



FR. BOB WAS AWAY FOR THIS BULLETIN ISSUE AND WILL RESUME HIS PASTOR'S LETTER FOR THE BULLETIN OF JULY 26/27



DON'T FORGET! Come help us give Fr. Bob a warm Little Flower welcome as our new pastor. The reception is this Sunday from 11:30 A.M. until 1:30 P.M. in the Parish Social Hall in the basement of the school.

Cookies and punch will be served. Please plan to stop in.

PLEASE NOTE: The School Office will be closed July 21, 22, and 23 and will re-open on Thursday, the 24th.

WALKING IN GOOD COMPANY!

The Little Flower walking group meets every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday morning in front of church, between 8:30 and 8:45 a.m. for a leisurely walk around the neighborhood. Come and join us for light exercise in good company! Kids and pets are welcome! Call the Parish Center for more information.



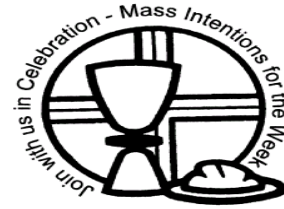
Hospital Visitation
Recently, one of our parishioners was admitted to the hospital and we were not notified. Thanks to the foresight of one of our parishioners, we were informed of this patient and could visit for anointing. Due to the recent Federal regulations, hospitals may not notify us. For this reason, if you or a family member are admitted to the hospital and you would like a visit from the pastoral staff, PLEASE contact the Parish Office and pass along this information.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
Little Flower School Clean Up Day
Saturday, August 9th
More details to follow

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES

On Monday, July 28th, parents are invited to attend the Baptismal Preparation Class at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. This class is required for parents who are requesting baptism for their child and have not previously attended a Preparation Class. Plan ahead as the next class will not take place until September 29th.

Call the Parish Center to Register – 357-8352.



JULY 21– JULY 27

- 21 **July** **Monday**
7:00 a.m. John Foor by Ed and Helen Griffin
5:30 p.m. Dick Wassell by John Huser
- 22 **July** **Tuesday**
7:00 a.m. **Communion Service**
5:30 p.m. Jim and Mary Anne O'Bryan by Madelynn Miller
- 23 **July** **Wednesday**
7:00 a.m. Leo White by The White Family
5:30 p.m. In Honor of George Meier by Art and Dorothy Meier
- 24 **July** **Thursday**
7:00 a.m. **Communion Service**
5:30 p.m. Paul Frazier by Art and Dorothy Meier
- 25 **July** **Friday**
8:30 a.m. Henry Hessler by The 753rd Chaplain
5:30 p.m. Fred Tunis by Jim and Toni Page
- 26 **July** **Saturday**
8:30 a.m. Hazel Barton by Faith Hopper
5:00 p.m. **Vigil – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Mary Catherine O'Brien by Maureen, Jim, Bernard and Kathleen
- 27 **July** **Sunday – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:30 a.m. Mary Thomas by The Maley Family
10:30 a.m. Theresa Esslinger by Judi and Larry Sullivan
6:00 p.m. For The Parish

PARISH EVENTS FOR JULY 21 - JULY 27

Monday	School	7/21-8/8	Summer School
	Social Hall	6:00 pm	Football Sign Up
Tuesday	St. Patrick	6:00 pm	Health Ministry
Wednesday	St. Patrick	7:00 am	Parish Picnic Meeting
Thursday	St. Therese	7:00 pm	AA
Saturday	St. Therese	7:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
Sunday	St. Patrick	8:30 am	Childrens' Liturgy
	St. Therese	8:30 am	Nursery up to 4 years
	Social Hall	9:30 am	Coffee and Donuts
	St. Therese	Noon	GA



Please pray for the repose of the souls of: **Mary Grohovsky**, mother of Steve, who passed away Thursday, July 10th and **William Anderson**, husband of Geraldine, who died on Tuesday, July 8th. Our condolences to the family and friends.

BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

We welcome the following children who were baptized on Sunday, July 13th: **Isaiah Roy** and **Tyler James**, sons of **Carmen (Montes)** and **Daniel Johnson**.

Blessings to you all!

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS VOLUNTEER DAYS

We have a lot left to do to get the school building ready for mid-August! Please consider coming to one of our work days to help out. There are many tasks to be done, and no particular skill level is

required...just the desire to help out for a few hours. Mark your calendars for **Thursday, July 24th from Noon until 9:00 p.m. or Saturday July 26th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.** Meet in the School Cafeteria for job assignments. Please consider this volunteer opportunity, even if it is just a few hours on one of the days. It will be a great help if we have a good turnout!

PARISH PICNIC PLANNING PLATOON!

If you are interested in helping to plan the Annual Parish Picnic, we will meet this Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Patrick Room. Come and help us plan a fun event to be held Sunday, August 17th at Garfield Park.

SVDP COATS FOR WINTER

Our next Parish St. Vincent de Paul sponsored project will be collecting winter coats for the needy. Last winter we noticed there were many people that came to receive food at Thanksgiving or receive gifts from the Giving Tree that did not have warm winter coats. If you have adult or child winter coats that you no longer need and they are still in good shape, consider cleaning them and saving them for this winter. You might even consider purchasing them at garage sales over the summer. More information about this **Coat Drive** will be coming in the Fall. Thanks, Kathy.



FOOTBALL SIGN-UPS FOR BOYS in grades 3-8 will be this Monday, July 21st at 6:00 p.m. in the Social Hall. Parents and boys must attend. Call Steve Crays – 894-9387 or 679-0727.

COACHES NEEDED - The Athletic Association has openings for the following positions: Boy's Athletic Director, Kickball Coaches and Gym Services Provider. For information on these positions, please contact Steve Crays at 894-9387 or 679-0727.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL CAMP - Grades 4 – 8 as of fall 2003 - Monday, July 28th – Friday, August 1st - 6 – 9:00 p.m. each evening - Benedict Inn - 1402 Southern Avenue - \$100 per camper – Call 788-7581

PRO - LIFE BOOTH NEEDS VOLUNTEERS



Volunteers are needed for the Pro-Life Booth at the Indiana State Fair, which runs from August 6th - 17th. Shifts are: 9–1 p.m.; 1–5 p.m.; and 5–9 p.m. If interested, call 844 - 6833 or 253-1957.



- **FR. BOB'S INSTALLATION WILL BE SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH AT 10:30 a.m.**
- The Health Ministry Advisory Group will meet Tuesday, July 22 - St. Pat. Rm.– 7pm
- Parent Info Night & School Packet Pick Up Thursday, August 14 at 7:00 p.m.
- Parent Info Day & Packet Pick Up Friday, August 15 – 10:00 a.m.
- School Begins – Tuesday, August 19th - Grades 1 – 8 Dismissal at 11:00 a.m.
- Pre-School & KDG. Open House Thursday, August 21 – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
- Kdg./ Pre-School 3's Begin School – Tuesday, August 26
- Pre-School 4's Begin School – Wednesday, August 27



We're All SMLES! A great time was had by all at the Vacation Bible School. Many thanks to the volunteers who assisted and to Shannon Flynn our Religious Education Coordinator for a great program.

ATTENTION PARISH YOUTH - GRADES 8 - 12

Cook out and swimming at Tom's house on Tuesday, July 22nd from 7:30 until 10:30 pm. All are welcome. Call Tom at 357-8352 or e-mail tom@littleflowerparish.org by **Monday, July 21st** to let him know you are coming.

The Youth Room will be open on Sunday, July 27th after the 6:00 p.m. Mass. Plan to stop in after Mass.

Sunday, July 20th is the next Youth Choir practice. We are always looking for new members. Practice is in church from 7 until 8:30 p.m. Please consider coming to help in this important ministry. **Incoming eighth graders are always welcome!**

**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE
YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH**

NEW FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING 7/1/03

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,200.00
Collection of July 12 th and 13 th	\$ 10,842.21
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$ 26,400.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 24,520.16

Home Improvement Fund

May Contributions	\$ 2,340.47
June Contributions	\$ 2,814.75
July Contributions to date	\$ 1,768.00