

The Catholic Communities of

ST. JOSAPHAT

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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

Sat., Nov. 22nd	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: † Isabelle & Clem Ksionzek OLL MASS
Sun., Nov. 23rd	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Geri Krolikowski
Mon., Nov. 24th	10:30 AM	SJ Mass: Funeral Mass for Loraine Panowicz
Wed., Nov. 26th	11:00 AM	SJ Mass: No Mass—Fr. gone
Sat., Nov. 29th	5:00 PM 7:00 PM	SJ MASS: † Darlene & Alozy Spotanski OLL MASS
Sun., Nov. 30th	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	OLL MASS SJ MASS: † Alta Mostek

Nov 23, 2025



Confessions are heard one half-hour prior to each Mass

Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

	Saturday Nov. 29, 5 p.m.	Sunday, Nov. 30, 10:30 a.m.
Greeters	Myron & Sharon Osentowski	Mike & Whitney Kaminski Family
Leader:	Mike Gappa	Lisa Harrington
Lector:	Janelle Mostek	Gary Eurek
Eucharist Ministers:	Kaylee Tuma & Matthew Tuma	Linda Kohlscheen & Ron Mroczek
Servers:	Chase Spotanski & Wyatt Trompke	Conrad Kaminski & Loklan Setlik

St. Josaphat Parish Office Hours Next Week: Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thank you for all of the cards, gifts and well wishes for my 61st birthday! Also, thanks for all involved in the birthday party last weekend after Mass and all who came to the party. I am very humbled and honored. —Fr. Mark

Envelopes for Christmas Flowers: An envelope for Christmas flowers is included in your box of envelopes this year. You may begin dropping them in the collection at any time. Please complete them as indicated on the envelope and submit by December 20, 2025.

Little Blue Books Advent begins November 30th. The Little Blue Books are on a table at the back of the church. Please take one home and use the daily reflections and prayers to help prepare for the Advent and Christmas season.

Wigilia (Polish Christmas), December 7th in Ashton at St. Francis Parish Hall. The Polish Heritage Center will be open from 1-4 pm. Refreshments will be served at the Hall from 4-6 pm with the 5-course Meal served at 6 pm. Free Will Offering. Call Sandi (308) 750-6439 or Diane (308) 750-0676 for reservations by Dec. 1st. This will be a Polish Christmas filled with tradition, narrated by Santa and Fr. Dave Rykwald. Don't miss it.

No-Work Bazaar: On behalf of St. Josaphat Church and the CCW, we would like to thank everyone who has *generously* contributed to the No Work Bazaar thus far. Our current total stands at just over **\$3,100!** We are blessed. Gifts received are set aside for some of our more expensive obligations such as insurance, etc., rather than typical monthly expenses. If you still wish to donate, you may certainly do so—simply mark the gift as “bazaar.” A special thank you to those who contribute in a non-monetary way as well—your efforts do not go unnoticed.

- Going forward, are there are ideas you would like to share and help with regarding possible social events or fundraisers to help our church and its ministries? Please reach out to Fr. Richard or call the office! As a reminder, the CCW meets the first Monday of every month at 6 p.m. in the Parish Center. We are always looking for new ideas!

SHARE THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS: Please return gifts wrapped, with tags attached on or before Sunday, December 7th, 2025. Catch the giving spirit this season. (Tags must be attached to gift so we can get to correct family. Thanks.)

Bingo in December: Tuesday, December 2nd and 9th at 7 pm in the SJ Parish Center.

November 15 & 16, 2025			
	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV	\$ 1,631.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 140.00
PLATE	\$ 730.00		
CHILDREN	\$ 17.00		
SJ No Work Bazaar	\$ 25.00		
Diocese Mental Health	\$ 222.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 10.00
National Coll. Military	\$ 10.00		
Nov. Budget/week	\$ 2,635.00	\$ 565.00	\$ 150.00
Total collected for month	\$ 6,135.00	\$ 2,089.00	\$ 635.00
Nov. Budget/month	\$ 15,033.34	\$ 4,124.67	\$ 2,063.17
Remaining Nov. Balance	\$ 8,898.34	\$ 2,035.67	\$ 1,428.17

Diocesan Appeal		
<u>Parish</u>	<u>Dollar Goal/Received to Date</u>	<u>Donor Goal</u>
St. Josaphat	\$14,617/ \$4,897	70
St. Francis	3,545/ \$1,370	17
St. Gabriel	2,512/ \$1,250	12

Be Thankful!