

The Catholic Communities of

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Mass Schedule

Day	Time	Liturgical Celebration
Saturday 4 th	5:00 PM	Ravenna Mass
Saturday 4 th	7:00 PM	LC Mass: + Dolores Larchick
Sunday 5 th	8:00 AM	LC Mass: + Florence Fattig
Sunday 5 th	10:30 AM	Ravenna Mass
Monday 6 th	Noon	Ashton Mass: + Roman Badura
Tuesday 7 th		No Mass or Service
Wednesday 8 th	9:30 AM	Rose Lane Mass: + Nellie Woitaszewski
Wednesday 8 th	11:00 AM	LC Mass: + Julia Shotkoski
Saturday 11 th	5:00 PM	Ravenna Mass
Saturday 11 th	7:00 PM	LC Mass: For The People
Sunday 12 th	8:00 AM	LC Mass: + Rose & Alvin Jarzynka
Sunday 12 th	10:30 AM	Ravenna Mass



August 5th, 2018
18th Sunday in
Ord. Time

Reconciliation will be on Saturday 6:30 at St. Josaphat - Mass is at 7:00 PM.

SATURDAY – AUGUST 11TH – 7:00 PM – GREETERS: Dick & Linda Madsen; **LEADER** Phyllis Piechota; **LECTORS:** Loretta Lovitt & Janelle Mostek; **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Marge Mroczek, Marion Schultz, Jeannette & Jerome Siwinski, Kayann Skibinski & Sara Stanczyk; **SERVERS:** Paige Stanczyk & Parker Slobaszewski.

SUNDAY-AUGUST 12TH - 8:00 AM – GREETERS: Rich & Loraine Panowicz; **LEADER:** Lisa Harrington; **LECTORS:** Paula Johnson & Dayle Klein ; **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Whitney Kaminski, Linda Kohlscheen, Gerard Larchick, Lois Maschka, Ron Mroczek & Sharon Osentowski; **SERVERS:** Brogan Setlik & Caden Kowalski.

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION: Rt. 1: Dick Harrington ; Rt. 2 : Pam Harrington; Rose Lane – Rose Ann Kowalski.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: FIRST READING: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15:1. The Israelites grumbled about the lack of food in the desert. They remembered their abundant pots of animal flesh in Egypt when they were captives. How is your trust in God when God calls you to new journeys in your spiritual life or ministry? 2. "Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion". What do you think our directive for natural resources would be? Take only what we need? Share it? Develop new sources of sustainable energy (renewable, as in wind, solar, etc.)? Anne Osdieck at St. Louis University.

BAPTISM: Congratulaton to Gwyer Allan Oseka, son of Allen James Oseka & Jennifer Marie Boersen Oseka, on your Baptism on July 28th, 2018 at St. Josaphat's Catholic Church in Loup City, NE. May God's Blessings be with you, your parents and your Godparents, Thomas Rehbein and Stacy Paitz, as you begin your new life within the Catholic Faith.

THANK YOU, Dayle Klein, for your time and tender loving care for flowers and plants. The flower bed in the circle drive looks so much better. Your talents are appreciated.

KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS SWIM PARTY: Sunday – August 5th will be the KC Swim Party at the Pool from 1:00 to 5:00 PM. All are invited to attend. There is no KC Meeting for August, 2018.

POTTED FLOWERS OR PLANTS: Thank you to all who have given fresh flowers and plants with us for our weekend Masses. Please call Krista Slobaszewski at 308-380-2720 if you want to donate more flowers. They add so much beauty to our already lovely church.

BINGO: August 7th, 2018 -Bingo starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Parish Hall. August Bingo Committee is: **CHM. Eddy Krzycki**, Mike Gappa, Jim & Dan Stanczyk, Mark Goc, John Hulinsky, David Hurt, Jerome Siwinski, David Kuszak & Tim Jonak. Circle Three(3) is serving lunch in August.

THANK YOU: To the Parishioners at St. Josaphat, St. Francis and St. Gabriel: Thank you to all of you for all that you have done for me while I have been in Loup City. These two months have gone by far too quickly. I have felt at home because of your welcoming hospitality.

Thank you for the cookies and drinks on Saturday evening and the pastry and drinks on Sunday morning. Thank you also for the cards and money. Most of all thank you for your prayers, and the Masses offered for me. I greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness.

My next few weeks will be busy as well. I will be in Ogallala next weekend for a seminarian retreat with the other seminarians from the diocese. Then I will be at St. Agnes in Scottsbluff for several weeks helping daily and weekend Masses. I will leave for St. Meinrad's Seminary on August 19th to help prepare for returning students. Then it will then be time to be a student again with only four years of studies in Theology to go.

If you need to contact me, my address at St. Meinrad's is: Deacon Dan Gilbert – 200 Hill Drive, St. Meinrad, IN 47757. My e-mail address is: dgilbert@saintmeinrad.edu.

Thank you again for the wonderful time from this summer that I will be able to reflect on while I am studying this fall. You are in my prayers. May the Lord Bless You!

PRAYFULLY REMEMBER: All who are hospitalized, homebound, in nursing homes, and all with health concerns. Pray for all who ask our God for healing strength.

OUR GIFT TO GOD

July 28th & 29th, 2018

	LOUP CITY	ASHTON	HAZARD
CHILDREN	\$ 16.00		\$
PLATE	\$ 231.00		\$
ENVELOPE	\$ 1,831.00	\$ 804.00	\$ 330.00
Total # of Families	367	85	49