

Sunday Collection: **Last Week's Contributions**
 St. Louis: \$2,773.00 St. Nicholas: \$3,197.00

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	Feb. 3		No Mass	
Tuesday	Feb. 4	8 a.m.	Faith Selhorst	North Star
Wednesday	Feb. 5	8 a.m.	Leo Wenning	Osgood
Thursday	Feb. 6	8 a.m.	Yvette Groff	North Star
Friday	Feb. 7	8 a.m.	Deborah Brand (St. Barbara Sodality)	Osgood
Saturday	Feb. 8	4:30 p.m.	For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas & St. Louis Churches	Osgood
Sunday	Feb. 9	8:30 a.m.	Robert & Kenny Billenstein & Faith Selhorst & Lester Wynk	North Star
		10:30 a.m.	Jason Frey & Lawrence Poepelman Family & Michelle Sherman (St. Barbara Sodality)	Osgood

ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Gift Bearers
Feb. 9 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Troy May Elizabeth May Kaylin Phlipot	Scott Smith	W-Marlene Bergman E-Mary Bergman C-Mackenzie Bertke	M/M Mark Borchers

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Gift Bearers
Feb. 8 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Caitlynn Schemmel Andrew Wuebker Victoria Wuebker	Lori Albers	C-Katie Ruschau W-Brennen Schlecty	M/M Gary Poepelman
Feb. 9 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Ashley Bergman Josh Kuether Rachel Kuether	Renee Gerling	C-Carla Schutz W-Amy Schoen	M/M Jay Poepelman

Want to stream movies through your Internet service? FORMED has movies for your viewing pleasure that can also help you grow in your Catholic Faith. There are movies for kids and families. To register go to nsoregion.formed.org and sign up.



February 2, 2020

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St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Osgood
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 419-582-2531
 Website: nsoregion.org
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 Pastor: Rev. David G. Howard, JCL



In Memoriam:
Grace Ruschau
whose Mass of Christian Burial
was this past week at St. Nicholas Church.

Eternal rest grant unto her O, Lord.
 And let perpetual light shine upon her.
 May her soul
 and the souls of all the faithful departed,
 through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
 Amen.



Be Aware! Phishing Scam Alert

Someone has been impersonating local pastors and asking their staff and/or parishioners to wire money or provide gift cards.

Please be aware this is a scam!

Any email message that asks for money, in any form (including gift cards, banking information, etc.) should be verified by contacting the perceived "sender" directly, in person or by phone, before responding via email.

St. Louis Catholic Church

Confessions

Thursdays 7-9 p.m.

Masses

Tuesdays & Thursdays - 8 a.m.

Sunday Mass - 8:30 a.m.

St. Nicholas Catholic Church

Confessions

Saturdays 9-9:30 a.m.

Masses

Wednesdays & Fridays - 8 a.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass - 10:30 a.m.



Eucharistic Adoration

will be held on

**Tuesday, February 4 at St. Louis Church
and Wednesday, February 5 at St. Nicholas Church**

from 9-5 p.m.



Confessions will be held from 4:15-4:45 p.m. and closing service will be held at 5 p.m.

We ask that your prayer intentions include **Marriages & Christian Families:**

For the renewal and stability of all Christian marriages.

St. Louis Cemetery Board will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday, February 4 at 7 p.m. in the church basement.

St. Nicholas Prayer Warriors will pray in St. Nicholas Church on Tuesday, February 4 at 7 p.m. All are invited to pray for those suffering from cancer and all other illnesses.

Coffee & Donuts are being served Sunday mornings following Mass through March 22 at St. Louis Church. Everyone is welcome to the basement following Mass. Holy Name Society officers are in charge of serving coffee and donuts on February 9.

Attention Ushers: The Archdiocese has asked that each parish collect Mass counts one Sunday per month during 2020. We ask that ushers count Mass attendance on the first weekend of each month during 2020 and also at the Easter and Christmas Masses.

Baptism & Beyond Class will be held February 10 at 7 p.m. in the St. Louis Church basement. All couples are to attend before baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to register. The next class will be June 22.

For your Calendar:

~Fr. Nathan Cromly will give a Lenten presentation on Wednesday, March 11 from 7-8:15 p.m. for both parishes.

~Jeanne Hunt will give a Ladies Day Lenten presentation on Saturday, March 14 at St. Louis Church for ladies of both parishes.

CCD News

Sunday School religion begins on February 9 at both parishes.

To enroll children age 4 through Kindergarten for Sunday School at St. Nicholas Church contact Amy Schoen at 419-582-2150 or at St. Louis Church contact Pam Creager at 937-417-1044.

St. Blaise blessing will be given at both parishes on Wednesday, February 5 at 8 p.m.

St. Louis First Eucharist meeting will be February 12 at 8:30 p.m.



Today we celebrate

The Presentation of the Lord



This is Commitment Weekend for the 2020 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Please join with Catholics in every parish throughout our archdiocese who are standing *Together for the Faith of the Gospel* through local, Catholic ministries for

people right here in our communities. These ministries depend on our help each year! If you have already responded by mail or online, or if you brought your completed pledge card to place in the offertory today, thank you! You may also mail your cards in the envelopes that were mailed to you or bring to Mass next weekend. To make a gift online, visit CatholicAppeal.net.

Thank you to the 2020 St. Nicholas Parish Dinner/Dance Committee! The evening was enjoyed by those in attendance. Thank you also to all who donated to the raffle. The list of donors is posted at the main entrance of the church. The committee for the 2021 dinner/dance is: William & Mary Beth Heckman (chairs), Michael & Nancy Grieshop (co-chairs), Daniel & Leah Brown, David & Brenda Kriner and David & Mary Bohman. If you lost an item at the dance there is a lost and found box on the video cabinet in the entrance of the church. There was a black coat left that is hanging in the entrance of the church.

St. Denis Council in Versailles will be sponsoring a German-style dinner Saturday, February 22 at the hall in Versailles. The dinner benefits Rustic Hope, a non-profit organization that offers free support to single mothers before, during and after delivery. Dinners will be served from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Menu includes cabbage rolls, pork loin sauerbraten, bratwurst, sauerkraut, German red cabbage, mashed potatoes, dessert and a beverage. Tickets (\$20) are available up to the date of the event by calling Charlie Borchers at 614-565-0004 or Paul Borchers at 937-417-0779 or by emailing charlieborchers6@gmail.com.

St. Denis Knights of Columbus Mission Breakfast will be held on February 9 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the K of C Hall. This year they will be supporting Saint Mother Teresa's Missionaries of Charity and also Persecuted Christians in the Middle East. The breakfast will include sausage, biscuits and gravy, pancakes, eggs, grits, and more. Come and enjoy a good meal, and thank you in advance for your support of these worthy causes.

St Denis Knights of Columbus will be hosting Patrick Madrid as their annual Lent speaker on March 21 at 7 p.m. Patrick is a Catholic author, radio host and apologist. Patrick's talk will be entitled "Why Be Catholic When You Could be Anything Else". Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased by calling Jake DeMange at 419-336-1034. All tickets bought before February 14 will receive a free drink ticket. For more information on Patrick visit his website at www.patrickmadrid.com.

Radio Maria Brunch Buffet will be held Sunday, February 9 from 9-12 at Speedway Lanes in New Bremen. Meals are \$9.99 for adults, \$5.99 for those 3-10 and children ages two and under are free.

North Star Sons of American Legion BBO Chicken and Pork Chop Dinner tickets are being sold for the dinner on March 8. Presale tickets only are \$7. Contact any SAL or call Mark Barga at 419-336-5004.

In your charity, please remember to pray

for our Catechumens *Cortney Norris* and *Eileen Page*, who are preparing for their initiation into the Christian faith by Holy Baptism, Holy Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist, and for our Candidate *Mark Rismiller*, who, already one with us by Holy Baptism, wishes to be received into full communion of the Catholic Church.



CYO Basketball Games today, February 2

St. Nicholas Boys Team will play St. Paul at Ft. Recovery at 1:30 p.m.

St. Nicholas Girls Team will play St. Augustine at Minster at 2 p.m.

St. Louis Boys B Team will play St. Joe at Cridersville at 1 p.m.

St. Louis Boys C Team will play Ft. Recovery C at Ft. Recovery at 3:30 p.m.

St. Louis Girls Team will play St. Michael at Versailles at 12:30 p.m.