

Sunday Collection:

Last Week's Contributions

St. Louis: \$3,997.88 St. Nicholas: \$2,692.00

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	Sept. 16		No Mass	
Tuesday	Sept. 17	8 a.m.	Victor Niekamp	North Star
Wednesday	Sept. 18	8 a.m.	Raymond Mangen	Osgood
Thursday	Sept. 19	8 a.m.	Nieberding & Niekamp Families	North Star
Friday	Sept. 20	8 a.m.	Paul & Margie Dirksen	Osgood
Saturday	Sept. 21	4:30 p.m.	For the Parishioners & Don & Mary Hiestand	North Star
Sunday	Sept. 22	8:30 a.m.	Frank Arling & Chris Otte	Osgood
		10:30 a.m.	Alex Hemmelgarn & Families & Norman Marchal	North Star

ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Gift Bearers
Sept. 21 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Benjamin Brewer Anna Brewer Alex Brewer	Eric Mescher	W-Phyllis Krieg E-Ryan Langenkamp C-Eric Mescher	M/M Greg Barga
Sept. 22 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Quentin Grillot Eli Grillot Brandon Hemmelgarn	Joyce Hemmelgarn	W-Connie Grilliot E-Tim Rhoades C-Joyce Hemmelgarn	M/M James Barga

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Gift Bearers
Sept. 22 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Ryan Subler Joshua Kuether Rachel Kuether	Sandy Mangen	C-Megan Tuente W-Margie Wenning	M/M Adam Miller



September 15, 2019

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Today we celebrate
Catechetical Sunday

This year, the Church celebrates
Catechetical Sunday on September 15.
The 2019 theme is "**Stay With Us.**"
Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity
to reflect on the role that each person plays,
by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith
and being a witness to the Gospel.
Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all
to rededicate themselves to this mission
as a community of faith.



<p>St. Louis Catholic Church</p> <p>Confessions Thursdays 7-9 p.m.</p> <p>The Liturgy of the Eucharist Tuesdays & Thursdays - 8 a.m. Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30 p.m. Sunday Mass - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>St. Nicholas Catholic Church</p> <p>Confessions Saturdays 9-9:30 a.m.</p> <p>The Liturgy of the Eucharist Wednesdays & Fridays - 8 a.m. Sunday Mass - 8:30 a.m.</p>
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Confessions: Father Howard will be available for Confession on Thursday evenings at St. Louis Church from 7-9 p.m. and on Saturday mornings from 9-9:30 a.m. at St. Nicholas Church.

St. Nicholas Parish Council will meet on Monday, September 16 at 6:30 p.m. **Coffee and Donuts** are being served at St. Nicholas Church following the 8:30 a.m. Masses through October 20. St. Nicholas Society officers will be in charge of serving next Sunday. All are welcome to the basement following Mass for fellowship.

Any adults or juniors or seniors interested in being a lector or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion at your parish? Training will be held at St. Nicholas Parish on Wednesday, September 18 at 8:30 p.m. and at St. Louis Parish on Wednesday, September 25 at 8:30 p.m. Please call or e-mail the office if you would like to be trained.

Reminder: When there is a school delay at either Marion Local or Versailles there is no morning Mass or Eucharistic Adoration that day. Please listen to the radio or Channel 7 television for the school delay. There is no calling chain.

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

Patriotic Rosary will be prayed at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday mornings in the east wing at St. Nicholas Church and at 9 a.m. on **Thursday** mornings at St. Louis Church.


Casserole pans for St. Vincent de Paul Shelter: Please return the frozen casserole to your parish on September 18 between 6 and 7 p.m. or place in the freezer in the church basement between September 16 and September 18.

St. Nicholas Choir Schedule for September: Adult Choir - Sept. 29 and Youth Choir - Sept 15 and 22.

Thank you from the Jason Frey Family for the prayers, cards and support during this difficult time. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.

CCD News

Sunday School Religion at both parishes begins September 29 and will run through November 24 during Sunday morning Mass. If your child is 4, 5, or in Kindergarten and you would like them to be in religion please contact Amy Schoen (St. Nicholas) at 419-582-2150 and Pam Creager (St. Louis) 937-417-1044.



St. Maria's Produce Stand for the benefit of the poor is located on the corner of St. Rt. 705 and US Rt. 127. Gardeners are welcome to donate fruits and vegetables from their orchards and gardens or baked goods. The public is invited to come and offer donations for whatever they wish to take home. The stand is open each Saturday throughout the rest of the summer from 9 a.m. to noon. All proceeds and leftover produce are given to St. Vincent Hotel in Dayton. Some of the proceeds may also be given to other area soup kitchens.

Catholic Social Services presents *Dorothy Day: A Personal Portrait of a Saint For Our Time* on Tuesday, September 17 beginning with Mass at 6:30 p.m. at St. Michael Church in Ft. Loramie. The speaker will be at 7 p.m. followed by a reception. For more information or for tickets (\$5) call 937-223-7217 ext. 1141.

Fire things up with a Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience! It would make a wonderful fall getaway with your spouse. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend experiences are October 18-20 at the Holy Spirit Center in Cincinnati and November 1-3 at Maria Stein Spiritual Center. Register today at <https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php>

North Star Community Association will be hosting a Wreath-Making Workshop on Saturday, October 12 at 7 p.m. in the North Star Community Center. Tickets are \$50, which includes materials for a wreath, non-alcoholic drinks and appetizers. Attendants are welcome to bring in other snacks and beverages. Space is limited. RSVP to northstarcommunityassociation@gmail.com.

Stammen Family History Book: If you are interested in ordering a reprint of the Stammen Family History Book from 1794 - 2000 contact Mike Dorsten at 419-631-7029 or ddorsten@bright.net.

Quo Vadis Breakfast, pronounced "Kwo Vahdees" is Latin, which is translated "Where are You Going?" Quo Vadis is a new group of young adults in the Mercer, Shelby, Darke, and Auglaize area looking to grow in their Catholic faith by gathering for fun, speakers and fellowship. To support this endeavor, they are hosting a free-will donation breakfast at St. Remy Hall in Russia, today, September 15 from 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

BQO Chicken is available at the Osgood Legion Hall today, September 15, beginning at 11 a.m.