

The Catholic Communities of

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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

May 12, 2024

Sat., May 11 th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: † Delbert Jonak OLL MASS
Sun., May 12 th <i>Mother's Day</i>	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: For the People
Mon., May 13 th	12:00 PM	HAZARD MASS: † Alvin Kwiatkowski
Wed., May 15 th	11:00 AM	LC MASS: † Marvin Gallaway
Sat., May 18 th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: † Mike Mazankowski OLL MASS
Sun., May 19 th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Esther Baker



Confessions are heard one half-hour prior to each Mass.

7th Sunday of Easter

“A society without mothers would be a dehumanized society, for mothers are always, even in the worst moments, witnesses of tenderness, dedication, and moral strength...Dearest mothers, thank you, thank you for what you are in your family and for what you give to the Church and the world.”

– Pope Francis

	<u>Saturday, May 18th, 5:00 p.m.</u>	<u>Sunday, May 19th, 10:30 a.m.</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	Tom & Sue Obermiller	Ron & Peg Mroczek
<u>Leader:</u>	Rich Peters	Jerome Reimers
<u>Lector:</u>	Betty Kuszak	Paula Johnson
<u>Eucharist Min.:</u>	Brandon & Tina Tuma	John Hulinsky & Lois Maschka
<u>Servers:</u>	Wyatt Trompke & Brendan Carkoski	Conrad Kaminski & Will Krolikowski

Parish Office Hours: Next week, the office will be open Tuesday & Thursday only (May 14 and 16).

Polish Days Kids Carnival: I am looking for reliable young people (6th/7th-10th) to help with the Kids Carnival the Friday evening of Polish Days. The event runs from 5 to 7 pm on the Courthouse Lawn but may also include help with setup and take down. This would be a good opportunity to gather a few Confirmation hours! We will be working with friends from Grace Bible Church who will also be lending a hand. Please text me if you are interested and I can keep everyone posted on the details as we get closer. Thank you! – Amy (308-750-0866)

Homebound Communion Ministry: Please prayerfully consider helping St. Josaphat out with this wonderful ministry! We currently have two people who volunteer their time on an every-other-week basis (Saturday evening/Sunday morning) and have been doing so for quite some time. We are hoping to gain one or two more volunteers so we can continue to bring this sacrament to our friends without interruption should a schedule conflict arise, etc. Contact the office to help out!!

Totus Tuus: Our Lady of Lourdes in Ravenna is hosting this program the week of July 21-26 and is generously offering your child(ren) the opportunity to attend! Grades 1-6th run Mon-Fri from 9 am- 3pm and 7th-12th Sun-Thurs. from 6-8:15 pm (based on the 2024/25 school year). Registration is \$35/child. Register by June 30th to earn a free t-shirt! Register at gidiocese.org/totus-tuus. Call Joan if you have any questions: 308-380-5946.

Chicago Trip Planned - *The Polish Heritage Center* in Ashton and Gannon Travel are sponsoring a “Taste of Polonia Chicago” tour Aug 30-Sept 2, 2024. This includes deluxe round trip motor coach from GI, Lincoln, or Omaha, 5 meals, admission to all venues (except Taste of Polonia \$15), step-on guided tour of Chicago highlighting Polish Heritage sites, 3 nights of accommodations at Hampton Inn Chicago Magnificent Mile, Mass at Holy Trinity Polish Catholic Church and Polish Museum of America. Sign-up deadline July 1. See Polish Heritage Inc. Facebook page for more details!

Bingo this Week!! Tuesday, May 14th, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center. Bring a friend or two!

May 4 and 5, 2024

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV.	\$ 2,596.00	\$ 855.00	\$ 340.00
PLATE	\$ 622.00	----	----
CHILDREN	\$ 29.25	----	----
Replacement Fund	\$ 58.00	----	----
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 299.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 120.00
St. Francis Roof Project	-----	\$ 15,280 7,500+ Goal	----
May Budget	\$ 3,403.25/week 13,613/month	\$ 1,067.44/week 4,269.75/month	\$ 512.34/week 2,049.34/month
Remaining May Balance	\$ 10,365.75	\$ 3,154.75	\$ 1,659.34

2023-2024 Weekly Appeal Update

Parish	\$ Goal	\$ Received	% \$ Goal	Household Goal	Household Total	% HH Goal
St. Francis	\$ 2,847	\$ 2,285	80%	16	14	88%
St. Josaphat	\$13,403	\$12,088	90%	70	70	100%