

Mass Intentions:		
28 October	Mon. 7:30 am	No Mass
29 October	Tues. 7:30 am	Betty Chloupek +
30 October	Wed. 7:30 am	Ken Kalvoda +
31 October	Thur. 7:30 am Thur. 6:30 pm	priest's intention parents of the priests of DOL
1 November	Fri. 7:30 am Fri. 6:30 pm	people of the parish Eucharistic Adoration
2 November	Sat. 7:30 am	A return to the sacraments
3 November	Sun. 9:00 am Sun. 11:30 am	Chloupek family people of the parish

Parish Activities:

Collection: September 29, 2024 \$1685.00

Food Pantry: Food boxes for those needing assistance are available on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 9:00am to 10:30 am.

Volunteers are needed for various tasks outside of those times to receive orders, build boxes and other tasks. **St. Joseph's is responsible for staffing volunteers for the 2nd Saturday distribution of boxes.** If you are interested in volunteering or are in need of assistance, please contact Elaine Almond, Shelly Chloupek or the parish office.

Harvard Senior Community Meal:

The Harvard Senior Community Meals is held the 2nd Thursday of the month from 11:30 to 2:00pm at the Harvard United Methodist Church basement. Cost is \$6. Please R.S.V.P. to Elaine Almond (402)224-0732 by 7pm on the Sunday before the meal.

Daylight Savings Time ends: Daylight Savings time ends on Sunday November 3rd. Please remember to set your clocks back one hour before you go to bed Saturday night.

October Pro-Life Diaper Drive: We are collecting diapers for this LDCCW sponsored effort to help Nebraska Pro-Life organizations and Catholic Social Services provide diapers to families in need. Size 5 & 6 Diapers are especially needed this year. Diapers can be placed in the boxes in the back of the church.

Seminarian Prayer Calendar: Please pray in a special way this week for seminarian Colter Fulton studying at St. Gregory the Great Seminary.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
27 October 2024
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



CONFESSIONS: Sunday 8:30-8:50 am & after the 11:30 am Mass

Or by appointment

DAILY MASSES: Monday -Friday 7:30 am.

SUNDAY MASSES: Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:30 am (Español)

Parish Office Hours: Mon, Wed, Thu and Friday 7pm - 8:30pm and Saturday 12pm - 5pm.

Phone Messages and email are checked daily.

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NEWS AND IMPORTANT DATES:

Parish Soup Supper: The Fall Parish Soup Supper will be on Sunday November 3rd from 5pm to 7pm in the Parish Hall. Please sign up to bring items and assist with the meal. Sign up sheets are in the back of the church along with raffle tickets to sell.

All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation): The Feast of All Saints on November 1st is a holy day obligation. There will be a vigil Mass at 6:30 pm Thursday October 31st and Mass on the Holy Day, Friday November 1 will be at 7:30am.

First Friday & First Saturday Devotions - Friday November 1st & Saturday November 2nd: There will be a Holy Hour with Eucharistic Adoration on Friday November 1st at 6:30pm. Fr. Hoelsing will be available to hear confessions during the Holy Hour. Mass for First Saturday will be at 7:30 am with the Rosary to follow.

All Souls Day prayer requests: There are special envelopes in the back of the church to add names of the faithful departed you would like to have remembered in a special way on All Souls Day, November 2nd at the 7:30 am Mass.

Book Of Remembrance: Beginning on Sunday October 27th. A book of remembrance will be placed in the vestibule of the church for the names of the faithful departed to be remembered in the month of November and throughout the year. This book will be used to fill in dates when no specific Mass intention has been requested. Please feel free to add, not just the names of the deceased, but also any of their special dates like birthdays, anniversaries and dates of death. (please use only month and day)

- St. Joseph Prayer Chain:

- +For all the poor souls in Purgatory
- +For the end to abortion
- +For our Holy Fathers-Pope Francis, bishops, priests, sisters and brothers
- +For all seminarians, especially those at St. Gregory the Great Seminary
- +For our youth to accept and grow in vocations
- +For world peace, and our servicemen and women
- +For the Knights of Columbus prayer requests
- +For fallen away Catholics

Edith Weber	Cecilia Meeza	Dan Adler (Sem)	Virginia Miller
Teresa Volesky	Alyssa O.	Jolene Markland	Angel Valdivia
Brad Oschner	Juan Slazar	Emily Howard	Dennis Reddick
Cesaria Gabriel	Cecilia Martel	Erica Lauinger	Randy Schulte
Bill Kerber	Cathy Kamost	Salvador Palas	Shirley McCabe
Jordan Ortmeier	Fr. Allan Phan	Kelem Fabrice	Garry Veik
Sharon Reasland	Nancy Sapp	Randy Chloupek	Tony Stec
Diane Walz & family	Shirley Koenig	Andrea Ainsworth	Mary Verde
Jeff Weber	Joseph Verde	Kevin Chloupek	Wayne Alley
Jim Jackson	Greg Almond	Rita Mach	Shannon Tebo
Pete Bartels			

If you have any intentions you would like to add to the prayer chain, call Elaine Almond (402-224-0732) or Shirley Koenig (402-984-0692).

All Saints Day Friday, November 1, 2024 Holy Day of Obligation—

We can pay no greater honor to the Saints than by offering up to God in their name the Blood of Jesus. The efficacy of their past merits and present prayers is greatly increased when offered to God in close association with the merits and prayers of our Lord. Therefore the

Church commemorates on this day all the Saints in Heaven without exception, and thus honors also those who are unknown and who have no public recognition in the Liturgy. Let us celebrate by "...giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light. He delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins." Col 1:12-14

All Souls Day Saturday, November 2, 2024 Remembering the Holy Souls in Purgatory especially during the month of November

On the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day), Nov. 2, each priest may celebrate 3 Masses for the following intentions: one Mass for a particular intention, another Mass for all the faithful departed, and a third Mass for the intention of the pope.

At 9:00am on All Souls day, we will have a Requiem Sung High Mass according to the ancient rite. I have been enriched in my own prayer, celebration, and study of the ancient rite.

"Requiem" comes from the first word of the Mass in the Introit or Entrance Antiphon: "*Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis...*" "eternal REST grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them..." You are welcome to come to this Mass. Translations of the prayers and readings in Latin will be provided.

One can Obtain a Plenary Indulgence for a soul of the faithful departed by a Visit to a Cemetery. Only applicable to the souls in Purgatory when one devoutly visits and prays for the departed. A PLENARY INDULGENCE is bestowed for this work each day between November 1 and November 8. Complete detachment from sin, even venial sin, and the usual conditions must precede or follow: 1) Sacramental Confession, 2) Receiving Holy Communion, and 3) Prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father (reciting 1 Our Father and Hail Mary). The three conditions may be fulfilled several days before or after the prescribed work; it is, however fitting that Communion be received and the prayer for the intention of the Holy Father be said on the same day the work is performed. The condition of sacramental confession may be fulfilled within a period of about twenty days before or after the work is performed. A single sacramental confession suffices for gaining several plenary indulgences; but Communion must be received and prayer for the intention of the Holy Father must be recited for the gaining of each plenary indulgence. Also, one may obtain a plenary indulgence for the souls in purgatory by making a visit to a Church or an Oratory on All Souls Day and praying the Lord's Prayer and the Creed (along with the usual conditions above). In the Holy Mass we remember the living and the dead. Participation in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass far surpasses any other activity as regards sanctifying and purifying.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Clinch