



**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, Linda Marsh,**  
**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>
<b>GOAL</b>	<b>\$17,689.00</b>	<b>\$3,192.00</b>
<b>RECEIVED As of 9/3/2024</b>	<b>\$13,405.00</b>	<b>2,415.00</b>
<b># OF FAMILIES GIVING/GOAL</b>	<b>59/70</b>	<b>10/12</b>

**Office Hours**

Are Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Notices for the bulletin need to be in by Wednesday morning. The office phone number is 308-452-3109 and the email is ourladyoflourdes324@gmail.com.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me.” Take time for your marriage and learn how to be the best spouse you can be by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: Sept. 27-29, Lincoln, NE; Oct. 4-6, Grand Junction, CO 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 [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org)

**CELEBRATE ST. MARY’S CATHOLIC CHURCH--September 15**

St. Mary’s Parish of Wood River, NE are inviting our surrounding communities to our Festivities as we remember and celebrate over 156 years of St. Mary’s Catholic Roots and 60 years of our current church building at 408 11 th St. Wood River, NE MASS: 10:30 Celebrated by Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt CATERED NOON MEAL (FREE WILL OFFERING) Pulled Pork, rolls, au gratin potatoes, green beans Enchiladas, beans and rice. Anniversary cake Bouncy House and games. Memorabilia, renew & make new St. Mary’s Friends. If you are aware of someone who would be interested in attending, please help spread the word about this St. Mary’s Celebration. Email for a head count of attendees or questions, respond to: [lwoitasz@gmail.com](mailto:lwoitasz@gmail.com) or text to 308-390-5827. A flyer is at the west door.

**Mark Your Calendars**

Blessed Sacrament Church in Grand Island will be holding their Annual Fall Festival on Sunday, October 20th. Dinner will be served from 11 am until 1 pm. and consists of fried chicken & pulled pork, potatoes and gravy, salads, dinner rolls, drinks and desserts. Price is \$15 for adults and \$7 for ages 3-12. Lots of raffle tickets will be available along with lots of games for all ages. A flyer with all the information is at the west door.

Twenty-fourth Sunday in



**September 14 & 15, 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**

504 N Sycamore Street  
 Pleasanton, NE 68866

**Mass Schedule**

**September 14-22, 2024**

9/14 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Shelly Hecker
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat’s
9/15 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat’s
	10:30 a.m.	+Wilma Keaschall
9/16 Monday	*****No Services*****	
9/17 Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Bible Sharing at OLL
9/18 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
9/19 Thursday	8:00 a.m.	+Father Mallowney
9/20 Friday	8:00 a.m.	+Kristi Habe
	§10:00 a.m.	§Intention of the Priest
9/21 Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Dave Huryta
	*7:00 p.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat’s
9/22 Sunday	*8:00 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat’s
	10:30 a.m.	People of the Parish

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)  
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**We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!**

## Mark Your Calendars!

**Sept. 14** 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL  
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's  
**Sept. 15** 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's  
9:00 a.m. RE Starts at OLL  
10:30 am Mass OLL/Catechetical Sunday  
**Sept. 16** 8:00 p.m. Men's Holy Name Mtg.  
**Sept. 17** 10 a.m. Caregivers Mtg. at LC  
**Sept. 18** SE at SFAshton  
**Sept. 21** 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL  
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's  
**Sept. 22** 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, Sept. 21**      **Sunday, Sept. 22**

#### Hospitality

Bob & Mary Warner      Roger & Jeanne Wilke

#### Lector

Gary Hewitt      Kellie Crowell

#### Eucharistic Minister

Eileen Hewitt      Shawna Young

#### Altar Servers

Cassie Coulter      Katie Bursaw  
Piper Kriha      Jaden Young

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### **Wanted--Pianist**

If you are interested or know of someone who would be willing to do this, please contact Teresa Mingus at 308-390-1270. Share your talent!!

## Our Offering to God Last Week's Collections

### OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$2,112.00
EFT Received	\$277.50
Income budgeted per week	\$3,294.50
Budget for 7/24-6/25	\$171,314.00
Building Fund-Moving Altar	\$500.00
Building Fund	\$100.00
West Nebr. Magazine	\$152.00
West Nebr. Magazine EFT	\$165.00

### ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Weekend Offering Received	\$20.00
Income Budgeted per week	\$826.63
Budget for 7/24/-6/25	\$42,985.00
West Nebr. Magazine EFT	\$30.00

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

### Parish/ Committee Meetings

**OLL Men's Holy Name**  
**on Monday, September 16th**  
**at 8:00 p.m.**

### **From Father Richard**

I will be gone this weekend for the 150th anniversary of my home parish of St. Patrick's in North Platte. I was also pastor there for eight years. There will be a special Mass with the Bishop there commemorating the parish founding. I wasn't planning on attending but then they said there will be a beer garden.....

### **If Interested**

Do you want to become Catholic? Know someone that would like to become Catholic? It might be easier than you think. Please contact the office (452-3109) or Fr. Richard (530-5803) directly and we will work with you. Don't join an organized religion, become Catholic!

### **Religious Education**

Starts this Sunday, September 15th, at 9:00 a.m. It is also Catechetical Sunday in which we thank the teachers who help educate our children about their Catholic Religion. The following people and the class they are teaching this year are: Kindergarten-Amy McDonald; 1st Grade-Nichole Zoerb; 2nd Grade-Hannah & Zane Turek; 3rd Grade-Shawna Young; 4th Grade-Sara Urwiller; 5th Grade-Sarah Stange; 6th Grade-Michelle Dethlefs; 7th Grade-Chris Pfeifer; 8th Grade-Dave Huryta, Jr.; 9th Grade-Mary & Blake Adams; Confirmation-Joan Clifton. Music teachers are Teresa Mingus and Shelbi Zinnel. And available for substituting are Sarah Birkby and Stacy Paitz. A big THANK YOU goes out to all these people willing to give of their time and talent to help with the Religious Education. God's blessings to all of you and may you have a great year.

### **Junk Jaunt**

The Junk Jaunt will be here again the last weekend of September (27th & 28th). Letters with assignments and donations will be mailed out shortly. This would be a good time to clean out your house/garage of any unwanted "junk" you want to get rid of. Items can be dropped off starting on Saturday, Sept. 21st and the last day of drop off is Wednesday the 25th. But please, no clothes. Breakfast and lunch will be available on Friday and Saturday as well.

### **Help Wanted**

We are going to be in need of someone or a couple to do cleaning at the church and help with small maintenance jobs that may come up. If you or anyone you know may be interested, please call the office at 308-452-3109 and if need be, leave a message with a number on the answering machine.

### **WORLD PRIEST DAY**

September 29, 2024 Worldwide Marriage Encounter and the Serra Club celebrate World Priest Day. Everyone is invited to join us in celebrating our Priests who commit their lives to the Lord and to their Church through the Sacrament of Holy Orders. It is an opportunity to thank, affirm and share our love for our beloved Priests. For ideas or suggestions on ways to honor your deacons and priests who have been an important part of your life, go to <https://wwme.org/community/sponsored-events/world-priest-day> or contact Tom & Molly Johnson at Tom.Molly.Johnson@wwme.org or 832-567-8713 and they will send you more information.



Congratulations and welcome to Pax Daniel Bohn, son of Scott and Bayleigh Bohn who was baptized last Saturday here at OLL. His Godparents are Michael & Jessica Bohn & Tom & Cheryl Murphy. Also baptized was Braelyn Marie Bohn, daughter of Michael and Jessica Bohn. Her Godparents are Scott & Bayleigh Bohn. May the Lord bless you abundantly as you embark on your baptismal journey. May His grace be upon you and guide & protect you.

