The Catholic Communities of

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Mass Schedule ~ Times ~ Intentions

Sat., Nov. 7th	**5:00 PM** **7:00 PM**	**OLL MASS** **SJ MASS: † Shannon Skorniak**
Sun., Nov. 8th	**8:00 AM** **10:30 AM**	**SJ MASS: † Evelyn & Leonard Kalkowski** **OLL MASS**
Mon., Nov. 9th	**12:00 PM**	**SG MASS: † Dick Madsen**
Wed., Nov. 11th	**11:00 AM**	**SJ: NO MASS**
Sat., Nov. 14th	**5:00 PM** **7:00 PM**	**OLL MASS** **SJ MASS: For the People**
Sun., Nov. 15th	**8:00 AM** **10:30 AM**	**SJ MASS: † John P. Janulewicz** **OLL MASS**
Mon., Nov. 16th	**11:00 AM**	**SJ MASS: † Fr. Richard Piontkowski, Jr.**
Tues, Nov.17th	**5:00 PM**	**SJ MASS: Senior Mass/Followed by Meal**

November 8, 2026



32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Confessions are heard one half-hour prior to each Mass

	Saturday, November 14, 2026, 7 p.m.	Sunday, Nov. 15, 2026, 8 a.m.
Greeters	Myron & Sharon Osentowski	Gary & Lori Eurek
Leader:	Phyllis Piechota	Becky Setlik
Lector:	Cheryl Holcomb	Dayle Klein
Eucharist Ministers:	Mike Gappa & Joyce Goc	Kenny & Marcia Kaslon
Servers:	Keely Holcomb & Cooper Spotanski	Brinley Smedra & Treven Setlik

Free Support Group for caregivers of family and friends who's loved one have memory issues. We meet the 3rd Tuesday of the month at St. Josaphat's Convent. Questions? Call Sharon at **308-380-9363**.

KC BINGO DATES: November bingo dates are the 17th & 24th. B-I-N-G-O!

Mark your calendars!! ***The Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Mass & Meal*** is set for Tuesday, November 10th. Mass will be at 5 pm with the delicious Thanksgiving meal to follow in the SJ Parish Center. **Please RSVP on the sign-up sheet** in the entrance of church. Please call Jenni Oseka at 308-390-0846 to have your name added to the list for a meal. If you are homebound and wish to enjoy a meal in the comfort of your home, call Jodi Spotanski, (308) 750-4260.

LECTORS: Please pick up your 2027 lector workbooks that are at the back of the church.

PRAYER NETWORK UPDATE: We are **STILL** needing to update the prayer network. Please email the office at josaphatsaint@yahoo.com or call **(308) 745-0315** if you want to remain on or join the prayer chain. It only involves a phone call and/or a prayer for those in need. Please consider this worthy cause.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE COFFEE WITH THE SENATORS--Sat., Feb. 13, 2027, at 9 am. Riverside Country Club, Grand Island. Bishop Hanefeldt will celebrate a Mass beforehand (at 7 am). St. Mary's Cathedral, Grand Island

FROM THE OFFICE FOR VOCATIONS: This fall we have a few opportunities for young people to visit a seminary or a religious community for a time that is set apart. To step back from the noise of the world, enter into silence and prayer, and listen deeply to what the Holy Spirit may be stirring in their hearts regarding the vocation God is calling them to.

Opportunities for Men: *Conception Seminary College, Conception, MO*, November 13-15, 2026, Encounter with God's Call, Conception Seminary—For Men ages 16-35.

St Vianney Seminary, Denver, CO, November 29, 2026, Discernment Retreat for Hich school men; December 12, 2026—Discernment Retreat for men ages 18+.

Opportunities for Women: *Missionary Benedictine Sisters, Immaculata Monastery, Norfolk, NE*, Come & See: Discernment Retreat for women (19-45), January 29-31, 2027; Discernment Retreat for High School Women; May 1-2, 2027.

SPECIAL NOTE: There will be Mass in Hazard on **Monday**, **November 9, 2026**. Please consider attending.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #5455 NUT FRY: In memory of Mark Goc. ***Friday, November 20th*** at the St. Francis Parish Hall in Ashton. Serving mountain oysters and Maschka's Sausage from **5pm - 8pm**.

FR. MARK BIRTHDAY: We will be celebrating Fr. Mark's birthday after the Saturday, November 21, 2026, 7 pm. Mass with Ice cream and cupcakes. Don't miss it.

JUST A REMINDER TO ALL WHO USE THE CHURCH: If you remove any item from the pews for a wedding or funeral, please return it as you found it after the event. Thanks.

BOELUS FIRE DEPT. PANCAKE FEED on Sunday, November 15, 2026, from 10 AM – 1 PM. At the Boelus Civic Center. Serving pancakes, hash browns, scrambled eggs, sausage, and French toast sticks. Please support this important cause.

October 31 & November 1, 2026			
	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
WEEKLY ENV	$ 2,930.00	$ 685.00	$ 205.00
PLATE	$ 880.00		
CHILDREN	$ 12.00		
EFT Received	$ 146.25	$ -	$ 90.00
No Work Bazaar	$ 1,155.00		
Miscellaneous	$ -		
Total collected for month	$ 3,968.25	$ 685.00	$ 295.00
November Budget	$ 13,847.00	$ 5,019.58	$ 2,735.57
Remaining November Balance	$ 9,878.75	$ 4,334.58	$ 2,440.57

Diocesan Appeal

Parish	Dollar Goal/Received to Date	Donor Goal
St. Josaphat	$14,617/3,280/11,337	70
St. Francis	3,545/50/3,495	17
St. Gabriel	2,512/1,250/1,262	12