



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...

Dale Busch,
Loren Hecker, Tim Lammers,
& John Graczyk

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 11/6/23	2,125.00	1,250.00
# OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL	16/70	5/12

FAQ About the Diocesan Appeal

I am on a fixed income, costs are going up and it is difficult for me to give. What should I do?

The diocese has one of the smallest staffs of any diocese in the United States. Inflation is certainly having an impact on our costs as well, and it is becoming increasingly difficult to maintain the same level of support and ministries, so we can certainly relate. We truly appreciate any gift you can give.

Funny Bible Jokes

Q. What do they call pastors in Germany? A. German Shepherds.

Q. What kind of motor vehicles are in the Bible?

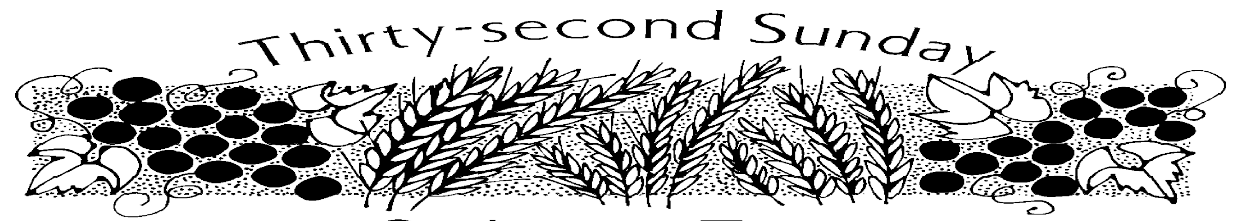
A. Jehovah drove Adam and Eve out of the Garden in a Fury. David's Triumph was heard throughout the land. Honda, because the apostles were all in one Accord.

Q. What excuse did Adam give to his children as to why he no longer lived in Eden?

A. Your mother ate us out of house and home.

3 Day Silent Directed Retreat

Come away to the quiet and be present to what God wants to offer you. Creighton University Retreat Center, located one hour east of Omaha in Griswold, IA is offering 3 Day Silent Directed Retreats at the times listed below. Retreats begin 6 p.m. supper the first day and end at 3 p.m. the last day. The cost is \$375 for room, meals and one-on-one spiritual direction sessions. Register at creighton.edu/retreatcenter/scheduleofretreats. Choose one from these available dates: Thurs-Sun Jan 18-21, 2024 Thurs-Sun Mar 21-24, 2024 Thurs-Sun May 2-5, 2024 or Sun-Wed July 14-17, 2024



Thirty-second Sunday

Ordinary Time

November 11 & 12, 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

November 11-19, 2023

11/11 Saturday	*5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Jane Chramosta
11/12 Sunday	8:00 a.m. *10:30 a.m.	+John Kriha *Mass at St. Josaphat's
11/13 Monday	*****No Services*****	
11/14 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Study at OLL
11/15 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
11/16 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Ruth Ripp
11/17 Friday	8:00 a.m. §10:00 a.m.	+Dick Hervert Intention of the Priest
11/18 Saturday	*5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat +Dave Huryta
11/19 Sunday	8:00 a.m. *10:30 a.m.	People of the Parish *Mass at St. Josaphat's

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

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We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

- Nov. 11 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
7:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
- Nov. 12 8:00 a.m. Mass at OLL
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
JCYO at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
- Nov. 13 2:00 p.m. Fatima Rosary
- Nov. 14 5:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Mass at St. Josaphat's, Meal for Senior Citizens to Follow at Hall
- Nov. 15 6:30 p.m. CYO at OLL
- Nov. 18 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
7:00 p.m. Mass at OLL

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Nov. 18 Sunday, Nov. 19

Hospitality

Ron & Lorraine Hervert 3rd Grade Class

Lector

Gary Hewitt Brett Hervert

Eucharistic Mnister

Eileen Hewitt Shiloh Rager

Altar Servers

Blake Birkby Maleah Rager
Piper Kriha Eloise Rager

Formed.org is still available: Password is XXT4C6

Community Choir Practice

The last practice will be this Wednesday, November 15th at 7 pm here at OLL. The Concert will be held on Sunday, November 19th at 1pm at the Lutheran Church. But all voices are welcome to join in and it would be appreciated if they could be at all the practices. This concert takes up a free will donation with the proceeds to go to the food pantry. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy some wonderful music.

Sisters Against Trafficking

Give thanks that there are many organizations working to abolish human trafficking and that we, as a church, are one of them, and can share resources with one another. For more information go to sistersagainsttrafficking.org.

Our Offering to God Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,749.00
EFT Received	\$1,932.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,077.44
Budget for 7/23-6/24	\$160,027.00
Building Fund	\$15.00
All Saints Day	\$398.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Offering Received	\$85.00
EFT Offering	\$170.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$780.87
Budget for 7/23/-6/24	\$40,605.00

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

Parish/Committee Meetings

**OLL Men's Holy Name
on Monday, November 20th
at 8:00 p.m.**

Memorial Book

Is at the front of the church for anyone to be put the names of a loved one that has passed this last year. It will be kept there through the month of November. Those that passed and were remembered at the Memorial Mass this year were June Zimmer, Ronald Schwab, Jerome Eckhout, Steven Schuller, Lawrence Miigerl, Timothy Biggs, Ruth Ripp, James and Maureen Farris, Donald Keaschall, Ronald Benisek, Elanor Walbridge, Donald Curtis, David Hurtya, and Nadine Franssen.

CCW

A special collection will be taken up after the regular collection at this weekend's Masses, Nov. 11 & 12th for the GIDCCW and CCW for donations to help cover dues which will help pay for various DCCW expenses and projects such as Seminary Funds for the seminarians of our diocese, scholarships, Catholic Relief Services, and various other donations given at this time. Thank you for your generosity and God Bless.

The Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry

Is sponsoring a young adult trip to the 2024 SEEK Conference January 1-5, 2024 in St. Louis MO. Are you a young adult age 21-39: Who is being called into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church? Who wants to experience truth, beauty, and goodness. Who is interested in connecting with peers who journey together. Check out the opportunity to take part in the 2024 SEEK Conference @ <https://www.gidiocese.org/young-adults>

Reminder

IF you have moved or dropped your land line PLEASE let the office know so we can get this information updated in our computer. That way phone calls in case of an emergency get to you without delay as well as any mail that goes out from here gets to the right place and isn't returned to us. Thank you for your help with this.

Office Hours

The week of Thanksgiving I will be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 21st & 22nd. Hours will be 8:30- 4:00 p.m. Notices for the bulletin will need to be to the office by Tuesday night as the bulletin will be printed on Wednesday.

Thanksgiving Mass

Will be held here at Our Lady of Lourdes on Wednesday, November 22nd at 6:00 p.m. A table will be set up by the altar for anyone wanting to bring an item for their Thanksgiving meal to be blessed by Father at this Mass.

Father God, I ask that you bless my coming and going today. Be before me, behind me, and beside me - protect me and move me toward that which will bring me closer to you.

