

Welcome to
Saint Nicholas' Episcopal Church
St Nicholas' Bulletin Announcements for September 16, 2018



All Are Welcome at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church

St. Nicholas' Parish Family Announcements



*The altar flowers have been gifted by Charlene Peery and Zeno Myers.
 Thanks be to God from whom all blessings flow.*



SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE HOUR HOSTS ...

Thank you Laurie Moulton & Cora Brownmiller for the gracious welcome extended to our Guests and Parish Family- - your gift of hospitality is sincerely appreciated.



Homelessness and Health in Paradise... the ***Paradise Ridge Focus Group*** will meet this week on **Wednesday, September 19th, 5:30-6:30** here at St. Nick's for an update presentation of the county's 10-year ***Strategy to End Homelessness***. The update will add health and mental health issues and solutions to the plan. You are invited to attend and to share ideas during the meeting.



Mark Your Calendar for Saturday, September 22 ... St. Nicholas' Fall Fundraiser
A German Festival and Join us for Dinner ... 5-7pm.

Purchase a bowl for \$10 and enjoy some homemade German Stew, with salad and bread; and enjoy a special feature... a dessert auction and door prizes. Come, and bring a friend to this fun event.



Sunday, Nov. 4th we will celebrate All Saints and All Souls Day here at St Nick's. We will remember and pray for our loved ones that day, and have a board with the names of our dearly departed, with candles to celebrate and commemorate them. To have the name of your family or friends on the board, please see the "person with the clipboard" at Coffee Hour, or call Peggy Almo (877-0125) and give her the names to be listed.



Looking ahead ... Remember the Holiday Faire in November... If you are making jams and jelly from the tasty summer fruits, please remember to save a few jars for the **Holiday Faire** coming **November 2nd & 3rd**. These homemade treats are always a favorite item with our shoppers.



"Serve Jesus" by serving on our Vestry. We will have five Vestry positions open for 2019, each of which provides a wonderful opportunity to experience spiritual growth, provide team support, and help with fun activities, as well as fund-raisers. Please consider how your personal talents may be beneficial to the growth and development of St. Nicholas' Parish, and talk with Pastor Ann about the Vestry.



Just a Reminder that ... St. Nick's is now on Social Media ...

We are reaching out to our Parish and community through Social Media... In addition to our website and email, look for us on **Facebook** and **Twitter** (@StNicksParadise), and on **Instagram** and **Pinterest** (stnicksparadise). Connect with us. Friend us. And share this information with friends.



St. Nicholas Financial Report:

SEPTEMBER: Year-to-Date: Total pledged amount received thru September 2nd: **\$63,647**
 Budgeted pledge income thru September 2nd: **\$67,140**

We are grateful to those who are current in their donations and faithfully support our ministry

******* CALENDAR DATES AT ST. NICK'S *******

Wednesday	Sept 19	Paradise Ridge Focus Group
Thursday	Sept 20	Commodities Distribution 9-11am
Saturday	Sept 22	St. Nick's German Festival— Dinner 5-7pm
Sunday	Sept 23	Gratitude Sunday with special Guest Rev. Harold Cliehens
Sunday	Oct 7	Pasta Cook-Off
Saturday	Oct 13	Green Bag Collection Day
Sunday	Oct 14	Celebration Sunday

