol Hall,
 & 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

	<u>OLL</u>	<u>Pleasanton</u>
GOAL	\$17,689.00	\$3,192.00
RECEIVED As of 1/20/2025	\$7,865.00	\$2,190.00
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	44/70	6/12

World Marriage Encounter

Are you letting Jesus proclaim the good news to you in your marriage? Sign up today to attend one of the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on: Feb. 14-16, Lincoln, NE; Sept. 19-21, Grand Island, NE For questions, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839 Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit [@worldwidemarriageencounter](http://www.wwme.org)

Catholic's Encounter Christ

Men's and Women's weekends are scheduled to be held at Camp Comeca on February 14-16, 2025. Although the groups will share the date and location, the weekends are still considered separate weekend experiences and a majority of their time will be spent completely separately. Electronic registration forms are live and can be found here on the Grand Island Diocese website.

Retrouvaille

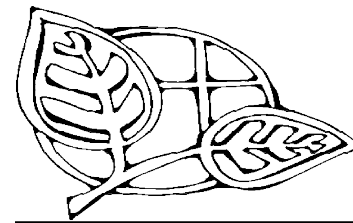
Matrimony: A calling to forgive! "Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope." For more information about Retrouvaille go to www.helpourmarriage.com, or www.retrouvaille.org. A Retrouvaille Weekend will be held on Feb. 14-16 at the St. Benedict Center in Schuyler, NE. Registration Deadline is Jan. 31, 2025. To register call 1-800-470-2230

Help Wanted

We are still in need of anyone willing to clean the church and do small maintenance jobs (as needed). If interested or know of someone, please call the office at 452-3109.

Catholic Family Retreat

A retreat for families with children ages 5-12 will be held in Lexington, NE August 1-3, 2025. Early bird registration of \$350 ends February 28. A poster with more info is at the doors.



The 3rd Sunday
 in Ordinary Time

January 25 & 26, 2025

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

504 N Sycamore Street
 Pleasanton, NE 68866

Mass Schedule

Jan. 25-Feb. 2, 2025

1/25 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Dale Busch *Mass at St. Josaphat's
1/26 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's People of the Parish +Nadine Franssen at SMPI.
1/27 Monday	*****No Services*****	
1/28 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Sharing at OLL
1/29 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
1/30 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Dave Hurtya
1/31 Friday	8:00 a.m. \$10:00 a.m.	+Fr. Mullowney \$Intention of the Priest
2/1 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Arlone Novotne *Mass at St. Josaphat's
2/2 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Tim Lammers

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

PARISH COMMUNITY PASTORAL STAFF

PASTOR Father Richard L. Piontkowski 452.3109 (Parish Center) 452.3314 (Rectory) or 530-5803 (Cell)
 Loup City Rectory - 704 North 9th, PO Box 626, Loup City, NE 68853 745.0315 (Rectory)

PARISH OFFICE MANAGER Kathy (Cook) Vogt 452.3109 (Parish Center) or 996.4212 (Home)

K-12 DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND PARISH YOUTH MINISTER

Joan Clifton 452.3109 (Parish Center), or 380-5946 (Cell)

Website: www.oll-ravenna.com

E-mail: ourladyoflourdes324@gmail.com

We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

- Jan. 25** 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
- Jan. 26** 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at SMPleasanton
- Jan. 28** 8:30 a.m. Bible Sharing at OLL Hall
- Jan. 29** 6:30 p.m. CYO at OLL
- Feb. 1** 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
- Feb. 2** 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Feb. 1 **Sunday, Feb. 2**

Hospitality

Keith & Lisa Paitz 9th Grade Class

Lector

Paul Janulewicz 9th Grade Class

Eucharistic Minister

Eileen Hewitt Shiloh Rager

Altar Servers

Ava Vogt 9th Grade Class
Hailey Vogt

[Formed.org](https://www.formed.org)--XXT4C6

World Marriage Day

The weekend of February 8 & 9th, World Marriage Day will be celebrated at the Masses here at OLL. Couples who will be married 25 years in 2025 will be honored as well as those couples who have been married 50 years or more. Plan on attending if this applies to you and receive a small gift from the CCW. This is for St. Mary Pleasanton as well.

World Marriage Day

In celebration of World Marriage Day, Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt will be presiding at an Anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 8, 2025, at 5 p.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral. All married couples in the Diocese of Grand Island whose anniversary is divisible by 5 in the years 2024-2025 will be honored at the Holy Mass. Please RSVP to St. Mary's Cathedral, 308-384-2523, or email secretary@stmarysgi.com; or Glenda Stittsworth, 308-379-9325, email glenarch@charter.net, by February 3, 2025. A lasagna dinner will follow at Cathedral Square. The meal is dine-in or carry-out. A free will offering is requested.

Our Offering to God Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,593.00
EFT Received	\$1,097.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,294.50
Budget for 7/24-6/25	\$171,314.00
Building Fund EFT	\$535.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$270.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Weekend Offering Received	\$20.00
Offering EFT	\$250.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$826.63
Budget for 7/24/-6/25	\$42,985.00

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

Parish/ Committee Meetings

Work Is Done

The work moving the altar is finished so Masses will be back in the church. Thanks again to everyone who donated to this cause, your generosity is appreciated. And a big Thank You to all those that came in Wednesday afternoon to help clean the church, you all made a big job get done faster and your help was much needed and appreciated as well. Also, a big Thank You goes out to the CYO group for all the work they did getting the hall set up for Masses the last 2 weekends and putting it back together again, carrying the books back and forth, and any other work you did for the Parish. You are a great group of kids and the Parish is lucky to have you help out the way you did. THANK YOU ALL!

Special Collection

This weekend, January 25 & 26, a special collection will be for the Church in Latin America. For many in Latin America and the Caribbean, a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers all present obstacles to practicing the faith. Your support for the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our Catholic faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. Envelopes are in your box sets.

Nebraska Walk For Life

The Walk for Life is on February 1 and begins on the North steps of the State Capitol at 10:00 a.m. A new route this year will take us to the Cornhusker Hotel where you can browse informational booths and hear speaker Elizabeth Gillette's keynote speech at 11:30 a.m. Contact: Nebraska Right to Life, PO Box 80410, Lincoln, NE 68501-0410. 402-438-4802, nebraskartl@gmail.com.

Higher Ground

Registration for the Higher Ground Retreats for high school and middle school students opens February 1st. These retreats offer young people a time to reflect on their spiritual journey and helps them grow their love for God. We encourage you to talk with your kids about attending these events. Take advantage of the early bird rate being offered until February 9th. Get registered at highergroundretreats.org and save with the Early Bird rate of \$295.

Steubenville of the Rockies

The Grand Island Diocese is sponsoring a trip to Steubenville of the Rockies July 25-27, 2025. This 3 day retreat is for current high school students. Hundreds of Catholic teens come together to experience Jesus in a very personal way. Registration opens February 1st. Check it out today as the early bird rate runs until February 9th.

Catholic Schools Week Presents Steve Angrisano

He will give 2 mission presentations on January 29 in celebration of Catholic Schools Week. The first one will be at 10:00 a.m. at Kearney Catholic HS and the 2nd one will be at St. James Church at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Steve is an internationally recognized Catholic composer, presenter and passionate evangelist. For over 2 decades Steve has traveled worldwide, sharing his unique blend of humor, story, and song. His desire for his family, and for each of us as well, is simply this; to live every day as a compelling case for Jesus.

