



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...

Glenda Cronin

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.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

“For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.” Couples who pray together, stay together. Put God in your marriage by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: Sept. 18-20, Grand Island, NE; Nov. 6-8, Grand Junction, CO. 2027: Apr. 9-11, Colorado Springs, CO; Aug. 7-8, Littleton, CO; Sept. 24-26, Lincoln, NE Call or text 402-370-5839 for more information. For Spanish WWME Experience information, contact Victor & Lupita Corona at 651-343-2348. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, and additional dates and locations, please visit wwme.org Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @worldwidemarriageencounter

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 Lighter Side

A new neighbor in our semirural area recently called the local township administrative office to request the removal of the “Deer Crossing” sign on our road. The reason? Too many deer were being hit by cars, and he didn't want them to cross there anymore!



September 5 & 6, 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

September 5-13, 2026

9/5 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Don Stittle *Mass at St. Josaphat's
9/6 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's +Mary Obermiller
9/7 Monday	10:30 a.m.	+Betty Duester Funeral
9/8 Tuesday	*****No Services*****	
9/9 Wednesday	*****No Services*****	
9/10 Thursday	*****No Services*****	
9/11 Friday	*****No Services*****	
9/12 Saturday	5:00 p.m. *7:00 p.m.	+Ron Vogt *Mass at St. Josaphat's
9/13 Sunday	*8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	*Mass at St. Josaphat's Rosemary Rasmussen

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

PARISH COMMUNITY PASTORAL STAFF

PASTOR

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We Welcome All Our Visitors and Guests!

Mark Your Calendars!

Sept. 5 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
Sept. 6 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
 10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL
Sept. 7 10:30 a.m. Funeral at OLL
Sept. 8 8:30 a.m. Bible Sharing at OLL
Sept. 9 7:30 p.m. KC Mtg. at SG Hazard
Sept. 12 5:00 p.m. Mass at OLL
 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
Sept. 13 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Josaphat's
 9:00 a.m. SE & Teachers' Mtg./OLL
 10:30 a.m. Mass at OLL
Sept. 14 3:15 p.m. Rosary at Sen. Sunrise

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend Masses

Saturday, Sept. 12 **Sunday, Sept. 13**

Hospitality

Keith & Lisa Paitz Todd & Kate VanWinkle

Lector

Michael Graczyk Kellie Crowell

Eucharistic Minister

Kathy Vogt Shawna Young

Altar Servers

Piper Kriha Robbie Gentrup
 Paige Kriha Connor Birkby

Our Offering to God

Last Week's Collections

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Weekend Offerings Received	\$1,520.00
EFT Received	\$350.00
Income budgeted per week	\$3,293.06
Budget for 7/26-6/27	\$17,239.00
Building Fund	\$330.00

ST. MARY'S PLEASANTON

Weekend Offering Received	\$1,390.00
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

**OLL Men's Holy Name on
 September 21st
 at 7:30 p.m.**

Junk Jaunt Fundraiser 2026

It is that time of the year again when we get ready for our annual fundraiser for our parish. We will be having a meal/garage sale fundraiser during the Junk Jaunt weekend, Friday September 25th, 8:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m. and Saturday, September 25th from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. We will be serving breakfast and lunch on both Friday and Saturday. Along with the meals, we will also be asking parishioners for donated gently used household items. (Please, no clothes). Bake sale items may include the following: baked goods, homemade noodles, kolaches, jellies, crafts, fresh produce, etc. Please use this time to collect any items you would like to donate for the sale. Items do not need to be priced. September 13--Start dropping off household items at the parish hall. Also, last day to let us know if you are unable to volunteer. September 22--Last day to drop off household items. September 21-25--Drop off highlighted items at the parish hall (is on the mailed lists) September. 25/26--Food itmes to be dropped off.

DCCW Kearney Deanery Fall Meeting

Will be hosted by Elm Creek Immaculate Conception ladies on Saturday morning, October 3rd from 9-12 noon. The ladies from Amherst St. John Capistran will furnish the breakfast brunch. Registration is from 9-9:30 a.m. Fee is \$10.00. Fr. Raminedi from the Parishes of Amherst. Overton and Elm Creek will speak on the topic of "Gifts of Adoration." A Mass will be said at 11:15 in the Church. Dismissal is at 12 noon. All ladies are invited to attend.

Polish Heritage Center In Ashton

Is having their festival on Sunday, September 13th starting at 10:30 a.m. with a Polka Mass. Are having a Polish Buffet from 11 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. with other festivities until 4:00 p.m. Cost for the buffet is \$15 for adults, \$7.00 for children under 12, and free for 5 and under kids. Flyers with more information are at the doors.

Catholics Encounter Christ Fall Retreat

Will be held on Saturday, September 19th. Registration begins at 8:30 am Retreat starts at 9:00am and ends at 2:30pm. The retreat will be held at the Catholic Education Center in Elm Creek located at 325 North Church Street, Elm Creek, NE 69936. Jim Bertrand, Nebraska's own Shroud of Turin expert, joins us to share what he has learned in his years of research and presentations on The Shroud. Jim will have his authentic full-size replica of the shroud on display. We will also hear Fr. Anthony (associate pastor from St. James in Kearney) and Fr. Lawrence (associate pastor from Prince of Peace in Kearney) presenting a beautiful study on the Blessed Mother. Please bring a potluck item to share for lunch. (Plates, silverware, and drinks provided) Flyers with more information are at the doors.

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

CATHECHIST NEEDED!

The Religious Education Program at Our Lady of Lourdes is in need of a catechist to teach the 9th Grade Religious Education class. If interested, please call Joan Clifton at 308-380-5946.

Office Hours

Next week I will be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 8th & 9th. It will be the same on the 22nd & 23rd. So anything for the bulletin will need to be in the morning of those Wednesdays.

Still in need of more help with the music at Masses. Contact Teresa Mingus if you want to help out---308-390-1270.