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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

Sat., Aug. 9 th	5:00 PM	SJ MASS: 🕆 Amy Gatewood		
,	7:00 PM	OLL MASS		
Sun., Aug. 10 th	8:00 AM	OLL MASS		
_	10:30 AM	SJ MASS: Phyllis Mroczek's 90 th Birthday		
Mon., Aug. 11 th	12:00 PM	HAZARD: 🕆 Dude & Mildred Peterson		
Wed., Aug.13 th	11:00 AM	SJ MASS: 🕆 Norma Janulewicz		
Fri., August 15 th	6:00 PM	SJ MASS: For the People		
- Assumption -	6:00 PM	OLL MASS		
Sat., Aug. 16 th	5:00 PM	SJ MASS: 🕆 Deceased Members of		
		Kowalski Family		
	7:00 PM	OLL MASS		
Sun., Aug. 17 th	8:00 AM	OLL MASS		
_	10:30 AM	SJ MASS: For The People		

19th Sunday In Ordinary Time



August 10, 2025

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

"We cannot build a society if we discard the weakest- whether the child in the womb or the elderly in their frailty- for they are both gifts from God." - Pope Leo XIV

Saturday, Aug. 16th, 5:00 p.m.		Sunday, Aug. 17th, 10:30 a.m.	
Greeters:	Volunteers Needed	Ron & Peg Mroczek	
<u>Leader:</u>	Janelle Mostek	Becky Setlik	
<u>Lector:</u>	Krista Slobaszewski	Paula Johnson	
Eucharist Min.: Cindy Baker & Evan Tuma		John Hulinsky & Wayne Klein	
<u>Servers</u> :	Ashlyn Gappa & Lexi Holcomb	Lena Kaminski & Brinley Smedra	

Mass time for *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary* (Friday, August 15th) is now at 6 p.m. at *both* St. Josaphat and Our Lady of Lourdes.

Ministry Schedule for The Assumption: Leader: Amy Kowalski; Lector: Jerome Reimers;
Eucharistic Ministers: Loraine Panowicz & Susan Day; Servers: Volunteers Needed

<u>Parish Hall Restroom Restoration:</u> Work has begun on the restrooms in the parish hall, so plan accordingly as none will be available for the short term. We consider this a minor inconvenience in the bigger picture of getting them completed in a timely fashion and appreciate finding someone to work with us in relatively short order! We look forward to having them updated!

<u>OCIA (The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults):</u> Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about our Catholic faith and being received into the Catholic Church? Call the office today for more information and to visit with Fr. Richard.

<u>Religious Ed Teachers</u>: Would you be able to offer your time and efforts as a co-teacher/teacher for the upcoming rel. ed. year?? **Contact Whitney Kaminski (402-430-3734) to lend a hand.**

<u>Friends of Paplin</u> will be holding their monthly meeting on **August 17, 2025**, at **1 pm** at the Polish Heritage Center in Ashton. 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.

"Darkness to Light" Training, Thursday, Aug. 14th, from 9 am to Noon at the Central Nebraska Council on Alcoholism and Addictions Office (3204 College St., Grand Island). This training program is designed for all who work in organizations that serve youth and for those concerned about the safety of children. The training empowers adults to prevent, recognize, and react responsibly to child sexual abuse through awareness, education, and stigma reduction. Refreshments provided. Space is limited! Cost is \$25/person. Pre-Register: officemanager@cncaa.net or Call 308-385-5520.

Bingo Bonanza in August → Tuesdays, Aug. 12th, 19th, and 26th, in the Parish Center.

August 2 and 3, 2025

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV.	\$ 2,514.00	\$ 585.00	\$ 305.00
PLATE	\$ 1,058.00		
CHILDREN	\$ 90.46		
Replacement Fund	\$ 281.00		
August Budget	\$ 3,750.84/week 15,033.34/month	\$ 1,031.17/week 4,124.67/month	\$ 515.80/week 2,063.17month
Remaining Aug. Balance	\$ 11,410.88	\$ 3,539.67	\$ 1,758.17