

**This Week's Events:**  
**TUESDAY:** 7 AM Mass  
 7 PM Healing Mass with Fr. Jim  
**WEDNESDAY:** 6 PM Faith Formation  
**THURSDAY:** 7 AM Mass  
**FRIDAY:** 6 PM Mass with adoration and Prayer Group to follow

**St. Nicholas, Celebrating 150 years!**

Please Save Your Aluminum Cans & Drop Them in the Receptacle in the Parking Lot. TY!

SUNDAY GIVING September 9, 2018			
Building Fund	\$ 3.00	1	# of Envelopes from Generous Families
Children	\$ 0.00	0	# of Envelopes from Generous Kids
Adult Envelope & Plate	\$ 1,660.00	38	# of Envelopes from Generous Families
Collected Year to Date	\$ 22,636.44		
Budgeted Year to Date	\$ 26,504.50		
Under Budget	\$ -3,868.06		

**Counters for September 23, 2018**  
**Stephanie Svoboda & John Turek**

**LOVE INC**  
*In the Name of Christ*

**Current Needs:** New bath towels & wash cloths, queen sheet sets, chest of drawers, dressers, twin mattresses, and twin box springs. Donations can be dropped off at FurniShare located at 7890 Market Boulevard in Chanhassen anytime Wednesday – Friday, 10 am – 4 pm, or Saturday 9 am – noon.

**Mass Intentions**

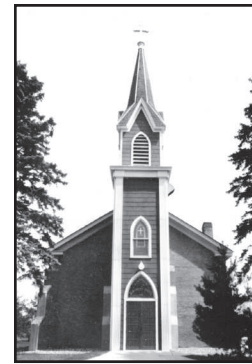
Sept 21	6 PM	†Edwin Schommer
Sept 22	4 PM	Living & Deceased Members of St. Nicholas
	7 PM	†Clarence & Blanche Dorion
Sept 23	9:15 AM	†Howard & Thelma Erickson
Sept 25	7 AM	†Clarence & Caroline Lenzmeier
Sept 27	7 AM	†Char Turek

Call 952-448-2345 to offer a Mass for \$7

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:	LECTORS:	MASS SERVERS:
Saturday.....September 22	Saturday.....September 22	Saturday.....September 22
4:00 PM.....Cathy Pass Chuck Mahowald	4:00 PM.....Cathy Pass	4:00 PM.....Help Needed Help Needed
7:00 PM.....Jodee Korkowski Kurt Korkowski	7:00 PM.....Kurt Korkowski	7:00 PM.....Krista K. Kyle K.
Sunday.....September 23	Sunday.....September 23	Sunday.....September 23
9:15AM.....Candis Wickenhauser Stephanie Svoboda	9:15AM.....Candis Wickenhauser	9:15AM.....LeLand H. Cole S.

# St. Nicholas Catholic Church

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Thanks to everyone who made our Fall Festival possible!

We are glad to have you here today!  
 If you wish to register at St. Nicholas, please call the church.

## STAFF

### Pastors

Fr. Bill Deziel  
 Fr. Edison Galarza

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### Organist

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Dear brothers and sisters, Mahatma Gandhi said, "Prayer has saved my life. Without it I would have been a lunatic long ago." As we have often reflected here at St. Nicholas, "there is no right or wrong way to pray—simply pray." God will be pleased, we will be helped if we pray in a formal or informal way. When we say informal it includes praying while driving, while the at the gym, while gardening, etc. However, always remember formal prayers like the Mass, spending time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, praying the Rosary, reading from the Bible, etc. should also be an integral part of one's prayer life.

At St. Nicholas we are blessed with an active prayer chain team. If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call Darlene at 952-448-4464.

## Weekend Masses

**Saturday:** 4:00 & 7:00 PM

**Sunday:** 9:15 AM (English) & 10:30 AM (Spanish)  
**Daily Masses**

Rosary ½ hr. before Mass

**Tuesday, Thursday:** 7:00 AM

**Friday:** 6:00 PM

## Adoration

**Every Friday:** 6:30 PM

with prayer group to follow at 7:15 PM  
**1st Friday of each month:** 3:00-6:00 PM

## Reception of the Sacraments

### BAPTISM:

Time and date as requested by the Family - Call for Pre-Baptismal program

### CONFESSION (RECONCILIATION):

Saturdays 3:30-3:50 PM  
 or contact the parish office to schedule an appointment

### MARRIAGE:

Call the parish office to make arrangements

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Anytime, call 952-227-4005

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):**  
 Please call the parish office for more information

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**SEPTEMBER 16, 2018 – TWENTY FOURTH  
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

IS 50:5-9A; PS 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; JAS 2:14-18; MK 8:27-35

**Fall Festival Wrap Up!** We extend a very special thank you to everyone who helped make our Fall Festival possible, especially our festival co-chairs, Tammy Reed and Patty Graham. Tammy and Patty spent countless hours planning, preparing and organizing everything for the weekend. They were also present for the duration of the festival to make sure everything went smoothly! Thank you, Patty & Tammy! We were blessed with many strong arms who make quick work of setting up the tents



and preparing the festival grounds. We could use your help again this Tuesday, September 18 starting at 6 pm to take the tents down. Thanks to Stephanie Svoboda who chaired the 5K fun run on Saturday and the many volunteers who got up early to help



out. As always, our Pancake Breakfast crew, under the direction of Skip Low, came out in full force on Sunday and had a very successful turn out. As a result, we do not have any of our secret recipe sausage left to sell this time. Thanks to Vicky Rademacher who drove our beautiful float in the parade. Thanks to those of you who helped with sorting, organizing and wrapping the many items



donated for the Silent Auction and County Store, as well as those who helped with set up for both of those areas. Thanks to everyone who made donations of candy, soda, water, prizes for the kid's games and so much more. We are very grateful to those of you who came and volunteered to work a shift during the festival. We couldn't have done it without you. If you have or see any of our Fall Festival, Steamer 5K or Pancake Breakfast yard signs, please return them to the church as soon as possible. They can then be cleaned and stored so they'll be available again next year. Mark your calendar now for our Annual Fall Festival next year which will be September 7-8, 2019.

**Raffle Winners!** Thanks to everyone who sold or purchased Raffle tickets this year. We were blessed with 32 prizes valued at over \$1,400! Fr. Deziel drew the winning names at the end of the festival last Sunday. The winners are: Brent Matter, Joe Nickel, Joyce Schwartz, Mike Fahey, Lucy Halloran, Jeff Poppler, Fr. Galarza, Kim Marroquin, Vonnie Rademacher, Aileen Dalton, Marian Moeller, Julie Fahey, Wally & Alice Laureen, Chuck Mahowald, Nancy Hurtado, Mario Montes, Stephanie Landin, Karl Wawrzynak, Karri Symanitz, Scott Rear, Mary Poppler, Cristobal Vivias, Joe Mahowald, Jon Kellen, Khounmy Lanio, Stephanie Svoboda, Pat Amy, William Renne and Linda Hamrick. A few of these lucky winners received more than one prize. Lisa Ess was the winner of the Booze Buggy. Congratulations to all of the winners!

**Healing Mass with Fr. Jim Livingston!** Plan to join us this Tuesday, September 18 for a Healing Mass with Fr. Jim Livingston. All of us are vulnerable; all of us need healing - physical, spiritual, emotional and psychological. Jesus continues to impart his healing through his church and his ministry. If you want to experience that healing power, please join us. Rosary begins at 6:30 PM, with Mass at 7:00 PM. If you can't attend

on this day, Fr. Jim will also preside at a Healing Mass on Tuesday, October 2, at 7:00 PM at St. Michael Catholic Church, 16311 Duluth Ave SE, Prior Lake. Rosary begins at 6:45PM.

**Faith Formation!** The Wednesday night program begins this coming Wednesday, September 19 at 6 PM. The Sunday Faith Formation program will begin next Sunday, September 23 at 9 AM. Faith Formation Registration is still open. Please see the St. Nicholas website under the Education -> Faith Formation tab for the sign-up forms or stop by the Parish Office to complete one. We're also seeking volunteers interested in becoming a catechist or a substitute for classes. Please call Jodee at 952-448-2345 or stop by the Parish Office to learn more.

**GA Fall Festival!** Guardian Angels Church in Chaska invites you to their annual Fall Festival on Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> from 2-9 PM. Activities include Mass at 5:00 PM, a Car Show, Zip Line, Silent Auction, Games, Music, Food, Church Tours and lots more! For more details, visit their website: [www.gachaska.org](http://www.gachaska.org)

**Women's Scripture Study: Jesus Approaches!** Back by popular demand! Join local author and speaker Elizabeth M. Kelly in an 8-week bible study based on her new book 'Jesus Approaches: What Contemporary Women Can Learn about Healing, Freedom & Joy from the Women of the New Testament'. Cost: \$60 per person. To register, click Events at [Rediscover-faith.org](http://Rediscover-faith.org). Questions? Contact Susanna Parent at [parents@archspm.org](mailto:parents@archspm.org) or 651.291.4411. Tuesday mornings, September 18 – November 13. (No session on October 23) 10-11:30 a.m., St. John the Baptist, Savage - Childcare offered.

**Are you thriving or just surviving?** Join us for Living Every Day with Passion & Purpose in Minneapolis! Presented by internationally acclaimed speaker and New York Times bestselling author Matthew Kelly, this event will show you 3 simple ways to live a more vibrant and meaningful life on September 29, 2018 from 7:00 – 10:00 PM at the Minneapolis Convention Center Auditorium. More info at <https://dynamiccatholic.com/events/passion-and-purpose/>.

**Twin Cities Nonviolent!** "Ten days free from violence" is an organizing vision driving a rapidly

expanding group of Twin Cities organizations to mark the 10 days following International Peace Day September 21. Join us September 21-30 to participate in nonviolent activities all around the Twin Cities. Full details on programming scheduled during the 10 days is at [twincitiesnonviolent.org](http://twincitiesnonviolent.org).

**Deacon Discernment Day** – What is the diaconate? For men even remotely interested in the diaconate, single or married, between the ages of 25 and 59, a discernment day with your wife, if applicable, to explore this ministry with Mass, prayer, reflections, Q&A, and a lot of information about deacons, the discernment process, the application process, the formation program, and the integration of Holy Orders with marriage and family. No charge but registration is required. Email: Shellee Leif at [sjleif@stthomas.edu](mailto:sjleif@stthomas.edu) or call 651.962.6891. **Two options (need only attend one)** at The Saint Paul Seminary: **Saturday, September 22 or November 3**, 8 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.

**Catholic Watchmen Rally**– Tuesday, September 25, 6:30 - 9 p.m. at St. Peter, Forest Lake. The evening includes Eucharistic Adoration, Confessions, and dinner. Bishop Andrew Cozzens will present on "*Spiritual Fatherhood, Every Man's Duty*". Register at [TheCatholicWatchmen.com](http://TheCatholicWatchmen.com). A free-will offering will be collected. Questions? Contact Enzo at [randazzov@archspm.org](mailto:randazzov@archspm.org) or 651-291-4483.

**West Union Fall Country Market!** West Union Lutheran Church of Cologne will host a Fall Country Market on Saturday, September 29, from 9 AM - 3 PM. Stop by to check out the fall and Christmas decor, collectables, homemade items, raffle, craft sale and bake sale. There will also be a chili cook-off and mac & cheese.

**2nd Annual For the Love of Women Luncheon & Expo!** Love INC is hosting this event at Deer Run Golf Club, 8661 Deer Run Dr., on Monday, September 24, from 1:30 - 3:30 PM. The guest speaker this year is Pastor Zipporah Bogonko. The Lunch will be buffet style and will include a variety of breads, freshly sliced ham/turkey/roast beef, cheeses, lettuce, chips, and cookies. For more info or to purchase your ticket see: <https://loveincecc.networkforgood.com/events/8264-2nd-annual-for-the-love-of-women-luncheon-expo>.