



St. Nicholas Catholic Church

With St. Ann Shrine

November 24, 2019

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Announcements and Upcoming Events



TO ALL PARISHIONERS CELEBRATING in **NOVEMBER !!!**



Ladies Sodality put together this past Saturday their Thanksgiving Baskets for the families. Thanks to all that donated canned goods and monetary gifts. Your generosity was very well appreciated.



Sunday, December 1
5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Assumption Parish Center
4725 Mattis Road
St. Louis, MO 63128

Features: Italian Dinner, Catered by Giuseppe's
Guest Speaker: Fr. Art Cavitt
Pastor, St. Nicholas Parish (Assumption's Sister Parish)
Chief Staff Officer for Archdiocesan Office of Black Catholic Ministry

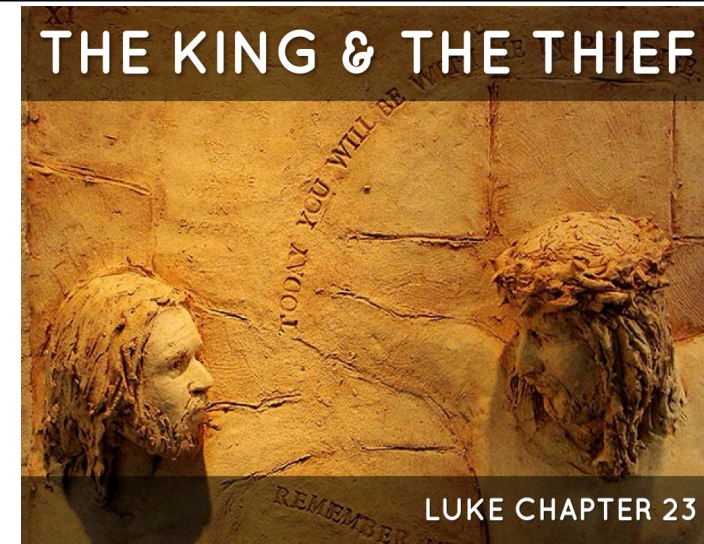
Ladies of St. Nicholas will be hosted by the Ladies of Assumption!

Please fill out the form from Fr. Art and return to him a.s.a.p. if you plan to attend

Supports Assumption Youth Ministry



Sr. Mary Ann of the Benedictine Sisters of the Divine Will, and nurse practitioner at UMSL has called us through Archdiocesan referral to contact her for anyone wishing to attend a structured 8 week session on Natural Family Planning. Her number is **314-814-9980**.



Rev. Arthur J. Cavitt, Pastor
arthurcavitt@archstl.org

Pastoral Staff
Deacon Stanley Peterson (Retired)
Darlene Elston— Religious Education

Music Ministry Coordinators
Irene Franklin, John Reed

Fourth Sunday- Friends and Family Sunday
Blessing of Grandparents in honor of
Sts. Ann & Joachim
Friends and Family Fellowship after Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Please see Fr. Cavitt or call the Rectory for an appointment.

Skating Hours
Monday, 8:00 p.m.—11:00 p.m. (Adults only)
Call the Parish Office for hall rental.

Food Pantry
Monday (except holidays), 12:00 p.m.-1:30 p.m.
701 N. 18th St.
Serving Zip Codes 63101, 63102, 63103, 63106, & 63155

Two forms of ID to confirm residency are necessary.
The Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program
is an equal opportunity provider.

Tuesday, 9:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.
1414 N. Taylor
Serving Zip Codes 63108, 63113, 63115

701 N. 18th Street
Saint Louis, Missouri. 63103
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Email: stnickscatholicchurch@gmail.com

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Sunday Mass
10:30 a.m.

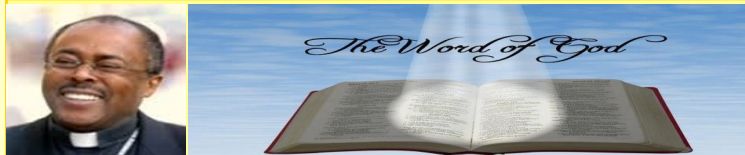
Scheduled Weekday Masses
Holy Days of Obligation 12:15 p.m.
July 18 thru 27 during Novena, 12:15 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Parking available on Sundays and special events on the lot at the north-west corner of 19th and Lucas. Entrance is on 19th Street.

St. Nicholas Catholic Church Mission Statement

We, the community of believers of St. Nicholas Catholic Church are called by GOD to give living witness to the saving power of Jesus offered freely to all humanity. We are empowered by the Holy Spirit and sent into the world to recreate the face of the earth. In the light and the truth of the Gospel message, we are committed to: Grow in our faith, participate in and support our Church, to reach beyond ourselves to meet the needs of others who seek to better their lives by unashamedly living our Catholic Faith.

Pastor's Corner



Dear People of God,

We have been lifting our parishioner Sylvester Raymond in prayer through his journey for some time. There were Sundays when we would worship with him in church until he was no longer able to attend. We prayed for him last Sunday and after Communion noted the Thanksgiving Day project. He passed away late Tuesday night. Arrangements have been made for donation of his body to science. His family requests a Memorial Mass here in January. The date has yet to be confirmed with them. We will announce it publicly when it is set. Eternal rest grant unto him and let perpetual light shine upon him. Please remember his family in your prayers as well as the upcoming Thanksgiving dinner at St. Matthew, the flyers of which still displayed his name.

Your pastor and brother in Christ,

Fr. Art

Mass Intentions

You are invited to submit Mass Intentions to the Parish Office or to Fr. Art for scheduling. Only one submission is accepted for each Mass. The submission should include **\$10.00** for each Mass Intention. We will list them in the bulletin for that upcoming week.

Sunday, November 24 Helen Sloan and all who work for justice 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, December 1 Taylor LaRue Jones 10:30 a.m.

Stewardship

Financial Summary
For Weeks of November 10, & November 17, 2019

Source	November 10	November 17
Offertory 10:30 am Mass	\$ 1,466.00	\$ 2,572.02
2nd. Collection (All Saints) (Retirement Fund for Religious) & Military Service	\$ 265.00	\$ 30.00
On-Line Giving	\$ 90.00	\$ 50.00
St. Ann Shrine Donation, Gift Shop & Oil	\$ 20.00	\$ 0.00
Human Development	\$ 0.00	\$ 25.00
Book of Life	\$ 20.00	\$ 0.00
Total Offertory & Other	\$ 1,861.00	\$ 2,677.02
Church Mail-in	\$ 433.00	\$ 1,008.00
Skating	\$ 0.00	\$ 419.00
Total Parish Deposit	\$ 2,294.00	\$ 4,104.02



24-November
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10:30 a.m.
Lector: Alice Prince
Lector: Kellie Willis

Eucharistic Ministers: Ella Scott
Lawrence McHaynes
John Fleming
Bill McHugh
Eloise Grimes

Hospitality: Sylvia Deanes
Nan Boone

Commentator: Cantor

Altar Servers: Makel Dailey & Kelvin Boyd Jalen & Kalen Prince

1-December
First Sunday of Advent

10:30 a.m.
Sharonda White
DeAndria Player

Sylvia Deanes
Darlene Elston
Don Elston
Bill McHugh
Albert Washington

Nicole Thompson
Judith McDuffie

Cantor

Advent Wreath Lighting
Tyrone & Ramona Gill & Family



The Archdiocesan Office of Black Catholic Ministries

ST. CHARLES LWANGA CENTER NEWS



Bible Study

After a couple of weeks hiatus, the recent cycle of the Center's Bible Study resumed on **Thursdays, at 1:00 p.m.** at the Center, 4746 Carter Ave., St. Louis, MO 63115. We are praying with and exploring the Book of Psalms. Please bring a Bible. New American Edition is preferred. There is no charge for the sessions. Free will offerings are always welcome. Call the Center for more information if needed at 314-367-7929.



We appreciate everyone who continue to help around the parish by maintaining the building inside and out. A congregation that works together as well as prays together will stay together. God's continual blessing on each and everyone of you. **Stewardship** of your time and talent is greatly appreciated for the maintenance of our parish.



2nd Collection today, November 24th Campaign for Human Development.



Donations are being accepted for Altar Flowers for Christmas! Make checks payable to St. Nicholas. Mark all envelopes including cash donations with your name & "Christmas Flowers".

Your Generosity is Appreciated!



Join us today, **November 24th** for (Friends and Family Sunday) complimentary coffee, juice, donuts, and fruit. All are welcome to fellowship after 10:30 a.m. Mass.

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

Special greetings to our friends and visitors who have come to pray and worship with us today. Whether you are just having a look, or searching for a permanent place to worship, we are glad to have you here. We trust that the worship will be joyful and encouraging to all and hope you find a warm welcoming community here at St. Nicholas Parish.

We would love to follow up with you as well, so please sign our guest book, complete one of the visitors cards and return it to one of the ushers.

Thank You... And may the Blessings of God be with you.

Church Announcements



Our church is now offering online giving. All households receiving regular church envelopes should have already received information in the postal mail about this option. Feel free to view the link on our website: www.stnickscatholicchurch.com.

Covenant Cards are in back of church. Please consider how you will continue or enhance your commitment of stewardship to our parish.



For enrollment in the Book of Life please see instructions and forms on the appropriate stand by the St. Ann Shrine. Please note that the Book is for enrollment of the names of the deceased for perpetual prayer.

Please feel free to offer Mass Intentions for the living and deceased through instructions under the Pastor's Corner.



To light candles across from the St. Ann Shrine is **\$4.00**. To purchase a candle it is **\$5.00**, please see one of the church ministers.

Place your money in an envelope and insert it in the canister stand across from the chapel. Candles on the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Altar are lit for **\$1.00**. The canister is in that area on the Altar.

Sick, Elderly, Home Bound & Prayer Requests

Kenecia Allen
Phyllis Allen
Robert Anderson
Charlean Armstead
Eunice Atkinson
Kate Baldi
Vera Baird
Anne Brown
Angela Cherry-Carr
Shirley Cherry
Virginia Cavitte
Brenda Cole
Tyrone Gill
Gregory Jenkins
Reign Brown-Jones
Queen Jones
Katie Johnson
Lucinda Kaid
Peggy Ledoux



Judith McDuffie
Stanley Peterson
Rev. Robert Reiker
Pamela Randall
Derrick & Marilyn Ross
Janie Shockley
Irma Stallings
Doris & Walter Tobias
Brenda Ulmer
Carol Wallace
Albert Washington
Mildred Washington
Mary & Herbert Wheeler
Advertis Williams
Juanita Williams
Carole Willis

Please continue to pray for the sick, elderly, homebound, nursing home residents, and all of the vulnerable throughout our community.