

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	May 24		No Mass	
Tuesday	May 25	8 a.m.	Michael Sextro	North Star
Wednesday	May 26	8 a.m.	Joan Langenkamp & Kate Simons & Dan Lyons	Osgood
Thursday	May 27	6:15 p.m.	Cletus Dirksen & Ivo Heitkamp	North Star
Friday	May 28	8 a.m.	Eugene Mescher	Osgood
Saturday	May 29	4:30 p.m.	Jason Frey	Osgood
Sunday	May 30	8:30 a.m.	For the Parishioners of St. Louis & St. Nicholas Churches	North Star
		10:30 a.m.	Frank & Mary Ann Arling & Urban, Marlene & David Zumberger	Osgood

**ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers
May 27 Thursday 6:15 p.m.	Angie Ruhenkamp	Angie Ruhenkamp
May 30 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Dave Hemmelgarn	W- Joyce Hiestand E- Therese Borchers C- Dave Hemmelgarn

**ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
May 29 Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Renee Gerling	C- Amy Dirksen W- Christy Eilerman
May 30 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Teresa Grieshop	C- Teresa Grieshop W- Allyson Franck

**Want to stream movies through your Internet service?**

To register go to [nsoregion.formed.org](http://nsoregion.formed.org) and sign up.



**St. Louis Catholic Church, North Star**  
**St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Osgood**  
 P.O. Box 9, Osgood, OH 45351  
 419-582-2531  
 Website: [nsoregion.org](http://nsoregion.org)  
 E-mail: [stlouis.stnicholasoffice@gmail.com](mailto:stlouis.stnicholasoffice@gmail.com)  
**Pastor: Rev. David G. Howard, JCL**



**May 23, 2021**

**Lifting of Dispensation from Mass:**

Together, the Bishops of Ohio have decided that the general obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation (including the Saturday/Vigil Mass) is to be reinstated.

This will take effect the weekend of June 5-6, 2021.

As has always been the case, those who have a serious reason are exempt from attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.



*"There is nothing so great as the Eucharist. If God had something more precious, He would have given it to us."*

-Saint John Vianney

## St. Louis Catholic Church

### Confessions

Thursdays 7-9 p.m.

### Masses

Tuesdays - 8 a.m.

Thursdays - 6:15 p.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.

**The altar bouquet** at St. Nicholas Church this weekend is donated in memory of Virgil Bergman.

**Baptism & Beyond Class** will be held June 21 at 7 p.m. in the St. Louis Church basement. All couples are to attend before baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to register.

**Prayer Chain:** If you have someone to put on the prayer chain call the office or call Marianne Brunswick at 419-582-3535.

**There will be no Ritual Mass for the Anointing of the Sick** on June 5. For the celebration of the Anointing of the Sick please call the parish office.

**New schedules** are available for St. Nicholas and St. Louis lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at the entrance of the church. **Only those who are on the current roster are permitted to serve as a substitute.**

**Planting your garden?** Plant an extra row for St. Maria's Produce Stand to help those less fortunate.

**Memorial Day Mass** will be held at St. Nicholas Church on Monday, May 31 at 9 a.m.



**RCIA** **RCIA: Are You Interested in the Catholic Faith?** In the fall our parishes will begin a new journey in faith to share the richness of the Catholic Church and our parish family. We invite you to learn what the Church teaches, and be introduced to some of our parish members. These sessions also are opportunities for you, and others that you may wish to invite, to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. These gatherings are for inquirers and are open to people who are unbaptized, as well as those who are baptized Christians from Protestant or Evangelical backgrounds. Give us a call if you have questions or would like further information at 419-582-2531.



Today we celebrate **Pentecost Sunday**.

*It commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus following His resurrection. It is often referred to as the "birthday of the Church".*

## Vacation Bible School



**St. Louis Bible School:** *Splash Canyon-God's Promise on Life's Wild Ride* is June 7-10 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Call or text Mindy at 937-417-5484 with questions.

**St. Nicholas Bible School:** *Climb Aboard Rocky Railway* with us on June 7-10 from 9-11:30 a.m. in the church basement. If you still need to sign up please call Amy Schoen at 419-582-2150. If anyone would like to help or give a donation contact Amy.

**St. Louis First Communion** pictures/DVDs are ready for pick up in the second grade classroom.

**VIRTUS** has a new bulletin. Please update your account if you are required to do so. Thank you.

**North Star Legion Memorial Day Service** will be held on today, May 23 at 1 p.m. at the Community Center.



**Archdiocese of Cincinnati Marian Pilgrimage** continues its way throughout the archdiocese. Join us on Saturday, May 29 at 4:30 p.m. for a family friendly event at Chaminade Julianne Catholic High School for Mass with Archbishop Schnurr and a Concert featuring WAL. Tickets are required. For more information, visit [www.mary2021.org](http://www.mary2021.org) or join the Marian Pilgrimage Facebook group.

**St. Joseph Pilgrimage:** This hour-long guided meditation will lead pilgrims on a spiritual journey through the building and grounds of the Maria Stein Shrine, focusing on the life and witness of St. Joseph. There will be time for personal reflection and group discussion at each stop. Tuesday, June 8 at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 10 at 7 p.m. and Saturday, June 12 at 11 a.m. All three dates will feature the same pilgrimage. The event is free and open to the public.

**Beacons of Light:** One of the primary goals is to move "from maintenance to mission." It is easy to get into maintenance mode, doing things the way they've always been done, even when doing so holds us back from spreading the Gospel as well as we should. When we move from maintenance to mission, our parishes will be alive in faith, filled with vitality, ready to form us as people who radiate Christ at home, in our neighborhoods and workplace, towns and cities, and in the world. For more information visit <http://catholicaoc.org/beacons>.

### Contributions

For those members who would like to continue to financially participate in their support, but do not yet feel comfortable to participate at Mass, parish envelopes may be dropped off at the Osgood State Bank, in their night deposit at any time, or mailed to:  
The Pastoral Center, P.O. Box 9, Osgood, Ohio 45351.

### Contributions

St. Louis Sunday: \$2,406.10

St. Nicholas Sunday: \$2,467.00

**Thank you to those who are continuing their weekly contribution to our parishes!**