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## Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

October 6, 2024

Sat., Oct. 5 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 PM	OLL MASS
	7:00 PM	SJ MASS: ⊕ Blanche Novak
Sun., Oct. 6 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM	SJ MASS: For the People
	10:30 AM	OLL MASS
Mon., Oct. 7 <sup>th</sup>	12:00 PM	NO ASHTON MASS
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Wed., Oct. 9 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 AM	LC MASS: ⊕ Alvin Kwiatkowski
Sat., Oct. 12 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 PM	OLL MASS
	7:00 PM	SJ MASS: For the People
Sun., Oct. 13 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM	SJ MASS: ⊕ Duane Lewandowski
	10:30 AM	OLL MASS



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

27<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time



The Catholic Church also designates October as the "Month of the Rosary" and celebrates "Our Lady of the Rosary" on October 7<sup>th</sup> (Monday). The feast was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary for the Christian victory over the Turks at Lepanto on this date in 1571. Meditation on the cycle of Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous Mysteries makes the Rosary a summary of the Gospel and Christian life.

Saturday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 a.m.

Greeters: Marcia Dammann & David Woitalewicz Lonnie & Mitzi Tvrdik

Leader: Rich Peters Jerome Reimers

Lector: Mike Gappa Lisa Harrington

**Eucharist Min.:** Ervan & Marge Dzingle Linda Kohlscheen & Lori Eurek

Servers: Ashlyn Gappa & Jaymeson Gappa Loklan Setlik & Brogan Setlik

<u>Pro-Life Notes:</u> Mike Kube, Pro-Life Office Director of the Grand Island Diocese, will be one of the guest speakers at an event taking place at the Loup City Community Center on **Sunday, October 6**<sup>th</sup>, from 3 to 5 p.m. Along with Timothy Flick of the Nebraska State Patrol who will be discussing human trafficking, this free event's aim is to help enlighten listeners on what we can do to help protect our children! We are encouraged to attend!

<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Respect Life Eucharistic Procession</u> from 3-4 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024, St. Mary's Cathedral in Grand Island. We will process around the campus and around the neighborhood. This is a wonderful opportunity during *Respect Life Month* to give honor and praise to our Lord and to be the Light of Christ in the public square.

<u>DCCW Kearney Deanery Fall Meeting</u> will be held in Loup City at the Parish Center on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9 am to 12 noon. A brunch will be served by the CCW ladies. A presentation will be given on "Healing Hearts and Family" after which a business meeting will follow. A patriotic Rosary will be recited at closing. All ladies are welcome!

<u>St. Leo's in Grand Island</u> will host their 20<sup>th</sup> annual coat giveaway this year! Drop-off locations in GI include HyVee, Super Savers, Texas Roadhouse, and St. Leo's. If you know of anyone who is struggling to obtain a coat themselves for the upcoming fall and winter season, invite them to *St. Leo's Coat Giveaway* on Thursday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>, from 10 am to 5:30 pm.

Adult Bible Study: Every Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Convent. All are invited to join!

**<u>Bingo in October:</u>** Tuesdays: October 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center.

**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 or Fr. Richard directly and we will work with you. Don't joint an organized religion, become Catholic!

## **Local BAZAAR Celebrations**

<u>Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Ord & St. Mary's Catholic School Bazaar</u>, Sunday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>. Join us for food, fun, and fellowship at Gorak Hall. Kid games start at 11 am. Dinner 11 am- 1:30 pm (Adults \$12, ages 5-12 \$5). Country store, bake sale, snack bar, silent auction and ticket raffles! See you there!

<u>Annual Fall Festival</u> at *Blessed Sacrament Church* in Grand Island on **Sunday, Oct. 20**<sup>th</sup>, Dinner served 11 am – 1 pm: Fried chicken and pulled pork, potatoes and gravy, salads, drinks and desserts. Cost: \$15 adults/\$7 ages 3-12. Raffles tickets and games for all ages!

<u>St. James Oktoberfest 2024</u>, Sunday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>, from 10:30 am – 1:30 pm, Kearney Catholic High School (110 E. 35<sup>th</sup> St.). Enjoy a turkey dinner, children's carnival, bingo, cake walk, craft sale, and prize drawing. All are welcome!

## Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> and Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV.	\$ 1,547.00	\$ 450.00	\$ 200.00
PLATE	\$ 830.00		
CHILDREN	\$ 15.00		
September Budget	\$ <b>3,791/week</b> 15,164/month	\$ <b>1,067.44/week</b> 4,269.75/month	\$ <b>512.34/week</b> 2,049.34/month
Unmet Sept Balance	\$ +547.00	\$ 1,144.75	\$ 306.34