



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...

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.

Wood River Community Choir

This is a personal invitation for you to become a member of the Wood River Area Community Choir. There are no auditions. Everyone is welcome. The choir is organizing for Christmas and will be starting on Sunday, October 4, 2026 from 3:00-5:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Church, Marian Hall. All practices are on Sunday, 3-5. Practice time can be adjusted to accommodate the majority. The performance date is set for December 13, 2026 at 2:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church This year, we will be perform a cantata last performed in 2016, "ALL IS WELL." When the choir was organized 24 years ago, it was for the purpose of bringing our community together to sing. We now have singers from 8 different communities. All voices are needed. Please, seriously consider this as personal invitation to participate. Vince Boudreau 308-583-2961

Free Support Group

Is available for caregivers of families whose loved one is dealing with memory issues. We meet every third Tuesday of the month at the St. Josaphat's Convent (across the street south of the church). If you have any questions, contact Sharon at 308-380-9363.

Ever More In Love--Weekend Immersion Retreat

St. James is hosting this for married couples October 24-25, 2026. This retreat comes to St. James and is directed by Brad and Libby Dupont. We are sending the flyers now so time off of work and childcare can be made. Flyers are at the doors with a QR code to scan so couples can get registered. If you have any questions, call Mary Bowman at 308-627-5024.

The new Diocesan Appeal letters are being mailed out so be watching for yours. It will now end on June 30th, 2027 to end as the same time as the Fiscal Year.

"Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies." - Mother Teresa



The Catholic Parish Communities of

October 3 & 4, 2026

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

October 3-11, 2026

10/3 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Shirley Lockhorn *Mass at St. Josaphat's
10/4 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Tom Obermiller
10/5 Monday	*****No Services*****	
10/6 Tuesday	*****No Services*****	
10/7 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
10/8 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Maxine Skarka
10/9 Friday	§10:00 a.m.	+Paul Bonczynski
10/10 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Liz Wroblewski *Mass at St. Josaphat's
10/11 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Kenny Rasmussen

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

PARISH COMMUNITY PASTORAL STAFF

PASTOR Father Wajid Masih 801-326-7606. 452.3109 (Parish Center)
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K-12 DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND PARISH YOUTH MINISTER

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We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

Oct. 3 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's

Oct. 4 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL

Oct. 6 8:30 a.m. Bible Sharing at OLL

Oct. 7 7:30 p.m. KC Mtg. at Loup City

Oct. 10 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's

Oct. 11 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
9:00 a.m. RE at OLL
10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL
11:30-12:30 Lunch at OLL

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Oct. 10 Sunday, Oct. 11

Hospitality

Keith & Lisa Paitz Randy & Stacy Paitz

Lector

Kevin Vogt Richard Hervert

Eucharistic Minister

Dale Kriha Shawna Young

Altar Servers

Piper Kriha Jillian Verba
Paige Kriha Jolie Verba

Our Offering to God

Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,212.00
EFT Received	\$350.00
Income budgeted per week	\$3,293.06
Budget for 7/26-6/27	\$17,239.00
Building Fund	\$440.00
West Nebr. Register	\$40.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Weekend Offering Received	\$1,689.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$842.50
Budget for 7/26/-6/27	\$47,890.00

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

Parish/ Committee Meetings

Men's Holy Name
Monday, October 19
at 7:30 p.m.

Welcome to Father Masih (pronounced MaSee)

He will again have the 8:00 a.m. Mass here in Ravenna on Thursdays but on Fridays will only have the Mass at Seneca Sunrise at 10:00 a.m. for now. Things and times may change down the road but for the month of October the weekday Masses will only be held on Thursdays here at OLL and Fridays at 10 a.m. at Seneca Sunrise. There will not be a noon Mass at Pleasanton just yet so will keep you updated on that. Also, Father is wanting to get a Parish Council formed again so be thinking about people you think would be a good member of the council. Volunteers would be much appreciated!

Ministry Schedule

I will be working on the new Ministry Schedule so IF anyone wants to change days for any of the ministries please let me know by the 20th. **Also**, we could use more volunteers for ALL of the jobs, so PLEASE consider helping out. Father Masih would like to have the Cups of the Blood used again, but we will need more help before that can happen. If interested call the office and leave your name and number.

OCIA

If anyone is interested in joining the Catholic church, the "Order of Christian Initiation of Adults" (OCIA) classes will be starting soon. Call the office at 452-3109 and leave your name and number and we will get back to you. And if you know of someone who might be interested, give them this information as well.

Respect Life Sunday

Life Chain 2026 will be held this Sunday, October 4th, 2-3:00 p.m. on Webb Road between 13th Street and State Street in Grand Island. Kearney will have the same on both sides of 2nd Ave. from 25th Street heading north. St. Paul will have their Life Chain along Hwy 281 from 1-2:00 p.m. Flyers with more information are at the doors.

Holy Name Lunch With the CCW--Welcoming Father Masih

The Holy Name with the CCW will be having a lunch on Sunday, October 11th from 11:30-12:30 at the Parish Hall. Will be serving pulled pork, cole slaw, potato salad, beans, and desserts. This will also be a time to get to meet Father Masih and welcome him to the parishes. Is a free will donation meal and all are invited.

Fall Festival

Blessed Sacrament in Grand Island will have their Festival on Sunday, October 18th. Dinner will start at 11 a.m. and games start at 12 noon. Dinner cost is \$15 for adults, \$5 for children 4-11 years old, and free for 3 and under. Flyers are at the doors with more information.

Formed.org--XXT4C6--If this doesn't work try using your town or zip code.

Office Hours

Will be back to normal, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Notices for the bulletin will need to be in by Wednesday night. Phone numbers and email address are on the front of the bulletin.

St. Leo's Annual Coat Giveaway

Will be held on Thursday, October 22 from 10 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. The church is located at 2410 S. Blaine Street in Grand Island. Use the southwest entrance. For any questions, call 308-382-4753. Flyers are at the doors.

There will not be CYO on the 7th or the 14th of October. Will resume on the 21st.