



ST. MATTHEW'S FALL FESTIVAL

September 22 and 23, 2001



Saturday: 6:00 p.m. - ?

Outdoor Dance and Food

Sunday: 11:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Games for All Ages

Food, Baskets, Bingo, Bottle Lotto,
Prizes, Live Auction



We Need You to Make the Festival a Success!

We want to have a successful, fun Fall Festival. If we all volunteer to do something, we will have a great time and our organizers won't be trying to do all the work alone.

We need you to volunteer to help with one or more of the following activities.

- Artists and carpenters to create signs and build and paint games
- Booth and Bingo Workers
- Donors of items for the Auction, games, and door prizes.
- Bakers of cakes, pies, bars, and cookies
- Basket Designers and Bottle Lotto Creators
- Food Preparers and Sellers: Hot dogs, pronto pups, hamburgers, French fries, **pizza**, tacos, cotton candy, popcorn.
- Game operators, face and nail painters, clowns and ?
- Publicity people
- Set-up and/or Take-down Workers

You can see that we will need a lot of help and we need some of it soon, such as game builders, sign makers, publicity, etc. We will be asking for volunteers throughout the summer. Parents, perhaps you would consider signing up with your child to work together at a booth or game. We also want to encourage young adults to volunteer.

If you can help us out with some of these activities which need to be started now or if you wish to sign up to work the days of the festival now, please circle the item(s) you want to do or work.

Name: _____ Phone No.: _____

You may turn in this half of the brochure in the collection plate or at the Parish Center or you may mail it to:

Fall Festival Committee
St. Matthew's Parish Center
490 Hall Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55107



A Look at This Year's Festival

The Parish Council made these decisions about the Festival:

- The purpose of it is to create community at St. Matthews.
- The goal should not be to raise a lot of money—no big raffle.

In early June this year's festival planners met with people that had chaired booths at previous festivals. We discussed what events were successful, what activities could be added, how many days/hours the festival should be, what we could do to make the festival fun for all ages, how to increase attendance, and how to keep costs down.

We decided to hold the festival Saturday, September 22, in the evening and all afternoon on Sunday, September 23. We decided to keep the events listed on the cover of this brochure.

We want to have a lot of activities. To do that we need a lot of help!

- We need people to chair the positions shown on the next page.
- We need a lot of workers for a large variety of jobs.
- We need donations of items for many of the events.
- We need all of you to come to the Festival! We will have a variety of food and activities that we know you will like.

You could help us out **right now** if you would volunteer to **chair an activity**. We promise to help you and get you volunteers so that it will be a very pleasant experience for you. We also need workers now for some of the activities that need to be done in advance, such as artists and carpenters to create and paint games, publicists, etc.

Will you *please* look at and fill out the next page of this brochure and turn it in the collection plate or drop it off in the Parish Center. We'll be asking for volunteers throughout the summer. We will update you on the progress of the festival in a weekly column in the bulletin.

Co-chairs: Barb Lamke (H) 454-1874 (W) 212-2617
Linda Sellars (H) 227-4657

Assistants: Diane Kammerer (H) 454-3685
Barb Kraft and Rick Kraft (H) 455-2174

We Need Chairpersons for these Activities

- Auction.....?
- Baskets Marion Bergstrom and Darlene Bohrer
- Bingo.....?
- Bottle Lotto?
- Dance?
- Donations?
- Finances Judy Helsper and Michele Edwards
- Food. We need a coordinator and many co-chairs in charge of a specific food: corn dogs, cotton candy, desserts, popcorn, tacos.?
- Grilled Food.....Kevin Jenniges & Men's Club
- Games for children and adults.....?
- Media Advertising/Publicity?
- Set-up and Tents?
- Take down.....?
- Worker Scheduler?

Chair Volunteers: If you can help us, please circle the activity you would chair or co-chair and tell us who you are:

Name _____
Phone Number _____

Ideas for Games. Do you have any ideas for children's games? Ask your children or young friends for some ideas! _____

If you think your ideas need more explaining, tell us who you are:

Name _____
Phone Number _____

Other Ideas. _____

