

Weekly Mass Schedule				
Day of Week	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Church
Monday	Mar. 29		No Mass	
Tuesday	Mar. 30	8 a.m.	Raymond Allard	North Star
Wednesday	Mar. 31	8 a.m.	Joan Langenkamp & Eugene Mescher & Pleiman & Drees Families	Osgood
Thursday	April 1	7:30 p.m.	Leo & Esther Abels & Gerald Dirksen & Mike Miller & Dan Lyons	Osgood
Friday	April 2	1 p.m.	Good Friday Service	Osgood
Saturday	April 3	8:45 p.m.	Paul Jones	North Star
Sunday	April 4	8:30 a.m.	For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas & St. Louis Churches	North Star
		10:30 a.m.	John Pothast Family	Osgood

ST. LOUIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers
April 3 Saturday 8:45 p.m.	Marcie Stammen Scott Smith	W-Linda Wehrkamp E-Marcie Stammen C-Julie Ruchty
April 4 Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Emily Selhorst	W-Jane Selhorst E-Lisa Winner C- Janice Arling

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
April 1 Thursday 7:30 p.m.	Shirley Albers	C-Shelly Poepelman W-Olivia Pohlman
April 2 Friday 1 p.m.	Diane Wenning Lori Albers	C-Shri Raffel W-Amy Schoen
April 4 Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Teresa Grieshop	C-Teresa Grieshop W-Stephanie Pohlman

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To register go to nsoregion.formed.org and sign up.



St. Louis Catholic Church, North Star
St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Osgood
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Pastor: Rev. David G. Howard, JCL



March 28, 2021



Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday Mass - April 1 - 7:30 p.m.
at St. Nicholas, Osgood

Good Friday Service - April 2 - 1:00 p.m.
at St. Nicholas, Osgood

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass - April 3 - 8:45 p.m.
at St. Louis, North Star

Easter Sunday - April 4
8:30 a.m. at St. Louis, North Star
10:30 a.m. at St. Nicholas, Osgood

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.

Spiritual Communion

(If you are unable to receive Holy Communion during this time, you can make this Prayer of Spiritual Communion, a source of grace in the midst of difficulty.)

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

**Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.**

**I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.**



In Memoriam:

Gerald Dirksen,

a member of St. Nicholas Parish,

whose Mass of Christian Burial will be on Saturday, May 1.

Eternal rest grant unto them O, Lord.

Update from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati: The current dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Day Mass obligation likewise extends to the Easter Duty until such time as the dispensation is lifted. As always, any parishioners in a state of grave sin is urged to avail themselves of Confession at the soonest opportunity.

Fast and Abstinence: Good Friday, April 2, is a day of abstinence from meat and also a day of fast, that is, limited to a single full meal. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years and older. The law of fasting binds all Catholics from their 18th birthday until their 59th birthday.

There will be no confessions on Thursday, April 1 or Saturday, April 3.

There are lists of homebound, those in the service and religious at the entrance of the churches if you would like to send Easter greetings.

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.

Kindergarten CCD will be held at both parishes on Wednesday April 7, 14 and 21 from 7-8:25 p.m.

St. Louis Basement Committee for the months of April, May and June 2021: Chair- Lisa Langenkamp, Jennifer DeMange, Linda Buschur, Amy Reis, Jane Schlater, Marcy Roll, Denise Kunk and Betsy Wagner

Parish Office will be closed on Friday, April 2 and Monday, April 5.

Annual Cleanup of St. Martin Cemetery will be the week of March 29. All items not attached to footer or stone will be disposed of. When putting new items out please put loved ones name on it so if it blows off we can replace it. Thank you.

Bulletin Board Reminder: Please check with the office before hanging anything on the bulletin boards at our churches.

Lighthouse Catholic Media CD feature of the week at St. Louis: **In God We Trust: Religious Liberty - Your First Amendment Right.** During these challenging times there is a critical need to focus on defending our religious liberty as stated in the First Amendment of the United States Constitution. These presentations show us that protection of religious freedom is fundamental for Catholics, as well as for people of all faiths. Listen and return or \$3 donation.

Catholic Century Farm Awards for 2020 and 2021 registration deadline is April 30. Applications can be found online at the Catholic Social Action website.

Osgood Volunteer Fire Department Soup and Raffle is today from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Osgood Legion.

North Star Legion Easter Egg Hunt will be held at the Community Center on Saturday, April 3 at 1 p.m.

Maria Stein Legion Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, April 3 at 2 p.m.

First Saturday Rosary at Holy Family Church, Frenchtown, on Saturday, April 3 at 10 a.m. All are welcome to attend!

Night at the Races fundraiser on Saturday, May 1. Doors open at 5:45 p.m. at the North Star Community Center, proceeds will benefit youth programs and community initiatives. Join us for a night of appetizers, beverages, horse racing, and other games of chance! Email kathleendeland@gmail.com for tickets.

Darke County Right to Life will have roses available on Mother's Day for a donation after each Mass on May 8 and 9. If you would like a dozen or more please call 419-336-5550 or email dcrigh2life@gmail.com.

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: \$2,666

St. Nicholas Sunday: \$2,371

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