## Last Week's Contributions

Sunday Collection:

St. Louis: \$3,012.76 St. Nicholas: \$1,566.00

Weekly Mass Schedule					
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention Chur		
Monday	September 25		No Mass		
Tuesday	September 26	8:00 a.m.	Yvette Groff	North Star	
Wednesday	September 27	8:00 a.m.	Lorys Bohman	Osgood	
Thursday	September 28	8:00 a.m. Louis Keiser & Lavern Heitkamp & Family		North Star	
Friday	September 29	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Glen Perin & Wuebker & Grieshop Families		
Saturday	September 30	4:30 p.m.	Andy Hemmelgarn & Paul & Helen DeMange & N Special Intention - CC		
Sunday	October 1	8:30 a.m.	For the Parishioners & Marcella Heitkamp & Jutte & Tuente Families	Osgood	
		10:30 a.m.	Ralph & Alice Mangen - 60 Year Anniversary & Irene Schlater & Family	North Star	

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	Servers	Lectors	Euch. Ministers	Babysitters	Gift Bearers
September 30 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Lincoln Winner Kimberly Winner Lewis Winner	Eric Mescher	W-Teresa Grilliot E-Lisa Winner C-Eric Mescher	Caron Groff Jayden Groff Elizabeth May	M/M Jeremy Hiestand
October 1 Sunday 10:30 am	Margret McGlinch Dalton Hesson Deanna Hesson	Dan Kremer	W-Janice Arling E-David Barga C-Marlene Bergman	Kelly Luthman Carter Luthman Tanner Rammel	M/M Matt Hiestand

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October 1 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Cole Brunswick Josh Brunswick Ayden Bergman	Shirley Albers	C-Hallie Mills W-Brittany Pleiman	Becky Hemmelgarn Dean Hemmelgarn	M/M Steven Winner



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September 24, 2017

In Memoriam:

## **Nicholas Poeppelman** of St. Nicholas Parish

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

Amen.



St. Louis Catholic Church	St. Nicholas Catholic Church Confessions Saturdays 9-9:30 a.m.		
<b>Confessions</b> Thursdays 7-9 p.m.			
The Liturgy of the Eucharist   Tuesday	The Liturgy of the EucharistWednesday		



Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic Faith? Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) classes are being held on Tuesday evenings at St. Louis Church at 7 p.m. The discussions will be on the Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend these informative sessions. The session on Tuesday, September 26 will be on Our Father's Plan.

Attention Extraordinary Distributors of Holy Communion: We are going to try to have the distributors use some hand sanitizer before distributing communion. Please use the sanitizer available on the server's table as you walk up to distribute. Thank you.



Any adults or juniors or seniors interested in being a lector or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion at St. Nicholas Parish? Training will be held at St. Nicholas Parish on September 27 at 8:30 p.m. Please call or e-mail the office if you would like to be trained.

Respect Life Sunday is celebrated next Sunday. Please use the envelope in your packet to donate to this most worthy cause. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

October Mass Attendance Count: Ushers will be counting Mass attendance to report to the Archdiocese during the month of October. Try to attend Mass at our parishes during this month.

Interested in being an usher at St. Nicholas Parish during 2018? There are signup sheets in the entrances of the church. Please sign up by November 19 if you can help with this during 2018.

St. Nicholas is in need of funeral choir members – both women and men. Most of the music is familiar so you just have to blend in. You will not be required to sing any solos. Please consider this worthwhile ministry which is perfect for retired people or younger parishioners as well. Call Linda at 419-582-4591 for more details.

Coffee & Donuts are being held at St. Nicholas Church following the 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass and will run throughout October. All are welcome to the basement following Mass. St. Barbara Sodality is in charge of serving the coffee and donuts next Sunday, October 1.

St. Louis Basement Committee for October, November and December are: Chair lady-Carol Schmitmeyer, Teresa Grilliot, Jennifer DeMange, Jessica Langenkamp, Deb Hemmelgarn (Tim), Elaine Marchal, Rachael Bruns and Pamela Depweg.

Baptism & Beyond class will be held Monday, October 16 at 7 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Church basement. All couples are asked to attend before baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to register.

St. Louis Parish Dinner & Game Night will be held Saturday, October 21 at the North Star Community Center. Doors will open at 5:30 and dinner will be at 6 p.m. Adult tickets are \$6, school age students \$3 and age 4 and under are free. Tickets will be sold following Masses next weekend and the two weekends following.

## CCD News

St. Louis Preschool begins today, September 24. To register your child call Jamie McClurg at 419-336-1019 or Christy Gehret at 419-582-2860. St. Nicholas Preschool begins October 1. There are registration forms available at the entrance of the church. Please return the form and your fees for your children ages 4-K. St. Louis Parent Reconciliation meeting will be Wednesday, October 4 at 8:30 p.m. St. Nicholas Parent Reconciliation meeting will be Wednesday, October 25 at 8:30 p.m.



St. Maria's Produce Stand: Our parishes are operating a produce stand for the benefit of the poor. The stand is located on the corner of SR 705 and US 127 (Happy Corner Garage). 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 will be open each Saturday throughout the rest of the summer from

9 a.m. to noon. Proceeds and leftovers are given to St. Vincent Hotel in Dayton.

**Thank you** to those who donated casseroles for those less fortunate at St. Vincent de Paul Hotel. They greatly appreciate the casseroles.

Bottles for Babies! is an event to help raise money for the lifesaving work of Elizabeth's New Life Center. St. Nicholas CCD students will compete to see which class gets a pizza party for earning the most money. Students will receive bottles at CCD on October 4. Other parishioners can pick up a bottle starting October 1 after 8:30 a.m. Mass and fill it with coins, cash and checks (made out to ENLC). Bottles must be be returned by October 22. All proceeds will be used to help save lives of unborn babies. ENLC provides positive solutions to unexpected pregnancies by offering free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, prenatal care, classes and assistance. It costs ENLC \$500 to save the life of one baby. Please contact Connie Brunswick at 937-623-3565 with any questions.

Versailles K of C will be having a Pork Loin Dinner on Sunday, October 8 from 11-1. For tickets (\$7) contact Travis Wilker at 419-336-5405. Proceeds will go to the Darke County Right to Life to defray costs of the March for Life trip in January.

If you are 55 or older and looking for fellowship and entertainment you are welcome to the New Bremen Senior Citizens. They are meeting on September 27 at 6 p.m. at 700 E. Monroe Street in New Bremen. There will be entertainment and a meal. The meat will be provided for the meal but please bring a covered dish. Any questions contact Ed or Sue Heuker at 419-629-2206. Euchre is played at the Center on Sunday and Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. and Thursdays at 2 p.m. Anyone 18 or older can play.

Marion Local Schools is seeking a part time Groundskeeper. To apply contact Lynn Will at 419-925-4294 or willl@marionlocal.org.

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- 1. Go to Formed.org
- 2. First time users, click on Register and type in the parish access code 0385a0 and your e-mail address to create your account.
- 3. Returning users, log in top right with your username/email and password.



Wednesday, September 27 is the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul

He was a priest who dedicated his life to serve the poor.