

**Last Week's Contributions**

Sunday Collection: St. Louis: \$3,217.00 St. Nicholas: \$2,112.00

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	February 12	No Mass		
Tuesday	February 13	8:00 a.m.	Evers & Henry Families	North Star
		8:00 a.m.	Ash Wednesday Liturgy of the Word	Osgood
		5:30 p.m.	Ralph & Alma Grilliot & Lorys Bohman	Osgood
Wednesday	February 14	7:30 p.m.	Joann Bensman	North Star
		8:00 a.m.	Jake Stammen	North Star
Thursday	February 15	8:00 a.m.	Pleiman & Drees Families	Osgood
Friday	February 16	4:30 p.m.	For the Parishioners & Jerry Langenkamp	Osgood
Saturday	February 17	8:30 a.m.	Eugene Barga & Othor & Dorothy Barga & Bill & Emily Brackman & Vernon Gehret & Zach Kelch & Mark Niekamp	North Star
		10:30 a.m.	Dan Rindler	Osgood

**ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Babysitters	Gift Bearers
February 14 Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Brandon & Dominic Hemmelgarn Grant Barga	Kimberly Winner	W-Kimberly Winner E-Connie Grilliot C-Ryan Langenkamp	None	
February 18 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Alex Kaiser Caleb Kaiser Luke Kaiser	Kate Stammen	W-Louis Grilliot E-Kate Stammen C-Gregg Hemmelgarn	Paula Rammel Tanner Rammel Marissa McClurg	Mrs. Phyllis Krieg

**ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Babysitters	Gift Bearers
February 14 Wednesday 5:30 p.m.	Lauren Kramer Natalie Kramer Marcus Berger	Shirley Albers	C-Carla Schutz W-Lisa Schulze	None	
Way of Cross Friday Feb. 16 7 p.m.	Cole Brunswick Jocelyn Tuente				
February 17 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Isaac Bertke Ethan Bertke Nathan Mescher	Lori Albers	C-Kylie Albers W-Amy Schoen	Tonia Kramer Lauren Kramer	M/M Jon Bergman
February 18 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Josh Kuether Claira Mueller Titus Gehret	Diane Wenning	C-Margie Wenning W-Julie Winner	Paula Rutschilling Alex Mangen	Mrs. Karen Bergman

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**St. Louis Catholic Church, North Star**  
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**February 11, 2018**



**Lent begins this Wednesday, Ash Wednesday, February 14**  
**The schedule that day is as follows:**  
8 a.m. - Liturgy of the Word at St. Nicholas Church, Osgood  
5:30 p.m. - Mass at St. Nicholas Church, Osgood  
7:30 p.m. Mass at St. Louis Church, North Star



**Stations of the Cross** will be held on Friday evenings  
at 7 p.m. during Lent.  
On Friday, February 16 stations will be held at  
St. Nicholas Church, Osgood.

**Lent Reminders:**  
Ash Wednesday, February 14 and Good Friday, March 30  
are days of abstinence from meat and also days of fasting.  
That is limited to a single full meal.  
The other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat.  
The law of abstinence binds all Catholics age 14 and older.  
The law of fasting binds all Catholics from their 18th birthday  
until their 59th birthday.



<p><b>St. Louis Catholic Church</b></p> <p><b>Confessions</b> Thursdays 7-9 p.m. Saturdays 9-9:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>The Liturgy of the Eucharist</b> Tuesday..... 8:00 a.m. Thursday..... 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass..... 8:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>St. Nicholas Catholic Church</b></p> <p><b>The Liturgy of the Eucharist</b> Wednesday..... 8:00 a.m. Friday ..... 8:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil ..... 4:30 p.m. Sunday Mass. .... 10:30 a.m.</p>
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**Reminder:** When the schools are delayed or cancelled there is no morning Mass and also no Eucharistic Adoration (if scheduled) that day.

**Mass Intentions:** There are a few more dates open for Mass intentions at each parish (more openings at St. Nicholas). If you would like to schedule some Mass intentions please call the office.

**VIRTUS:** There is new content online for those of us who are required to stay current on bulletins. Please log in and submit your answer to any bulletins you are behind. Thank you for all you do for the safety of our kids.

**The altar bouquet** at St. Nicholas this weekend is donated in memory of Rita Drees and Louis Schemmel.

**There are booklets for Lent** available at the entrance of each church. Please pick up a copy for your Lenten prayers.

**The collection on Ash Wednesday** goes to help support the church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donations are greatly appreciated by those in need. Thank you in advance.

**Coffee & Donuts** will be held following the 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Louis Church. Everyone is welcome to the basement following Mass. Parish Pastoral Council is in charge of serving coffee and donuts next Sunday, February 18.

**St. Louis Cemetery Board** will hold their annual meeting on Monday, February 12 at 6:30 p.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** St. Louis Parish is looking for someone to pray from noon-1 p.m. each first Tuesday of the month during Eucharistic Adoration. Call the office at 419-582-2531 if you can help during this time.

**Ladies Day Retreat**...Jeanne Hunt will be here on Saturday March 10! Please sign up at the entrances of your church by March 1 so we can get a count for lunch.

**Baptism & Beyond Class** will be held tomorrow, 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. The next class will be held June 25.

**RCIA and Adult Faith Classes** will not be held on February 13. We will continue next Tuesday, February 20.

**Thank you to the 2018 St. Nicholas parish dance committee!** The evening was enjoyed by all in attendance. The 2019 committee is: Jason & Jenny Bruns-chair couple, Rick & Lisa Schulze-co-chair couple, Brian and Janis Bohman, Jay & Michelle Poepelman and Jonathan & Nicole Keller.

**St. Vincent de Paul truck** will be in the St. Nicholas Church parking lot on March 9-11. Clean out your closets and help those less fortunate.

**CCD News**  
 There will be no CCD this Wednesday, February 14 due to Ash Wednesday.



The 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal is going on throughout the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. The funds collected from this appeal support these local ministries: Catholic Charities & Social Services, St. Rita School for the Deaf, Seminary & Vocations, Campus, Hospital & Prison Ministries, Retired Priests, and New Evangelization.

St. Nicholas Parish has a goal of \$6,367 and St. Louis Parish has a goal of \$8,494 this year. Please prayerfully complete your pledge card and return it in the envelope provided or bring to Mass. For more information visit [CatholicAppeal.info](http://CatholicAppeal.info).

**The family of Lenore Otte** would like to thank Fr. Zink, the choir, the servers, the communion distributor and everyone who helped with the funeral Mass. Thanks also to all those who helped prepare and serve the luncheon.

**Blankets for the Needy project** will be held on February 20 and 27 and March 13 and 20 in the St. Louis Church basement from 9-3. Come and help knot blankets at your convenience and bring a sack lunch if staying all day. Enjoy the fellowship while helping the needy.

**Versailles K of C will be hosting speaker Dan Burke**, the founder and president of the Avila Foundation on Saturday, March 24. Dan is an award winning author on Catholic spirituality, the Executive Director of and writer for EWTN's National Catholic Register, a regular co-host on Register Radio and has been featured on numerous EWTN programs and radio programs. All tickets bought before February 13 will be entered into a raffle. Tickets are \$20 and are available by contacting Jake DeMange at 419-336-1034.

**Maria Stein Shrine** will present "Prayers for the Heart" today, Sunday, February 11 at 2 p.m. Join this prayer service and pray to St. John, the patron saint of heart health.

**Celebrate Fat Tuesday**, February 13, at the Maria Stein Shrine with a pancake dinner. Dinner begins at 5:30 and the cost \$8 for adults and \$4 for children. RSVP to 419-925 4532 today!

**Versailles Knights of Columbus Mission Breakfast** will be held today, Sunday, February 11 at the K of C Hall from 8-12:30. The proceeds will benefit the missions of Puerto Escondido and the Sisters of Charity. Come and enjoy sausage, pancakes and eggs while supporting these missions.

**Radio Maria Brunch Buffet** will be held Sunday, February 18 from 9-1 at Speedway Lanes in New Bremen. Meal cost is \$9.99 for adults and \$5.99 for ages 3-10. (Radio Maria WHJM 88.7 FM)

**Catholic Adult Singles Club** will attend Way of the Cross in Maria Stein and have dinner following on February 18. For more information contact Eileen at 419-678-8691.

**Full of Grace Women's Conference "Growing Fruitful Friendships"** will be held February 24 from 9-2 at St. Bernard's Church, Burkettsville featuring Michele Faehnle and Emily Jaminet, authors. The day consists of Mass, light breakfast, talks, friendship, prayer and lunch. The cost is \$30 per person. To register or for more information call Marleen Evers at 419-375-2475.

**North Star Community Blood Drive**, sponsored by the Legion Auxiliary will be held February 24 from 8-11 a.m. at the Community Center. Appointments are encouraged. Contact Marlene Wilker at 419-305-0956 or go to [www.donortime.com](http://www.donortime.com) for more information.

**Osgood Park** is now taking summer rentals. If interested call Nadine or Alan Wendel at 419-582-4502.

**Marion Community Baseball programs** sign-up for boys currently in grades K through 8 living in or attending the Marion Local school district at [marioncommunitybaseball.com](http://marioncommunitybaseball.com). Students and adults can sign up to play, umpire, be a committee member, be a head or an assistant coach, etc.

**Marion Local Band Boosters Pizza Sale** orders can be placed with any band or choir member between February 2-19 . Orders can be picked up on March 24.