

The Catholic Communities of

ST. JOSAPHAT

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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

Sat., Jan. 18th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Delbert Jonak
Sun., Jan. 19th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	SJ MASS: † Jim & Ann Sobon OLL MASS
Mon., Jan. 20th	11:00 AM	SJ MASS: † Elaine Maciejewski
Wed., Jan. 22nd	11:00 AM	SJ MASS: † Leopold & Dorothy Dzingle
Sat., Jan. 25th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Ron Sobon
Sun., Jan. 26th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	SJ MASS: † Gary Greenland OLL MASS



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

January 19, 2025

Thank you for all of the cards, gifts, and prayers for Christmas. I am very humbled by your generous spirit. Thanks again! - *Fr. Mark*

<u>Saturday, Jan. 25th, 7:00 p.m.</u>		<u>Sunday, Jan. 26th, 8:00 a.m.</u>	
<u>Greeters:</u>	Karl & Louise Kulwicki		Mark & Sue Goc
<u>Leader:</u>	Phyllis Piechota		Jerome Reimers
<u>Lector:</u>	Cindy Baker		Heidi Krolikowski
<u>Eucharist Min.:</u>	Marion Schultz & Susan Day		Barb Dorsey & Karen Greeland
<u>Servers:</u>	Lexi Holcomb & Kade Kowalski		Lena Kaminski & Corinne McClary

Rose Lane Communion: Ideally, we would like two (or more!) people to step forward and help to bring Communion to the nursing home residents on Sunday mornings at 9:30. There are currently three ladies in the ministry- Pam Harrington, Dianne Peters, and Sharon Osentowski- who participate in this rewarding ministry on a rotating schedule basis. Feel free to visit with one of them, or contact the office if you would like to help. We would appreciate it!

Knights of Columbus Membership Breakfast is this Sunday, January 19th, from 9 am to 12 pm at the St. Josaphat Parish Center. A free-will offering is accepted. Everyone welcome!! KC meeting to follow the meal.

Friends of Paplin will be holding their monthly meeting on **January 19, 2025**, at 1 p.m. at the Polish Heritage Center in Ashton. We will be discussing our 2025 budget. If you are interested in knowing more about the efforts to preserve the Paplin Church property and are willing to share your ideas, come join us

Parish Cluster Prayer Chain Network: The time has come to update the phone numbers/members on our list. If you would like to be added to the Prayer Chain, or have it removed, please contact the office at 745-0315 or josaphatsaint@yahoo.com.

Year of Marriage Request: Our cluster parishes will soon be honoring married couples who are/will be celebrating 25 and 50 years of marriage. Please contact Annette Gallaway at 308-750-4151 or the parish Office with: 1) The name of the couple and 2) their date of marriage. If you have a picture of the honored couple, please submit this as well. WE can make copies of them and return them to you.

Higher Ground (HG); HG Extreme Faith; Steubenville of the Rockies: Registration for the 2025 diocesan summer events open **Feb. 1, 2025**. These three events offer young people a time to reflect on their love for God. We encourage you to talk with your kids about attending these events. Take advantage of the early bird rate being offered until February 9th. For more info, scan the QR code on the posters hung on the bulletin boards of church.

World Marriage Day: In celebration of World Marriage Day, Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt will be presiding at an Anniversary Mass on Saturday, Feb.8, 2025, at 5 pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. Married couples in the Diocese of GI whose anniversary is divisible by 5 in the years 2024-2025 will be honored at the Holy Mass. Please RSVP to St. Mary's Cathedral, 308-384-2523, or email secretary@stmarysgi.com; or Glenda Stittsworth, 308-379-9325, email glenarch@charter.net, by February 3, 2025. A lasagna dinner will follow at Cathedral Square. The meal is dine-in or carry-out. A free-will offering is requested.

Last Bingo in January: Tuesday, the 21st, at 7 pm in the Parish Center. Come join us!

January 11 and 12, 2025

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV.	\$ 2,339.00	\$ 675.00	\$ 120.00
PLATE	\$ 924.00	----	----
CHILDREN	\$ 14.00	----	----
Replacement Fund	\$ 116.00	----	----
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 45.00	\$ 50.00	----
January Budget	\$ 3,791/week 15,164/month	\$ 1,067.44/week 4,269.75/month	\$ 512.34/week 2,049.34/month
Remaining Jan. Balance	\$ 10,063.00	\$ 2,149.75	\$ 1,879.34

Appeal Update of 2024/2025



St. Gabriel	→ \$2,660 / \$ 2,085 Goal	10/12 Household Goal
St. Francis	\$2,090 / \$ 2,847 Goal	12/16 Household Goal
St. Josaphat	\$7,238/ \$13,403 Goal	52/70 Household Goal

Congratulations to St. Gabriel for meeting their Appeal goal!!