

Welcome to  
Saint Nicholas' Episcopal Church  
September 9, 2018



MISSION OF ST. NICHOLAS'

To know Christ in our hearts;  
To bless, accept, and love all people  
and bring them to Jesus as one family;  
To invite and equip them to serve as his  
followers through bible study, prayer,  
worship and covenant friendships.



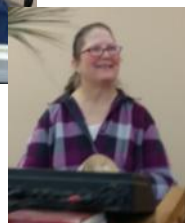
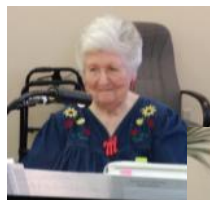
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**Sunday September 9, 2018**  
**Pastor Ann Sullivan, Celebrant & Preacher**



*“Hallelujah! Praise the Lord, O my soul!  
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.”*  
*Psalm*



**ST. NICHOLAS' SCHEDULE September 10-15, 2018**

**MON:** Bunko Ladies (Parish Hall): 11:30-3:00p.m.  
OA Meeting (Conference Room): 6:30-7:30p.m.

**TUE: Patriot Day**

Chat N' Sew (Conference Room) 9:00-11:30a.m.  
Community Meal (Parish Hall): 12:00-1:30p.m.  
Bible Study (Brownmiller Home): 6:00-8:00p.m.  
AA Meeting (Parish Hall): 7:00-9:00p.m.

**WED:** Bible Study (Conference Room): 10:00 -11:30a.m.  
Blessing Basket (Parish Hall): 12:30-1:30p.m.  
Vestry Meeting (Conference Room): 6:00-8:00p.m.

**THU:** Weekly Prayer (Pastor Ann's Office): 9:45-10:00a.m.  
Community Meal (Parish Hall): 12:00-1:30p.m.  
Music Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary): 6:00-8:00p.m.

**FRI:** NA Meeting (Parish Hall): 7:00-8:00p.m.

**SAT:**



# ALLELUIA, THE LORD HAS RISEN

## The 16th Sunday after Pentecost

*“My God, thy table now is spread, thy cup with love doth overflow;  
be all thy children thither led, and let them thy sweet mercies know.”*

*(Philip Doddridge 1702-1751)*

*All Are Welcome at St. Nicholas’ Episcopal Church*

*Thank You for worshipping with us this morning*

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### St. Nicholas’ Parish Family Announcements



*The altar flowers this week have been gifted by Georgeanne Bennett and Bob Johnson. We praise God from whom all blessings flow.*

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### Homelessness and Health in Paradise... the Paradise



Ridge Focus Group will meet Wednesday Sept. 19th, 5:30-6:30 here at St. Nick’s for an update presentation of the county’s 10-year *Strategy to End Homelessness*. You are invited to attend and share ideas during the meeting.



### St. Nicholas’ Fall Fundraiser - A German Festival -

**Saturday, September 22** Join us for dinner .. 5:00-7:00pm.

Come and purchase a bowl for \$10 and enjoy some homemade German Stew, with salad and bread; and featuring a dessert auction and door prizes. Save the date for this fun event !!!

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Today we celebrate **GRANDPARENTS DAY** and send lots of love and good wishes to the special Grandma and Grandpa in each of our lives.

### CALENDAR DATES AT ST. NICK’S



Wednesday	Sept 12	Vestry Meeting
Wednesday	Sept 19	Paradise Ridge Focus Group
Thursday	Sept 20	Commodities Distribution 9-11am
Saturday	Sept 22	St. Nick’s German Festival
Sunday	Sept 23	Gratitude Sunday
Sunday	October 7	Pasta Cook-Off
Sunday	October 14	Celebration Sunday

**PRAYERS OF HEALING** — On Sundays, if you would like *Prayers of Healing*, please join June Hambrook at the back of the Sanctuary during the 10 o’clock Holy Communion.

# St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church

The Episcopal Church on the Ridge

St. Nicholas is committed to bringing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the entire community of Paradise and the Upper Ridge. We relish our traditional roots while seeking to present the Christian Faith in a contemporary way.

We offer

- Traditional Worship at 8 a.m.
- Contemporary Worship at 10 a.m.
- Sunday School during the 10 a.m. service
- Nursery Care during the 10 a.m. service
- Christian Education for all ages
- Weekly Bible Studies
- Women's Group
- Youth groups and activities
- Loaves and Fishes Free Hot Meals for the community
- Blessing Basket Food Pantry
- Commodities Food Distribution
- Community Resource Referrals
- Free Clothing Closet

*Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.*



We celebrate the Gospel of Jesus Christ with the sound of music led by St. Nicholas' Music Worship Team—

Linn Brownmiller (vocal & conga drum), Diana Love (vocal & guitar), Gary Hubbard (guitar), Gene Kelly (guitar), Bob Johnson (guitar), Debra Hubbard (vocal), Janis Maryatt (vocal), Marianne Alves (organ/piano), Kevin Peake (drums), and Danette Posey (rhythm)

St. Nicholas' is a Parish in the  
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