Last Week's Contributions

Sunday Collection: St. Louis: \$3,319.00 St. Nicholas: \$3,138.00 Human Development: St. Louis: \$530.00 St. Nicholas: \$234.00

| Weekly Mass Schedule | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|------------|--|------------|--|--|--|
| Day of Week | Date | Time | Mass Intention | Church | | | |
| Monday | November 26 | | No Mass | | | | |
| Tuesday | November 27 | 8 a.m. | Carol Rindler | North Star | | | |
| Wednesday | November 28 | 8 a.m. | John, Teresa & Maurice Brunswick & Doris Hoelscher & Chuck Hoelscher | Osgood | | | |
| Thursday | November 29 | 8 a.m. | Rita Spraley | North Star | | | |
| Friday | November 30 | 8 a.m. | Albert Grieshop | Osgood | | | |
| Saturday | December 1 | 4:30 p.m. | For the Parishioners & Alfred Eilerman & Paul & Julitta Henry Family & Drucella Schlamb | North Star | | | |
| Sunday | December 2 | 8:30 a.m. | St. Barbara Sodality | Osgood | | | |
| | | 10:30 a.m. | Irene Schlater & Hemmelgarn Family & Wehrkamp Family & Viola Westgerdes | North Star | | | |

ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

| | Servers | Lectors | Euch. Ministers | Gift Bearers |
|------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| December 1 | Lincoln Winner | | W-Angie Ruhenkamp | Mrs. Velma Schlater |
| Saturday | Lewis Winner | Angie Ruhenkamp | E-Joyce Barga | |
| 4:30 p.m. | Dean Smith | | C-Mackenzie Bertke | |
| December 2 | Travis George | | W-Marlene Bergman | M/M Chris Schmitmeyer |
| Sunday | Emma George | Derek Rethman | E-Mary Bergman | |
| 10:30 a.m. | Wesley George | | C-Marlene Black | |

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

| | Servers | Lectors | Euch. Ministers | Gift Bearers |
|-----------------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| December 2 Sunday 8:30 a.m. | Ayden Bergman Lane Bergman Nathan Mescher | Emma Brunswick | C-Jill Winner W-Emma Brunswick | St. Barbara Sodality Officers |

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November 25, 2018

Today is the feast of

Christ the King

Christ the King Sunday celebrates the role of Jesus as ruler over all of the universe. However, it's important to recall that despite this, Jesus is king because he is a humble servant.

Jesus' kingship is one of power and might, but also love and humility, as demonstrated by his life on earth.



St. Louis Catholic Church

Confessions

Thursdays 7-9 p.m.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tuesdays & Thursdays - 8 a.m. Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30 p.m. Sunday Mass - 10:30 a.m.

St. Nicholas Catholic Church

Confessions

Saturdays 9-9:30 a.m.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Wednesdays & Fridays - 8 a.m. Sunday Mass - 8:30 a.m.

<u>Baptism</u> for Chase Samuel Stammen, son of Craig and Audrey Stammen, will be held at the 10:30 a.m. Mass next Sunday, December 2 at St. Louis Church. Congratulations to the family!

<u>There will be no confession</u> at St. Nicholas Church next Saturday, December 1 as Father David will be at St. Louis for second graders making First Confession.

<u>Mass Intentions</u> are being taken during the month of November for 2019. Pick up a slip at the entrance of your parish and return by way of the collection or mail to PO Box 9, Osgood, OH 45351.

<u>New contribution envelope packets</u> are available at both parishes. They are in the Gathering Room at St. Louis Church and in the back part of the basement at St. Nicholas Church. Please pick up your packet at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

<u>St. Nicholas Parish</u> is looking for a sacristan or two to help set up for weekend Masses, for funerals, baptisms and weddings, etc. (Not weekday Masses.) You would not need to attend the Masses or events, just have things ready for Father David. If interested call the office.



St. Nicholas Parish will be ordering new hymnals after the first of the year. The hymnals will include the readings and the Order of the Mass. They will include the old hymns we all remember plus new hymns. We will be ordering 380 pew editions at \$15.50 each. Donations may be made anonymously or you may donate in memory

of one or more loved ones and their names will be put on a dedication form in the front inside cover of the book. Drop your donation in the collection marked SN Hymnals or mail to The Pastoral Center, PO Box 9, Osgood, OH 45351. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



Feast of the Immaculate Conception - Holy Day of Obligation

6 p.m. Vigil - Friday, December 7 at St. Louis 7:30 p.m. Vigil - Friday, December 7 at St. Nicholas

Baptism & Beyond Class will be held February 11 at 7 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Church basement. All couples are to attend before baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to register.

- St. Barbara Ladies Sodality Christmas Party will be December 4 at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. Cost is \$7. Sign up at the entrance of the church by November 25.
- <u>St. Anne Ladies Sodality Christmas Party</u> will be December 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. RSVP by December 2 to Jamie McClurg at 419-336-1019 or sign up in The Gathering Room.
- St. Nicholas Choir Schedule: Adult Choir: Sundays: Dec 2, 9 and 30, Holy Day Vigil: Dec. 7 7:30 evening Mass and Christmas Morning 8:30 a.m. Mass. Youth Choir: Sundays: Dec. 16 and 23, Christmas Eve: 5 p.m. Mass and New Years Eve 4:30 p.m. Mass.

CCD News

St. Louis First Confessions will be held Saturday, December 1 at 9 a.m.

There are lists of our shut-ins, religious and those in the service available at the entrance of the churches. You can use this for your holiday greeting cards.



<u>Want to donate a poinsettia</u> in memory of a loved one or in your family's name to help decorate your church at Christmas? You can do so by putting \$10 in an envelope and dropping it in the collection or mailing it to The Pastoral Center by December 16. Please include your loved one's name or family name and your parish.

Mark your calendar: St. Nicholas Parish Dinner/Dance will be held on January 26.

Want to make a casserole for those less fortunate at St. Vincent Hotel? Casserole pans will be available beginning Monday, November 26 at our parishes. Please take a pan and return on Wednesday, December 12.

<u>New Catholic Lighthouse Media</u> audio CD's are available in the media room at St. Louis! New titles include: Life-changing Stories of the Eucharist, From Jehovah's Witness to Catholic, In Pursuit of My Identity - Homosexuality, Transgenderism and My Life, How to Bring Fallen-Away Catholics Back to the Church and Overcoming the New Age Movement. List and return or \$3 donation suggested.

<u>First Saturday Devotions</u> will be held at St. Charles Center on December 1 at 2 p.m. All are welcome.

<u>The 177 Project Adoration Across the Nation</u> will be held Sunday, December 16 beginning at 6:45 p.m. at the Marion Local High School gym. The evening will begin with the rosary, Eucharistic Adoration and a concert. Any questions contact Chris at 419-925-4775 x 105. Free tickets are available at THE177PROJECT.COM.

<u>Nativity Display</u> from the collection of Tim and Kathleen Nealeigh will be on display at the Maria Stein Shrine during the month of December during normal shrine hours. Stop in and check out the collection.

<u>Versailles Council of Churches Food Pantry Breakfast with Santa</u> will be held at the K of C Hall on December 2 from 8:30-12:30. All are welcome. Free will donations accepted.

Mercer County Right to Life is purchasing a full-page ad in *The Daily Standard* on January 16 for a Pro-Life ad. If you would like your name to appear send \$5 along with the name as you wish it to appear to Pat Pottkotter, 5158 SR 119, St. Henry, OH 45883 by January 7. Make check out to Mercer Co. Right to Life. Any questions contact Pat at 419-678-4557.

<u>Recycling Drive</u> will be held Saturday, December 1 at the Osgood Park. Cancellations are aired on WCSM or their website. Call Jude at 419-582-2554 with any questions.

<u>There will be a council seat open</u> on the Village of North Star Council beginning January 2019. If interested contact Mayor Travis Wilker at 419-336-5405 or attend the council meeting on December 12 at 6 p.m. You must be a village resident and registered voter to qualify

<u>There was a ring found at St. Nicholas Church.</u> Call the office if you have lost one.

CYO Basketball Games Today

St. Nicholas Girls will play St. Peter/St. Joe at Ft. Recovery at 2:30 p.m.

St. Louis Boys will play St. Henry B at Versailles at 2:30 p.m.

St. Louis Girls will play St. Michael at Ft. Loramie at 1 p.m.