

The Catholic Communities of

ST. JOSAPHAT

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ST. FRANCIS

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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

Fri., Sept. 5 th	10:30 AM	SJ MASS: Funeral Mass for Alta Mostek
Sat., Sept. 6 th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: † Amy Gatewood OLL MASS
Sun., Sept. 7 th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: For the People
Mon., Sept. 8 th	12:00 PM	SG MASS: † Mary Dietz
Wed., Sept. 10 th	11:00 AM	SJ MASS: † John P. Janulewicz
Sat., Sept. 13 th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: For the People OLL MASS
Sun., Sept. 14 th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Ron Marshall SG MASS: † Dick Madsen

23rd Sunday
In Ordinary Time



Sept. 7, 2025

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

<u>Saturday, Sept. 13th, 5:00 p.m.</u>		<u>Sunday, Sept. 14th, 10:30 a.m.</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	Donna Wardyn & Volunteer Needed	Mike & Heidi Krolkowski
<u>Leader:</u>	Rich Peters	Gary Eurek
<u>Lector:</u>	Janelle Mostek	Becky Setlik
<u>Eucharist Min.:</u>	Marcia Dammann & David Kuszak	Linda Kohlscheen & Lois Maschka
<u>Servers:</u>	Cyrus Oseka & Volunteer Needed	Lena Kaminski & Sylviahna VanSlyke

OCIA Classes Set to Begin → Wed., Oct. 1st, from 7-8 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall in Ravenna.

Religious Ed Classes are set to begin on **Wednesday, Sept. 17th**, for all three of our cluster parishes.

St. Josaphat – K-5th at 6 pm, 6th grade + at 7 pm; **St. Gabriel** at 7 pm; and **St. Francis** at 6:30 pm.

St. Josaphat's Religious Ed is still in need of CCD teachers for 3rd Grade and our combined 9/10 High School Class. Please consider volunteering for these positions so we can continue offering these experiences to all of our children! Contact Whitney for more info: 402-430-3734.

St. Josaphat CCW: Please consider joining us in our ministry so we can continue to serve our parish. Immediate positions available: Vice President and Secretary. Our Treasurer position has been graciously filled by a volunteer! Contact Jane at 202-0166 or maschka@nctc.net.

Polish Heritage Center Annual Celebration in Ashton on Sept. 7th. Start with Memorial Mass at 10:30 and from 11 to 1 enjoy our Polish buffet featuring kielbasa, sauerkraut & dumplings, pierogi, ethnic soups and much more. Dance to the Urkoskis from 1 to 4. Bid at the silent auction and enter the raffle for a handmade quilt and cash. Visit the country store and Polish Museum where you find favorites such as kolaches, paczki, Polish pottery and more!

Magnificat Brunch: Saturday, September 13th, from 9 am – Noon (MST) at Holy Rosary Lyceum in Alliance. Guest Speaker: Marie Young (Mullen, NE). Magnificat is a ministry to Catholic ladies. Join us for prayer, music, a meal, and fellowship. Cost: \$12. Contact: Teresa Nelson – turts@charter.net or 308-760-3070.

Workers in the Vineyard: Sat., Sept. 27th, from 10 am until 2:30 pm (MST) at Niobrara Valley Vineyards in Nenzel, NE. Women gathering and sowing together in Eucharistic learning and fellowship. Call or text for more info: 308-325-3153 or 308-645-7058. Cost: \$25 which includes lunch and wine. Registration deadline is Sept. 23rd. This event is sponsored by the GI DCCW.

Bingo in September: Tuesday, September 16th, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center.

Diocesan Appeal (Oct '24-Sept '25): Below are the most current totals for the appeal, which ends in September (**Received/Goal**). A few more donations have trickled in since last published in the bulletin. All parishes have long ago reached their goal... and then some!! Please note that a new appeal will begin again in October.

St. Josaphat	\$13,448/ \$14,068 (+620)	71/70
St. Gabriel	\$ 3,210 /\$ 2,085 (+\$1,125)	13/12
St. Francis	\$ 3,237 /\$ 2,847 (+\$390)	18/16

August 30 and 31, 2025

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV.	\$ 1,641.00	\$ 335.00	\$ 175.00
PLATE	\$ 917.00	----	----
CHILDREN	\$ 13.00	----	----
EFT For August	\$ 510.00	----	\$ 450.00
August Budget	\$ 3,750.84/week 15,033.34/month	\$ 1,031.17/week 4,124.67/month	\$ 515.80/week 2,063.17month
Unmet Aug. Balance	\$ 2,318.88	\$ 1,642.67	\$ 728.17