



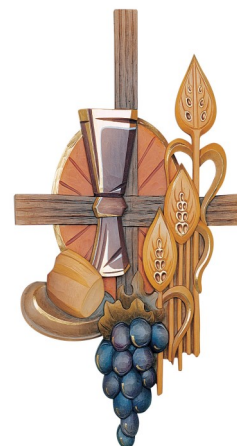
## BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

March 24, 2024

*Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord*

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

| Date                | Time       | Intention                        |
|---------------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| Saturday, March 23  | 5:30 p.m.  | Parish Family                    |
| Sunday, March 24    | 8:00 a.m.  | Marshall & Darlene Christensen + |
| Sunday, March 24    | 10:00 a.m. | Deb Mabon +                      |
| Tuesday, March 26   | 12:05 p.m. | Cindy Willey +                   |
| Wednesday, March 27 | 12:05 p.m. | Harold Werth +                   |
| Thursday, March 28  | 6:00 p.m.  | Sandra LaCoy +                   |
| Friday, March 29    | 6:00 p.m.  | Lawrence & Carolee Egging +      |
| Saturday, March 30  | 6:00 p.m.  | Parish Family                    |
| Sunday, March 31    | 8:00 a.m.  | Elvira Madrid +                  |
| Sunday, March 31    | 10:00 a.m. | Thomas Rainforth +               |



**Reconciliation Times: Wednesday - 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Saturday - 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**

Announcement from Bishop Hanefeldt

Fr. Marty Egging continues to participate in a program for his priestly renewal. In that regard, he speaks well of those who are working with him there.

While his assignment here as pastor has not changed, there are a number of administrative details that need to be addressed.

Therefore, on Friday, March 15, 2024, I appointed Fr. Don Buhrman, pastor of St. Leo's, to also serve as Administrator of Blessed Sacrament Parish in order to better manage these various administrative responsibilities. With this appointment, I am asking Fr. Buhrman to oversee regular parish operations here.

I am most grateful to Fr. Buhrman for his pastoral experience, generosity and assistance at this time. Please pray for him as he takes on these additional responsibilities as your parish administrator.

Sincerely,

Bishop Joseph G. Hanefeldt

#### Contact & Livestreaming Information

518 State St., Grand Island, NE 68801 308-384-0532  
 Office Hours: Monday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.; Tuesday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
 Website: [blsachurch.net](http://blsachurch.net) E-Mail: [bscc\\_1@msn.com](mailto:bscc_1@msn.com)  
 Facebook: [www.facebook.com/blessedsacramentGI](https://www.facebook.com/blessedsacramentGI)

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

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| Sunday, 3/24   | Palm Sunday<br>8:00 a.m. - Mass<br>10:00 a.m. - Mass<br>Coffee & Rolls   |
| Monday, 3/25   | 12:00 p.m. - Chair Yoga<br>5:30 p.m. - Mindful Movement<br>7:00 p.m. - Women's AA  |
| Tuesday, 3/26  | 1:00 p.m. - Quilting Ladies<br>7:00 p.m. - Al-Anon Meeting<br>7:00 p.m. - AA Meeting<br>7:30 p.m. - K of C                               |
| Wednesday 3/27 | 5:00 p.m. - Rel. Ed. P-5<br>6:15 p.m. - Rel. Ed. P-5<br>7:30 p.m. - Rel. Ed. 6-8<br>7:30 p.m. - Freshmen & Sophomore<br>Godparent Groups |
| Thursday, 3/28 | 1:00 p.m. - Quilting Ladies<br><b>Holy Thursday</b><br>6:00 p.m. - Mass of the Last Supper   |
| Friday, 3/29   | <b>Good Friday</b><br>6:00 p.m. - Commemoration of the<br>Passion of the Lord  |
| Saturday, 3/30 | <b>Holy Saturday</b><br>10:00 a.m. - Al-Anon Meeting<br>10:30 a.m. - Adoration<br>6:00 p.m. - Easter Vigil Mass                          |
| Sunday, 3/31   | <b>Easter Sunday</b><br>8:00 a.m. - Mass<br>10:00 a.m. - Mass  |



**Please remember the following individuals in your prayers:**

|                  |                      |
|------------------|----------------------|
| Roseann Anderson | Anna Blake           |
| Dawn Ferris      | Stephanie Godziemski |
| Anita Graf       | Sharon Jarecke       |
| Cindy Petersen   | Marcella Petersen    |
| Pat Pickerel     | Tim Puncochar        |
| Kathy Stava      | Heather Tjaden       |
| JoAnn Vodehnal   | Emily Webster        |
| Nancy Zahm       |                      |

**Pray for military personnel and pray for peace.**



**Our Deepest Sympathy to the Family of  
Donna Mulligan**  
Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord,  
and may perpetual light shine upon her.  
May she rest in peace. Amen

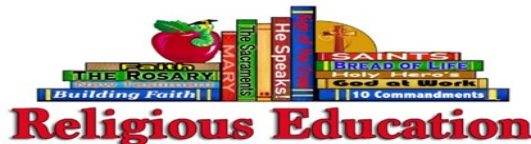
## OUR GIFTS OF TREASURE

March 16 & 17, 2024

|                 |            |
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| Adult Envelopes | \$6,619.00 |
| Plate           | \$970.00   |
| Online          | \$2,101.00 |
| Thrift Store    | \$1,078.42 |

### Diocesan Appeal

|                  |             |
|------------------|-------------|
| Our Goal         | \$75,410.00 |
| Received to Date | 55,186.00   |



### Final Religious Formation Classes April 3

We will meet in the church at your regularly scheduled class time for a Mary Crowning. Perfect Attendance Certificates will be awarded. Parents are invited to attend. Families are then invited to the Jubilee Center for ice cream sundaes.

### First Communion Practice & Pictures

April 6, 9:00 a.m., church. Practice will last approximately one hour. All children should be dressed in their First Communion attire, as Connie Swanson will be taking pictures immediately following practice. First Communion is Sunday, April 7, at a specially scheduled Noon Mass.

### First Communion

April 7, at a specially scheduled noon Mass. Please keep our 2nd graders in your prayers!

### Vacation Bible School

Hosted by Blessed Sacrament and Resurrection Parish, will be held the week of June 3-7 from 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. at Resurrection. Children age 4 to those just completing the 4th grade (so they can be going into 5th grade this fall) are invited to attend. Cost for the week is \$30 per child, with a \$75 family maximum. Online registration begins on April 15. Parents can register and pay online at [www.giresurrection.com](http://www.giresurrection.com). This year's theme is **Scuba Diving Into Friendship With God**.

### Edgar Barge Memorial Scholarship Winners

This year's Edgar Barge Memorial Scholarship winners were announced at the 10:00 a.m. Mass on March 17, 2024. They are: Audra Rischling, daughter of Marla Rischling and the late Tony Rischling; and Breeonna Brandt, daughter of Tod and Theresa Brandt. Audra will receive a \$1,500 scholarship to the college of her choice, and Bree will receive a \$750 scholarship. Audra and Bree were recognized for their outstanding volunteer service and involvement in parish, school and community. Congratulations to both of our winners!

I'm looking for some brass players for Easter Sunday, 10:00 am Mass. At minimum, I'd like 2 trumpets and 2 trombones, but I'd gladly take anyone interested! Email Scott Musil at [edisoncollector@gmail.com](mailto:edisoncollector@gmail.com).

# Thrift Shop

Located at 718 West North Front St.

Store Hours: Friday & Saturday

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Donations can be dropped off on Mondays,  
Fridays & Saturdays

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**For more information, or to volunteer, please  
contact the Thrift Store at 308-398-3443.**

## Catholic Daughters Court Queen of Peace #2227

We thank you as we enter the third month of praying for the unborn and their mothers. At this stage of development, the fetus has found comfort in sucking his/her thumb. Fingernails are present. He/she can smile, practice breathing and is sensitive to touch. So uniquely created with so much development in just 12 weeks and still only approximately the size of a lime. Please pick up a prayer card located at the display in the south gathering area. Please keep praying with us.

## CDA Court Queen of Peace #2227

Our applications are now available for a \$200 Scholarship for any high school graduating daughter/son of a Catholic Daughter Court member. Applications may be requested from Colleen Goodwin at Resurrection Parish 308-380-7953 & Chris McCarragher at Blessed Sacrament Parish 308-382-2069. Deadline is April 15, 2024.

## Alter Server Training

Sister will be doing a training session late March or early April for any one in 3rd grade & up. Contact Sister if interested at 308-384-0532, ext. 202.

## Habitat for Humanity

Please mark your calendar for Saturday, April 27. Once again, Blessed Sacrament will host a group for the Habitat for Humanity build day. Additional details will follow. If you have any questions, please contact Christi Rein at jcrein4@charter.net or Julie Markvicka at Jmmarkvicka@gmail.com.

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HOUSE**

Pre-K through 5th Grade  
Opening in Fall 2024!

**Elementary Open House  
in Spring 2024!**

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**Rice Bowls** will be collected on Holy Thursday. You will be asked to bring them up at the time of the Preparation of the gifts and deposit them in the baskets at the foot of the altar.

**On Holy Thursday** we will have Washing of the Feet for anyone who would like to have their feet washed.

We will have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the Holy Thursday Mass until 10:00 p.m. Please sign up for a slot if you know when you would be there, so we don't leave the Blessed Sacrament alone in the Jubilee Center.

## EVENTS HAPPENING ELSEWHERE

Central Catholic High School Presents

RODGERS + HAMMERSTEIN'S  
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MARCH 22 - 7:30PM  
MARCH 23 - 7:30PM  
MARCH 24 - 2:00PM

1200 RUBY AVE., GRAND ISLAND

TICKETS SOLD AT ACE HARDWARE & GICC

\$10 ADULTS \$8 STUDENTS

## Solemnity of the Annunciation Mass

All are invited to attend the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the Solemnity of the Annunciation on Monday, April 8, at 5:30 p.m. at St. Leo's Church in Grand Island. Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt will be the celebrant. The "Blessing for Child in the Womb" will be given during Mass. All expectant mothers with their families are invited to receive this special blessing from the Bishop for their preborn children in celebration of this Solemnity. After the Mass, a reception will take place at the parish center.

HEROIC VIRTUE FAMILY RETREAT  
August 2-4, 2024

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EARLY BIRD RATE  
ENDS 3-31-24

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## MINISTER SCHEDULE FOR MARCH 30 & 31, 2024

| Mass Times                        | 6:00 p.m.   | 8:00 a.m.                               | 10:00 a.m.                 |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|
| <b>Lector</b>                     | Steve Stein<br>Anita Graf<br>Alice Quick                                | JT Rein                                 | Volunteer                  |
| <b>Minister of Holy Communion</b> | Paul Hempstead<br>Dean Graf<br>Barb Binfield<br>Dan Quick<br>Greg Rempe | Tony Koziol<br>Marge Koziol<br>Jim Rein | Pat Pickerel<br>Andy Blake |
| <b>Altar Server</b>               | Volunteer   | Volunteer                               | Laura Blake                |
| <b>Hospitality</b>                | Volunteer   | Kim Lane                                | Volunteer                  |



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| <b>SLUGGERS</b><br><b>BAR &amp; GRILL</b><br>707 W. Anna St. • Grand Island<br>(308) 382-1786<br>Danielle Schaeffer,<br>Parishioner   | <b>Advantage</b><br><b>CAR CARE</b><br>ASE Master Certified Technicians<br>218 Kaufman Ave<br>Grand Island, NE 68803<br>(308) 384-6101<br>Darin Jacobsen, Parishioner  | <b>ORO MEX</b><br><b>JEWELERS</b><br>• 14k Jewelry • 14k Religious Pendants<br>• Repairs • Design & Manufacture of<br>Jewelry • 14k Rosaries<br>406 W. 3rd, Grand Island 308-384-7191  | <b>KRAMER'S</b><br>Auto Parts<br>& Iron Co., Inc.<br>North Highway 281 • Grand Island<br>384-1116<br>We Carry Older & Newer Model Car Parts<br>Tim & Lisa Bartz, parishioners   |
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| <b>EDGEWATER</b><br>Insurance + Real Estate<br>308-381-1761<br>Justin B. Shavlik<br>3610 W. Capital Ave. • Grand Island, NE 68803   | <b>All Faiths</b><br><b>Funeral Home</b><br>Dan Naranjo<br>Funeral Director / Owner<br>308-398-2929  | <b>GH</b><br><b>CONSTRUCTION</b><br>Dustin Hasselmann<br>Parishioner<br>Cell 308-850-3036<br>Masonry Work<br>Brick, Block & Stone  | <b>RANDY'S</b><br><b>SPRINKLER SYSTEMS</b><br>RANDY KOSMICKI<br>Owner<br>308.384.4036<br>Free Estimates<br>Insured<br>Residential • Commercial • Layout • Design Service • Ponds & Pond Supplies<br>www.randysprinklers.com                                 |
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