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## Building the Faith Capital Campaign

**Challenge Goal \$4,000,000**

**Pledged or Paid to Date \$ 3,621,876**

**To Complete Challenge \$ 378,124**

- *Representing 585 Pledges*
- *2008 begins the third year of a five-year campaign pledge period*

### The Crusader Wall of Honor

The first-round installation of The Crusader Wall of Honor in the new Athletic Center has been completed by Christie Ziller '82 Kelley of Granite State-ments and her father, Bill Ziller '60 of Ziller Tile.

New or increased pledge bricks will be installed early in 2009.

It's not too late for you or someone you love to be included in the Wall of Honor.

## January Memorials

Donald Chalupa

Ambrose Dolan

Virginia Donnelly

Mary Ann Eberl

Anna Marie Dunning Kuhn

Jean Muhrin

Jonetta Donnelly Meves

William & Meta Sassen

Kirk Schwieger Jr

Kathy Mullen

Ellen Mulligan

*Memorial Gifts are placed in the Central Catholic Foundation Endowment. Only the interest, earnings and gains are used each year to support Grand Island Central Catholic.*

## Louise Lonowski Estate Gift

The Central Catholic Foundation has received word from an Omaha attorney that Central Catholic has been named as one of the beneficiaries of the Louise Waskowwiak Lownowski Estate.

Louise was born at Ashton, NE in 1925. She and her husband Del Lonowski raised their five children in



**Louise Lonowski**  
7/15/25 - 12/22/2007

Loup City. They farmed and owned service stations in Ord, Broken Bow and Loup City.

After Del's death in 1985, Louise lived in Grand Island and was a member of Saint Mary's Parish.

Louise was living in Columbus at the time of her death.

**Central Catholic  
Development  
Foundation**

### Mission Statement

The mission of Grand Island Central Catholic Development Foundation is to promote the understanding and support of the school's mission among all constituents and obtain charitable gifts for Central Catholic Schools through friend and fund raising.

## Central Catholic Foundation Board

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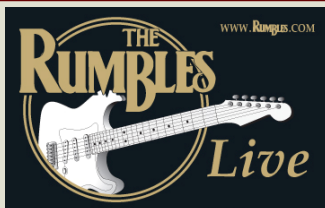


Do you and your loved ones have your "brick" yet on the Crusader Wall of Honor?

## Foundation News:

- Karen Robison and Cathy McMullen will attend the Winter 2008 meeting of the Nebraska Rural Development Directors on February 27th at Columbus Scotus.
- Karen Robison will attend the spring session of the *Schola Donum* (School of Giving) in Omaha on March 5th and 6th. This unique and comprehensive educational program on financial development was created to help further stewardship in the Catholic Church in Nebraska.
- The Alumni Basketball Tournament will be held in the new Athletic Center on March 15th in the new GICC Athletic Center.
- Nominations are being accepted for the Central Catholic Honorary and Alumni Hall of Fame. Nomination forms are available in the Development Office or visit our website at: [centralcahtolic-development.com](http://centralcahtolic-development.com)
- Crusader Calendar Winners for each month can be found at our website.
- Crusader afghans are available in the Foundation Office. They make great gifts for just \$40.00 each.
- Central Catholic has received the first payment from Skagway in the *Best Choice* Shopping promotion.
- The spring edition of the *Update* newsletter will be mailed in March.
- The Class of '88 will hold their reunion on June 20th & 21st. Contact Tom Ziller for details; 308-389-3843.
- The Saint Mary's Class of 48 will hold their reunion on May 24th. Contact Chuck McGown for details.; 308-382-8260

## Grand Island Saint Mary's/Central Catholic All School Reunion



*A chance like no other to renew those friendships that meant so much to all of us....*

*A chance to tour your old stomping grounds...*

*A chance to see the many wonderful additions to GICC....*

*A chance to visit some of the teachers who made an impact on our lives....*

*A chance to dance the night away to one of the most fantastic bands from our past...*

The Alumni Association of Grand Island Central Catholic will host the All School Alumni Reunion this on July 26th at Central Catholic.

The evening will include dinner, program and dancing to the "Rumbles."

Details of the weekend activities for each class will be mailed from the Foundation Office. Class contacts include the following:

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Jeannette Argo James  
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1968: Francis Krolkowski  
308-384-5464  
1973: Dianne Ziller  
308-687-6204  
1978: Marion Matousek  
308-289-4737  
1998 : Dan Schuers

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