

Last Week's Contributions

Sunday Collection: St. Louis: \$3,872.00 St. Nicholas: \$2,771.00
Christmas Collection: St. Louis: \$8,935.00 St. Nicholas: \$7,640.00

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	January 1	No Mass		
Tuesday	January 2	8:00 a.m.	Irene Schlater	North Star
Wednesday	January 3	8:00 a.m.	Maurice, Olivia & Lorys Bohman	Osgood
Thursday	January 4	8:00 a.m.	Alfred Eilerman & Yvette Groff	North Star
Friday	January 5	8:00 a.m.	Joe & Anna Gehret & Family	Osgood
Saturday	January 6	4:30 p.m.	John Pothast & Vernon & Mary Rutschilling & Special Intention	Osgood
Sunday	January 7	8:30 a.m.	Lester Bergman & Albert Hoelscher & Richard Mescher & Mark Niekamp	North Star
		10:30 a.m.	For the Parishioners & Albert & Josephine Meyer	Osgood

ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Babysitters	Gift Bearers
January 7 Sunday 8:30 p.m.	Kaylin Phlipot Madalin Barga Meredith Barga	Joyce Hemmelgarn	W-Joyce Hemmelgarn E-Janice Arling C-Joyce Barga	Sandra Bergman Lauren Bergman Trevor Huber	M/M Chad Klingshirn

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Babysitters	Gift Bearers
January 6 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Olivia DeMange Dean Hemmelgarn Jocelyn Tuente	Renee Gerling	C-Nick Tangeman W-Kelly Grieshop	Jennifer Stammen Heidi Stammen	M/M Darrick Barga
January 7 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Cameron Brunswick Sydney & Clarissa Hutchinson	Emma Brunswick	C-Emma Brunswick W-Brian Heitkamp	Connie Brunswick Cole Brunswick	M/M Ted Barlage

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St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Osgood
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Pastor: Father David L. Zink



December 31, 2017

Eucharistic Adoration

will not be held at St. Nicholas Church
on Monday, January 1 because of New Year's Day.
Adoration will be held at St. Louis Church
on Tuesday, January 2 from 9-5 p.m.
Confessions will be available from 4-5 p.m.
with closing service at 5 p.m.
We ask that your prayer intentions include
Vocations
during the month of January.
Pray for the increase in vocations
to the priesthood and the religious life
in our diocese and throughout the universal church.



<p>St. Louis Catholic Church</p> <p>Confessions Thursdays 7-9 p.m.</p> <p>The Liturgy of the Eucharist</p> <p>Tuesday..... 8:00 a.m. Thursday..... 8:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil 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</p> <p>Wednesday..... 8:00 a.m. Friday 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass..... 8:30 a.m.</p>
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Mass Schedule Change

The weekend Mass schedule will switch at our parishes next weekend, January 6/7 and continue through June 2018.

The 4:30 p.m. and the 10:30 a.m. weekend Masses will be held at St. Nicholas, Osgood and the 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass will be held at St. Louis, North Star.
Confessions will be available at St. Louis, North Star on Saturdays from 9-9:30 a.m. and Thursdays from 7-9 p.m.

The Solemnity of Mary, January 1, is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year as it falls on a Monday. There will not be Mass on Monday, January 1, 2018.

Baptism for Myles James Grillot, son of Richard and Emily Grillot, was held at the 4:30 p.m. Mass at St. Louis Church on December 30. Congratulations to the family!

Baptism for Samuel Louis Condon, son of Jeffrey and Amy Condon, will be held next Sunday, January 7 at the 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Nicholas Church. Congratulations to the family!

St. Louis Parish Pastoral Council will meet on Monday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m. Newly elected council members are asked to attend.

Contribution envelopes for 2018 are available in The Gathering Room at St. Louis Church and in the babysitting area of the basement at St. Nicholas Church. Please pick up at your earliest convenience.

Coffee & Donuts will begin at St. Louis Church on Sunday, January 7 following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Everyone is welcome to the basement following Mass. The St. Anne Sodality is in charge of serving coffee and donuts on that day.

Baptism & Beyond Class will be held Monday, February 12 at 7 p.m. in the St. Louis Church basement. All couples are asked to attend before baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to register.

St. Nicholas Parish Dinner/Dance will be held January 27. If you would like to donate a door prize call Paula Rutschilling at 419-582-2025.

All-Night Vigil for Life will begin on Friday, January 12 with Mass at 7 p.m. at St. Louis Church. The Vigil will continue with all-night Adoration and ending with a closing service at 8 a.m. Please attend Mass and any time throughout the night to stand up for all life!

RCIA and Adult Faith Classes will resume on January 16.

CCD News

Please remember to return your Right-to-Life posters on January 3.

Confirmation for students from both our parishes will be held on Sunday, January 21 at a 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Louis Church. Bishop Joseph Binzer will preside at the Confirmation Mass. The 8:30 a.m. Mass that day will be held at St. Nicholas, Osgood. Fr. Ed Oen will preside at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Darke County Right to Life March for Life Bus Trip will be departing from Versailles K of C on January 18. The bus will arrive in D.C. and attend the rally and Mass on January 19 and arrive back home on January 20. The price is \$70. Any youth 15 and under must be accompanied by an adult. To hold your seat on the bus call Jake at 419-336-1034. Can't go but still want to donate? Send donation to Jake DeMange, PO Box 65, North Star, OH 45350.

North Star Legion Auxiliary cookbooks are available for purchase for \$10 each. Cookbooks are available at Overtime Insurance in North Star or call Cathy at 419-336-5602.

Grief Support Group will meet at Precious Blood Rectory in Chickasaw on Tuesdays January 2-March 27. To register or for information call Herb Wilker at 419-953-5398.

Grief Support Group will meet at St. Henry CCD Center on Tuesdays, January 9-April 3 from 3:30-5 p.m. For more information call Pat at 419-678-4118.

First Saturday Devotions will be held at St. Charles Center on January 6 at 2 p.m.

Recycling Drive will be held January 6 from 9-11 a.m. at the Osgood Park. Cancellations are aired on WCSM or their website or call Jude at 419-582-2554.

Catholic Adult Singles Club will go to the winery in Versailles on January 6. For more information call 419-678-8691.

Would you like to grow in a closer relationship with Christ and the Blessed Mother? New Schoenstatt classes will begin January 7 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Chapel in Ft. Loramie. Any questions call 9397-295-2891. New classes will also begin on January 16 at 6:30 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Church in Botkins. Any question call 937-693-2753.

Valentine's Dinner for engaged and married couples will be held January 13 at St. Remy Hall in Russia. Doors open at 6 p.m. with dinner and a speaker to follow. For tickets (\$40 per couple) call 937-526-3437. The speaker will be Connie Brunswick from Osgood. She will speak on "Marriage: the Three of Us--Husband, Wife, Holy Spirit." Her real-life experiences of trials and triumphs will lead you to an understand the need for prayer and laughter in marriage.

Osgood Jolly 4-H Club will have their first meeting of the year on January 14 at 7 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Church basement. New members are welcome. For more information contact Patty Meiring at 419-582-2049 or Courtney Schemmel at 419-852-6540.

St. Denis Knights of Columbus of Versailles Free Throw Contest will be held on Sunday, January 14 at 5 p.m. in the elementary gym at Versailles Schools. Boys and girls age 9-14 are eligible to participate. Winners advance to the district contest. Contact Travis Wilker 419-336-5405 with questions.

Osgood Town is recycling caps and lids to make benches to be placed around town. Please put your clean caps and lids in the bucket at the post office. There is more information on flyers at the post office. The program will continue all year.

Happy New Years to you!